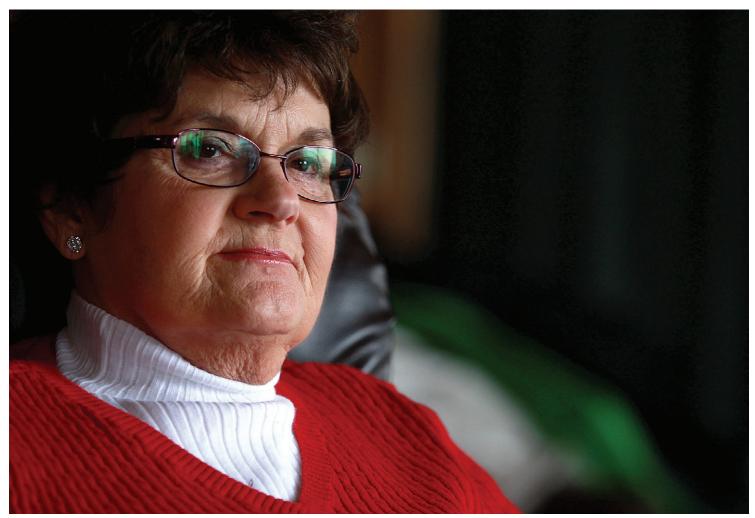
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Judy Ray reflects on the August home invasion of their Buhl home.

# 'I Told God I Didn't Want to Die'

Couple Getting Peace of Mind Back Six Months after Gun-point Home Invasion.

BY ALISON GENE SMITH alismith@magicvalley.com

**BUHL** • At about 6 a.m. Aug. 7, Leo Ray was reading and snoozing in an armchair in his living room. Then - a loud knock on the front

Employees for his company, Fish Processors of Idaho, regularly start work near his home at 6:30 a.m., so the early knock wasn't too unusual, he said.

But, as he opened the door, Leo was met with three gun barrels in his face. After 30 dangerous seconds of thinking it was a prank, Leo said he was shoved inside the

"One said, 'Listen, we're here to rob you and we want your money;" Leo said.

One of the men held a gun to his left temple with a hand on his right shoulder, while another man held a gun to Leo's right temple, resting a hand on his left shoulder. Those two men were later identified as Dylan Contreras, 20, and John Valenciano Jr., also now 20. Another person, later identified as a 16-year-old boy accused of helping the other two, stood across the room with a rope and a gun in his hands.



After the home invasion of the Ray home last August, they installed a camera to see who's at the door.

All three wore bandanas over their faces, Leo said.

Leo said he repeatedly told the three the only money in the house was in his wallet.

"I said, 'There's no money here; that's what banks are for," he said.

After a few minutes, Leo said

one of the men asked if anyone else was home, then took Leo into the bedroom where his wife, Judy, was still in bed.

"I was just waking up," Judy said. "I heard murmuring."

As the quiet conversation continued, Judy said she knew something was wrong. Then, the three masked men and Leo entered the room. Almost immediately one of the men was at her side, threatening to shoot her. Soon, Judy and Leo were both tied up, face-

down, on their bed. Please see INVASION, A7

# **Dairies Investin Training** after Animal Abuse

BY KIMBERLEE KRUESI

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TWIN FALLS • Idaho dairy employers are working to improve their application and hiring process following an incident of alleged animal abuse last fall.

The improved vetting process stems from the lingering backlash over hidden camera footage reportedly of animal cruelty at Dry Creek Dairy, just southwest of Murtaugh.

The footage showed a cow being dragged out of a barn with a chain wrapped around its neck, workers beating cows with a cane as the animals slipped on a wet concrete floor, and workers punching and jumping on cows between metal bars in the milking stalls.

Dairy operators from across the state were quick to condemn the actions seen in the video. And three months later, they're working to improve hiring processes and employee training to prevent animal cruelty at their operations.

"We've done some training with the vetting process in the past, but we're seeing stronger background checks since then," said Bob Naerebout, executive director of the Idaho Dairymen's Association. "Part of that was designing employee contracts that outline what practices were not going to be tolerated."

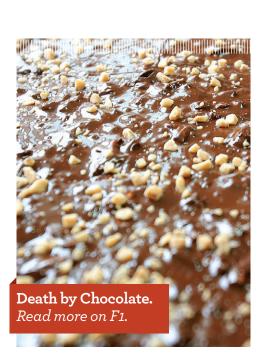
Luis Bettencourt, owner of Dry Creek Dairy, installed video cameras in his dairies as an added precaution to prevent future animal cruelty cases. He also made his 500 employees sign a contract stating that the incidents seen in the footage were unac-

Naerebout expects to see more dairies install security cameras. But for now, the focus is on creating a better class of dairy employee.

The association has partnered with the University of Idaho's extension office to launch an animal care practices certification program for potential dairy employees, Naerebout said.

"This is the way of the future," he

It's a program that was in the works before the Bettencourt Please see DAIRIES, A7



# IDAHO MEDICAID TO RETURN **NEARLY \$47M IN 'EXCESS' FUNDS**

BY CLARK CORBIN ccorbin@postregister.com

**BOISE** • State Medicaid offi-

cials told budget writers Tuesday they will return almost \$46.3 million in excess funding despite bracing for 60,000 new people to enroll in the program.

Division of Medicaid Administrator Paul Leary told members of the Joint Finance-Appropriations

#### On the Web

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Committee that smaller increases in caseloads and stabilization of the Molina Medicaid Solutions claims system have cut Idaho Medicaid costs.

In 2010, dozens of businesses that provide Medicaid services complained they either were not paid or were reimbursed improperly by Molina.

Last year, a state audit concluded Molina had improved its system.

"So why are we returning Please see MEDICAID, A7

#### TODAY IN MINI-CASSIA . .

Herrett Forum presentation: Steve Shaw speaks on "Senator Frank Church: It's Called Democracy" at 7:30 p.m. in the Rick Allen Room at the Herrett Center for Arts and Science, Twin Falls. Free. 732-6655.



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#### THE MARKET AT A GLANCE

#### Stocks Edge Higher as Retailers Rally

NEW YORK (AP) • Stocks edged higher on Wall Street after a rally in retail stocks offset concerns about flaring tensions in Washington over increasing the country's borrowing limit. The Dow Jones industrial average ended the day up 27.57 points at 13,534.89. The Dow moved higher in the late afternoon after being down as much as 62 points in the early going. The Standard and Poor's 500 rose 1.66 points to 1,472.34, a five-year high.



#### STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

AlliantEgy	1.88f	17	45.81		+4.3	Keyo	corp .20	10	8.97	+.10	+6.5
AlliantTch	1.04f	9	65.27	+.28	+5.3	Lee	Ent		1.22	+.04	+7.0
AmCasino	.50	11	26.82		+2.2	Micr	onT		7.60		+19.9
Aon plc	.63	18	57.54	+.18	+3.5	Offic	ceMax .08	2	10.56	+.64	+8.2
BallardP h			.69	01	+12.1	Rock	kTen .90	22	75.06	+.51	+7.4
BkofAm	.04	30	11.55	+.08	5	Sens	sient .88	15	37.40	+.22	+5.2
ConAgra	1.00	20	31.07	+.04	+5.3	Skyl	Nest .16	36	13.44	22	+7.9
Costco	1.10a	25	101.15	+.78	+2.5	Tera	ıdyn	14	16.70	14	-1.1
Diebold	1.14	12	31.71	+.54	+3.6	Tupp	owre 1.44	18	65.71	+.92	+2.5
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DukeRlty	.68		14.82	+.19	+6.8	Valh	is .20	19	14.64	+.06	+17.1
Fastenal	.84f	34	47.04	+.57	+.8	Wali	Mart 1.59	14	68.98	+.68	+1.1
Heinz	2.06	19	59.21	+.31	+2.7		hFed .32	13	17.20	+.04	+2.0
HewlettP	.53		16.53	42	+16.0	Well	sFargo .88	10	35.11	+.34	+2.7
HomeDp	1.16	23	63.95	+.47	+3.4	Zion	Bcp .04	22	22.05	+.19	+3.0
Idacorp	1.52	14	43.77	+.35	+1.0						

#### MAGIC VALLEY COMMODITIES

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	Feeder cat					Mar	Euro-cu
Mar	Feeder cat	tle151.38	150.33	150.38	- 1.05	Jun	Euro-cu
Feb	Lean hogs	85.30	84.35	85.23	+ 1.03	Mar	Canada
Apr	Lean hogs	87.90	86.90	87.85	+ .73	Jun	Canada
		777.00				Mar	Swiss Fr
May	Wheat	783.25	768.00	773.50	+ 11.50	Jun	Swiss Fr
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	BFP Milk						Cotton
Mar	BFP Milk	17.74		17.66			Cotton
Apr		18.09		17.99			Unleade
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#### GRAINS & METALS REPORT

#### 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 con

Other Idaho bean prices are collected weekly by Bean Market News, U.S. Department of Agriculture; pintos, \$33-\$36; pinks, \$40-\$42; small reds, \$40-\$42; garbanzos, V Ltd. \$40. Quotes current Jan. 9.

#### **VALLEY GRAINS**

Prices for wheat per bushel; mixed grain, oats, corn and beans per hundredweight. Prices subject to change without notice. Barley, \$12.40; oats, \$12.00; corn, \$13.30 (15 percent moisture). Prices are given by Rangen's in Buhl. Corn, \$13.91; barley, \$13.00 (cwt); wheat, \$6.95

(bushel) delivered to Gooding. Prices quoted by JD Heiskell. Prices current Jan. 9.

#### CHEESE Cheddar cheese prices on the Chicago Mercantile

Barrels: \$1.6725, nc; Blocks: \$1.7100, - .0100

#### INTERMOUNTAIN GRAIN

POCATELLO, Idaho (AP) — Idaho Farm Bureau Intermountain Grain and Livestock Report for Tuesday, January 15.

POCATELLO — White wheat 8.10 (steady); 11.5 percent winter 8.06 (up 8); 14 percent spring 8.18 (up 5); barley 11.56 (steady); hard white 8.06 (up 8); BURLEY - White wheat 8.02 (down 1); 11.5 percent winter 7.70 (down 5); 14 percent spring 7.92 (up 12) barley 12.25 (steady); hard white 8.00 (up 15); OGDEN – White wheat 8.55 (up 5); 11.5 percent winter 8.53 (up 15); 14 percent spring 9.00 (up 10); barley 12.00 (up 15); corn 14.00 (up 15); PORTLAND — White wheat 8.62 (up 10); 11 percent winter 9.18-9.38 (up 15); 14 percent spring 9.55 (up 15); corn 304.50-305.50 (up 1.50); NAMPA – White wheat 12.91 (up 8) cwt; 7.72 (up 2)

INTERMOUNTAIN LIVESTOCK

January 9. Utility and breaking cows 70.00-82.00; cutter and canners 60.00-70.00; young feeders 80.00-90.00; stock cows 1000-1400/hd; heavy feeder steers 120.00-140.00; light feeder steers 132.00-160.00; stocker feeder steers 140.00-165.00; heavy feeder heifers 85.00-130.00; light feeder heifers 122.00-140.00; stocker feeder steers 130.00-150.00; bulls 70.00-81.00; baby calves 200-400/head; weaner pigs 20-50; feeder pigs 50-75; feeder lambs 100-110. Remarks: 5-10 higher on cows; stocker and feeders steady with light test; hogs strong; sheep 5-

#### GOLD

Selected world gold prices, Tuesday. London afternoon fixing: \$1681.00 up \$14.50. London afternoon fixing: \$1680.50 up \$14.00. NY Handy & Harman: \$1680.50 up \$14.00. NY Handy & Harman fabricated: \$1814.94 up \$15.12. NY Engelhard: \$1684.01 up \$14.03. NY Engelhard fabricated: \$1810.31 up \$15.08. NY Merc gold Ian Tue \$1683.40 up \$14.50 NY HSBC Bank USA 4 p.m. Tue. \$1680.00 up \$12.00.

#### SILVER

NEW YORK (AP) Handy & Harman silver Tuesday \$31.340 up \$0.460. H&H fabricated \$37.608 up \$0.552 The morning bullion price for silver in London \$31.190 up \$0.430. Engelhard \$31.350 up \$0.460. Engelhard fabricated \$37.620 up \$0.552. NY Merc silver spot month Tuesday \$31.498 up

#### **NONFERROUS**

NEW YORK (AP) — Spot nonferrous metal prices T. Aluminum -\$0.9355 per lb., London Metal Exch. Copper -\$3.6422 Cathode full plate, LME. Copper \$3.6230 N.Y. Merc spot Tue. Lead — \$2305.00 metric ton, London Metal Exch. Zinc - \$0.9053 per lb., London Metal Exch.

Gold – \$1683.40 troy oz., NY Merc spot Tue. Silver – \$31.340 Handy & Harman (only daily quote). Silver – \$31.498 troy oz., N.Y. Merc spot Tue. Platinum -\$1694.00 troy oz., N.Y. (contract). Platinum -\$1688.00 troy oz., N.Y. Merc spot Tue n.q.-not quoted n.a.-not available r-revised

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# From the Notebook



After breaking through the cloud coverage, the sun's rays reflect off the snowfall while Times-News staffers cover a story on trapping Saturday at the Lloyd Wetlands near Rupert.

My Pentel EnerGel pens

I'd brought three with me

just for insurance as we

trudged over the snowy land-

scape at Lloyd Wetland about

five miles from one trapper's

About 15 minutes after we

left the trapper's truck and

began searching for places to

set traps, one pen went belly

out of ink," I thought.

swung and missed.

retrieve them.

ing, for Pete's sake.

second pen did likewise.

"Humph, must have run

A few minutes later, the

"Now that's just weird," I

A little while later, the third

pen threw me a slider and I

I can't quote what I thought

at this point. My other pens

were in the truck, and I was

darned if I was hiking back to

ink in 45 minutes? Surely, you

jest. Turns out the pens were

still full, but the ink was freez-

So I stashed them in my

I'll take five pens with me

down-jacket pocket, and they

revived enough for me to

next time ... and a battery-

complete the assignment.

powered heating pad.

Three pens running out of

must have been shivering

alongside me, but I continued

to work. They didn't.

home.

thought.

#### Trapping in a Winter Wonderland

The snow sparkled like diamonds as sun peeked out from under the cloudy sky. Nearby, Jared Boley and his Fa-



Nash

ther Russell Boley went about their work, setting snare traps. Times-News reporter Paul Dunn patiently shot video using an iPad. I took a deep breath and watched as my breath froze in the frigid air. My fingers were going numb as Paul wrapped up his video

clip.
"Time to get back to learn-"I+bought as I ing how to trap," I thought as I heaved my camera to my eye. I received a wealth of knowledge from the Boley's that day. From learning the different types of traps to the thoughts behind where to place them. Whether you're for or against trapping, be sure to have an educated opinion. I know I didn't before my assignment, which you can read all about Thursday in the Outdoors section.

- Drew Nash

#### Out of Ink

Three strikes, and I was out. Of ink.

Colleague Drew Nash and I were out with a couple of



Dunn

Rupert animal trappers Saturday, following several days of nasty weather.

But this day was snow packed, sunny and gorgeous and around 10 degrees I figured (but I'm always cold, so don't trust me ...).

# Adding the Words Monday's

During Twin Falls City Council meeting, members voted to include sexual orientation



tion policy. The vote passed 5-2, with Don Hall and Suzanne Hawkins voting "no."

meeting, During the

"St. Luke's is an equal op-

Hawkins argued against adding sexual orientation because the city was already following the law. She pointed to St. Luke's Health System as a major employer that doesn't include sexual orientation in its policy. She went on to say applies." that our local St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center includes sexual orientation but only because it inherited a policy that was used when hospital was owned by the county. She ended by saying that St. Luke's Magic Valley was currently working to re-

move sexual orientation to reduce the chance of a lawsuit. I asked for a copy of St. Luke's Health System for its anti-discrimination policy and saw that it does include sexual orientation throughout the entire system. However, it's somewhat of a recent addition. The health system added sexual orientation close to a year ago. And while St. Luke's Magic Valley was the only hospital in the system to include sexual orientation since 2006, this is no

discrimination policy. When I contacted Hawkins on Tuesday, she said that she talked to St. Luke's Magic Valley human resource representative on Friday but couldn't remember who she talked to. However, she repeated that she was told the hospital was the only St. Luke's medical center to have sexual orientation in its discrimination policy.

longer true nor are hospital

administrators working on

removing it from the anti-

Below is St. Luke's Health System current discrimination policy implemented throughout the entire system, including Magic Valley Medical Center:

portunity employer and does not discriminate against employees or job applicants on the basis of race, religion, color, sex, sexual orientation, age, national origin, disability, veteran status, or any other status or condition protected by applicable state or federal laws, except where an occupational qualification

- Kimberlee Kruesi

#### Staying On Track

Just weeks after I moved here, I had the opportunity to talk with Anna Scholes for first the time. She and other



Wootton

parents involved with Vera C. O'Leary Middle School's Parent Teacher Student Organization had just started a project to raise money to renovate the school's track.

They kicked off the project in fall 2011. When I checked in last week, they had raised \$55,000.

Some small repairs have been made to the track over the past 10 years, but now it's in a state of disrepair.

O'Leary middle schoolers use the track for physical education class. The school also has a large track team that can't host their own meets due to the condition of the track, principal John Hyatt told me last week.

While a final fundraising goal hasn't been set, Hyatt estimates they'll need about \$120,000 for a new track.

To help out, donations can be made online via the Twin Falls Education Foundation: www.ed.tfsd.org. Donations can also be dropped off at O'Leary or mailed to the Twin Falls Education Foundation at P.O. Box 1182, Twin Falls, ID 83303.

- Julie Wootton

#### CORRECTIONS

#### Community Item **Had Errors**

The story on Sunday's Community page about Cindy Blastock being appointed state coordinator for TOPS Club Inc. misidentified the club in the headline, and gave the wrong phone number for Blastock. She can be reached at 734-2641.

The Times-News regrets the errors.

#### Munn Voted Yes to Add the Words

Twin Falls Vice Mayor Don Hall and Councilwoman Suzanne Hawkins were the two votes against a proposal Monday to add sexual orientation to the city's antiha-

rassment and discrimination policy for its employees.

A Tuesday article incorrectly stated Councilman Jim Munn cast a "no" vote. Munn said he voted "yes," to add the words, because he felt it was the right thing to

"I understand it is controversial," he said. "Discrimination including sexual ori-

entation simply won't be tolerated in the workplace. It has nothing to do with anything else."

Also, Hall was misquoted in the article. His correct quote should have read:

"We don't believe in discrimination, period," he said. "To me this is more of an exercise in political correctness than anything.

# Cold and Flurries to Continue

he temperature inversion across the Magic Valley and Mini-Cassia will continue into the weekend. This will keep skies mostly cloudy and temperatures well below the average high of 37 degrees. Along with the clouds will be occasional light snow showers and flurries, as well as areas of patchy, dense, freezing fog during the early morning hours.

The reason this temperature inversion has set up across the region is thanks to a large, upper-level high pressure off the Pacific Coast



right over southern Idaho and northern Utah. Skies will once again be a bright grey with occasional breaks for sunshine. Occasional flurries and light snow showers will continue, but accumulations will be limited to just a dusting and a coating. Temperatures through the afternoon will struggle to get to near 20. Clouds will continue



scattered light snow and flurries with minimal accumulation and areas of patchy, dense, freezing fog. Temperatures will drop into the single digits and a few locations could see lows near zero or below zero. By Thursday, we should start to see more sunshine and even slightly warmer temperatures as highs get into the mid-20s.

through the evening and

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#### **OBITUARIES**

# Ed 'Papa Eddie' Howa

1923-2013

TWIN FALLS • Ed Howa, a special husband, father, grandfather and friend left us last week, Jan. 11, 2013. Ed loved his family passionately and his friends nearly as much. We will all miss him!

Ed was born in Provo, Utah, in 1923 to the first two Lebanese immi-

grants to arrive in Utah. He spent his early years in Helper and Price, Utah. During World War II, he joined the Marine Corps. Later, he married Bernice Johnson and had his first two children, Geneal and Allan. He and his young family moved to Twin Falls, Idaho, in 1950 and started the first three of his eventual 13 Arctic Circle restaurants. The Arctic Circle was one of Ed's greatest loves, and he continued to work with his son and then granddaughter and husband until he could no longer work. Ed also partnered early on in a business called "Speck's Cafe" with Speck Leazer. It was located where "Kelly's" restaurant operates now in downtown Twin Falls. The couple had two more children, Carla and Kelly, as they settled into a great life in Twin Falls. Ed was always known as a hard worker and a person that would give anyone anything that they needed. He was known as "Papa Eddie" affectionately to those who knew him.

Ed was a huge CSI fan. He sponsored the "Arctic Circle Classic" basketball tournament for 12 years at CSI. You could always spot him courtside, middle seat! He often accompanied CSI teams to sports events on their buses. He gave his heart and time to many different college activities and was known to take CSI students under his wing, especially those who were struggling. He started "Papa Eddie's" concession stand at CSI's baseball field and ran it voluntarily for years. He was proudly inducted into the CSI Hall of Fame several years ago. Ed loved all sports. He followed his son, Allan's, sports activities early on and then his grandchildren's later. In his later years, he was still attending youth and college sports events. He had special friends that took him everywhere when he could no longer drive. Thank you Gary Chapel, Fred Trenkle, Skip Walker, Ben Stroud and others! He was once given the honor of being "Grand Marshall" for a Twin Falls High School homecoming parade.

Ed's last days at Ashley



Manor were tough as his Alzheimer's progressed, but Ed tried hard to find the humor in each situation. Many thanks to Linda and crew at Ashley Manor and to Hospice Visions;

Linda and crew at Ashley Manor and to Hospice Visions; both organizations showed much love and care. We couldn't have done it without you!

Ed loved new cars and enjoyed making a "good deal" on a car at Theisen Motors ... he loved to dance, especially with Bernice, his wife ... he loved playing cards ... he loved a good time, loved to party, and did it without alcohol ... he loved "bummin' around!" ... he loved his friends, his "pals," and wanted to make them feel special ... he loved hats and shoes, he always said that you "knew a man by his shoes" ... he had a special energy and an unequaled zest for life, always with plenty of humor ... he didn't want to leave, and he fought it hard ... but, he has left us, "see you pal!"

Ed is preceded in death by his parents; three brothers, John, Joseph and James Howa; and sister, Mary Louise Howa Ghirardelli. Surviving Ed is his loving wife of 63 years, Bernice J. Howa; his son, Allan (Cindy) Howa; three daughters, Geneal Howa Thompson, Carla Howa Robertson and Kelly Howa; grandchildren, Nathan Robertson, Jacob Robertson, Cy Robertson, Jason Thompson, Carly Howa Hunzeker, Joshua E. Howa, Amy Howa, Eddiann Thompson and Nathan Salmans; and by his greatgrandchildren, Niklaus, Alexander and Zachary Hunzeker, Cooper and Addison Howa, Jillian, Mazzie and Lux Thompson, and Jordan Robertson.

Visitation for Ed will be held from 5 to 7 Friday, Jan. 18, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls. At 7 p.m. at the funeral home, a vigil service will be held. The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 19, at St. Jerome's Catholic Church, 216 Second Ave. E., Jerome,

ID 83338.

In lieu of flowers, the family is asking that donations be made to the Multiple Sclerosis Society, P.O. Box 4527, New York, NY 10163. All services and arrangements are under the direction of the Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home of Twin Falls, Idaho.

Those wishing to share memories and condolences may do so at www.magicvalleyfuneralhome.com.

# Nancy Earle Benjamin

May 4, 1942-Jan. 13, 2013

NAMPA • Nancy Benjamin was born in Burley, Idaho, on May 4, 1942, to Bert and Pearl Ingram. She entered Heaven's gates on Sunday, Jan. 13, 2013, with her family by her side at

age 70. Nancy was born into a large family, having three brothers and seven sisters. She was a sweet, loving child, and she loved all her brothers and sisters and her mother and dad. She was kind and unselfish. Nancy married Leighton Benjamin 52 years ago, and they did everything together: worked, played, traveled and created a family consisting of three sons, 14 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Her family was her whole life and she gave her whole heart to it. She also had many friends and will be sorely missed by everyone. In addition to being a devoted wife, mother and friend, Nancy was a hard worker. She worked in the fields, waited tables at Honker's in Nampa and was a nurse's aide at Mercy Hospital. She worked side-by-side with her husband in their family business, Benjamin's Rural Disposal, for 38 years. After retirement a few years back, she and Leighton spent quality time with their grandchildren attending their sporting events. They went on vacation to Lake Powell with

cabin in Cascade.

Nancy is survived and lovingly remembered by her husband, Leighton Benjamin; their three sons, Larry (Beverly), Earle (Theresa) and Stan (Kathie); 14 grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren. She is also survived by two brothers and four sisters, Russel, Anne, Mary Celia, Sherman, LaNeva and Cristene. She was preceded in death by her mother, father, three sisters and a brother.

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Nancy treated everyone like family. She had such a generous heart, always had a smile on her face and never com-

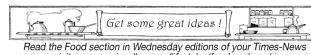




plained. She has left us with many wonderful memories. "WE LOVE YOU, MOM."

The funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, Jan. 18, at the Nampa LDS 7th Ward

Chapel, 3015 Sunnyridge Road. A viewing will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 17, at Zeyer Funeral Chapel, 83 N. Midland Blvd. in Nampa, and from 1 to 1:45 p.m. prior to the service Friday at the church. Interment will be at Kohlerlawn Cemetery in Nampa.

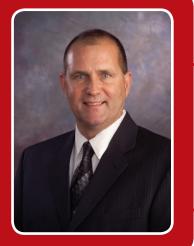








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**OBITUARIES** 

### David Peter O'Brien

Aug. 8, 1949-Jan. 14, 2013

**POCATELLO** David Peter O'Brien, 63, Pocatello, passed Monday away morning, Jan. 14, 2013, at a Pocatello medical center with his loving family at his side.

Dave O'Brien was born in Butte, Mont., on Aug. 8, 1949, to Dan and Helen O'Brien. Dave grew up in Pocatello with his parents and two sisters, Danielle and Maureen. In 1966, they all moved to Twin Falls, Idaho. That's where Dave met Jean Marie Johnstone; they married in December of 1968 and moved back to Pocatello, where Dave attended Idaho State University. Dave and Jean had two kids, Dawn and Mike. Dave served his country during the Vietnam War and was stationed in Germany for two years.

After the military, Dave returned to Pocatello where he worked for Bill Meyers Auto Parts as the manager. Dave and Jean were later divorced. Dave then met Toni Marie Burnside, and they married in 1986. Dave and Toni had two kids, Dan and Jake. Dave purchased Advanced Auto Parts, which he owned and operated for many years with his family. Dave then went to work for Geff's Manufacturing, where



Dave enjoyed traveling, camping, boating, four-wheeling, working on cars and, most of all, spending time with his family and

friends. Dave will forever be remembered for his sense of humor and his laid-back

attitude. Dave is survived by his wife, Toni O'Brien; daughter, Dawn O'Brien of Salt Lake City, Utah; three sons, Mike (Laura) O'Brien of Tracy, Calif., Dan O'Brien of Boise, Idaho, and Jake O'Brien of Twin Falls, Idaho; and two sisters, Danielle (Dave) Frazier of Twin Falls, Idaho, and Maureen Walker of Twin Falls, Idaho. Dave is preceded in death by his parents, Dan and Helen O'Brien.

A memorial service will be held at 4 p.m. Friday, Jan. 18, at Wilks Funeral Home, 211 W. Chubbuck Road in Chubbuck, Idaho. Family and friends are invited to gather an hour prior to the service. A dinner and Irish wake will immediately follow the service at the funeral home.

Arrangements are under the care and direction of Wilks Funeral Home (238-8000). Condolences may be sent to the family online www.wilksfuneralhome.com.

Terry Ray Whitlock

Nov. 17, 1950-Jan. 11, 2013

TWIN FALLS • Terry Ray

Whitlock, 62, of Twin Falls

passed away Friday, Jan. 11,

2013, at his home in Twin

Terry was born Nov. 17,

1950, in Boise, Idaho, the son

of Violet and Monroe Whit-

lock. He grew up in and at-

tended grade school at Ed-

wards Air Force Base in Cali-

fornia, after which he moved

with his family to Evreux,

France, for two years. Terry's

father was then transferred to

Lakenheath AFB, England,

where Terry graduated from

high school. He returned to

the United States and joined

the U.S. Army, serving his

duty in Germany, after which

time he returned to New Jer-

sey to be with his family. It

was in New Jersey that Terry

met and married Susan Can-

non in 1974, and the couple

for music, especially singing

and playing the guitar, and

this love led him to form the

band, Tahoka Freeway. The

band performed for a num-

ber of years and went on to

record and play for many

venues throughout the east-

ern United States. Following

the band's disbursement,

Terry and a friend built their

own fishing boat and spent

many hours on the open sea.

He also worked for a com-

mercial fishing company for

several years. Terry liked to

travel and spent time in St.

Croix and Puerto Rico. He returned to the United States and worked for a pool and spa company and, in 1993,

moved to Idaho to be near his

Terry had a great passion

lived on the Jersey Shore.



April 4, 1939-Jan. 12, 2013

TWIN FALLS • John Jacob Heck joined his Father in Heaven on Saturday, Jan. 12,

He was born April 4, 1939, to James Hayes and Martha Leona (Roszell) Heck in Twin Falls, Idaho. He was the youngest of seven children, having five brothers and one sister.

John grew up in the Twin Falls area, attending school in Hollister, Twin Falls and Richfield. One of his first jobs was as a busboy at the old Rogerson Hotel. There, as he liked to tell his children, he met many famous movie stars, including Gene Autry and Jimmy Stewart, and earned very good tips. After serving in the U.S. Army, he returned to Twin Falls and married the love of his life, Cloreen Ann Schendel, on April 30, 1960.

After apprenticing with his father, he became a busy and successful masonry contractor, laying brick, block and stone on hundreds of Magic Valley homes, churches and businesses in the '60s, '70s and '80s. John became unexpectedly ill in 1984 and was forced to retire from the masonry business in 1985. He became his sons' biggest fan, always at practices and games and volunteering countless hours with the Twin Falls Bruin Boosters.

John enjoyed the outdoors, spending many years fishing for salmon on the Salmon and Columbia rivers, trout fishing at Magic and Salmon Falls reservoirs, and stream fishing along the Big Wood River. He liked hunting sage grouse, pheasants and deer, and camping, fishing and hiking all over southcentral Idaho. He also loved deep sea fishing and crabbing along the Oregon Coast. He was an avid and adept card player, enjoying pinochle right up until the day he was hospitalized. John loved to travel, often visiting relatives and places in Washington, Arizona, Texas, Las Vegas and along the Oregon coast. He loved to travel with friends and family and took great delight in sharing his time and adventures with



In Idaho, Terry worked for Basterrechea Trucking, Star Construction and Volco Building Supply. His final employment was with Ferguson Water Works. Terry liked to serve his community and was an active member of the Twin Falls Masonic Lodge and also the Magic Valley Wishing Star Foundation. All through his time in Idaho, he played and sang for events throughout southern Idaho.

Terry is survived by his mother, Violet Whitlock of Twin Falls; and his brother, Monroe Jr., also of Twin Falls. He was preceded in death by his father, Monroe Sr.

The funeral for Terry will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 19, at Reynolds Funeral Chapel, 2466 Addison Ave. E. in Twin Falls, with Pastor Dale Metzger officiating and military honors by the Magic Valley Honor Guard and Idaho National Guard and Masonic rites by the Twin Falls



Masonic Lodge No. 45 AF and AM. At Terry's request, there will be no public viewing. Burial will follow at Wendell Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials be given in Terry's name to the Magic Valley Wishing Star Foundation. Contributions may be given to funeral chapel staff or mailed to Reynolds Funeral Chapel, P.O. Box 1142, Twin Falls, ID 83303.

Services are under the direction of Trent Stimpson and staff at Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls. Condolences may be left for the family by visiting www.reynoldschapel.com.





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brother of his heart, Buddy L.

DeWeese. He is survived by

Cloreen, his wife of nearly 53

years; sons, Johnny, Alan and

Brandie; and grandchildren,

Autumn, Tavia, Liane and

Brian. He is also survived by

his sister, Mary (LaRae)

Brown of Richfield; sisters-

in-law, Janet (Lawrence),

June (Ralph), Marlene (Bud-

dy) DeWeese, Barbara (Jim)

Kelly, Doris (Harvey) Hen-

drix and Lillian Clayton, all of

the Magic Valley, and Donna

(Richard) Meyer and Deloris

(Raymond) Meyer of Ken-

newick, Wash. He is also

survived by three great-

grandchildren, many nieces,

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#### **OBITUARIES**

#### **SERVICES**

P. Eugene Messner of Twin Falls, funeral at 11 a.m. today at Rosenau Funeral Home in Twin Falls.

Marie Casey of Boise and formerly of the Magic Valley area, funeral at 11 a.m. today at Summers Funeral Home, Boise Chapel, 1205 W. Bannock St. in Boise.

Celia Ruiz of Rupert, Mass of Christian burial at 11 a.m. today at the St. Nicholas Catholic Church in Rupert; visitation one hour before the funeral today at the church (Hansen Mortuary in Rupert).

**Debby Jo White** of Sagle and formerly of Hazelton, graveside service at noon today at the Hazelton Cemetery (Coffelt Funeral Service in Sandpoint).

Delbert Eugene Trowbridge of Twin Falls, funeral at 2 p.m. Thursday at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls; visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Seth Stewart Corless of Paul, funeral at 11 a.m. Friday at the Emerson LDS Church, 127 S. 950 W. of Paul; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, and 10 to 10:45 a.m. Friday at the church.

Debra Jean Buttars of Twin Falls, funeral at 11 a.m. Friday at the Twin Falls LDS Stake Center, 2085 South Temple Drive; graveside service at 4 p.m. Friday at the Logan City Cemetery in

Logan, Utah; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Reynolds Funeral Chapel, 2466 Addison Ave. E. in Twin Falls, and 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Friday at the church.

William Reed Jones of Burley, funeral at 11 a.m. Saturday at the United Methodist Church, 450 E. 27th St. in Burley; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, and 10 to 10:45 a.m. Saturday at the church.

Marilyn Wynona Hume of Vale, Ore., memorial service at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Sunrise Christian Church in Ontario, Ore.

Clinton Walter Mills of Twin Falls, memorial service at 1 p.m. Saturday at First Assembly of God, 189 Locust St. N. in Twin Falls (Rosenau Funeral Home in Twin Falls).

Ann B. Kluckhohn of Meridian and formerly of Jerome, memorial service at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Cloverdale Funeral Home in Boise.

James Ronald Harris of Twin Falls and formerly of Burley, memorial service at 11 a.m. Friday at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley.

Dirk Wolfgang Janz of Twin Falls, celebration of life from 2 to 5 p.m. Saturday at the Kellogg West Conference Center and Hotel, 3801 W. Temple Ave. in Pomona, Calif. (Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home in Twin Falls).

#### DEATH NOTICES

BURLEY • Elmer Wesley Ross, 94, of Burley, died Tuesday, Jan. 15, 2013, at his home.

Arrangements will be announced by the Rasmussen Funeral Home of Burley.

#### **Darrel Paskett**

**Wesley Ross** 

TAYLORSVILLE, Utah • Darrel Paskett, 77, of Taylorsville, Utah, and formerly of Malta, died Monday, Jan. 14, 2013.

The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 19, at the Taylorsville LDS 23rd Ward Chapel, 4932 S. 3200 W. in Taylorsville, Utah; visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 18, at the McDougal Funeral Home, 4330 S. Redwood Road in Taylorsville, Utah, and 10 to 10:45 a.m. Saturday at the church.

#### Anna McKee

GOODING • Anna Elizabeth McKee, 93, of Gooding, died Sunday, Dec. 16, 2012, at the North Canyon Medical Center in Gooding.

A memorial service will be held at 11:30 a.m. Friday, Jan. 18, at St. Elizabeth's Catholic Church in Gooding; rosary at 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 17, at the church (Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel).

#### Charlotte Orr

JEROME • Charlotte M. Orr, 87, of Jerome, died Saturday, Jan. 12, 2013, in Jerome.

A memorial service will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, Jan. 18, at the Jerome Presbyterian Church, 262 E. Ave. A (Farnsworth Mortuary of Jerome).

#### Oletha Higginbotham

TWIN FALLS • Oletha Higginbotham, 83, of Boise and formerly of Twin Falls, died Sunday, Jan. 13, 2013, at the Life Care Center in Boise.

A funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 19, at White Mortuary in Twin Falls.

#### **Ronald Higley**

BURLEY • Ronald Woodall Higley, 80, of Burley, died Sunday, Jan. 6, 2013, at his home.

A memorial service will be held at a later date (Rasmussen Funeral Home of Burley).

#### Virginia Christenson

TWIN FALLS • Virginia Christenson, 92, of Twin Falls, died Monday, Jan. 14, 2013, at the Twin Falls Care and Rehabilita-

tion Center.

Arrangements will be announced by Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home in Twin Falls.

# **Ross Randall Corless**

**HEYBURN** • Ross Randall Corless, 87, of Heyburn, died Tuesday, Jan. 15, 2013, at Countryside Care and Rehabilitation.

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TIMES-NEWS **A6** • Wednesday, January 16, 2013

# **OPINION**

American economy. What I will not do is to have that negotiation with a gun at the head of the American people."

"They will not collect a ransom in exchange for not crashing the

**President Barack Obama** on congressional Republicans' attempts to tie deficit reduction talks to a decision whether to increase the government's borrowing authority.

OUR VIEW

# 'Independent' Key to Idaho Ethics Commission

n the Friday before the Legislature's session began, Senate Minority Leader Michelle Stennett and House Speaker Scott Bedke sat side by side and seemed

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to espouse the same idea - that it's time for Idaho to join 41 other states in the formation of an ethics commission.

Stennett reminded the press and lawmakers present that day that Ida-

ho Democrats have been pushing for an independent ethics commission for six years, with a stress on the word "independent."

Bedke responded by saying that house lawmakers are looking at details of what an ethics commission would look like. He did not elaborate, and he did not use the word "independent."

We have two things to say. First, it's about time. Second, if an ethics commission is not independent, it is not worth the time, money or effort. It will only be a wasteful charade. As we have learned again and again, lawmakers protect their own. They have an incredible capacity for forgiveness of the wrongdoings of their colleagues. That is, until it's politically expedient to do otherwise.

To further illustrate our point, when Gov. "Butch" Otter addressed the question of ethics that same day, he said it was a matter of "optics" and that most legislators merely needed to be trained to avoid the appearance of impropriety. He said that most ethical issues are nothing more than perception problems created by the media. Ironically, U.S. Senator Mike Crapo was pleading guilty to a DUI charge in Virginia that very same morning.

On Monday's Times-News Opinion page, columnist Randy Stapilus said that many lawmakers are offended by the idea that they need an ethics commission. They take it personally, he said.

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If anything good came of last year's cautionary tale that ended the career of Senate Majority Caucus Chairman John McGee, it could be the establishment of this much needed commission.

Already, the legislature — with its seats full of fresh faces — began the session with ethics training: In December, when then-House Speaker Lawerence Denney greeted 44 new Idaho lawmakers at a luncheon, he welcomed them to the "goldfish bowl," according to an *Idaho Statesman* blog.

"Everything you do is going to be observed," he told them. "You're going to have to be very, very careful what you do, when you do it and how you do it because it may be the headline the next day." With very few exceptions those headlines are the result of real ethical lapses. Those lapses are not matters of perception or "optics", they're stories of someone doing something they shouldn't have done - and getting caught. Instituting an independent ethics commission is an important first step toward admitting that these ethical violations are real.

# TIMES-NEWS

John Pfeifer, Publisher

The members of the editorial board and writers of editorials are **John Pfeifer**, **Autumn Agar**, **Robert Monteith** and **Jess Johnson**.

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#### **ONLINE COMMENTS**

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Several online readers responded to the letter to the editor, "Right to Bear Arms About Right to Protect Self, Family, Property:'

blondie: All the gun laws in the world will not prohibit criminal acts by those who chose to do so. More laws only deprive law abiding citizens of their rights and freedoms as set forth in our Constitution.

BABY SNOOKS: Eric, your letter was well done. We need to remember everything you said! Our Founding Fathers gave their fortunes, lives and sacred honor for what we have and we have slept at the wheel. America needs to stand up and be counted now and speak up! We do not need any more gun laws! We

need common sense.

Online readers had a variety of responses to the editorial, "Correction Costs: Marijuana and Despair:" idwindstar: This country has a per capita incarceration rate that exceeds Russia and China. We could cut our corrections costs considerably if we would simply reserve prisons for only the truly dangerous and violent criminals. There are far cheaper (both fiscally and socially) methods of punishing non-violent criminals. As far as private prisons lobbying for tougher sentences, public sector prison unions are just as guilty, if not more so. Do some research on California's prison nightmare. The solution is to lock up fewer people in fewer prisons public or private.

An online readers had a different take on the story, "Investing in Waste Boosts Economies of Mini-Cassia Cities:"

Pebbles61: Drive across the Heyburn-Burley Bridge some evening with your windows down...Welcome to Burley! Didn't they just spend More of the taxpayers money for a Big shiny sewer plant? Didn't smell at all when they had the old one, but then the City can't plow snow either, so what did you expect?

The article "1940s Football Players Reminisce About the 6-man Game," brought back memories for some online readers: elcty: I know several of the people that played. The Lincoln County Chronicle talked about Dietrich playing Acequia under the lights in 1948. Nice if some of the

above mentioned schools still existed. Gooding and Lincoln County kept all there schools even with low enrollment. Besselen shut down in the '40s. However, many people moved out of that area a long time ago. Dietrich and Carey can survive 8 man football and even 11 right now. In the '70s Dietrich and Bliss lost there football program and introduced soccer. There is co ops now for schools that don't play football. Difficult for towns like Leadore and Fairfield though that are some distance from any neighbors. 90 Football came back to Dietrich after co oping with Shoshone. Good people have the oppurtunity to play football though I prefer the 8 man game over 6 man game and hope teams are not forced to play 6 man if they don't have too.

#### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

#### Apologies for Leaving CellPhone On During Performance

This letter is an apology to the cast of "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest" and to the audience who attended on Jan. 10.

The gentleman taking tickets reminded people to turn off their cellphones as they went in, and I thought I did. I was appalled when it started to ring during the performance. Instinct kicked in, brain turned off and I fled the theater while trying to make the darn thing quiet. I then continued to flee because I was too embarrassed to go back into the theater.

So to the cast members, audience and the friends I was sitting with, I'm very sorry for the disruption of a wonderful live performance.

**SARAH LAU** Twin Falls

#### Is Sheriff Carter Ready to Mobilize the People?

The sheriff is the last line of defense! The sheriff is the ultimate law enforcement with the power to form militias, posses and volunteers for the

county; no higher law enforcement exists within the county and even the governor cannot supersede the sheriff's lawful elected authority. The power to possetize is an intrinsic power of the people given to the sheriff and is recognized by the people as the lawful leader to organize and mobilize the people. This old tradition comes from the book of Leviticus when Moses set up government by tens, hundreds and thousands, giving true representation from the people up. This form of government was carried down from the Israelites, Anglo-Saxons and Celts to protect against tyrannical foreign or domestic enemies and laid out by our founding fathers.

The Posse Comitatus Act of 1878 and updated in 1981 outlines the statutory powers of federal government in using federal military for law enforcement and assures that statutory law does not abrogate common law and/or the sheriff's authority and shall coexist for the peace and dignity and security of the community.

If, God forbid, a tyrannical usurper comes to power and uses the office to attempt to enslave the people by disarming and/or registering individuals aided by the political aspirations of treacherous politicians. It is the duty and obligation of the sheriff to meet any such threat at the county's border to protect the citizens from tyrannical subjugation.

It seems it would behoove the county's best interest to find out if Sheriff Carter could be accessible to the public and reassure us that he is willing to keep his oath and have a plan in place for any such event. A deceleration of martial law as pretense to disarm does not and shall not override the sheriff's authority in the county!

**DANIEL GILL** Twin Falls

#### It's Time to Recall Tom Luna

I invite everyone to "The Total Luna Eclipse Party" on Nov. 5, 2013, when we celebrate the successful recall of Mr. Tom Luna, Idaho's superintendent of education.

The voters spoke clearly and loudly on Nov. 6, 2012, with a landslide of "no" votes to reject the three Luna Laws. Mr. Luna seems to be deaf to the voice of the people. While the "no" votes towered nearly as high as Mount Everest in a conservative state like Idaho, Luna dismissed the vote as "a bump in the road."

Butch has "flip-flopped" more than Mitt Romney about the direction of Idaho education after the drubbing that he and Luna suffered on Nov. 6, 2012.

Even if none of the three Luna Laws ever rears its ugly head again, Mr. Luna should be recalled for three reasons: 1) He is incompetent. 2) Since he pushed through his three "reforms," teachers have left the state and the profession in droves. 3) The morale of Idaho teachers is "lower than a snake's belly."

If you like, please join me on Nov. 5, 2013, and we will party like it's 1999. I guarantee it. Best wishes.

PETE PETERSON **Boise** 

#### Thank You for Helping Curb Feral Cat **Population**

Helping to curb feral cat population one cat at a time, I would like to thank the staff at the Shoshone Veterinary Clinic. Thank you for helping me fix two female feral cats that hang out by my house. You were a big help, and I sincerely appreciate you.

Keep up the good work. MISTIE MULLEIAN Shoshone

Doonesbury by Garry Trudeau









Mallard Fillmore by Bruce Tinsley



#### Invasion

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"I started praying and I told God I didn't want to die," Judy said. "I didn't want Leo to die

Now, almost six months after the home invasion took place, the two have seen one of the men, Valenciano, sentenced to 15 to 30 years in prison. Contreras and the group's look-out Luis Sotelo, 20, have pleaded guilty and are scheduled to be sentenced Feb. 4. The 16-year-old is scheduled to go to a jury trial on Feb. 12 on two counts of kidnapping and one count of robbery.

#### Getting Through It

Despite the fear caused by the invasion of their home, the two are determined not to let it take over their lives.

Two days after the break-in, the Rays, both 75, went to Michigan for Judy's class reunion. While she couldn't discuss the case at home due to the ongoing investigation, she was able to talk freely to her friends across the country

Just talking about her experience reduced her stress, she

When the couple returned to Idaho, they did an interview with the Investigation Discovery television channel about the 1999 murder of their daughter Kacy Kay Ray. Soon after, Judy said she began to feel stress of the home invasion coming back. Her heartbeat became irregular and she needed a heart monitor for several weeks in the fall.

While the heart trouble went away, Judy said she still gets stressed and tense about three days before each court date she attends. Despite the stress it causes, the two said they'll be at every hearing for everyone

"We have an obligation to the police to help them," Leo said. "Being there helps them get the conviction."

Putting the people who robbed them in prison not only gives the couple peace of mind and protects society, but also protects the criminals themselves,



Leo Ray stands in his doorway at his home in Buhl. In August, he and his wife, Judy, were victims of a home invasion.

"It was only a matter of time before this bunch killed someone or got killed," he said.

#### Why Them?

Several years ago, the Rays hired Valenciano's father, John Valenciano Sr., to work at the farm. He was a hard, responsible worker, Leo said.

Judy said she remembered Valenciano's mother bringing him and his sister to the house to swim in their pool.

Since then, Leo said he heard rumors that Valenciano was repeatedly in trouble.

When the detectives confirmed their suspicions and said Valenciano was charged in connection to the break-in, Leo said they weren't surprised.

While Leo said he hasn't made major changes to his lifestyle, the couple has made some changes so Judy feels

safer in the home. "I enjoy life. I don't want to

be running around scared of

everything," he said.

The two had a buzzer installed that lets them know when someone drives up their long driveway and Judy ensures the doors are locked every night. They also have a video peephole and are considering a security system in their home.

One thing they won't do video monitors install throughout the house.

"Life is too short to be wasting it looking at one little mon-

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footage was released but has since seen greater pressure to launch, said Tony Vanderhulst, a local dairy producer.

"It's our livelihood, it's our life on the line," Vanderhulst said. "We can't be out there 24 hours a day. We have to trust our

own employees."

Vanderhulst's dairies had cameras installed before the Bettencourt footage was released. He is now working with attorneys to improve employee contracts on his own dairy, along with his peers' operations.

"It was an eye-opener that they're (animal abusers) out there and it's real," he said. "It's not tolerated though."

#### **Abuse Trial Begins**

The animal cruelty trial of Jesus Garza, a former employee of Dry Creek Dairy, starts today in Twin Falls County 5th District Court. Garza was charged with one count of committing cruelty to animals after the release of hidden camera footage from the dairy.

Follow live coverage of the trial today at Magicvalley.com. Jury selection starts at 8:30 a.m.; the trial itself, and our live coverage, will start once selection

Still at large are Jose Acensio and Javier Victor Rojas Loayza, who were also charged with animal cruelty after the video was released and have warrants out for their arrest. If convicted, the men face fines of up to \$5,000 each and six months of jail time on a first offense.

# How They **√**oted

#### Twin Falls **School District**

Meets at 7 p.m. the second Monday and fourth Wednesday of each month at the school district's extension office, 242 Main Avenue

#### **Policy Revisions**

The board voted to accept school district policy revisions.

Vote: 4-0 (Bernie Jansen absent)

# Employees of the Month

The school board recognized head custodian Charlie McGlochlin and ELL teacher Ruth Ann Helton, who both work at I.B. Perrine Elementary School.

Vote: None taken

#### Jerome City Council

Meets the first and third Tuesday of each month in the city council chambers, 100 East Avenue A.

#### Circuit Breaker **Provisions**

Two ordinances were introduced for circuit breaker provisions for residential water and wastewater rates. Vote: None taken

#### **Electronic Signs**

Community development director Zoe Monahan said a proposed ordinance would add clearer guidelines about electronic signs.

limit that electronic or flashing messages can be displayed. There weren't any pub-

It would include a time

lic comments.

Vote: None taken

#### **Brownfield Assessment**

The council heard information about the option of pursuing a brownfield assessment by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency at the Jerome Butte. They decided to move forward.

The butte had an adjacent landfill for many years, but there hasn't been any testing done.

Vote: 3-0. Councilman Chis Barber wasn't yet at the meeting.

#### **Police Training** Jerome police captain Tim

Green will attend the Drug Interdiction & Investigator Conference in Winnemucca, Nev. The five-day training in

April will cost \$691. Vote: 3-0. Barber abstained from voting.

#### VHF Radios

The council voted to purchase VHF radios for the Jerome Fire Department. It will cost \$9,964.54. Vote: 4-0

#### Replacement Samplers

The city council approved the purchase for the wastewater treatment plant for \$10,359.02.

Vote: 4-0





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# Ad Group Offers Marketing Boot Camp Falls. Presentations include

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TWIN FALLS • The Magic Valley Ad Federation will offer a Marketing Boot Camp on Thursday, featuring marketing strategist and international speaker and author

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Sexton's presentation will be held at the Shilo Inn, 1586 Blue Lakes Blvd. N. in Twin

"Small Marketing, Big Business" from 8:30-9:45 a.m., "Turning Social Media into Business Media" from 10-10:45 a.m., and "Marketing, Unscripted" from 11-11:45

Tickets are \$30 for MVAF members and \$40 for nonmembers. Raffle tickets are also available for lunch with Sexton at Jaker's. To purchase, call Donna Cleland at 308-0830, or talk to any MVAF board member.

# Medicaid

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these funds? At this point last year, we started to see our claims system stabilize," Leary said.

Additionally, Leary said the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare experienced up to 10 percent annual increases in caseloads during the recession. He predicted those increases would decrease to 2 percent next year.

Idaho Falls Republican Sen. Dean Mortimer, a JFAC member, said controlling costs was encouraging.

"The fact that they have developed efficiencies in their system and reduced costs is a very positive sign," Mortimer said after the hearing.

Along with education and corrections, the Department of Health and Welfare is one of Idaho's three biggest expenses in the budget.

Next year's total budget request for Medicaid is \$2.06 billion, of which 67 percent, or \$1.38 billion, would come in federal funding. The request for state general fund money is \$476.7 million or 23.2 percent of that budget request.

Compared to this year's \$474.2 million general fund Medicaid budget, program officials are asking for a .5 percent increase in state spending at \$476.7 million.

In conjunction with mandates from President Obama's health care reform plan, the state expects about 60,000 new people to enroll in Medicaid next year, Leary said.

There are about 298,000 Idahoans enrolled in Medicaid today, and Leary said federal funding will cover 100 percent of newly eligible enrollees for the next three years.

The apparent stabilizations come two years after lawmakers approved dramatic cuts to Medicaid programs.

In 2010, legislators cut state spending on Medicaid by \$33.4 million. With federal matches taken into account, that cut reduced overall Medicaid spending by about \$111 million, Leary said.

Leary and Division of Welfare Administrator Russ Barron spent nearly three hours Tuesday walking budget writers through the Welfare and Medicaid budgets. That was good news to Mortimer, who said the budget demands intense scrutiny.

"This budget is absolutely huge, so it takes some time to get your arms wrapped around it," Mortimer said. "It's a budget we are going to spend a lot of time on, and one in which I will try to get

more personally involved in." Members of the budget committee didn't actually vote on the budget recom-

mendation Tuesday. Instead, they are scheduled to spend every day through Feb. 15 reviewing budget requests from all state agencies. Once that work is complete, they will transition into budget setting mode, which is expected to continue into March.

Dr. Jill Adepoju

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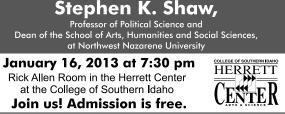
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# Idaho Mulls Paying Wolf Trappers

**BOISE (AP)** • Idaho wildlife officials are considering paying private trappers to kill wolves roaming in specific hunting zones where wolves have had a significant impact on elk populations.

The Idaho Department of Fish and Game is mulling several different ideas for using fewer than a dozen proven trappers as a way to more affordably and effectively manage and reduce wolf numbers in three northern hunting zones.

"There are certain individuals who have built up some pretty good skills," Jeff Gould, a wildlife bureau manager for the agency, told the Idaho Statesman.

The agency is looking for ways to reduce Idaho's wolf population, estimated at more than 500 at the end of the season last year. Hunters and trappers have had some success statewide killing wolves, but Gould says the agency wants to minimize wolf impacts in the Lolo, Selway and St. Joe hunting zones.

The agency is also considering partnering with select trappers on an initiative to fit more wolves with radio collars. Working with trappers is likely to be less expensive than collaring trips using helicopters and staff. Gould said the agency recently spent about \$40,000 over three days to fit collars on 14 wolves near Lowman in central Idaho.

Gould said agency officials are considering incentives such as paying trappers mileage or other means of reducing expenses.

"We have not firmed up any kind of specific arrangements yet," Gould said. "We're just starting the dis-

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cussion. Essentially, we're just starting to explore options with trappers who are now going back into the backcountry for a second year ... to see if we can't offset some of their costs."

On Thursday, the Fish and Game Commission will also consider at its meeting in Boise a separate proposal that would pay for wolf removal in six other sensitive elk hunting zones. The proposal would divert \$50,000 now used to pay Wildlife Services to kill coyotes in southeastern Idaho to protect mule deer to efforts to kill wolves in areas where elk population numbers are falling short of goals.

Both proposals are drawing criticism from wolf advocates.

"How can anyone defend

management?" said Suzanne Asha Stone, Boise representative of the Defenders of Wildlife.

Gould says using the trappers and wildlife services to manage wolves is similar to other measures taken by the agency in the past to target predators in the name of protecting wildlife.

"We've involved sportsmen in the past on depredation hunts on deer and elk," Gould said. "This is just facilitating an activity that is already allowed ... and is very specific in its nature and location."







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# **Private Prison** Says Lawsuit **Must Be Tossed**

BY REBECCA BOONE Associated Press

**BOISE** • Attorneys for the nation's largest private prison company have asked a federal judge in Idaho to throw out a lawsuit from inmates who say the company uses gangs to run a Boisearea prison.

In a motion filed in Boise's U.S. District Court on Monday, attorneys for Corrections Corporation of America say that a lawsuit brought by eight inmates at the Idaho Correctional Center fails to meet legal standards and so should be tossed out of

The inmates sued in November, contending that the company is working with a few powerful prison gangs to control the facility south of Boise. The inmates say that CCA is able to save money on staffing by essentially allowing the gangs to run the prison, and that as a result, some inmates are forced to join gangs or risk being attacked.

CCA officials have said the company's top priority is the safety and security of its prisons, employees and inmates and that the company is always held to the highest standards of accountability and transparency by its contracts with government partners like the Idaho Department of Correction.

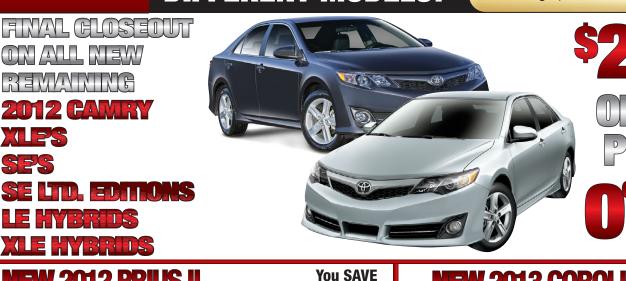
"Once the hyperbole is removed from Plaintiff's complaint, two fundamental defects come into sharp focus," CCA's attorneys wrote in the motion.

First, CCA contends that several of the inmates failed to fully use the prison's grievance system — a step that is generally required before a prisoner may be allowed to file a lawsuit. Secondly, the company argues that the inmates didn't meet legal standards for specificity in their complaint, and that they failed to include enough factual statements to show that their claims were even plausible.

It's not the first time CCA has been sued in federal court over conditions at the Idaho Correctional Center.

The American Civil Liberties Union-Idaho represented inmates in a lawsuit that claimed the prison was so violent that inmates called it "Gladiator School" and that guards used inmate-on-inmate violence to control prisoners. That case resulted in a settlement agreement requiring management and organizational changes at the prison. Attorneys for the ACLU and CCA have recently been in talks over whether the terms of that settlement are being met.







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DEATH BY CHOCOLATE

# Such Sweet Demise

The eighth annual Death by Chocolate is a rich tradition that serves local charities and chocolate lovers.

BY TETONA DUNLAP tdunlap@magicvalley.com

TWIN FALLS • You may have survived the Mayan apocalypse, but death comes in the form of 25,000 pieces of chocolate at the eighth annual Death by Chocolate event Jan. 31.

If you are a chocoholic, come get your fix as 21 local chefs, businesses and schools compete to see who can capture the top spots in five cocoa categories -



Rob Arno and his wife, Cyndi, make pretzel toffee bark on Thursday in Twin Falls. The couple sells chocolates around the country and will participate in this year's Death by Chocolate tasting and competition.

best chocolate brownie, unique dessert. cake, cookie, candy and Attendees not only taste

these treats but vote for their favorites. A panel of judges will also decide on top three picks in each category. So there will be winners for People's Choice and Judges' Choice.

Jill Skeem, committee chairwoman of Death by Chocolate, said though participating high schools compete against all participants, the event has a separate award just for the schools. It adds an element of fun rivalry as the overall winner is awarded a trophy: a large sifter with the school's name engraved on the side. Last year Twin Falls High School took home the kitchen utensil.

Please see CHOCOLATE, F6

# Nonagenarian Knee-deep in Dough

# This Filer man can't sit still; baking bread is his bag.

BY PAUL DUNN

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FILER • Like yeast in a warm oven, Mrs. Lippincot had to rise above her pre-conceived notions.

But she hadn't anticipated anything quite like this: A boy in her high school cooking class? With 15 girls?

The year was 1938, and William "Doc" Eversole wanted in. The then 17-year-old senior at South High School in Columbus, Ohio, had tried to register for the all-girls cooking class but was denied. Lippincot, the home economics teacher, just didn't know what to do with him.

"So, I had to talk to the principal to get into the class, and he said he'd never heard of anything like it," Eversole said. "But he let me and one other boy in."

Good thing, too. Lippincot didn't know it, but Eversole was a cooking fool. He'd grown up in a family of seven kids, and they all cooked.

"If we hadn't learned, Mom would have had a hell of a time feeding all of us," he said last week from his home in Filer where he has lived for 20 years.

Eversole, 91, who retired two decades ago after 30 years as a veterinarian, doesn't cook much

He's way too busy baking, a skill

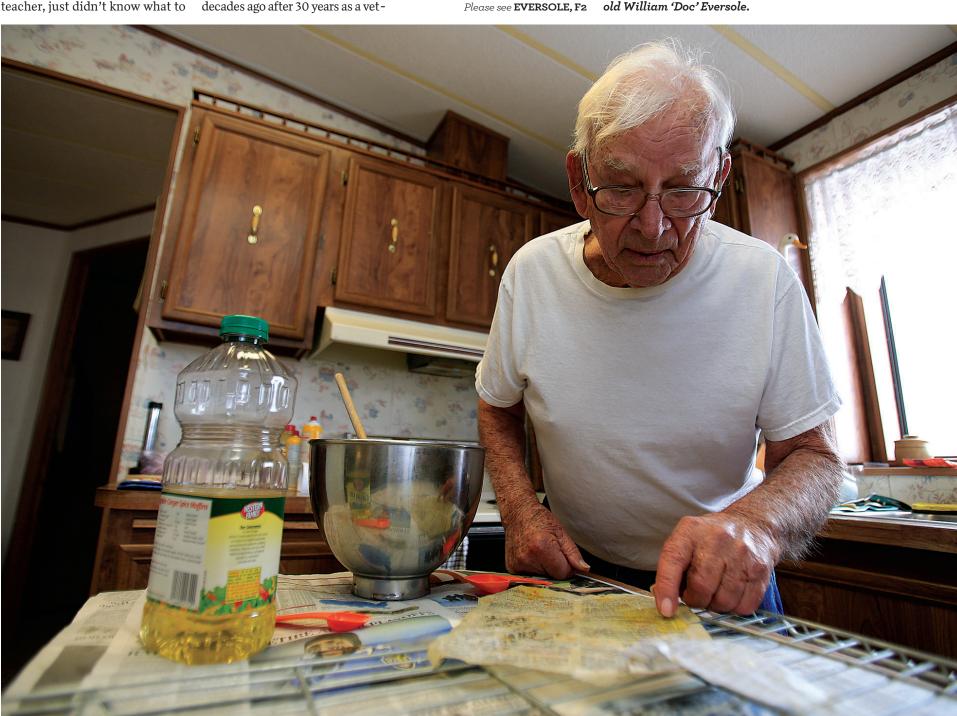
he learned first in Lippincot's class. And bread is this baker's bonanza specifically challah, or "braided" bread. He makes a loaf of the 18inch-long, intricately woven puffy bread almost every day - and gives away most of it. Challah is traditionally eaten by Jews on Shabbat - the Jewish day of rest and seventh day of the week - on ceremonial occasions and during festival holidays.

Ironically, though, Eversole rarely tastes his own creations.

Please see EVERSOLE, F2



Challah, usually called braided bread, is the specialty of 91-year-



William 'Doc' Eversole, 91, makes bread from scratch at his Filer home. He bakes a loaf almost every day.

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# Take Your Raw Menu beyond Salad

TWIN FALLS • Eating plantbased meals doesn't have to be all about salad - especially in winter.

Chef Melissa Mango will teach an "Indian Food in the Raw" cooking class, 5-7 p.m. Jan. 26 at Rudy's — A Cook's Paradise, 147 Main Ave. W. in Mango Twin Falls. Cost is \$35.

She'll teach how to make raw, vegan, gluten-free Indian food with no refined sugar. The menu: Mango Lassie, Creamy Paneer (warm spinach salad), Warm Vegetable Curry, Samosa (non-

fried); and Mango-Goji Chutney. Mango was raised in Idaho and has been part of the "live foods" movement since 2001, a Rudy's an-



nouncement said. paired up with an Iowa Community College chef and the American Culinary Federation for professional demos and later taught The Chef De Cuisine, Idaho chapter. She was one of the chefs during filming of "RawFor30Days-Healing

Diabetes Naturally." She was a volunteer instructor at The Tree of Life Rejuvenation Center and at The Raw Spirit Fest in 2006-08. Mango opened a California raw-vegan cafe in 2006, and now the author and mother is a mind body wellness practitioner in Boise.

Sign up: 733-5477

# LEARN ABOUT GARDENING AT KETCHUM WORKSHOP and fertilizing.

**KETCHUM** • The Sawtooth Botanical Garden and Wood River Sustainability Center will hold a hands-on vegetable gardening series, "Grow Your Own Food," starting Jan. 22.

All classes will be 6-8 p.m. at the Sawtooth Botanical Garden, 11 Gimlet Road. After the first session, classes will be on the first

and third Tuesdays, Feb. 5 to May 21. Refreshments will be served. The classes are led by Dick Springs, master gardener and **April 2:** Soil blocking — starting

proprietor of the Sustainability

Center, and Merrily Eckel,

farmer and friend of the Sawtooth Botanical Garden. The class schedule:

Jan. 22: Planning your garden (Part 1) and ordering seeds. Feb. 5: Planning your garden (Part 2) and building a raised

bed and cold frame. **Feb. 19:** Soil blocking — starting your cold-season seeds.

March 5: Prepping your beds and soil improvement. March 19: Growing tomatoes.

April 16: Weeding, watering

your warm-season plants.

structors throughout the summer with any vegetable gardening questions and will receive discounts on manures, fertilizers and compost from the Sustainability Center.

May 7: Building a root cellar and

May 21: Direct seeding and

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your own chicken coop.

Cost is \$180 for the series of nine classes or \$30 per class; preregister: 726-9358.



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Eversole looks at the challah recipe he has used for years.

### **Eversole**

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don't eat bread hardly at all," he said. "It's just something to do, it's fun and easy and it just feels good to make bread."



Martha Ellinger

But why challah?

"People just like the braided bread more than the other kind," he said. "I haven't baked a loaf of other bread in at least a year."

Martha Ellinger, Eversole's girlfriend of 13 years, loves her man's bread and the free time it allows her.

"I never have to bake," said the 93-year-old Kimberly resident. "He keeps me supplied with bread. It's beautiful, and it tastes good, too."

Others also get bread: Doctors, nurses, lab technicians, neighbors, newspaper reporters - just about anyone Eversole runs into.

"If anyone does Doc a favor, they get a loaf of bread," Ellinger said.

And they're usually surprised by its size and appearance, said Ellinger's daughter Beverly Stone, who lives in Kimberly.

"They grab it and say it's beautiful and that they never expected that type of bread," she said. "Every time we get some bread, we're thrilled because it tastes so good."

In Eversole's world, goodness equals old-fashioned tradition.

"A bread machine? What would I do with a bread machine?" he asked.

Instead, Eversole parades through a painstakingly precise process for every loaf of challah he makes.

Here's how he did it last

First, he mixed yeast, water, salt and sugar in a container. Then he stirred in two eggs, added flour and oil and mixed the whole shebang in a royal blue Kitchen Aid mixer.

The fun part came next: kneading. And it's important, Eversole stressed.

"The kneading is a necessity," he said, demonstrating on his kitchen counter. "You really have to do it hard to make sure it's nice and smooth and remove the bubbles."



ASHLEY SMITH . TIMES-NEWS

Eversole adds flour to made-from-scratch challah dough.

#### Challah

Recipe is from "Sunset Cook Book of Breads," by Sunset Books, published by Lane Publishing Co. Eversole keeps his copy of the challah recipe within easy reach on his kitchen counter. The thick single sheet is now yellowed with age and not particularly easy to read, but it serves the baker's purpose.

2 packages active dry yeast

1 1/4 cups warm water (about 110 degrees)

1 teaspoon salt 1/4 cup sugar

1/4 cup canola oil

2 eggs, slightly beaten

5 to 5 1/2 cups all-purpose flour, unsifted 1 egg yolk beaten with 1 tablespoon water

Optional: 2 or 3 drops yellow food coloring or pinch of saffron Optional: 1 tablespoon sesame seed or poppy seed.

In a large bowl, dissolve yeast in water. Stir in salt, sugar, oil, eggs and food coloring. Gradually beat in about 4 1/2 cups of flour to make a stiff dough.

Turn dough out onto a floured board and knead until smooth and satiny (5 to 20 minutes), adding flour as needed to prevent sticking. Turn dough over in a greased bowl; cover and let rise in a warm place until doubled (about an hour). Punch down dough; knead briefly on a lightly floured board to release air. Set aside and cover.

Divide dough into four equal portions; roll each between hands to form a strand about 20 inches long. Place the four strips lengthwise on a greased baking sheet, pinch tops together, and braid as follows: Pick up strand on right, bring it over next one, under the third, and over the fourth. Repeat, always starting with strand on right until braid is complete. Pinch ends together.

Optional (William Eversole skips this part): Reserve 3/4 cup dough and roll into a strip about 15 inches long; cut into 3 strips and make a small three-strand braid. Lay on top center of large braid. Cover and let rise in a warm place until almost doubled. Using a soft brush or fingers, spread egg yolk mixture evenly over braids; sprinkle with seed. Bake in a 350-degree oven for 30-35 minutes until loaf is golden brown and sounds hollow when tapped.

**Serve warm,** or let cool on rack. Makes one loaf.

After man-handling the dough for five minutes or so, Eversole threw it into a plastic bowl, covered it with plastic and placed it in a warm oven.

At this point, the energetic senior usually sets his timer for about an hour while the dough's rising and either drifts to his living room to pump dumbbell weights or heads to his garage to work on a wood project. This particular day, he chose the weights. Eversole, who had open

heart surgery in 1943, disdains laziness. "I'll do 50 like this and 50

like this and more this way," he said, his breathing unlabored as he simultaneously pumped the dumbbells. "Too many people stop when they have something like heart trouble. I'm always active, and I never take naps."

Soon the timer dinged, so he tossed the weights back on the couch and returned to the kitchen. He took the nowrisen dough from the oven and dropped the bowl with a thud onto his kitchen-island work table. That released built-up air, he explained. After kneading one last time, Eversole cut the dough into four pieces and rolled each into an 18-inch-long cylin-

"You have to lay into it pretty good for the dough to lay out," he said.

Then the tricky part be-

Eversole lined up the four cylinders and folded them over each other as if he were braiding a fair maiden's thick blond hair.

"The braids have to be tight, or they will spring loose," he said.

When finished, he pinched the ends of the bread and placed it into a 350-degree oven.

Fifteen minutes later, the golden-brown challah was born. Eversole let it cool a bit and crowned it in butter.

It wasn't long before the whole house smelled like freshly baked bread. Others in Eversole's rural neighborhood might even have noticed.

"Everybody seems to know when I'm making bread," he said. "They must smell it or something."

And wherever she is, Lippincot could be smelling it, too. Moreover, she must be smiling down on her boy student, don't you think?

Squeezing Organic Food from Pouches don't have to worry about bringing a spoon: 'Where do I wash the spoon? ALBANY, N.Y. • Baby Where do I put the

More Babies

BY MICHAEL HILL

food used to have an image as stable - and bland

as a jar of strained

peas. And its target mar-

ket was limited to, well ...

Old-school glass jars of

applesauce are still

around, but these days

they share shelf space in

the baby food aisle with

curious (and often organ-

ic) combinations like

zucchini, banana and

amaranth (it's a grain)

packed in brightly col-

ored pouches intended to

be squished and slurped

by consumers with little

– and not so little –

engage them, stimulate

all of their senses," says

Paul Lindley, founder of

Ella's Kitchen baby food,

a pioneer in the use of

pouch-style packaging.

"Not just their taste

sense, not just putting a

spoon in their mouth or a

pouch into their mouth ...

but to try to stimulate all

of premium baby foods,

part of a \$1.5 billion in-

dustry that's no longer

just about babies. Babies

don't generally care much

about food packaging.

But toddlers, older chil-

dren and convenience-

Pouches have allowed

baby food makers to

broaden the appeal of

their products beyond the

traditional baby food

years. Maureen Putman,

chief marketing officer

for the Hain Celestial

Group, maker of organic

brand Earth's Best, says

pouches have helped fuel

11 percent growth at

Earth's Best even as the

"It's allowing us to age

up. Where moms may

have stopped baby food at

9 to 12 months, the

pouches have really

helped extend the shelf

life of baby food," she

says. "We see growth for

Parents like Lindsey

Carl, of Clarksville,

Tenn., make the case,

saying pouches are a less

messy way to feed her 22-

month-old daughter and

10-month-old son si-

don't require a spoon,

which makes on-the-go easy," she says. "You

"They

multaneously.

a long time to come."

U.S. birth rate declines.

driven parents do.

Welcome to the world

their other senses."

"What we try to do is

Associated Press

babies.

hands.

No more.

spoon?"' And the premium baby food world is an increasingly crowded one, with other major players including Plum Organics, Sprout, the organic baby food company founded by Food Network star Tyler Florence, and even long established baby

food maker Gerber. "We're excited about pouches and we're the No. 1 in the segment and we want to continue to grow it," said Aileen Stocks, Gerber's head of integrated marketing.

Obviously, the premium trend also is about what's in the pouches. And increasingly it's organic. While organic accounts for only about 4 percent of total U.S. food sales, organic baby food represents a more impressive 21 percent of that category, says Putman.

Gerber, with more than half the market, also is No. 1 in pouch sales, with about a 30 percent share, Stocks said. She said while organic pouches are driving growth in premium products, Gerber's product line runs from infants to preschool and they are focusing on growth and innovation in all the segments.

"Pouches obviously, it's an exciting story because you're seeing a lot of it in the aisles right now," she said. "But it's really just one part of the whole story as far as the child's nutrition." Putman says the popu-

larity of organics is a sign that parents are concerned about what they're feeding their babies. But there could be other reasons, too. The creative new mixes available - such as Plum's sweet potato, mango and millet, and Sprout's pasta with lentil Bolognese might speak to Mom and Dad's inner foodie. Premium baby foods

also bridge the gap between the parents who feed out of jars and those who prefer a make-itfrom-scratch approach, creating a middle ground both sides of that parenting debate are more comfortable with. Organic pouches can

run \$1.69 for 4 ounces, compared to 99 cents for some jarred food.



A store employee stocks baby food pouches in City Target in downtown Los Angeles.





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Eversole brushes butter on his finished loaf of challah Jan. 10 at his home in Filer.

# Drinking on a Diet? Those Calories Can Add Up Fast

BY MICHELLE LOCKE

Associated Press

The first rule of drinking on a diet is: Don't. Surely you've heard that Americans get way too many calories - and nutritionally empty calories at that — from alcohol.

But the second rule of drinking on a diet is that since you probably will ignore Rule No. 1, find a way to enjoy alcohol without letting it swamp your healthy intentions. Here are a few suggestions on how to go about

#### Think before You Drink

You don't have to give up alcohol entirely for weight control, says Andrea Giancoli, registered dietitian and spokeswoman for the American Dietetic Association. But you do have to fit it into your calorie limit. Making that work means knowing the calorie counts of what you drink.

For women, federal health guidelines recommend no more than one drink a day (5 ounces of wine, 1.5 ounces of liquor or a 12-ounce beer). For men the limit is two drinks. Though the numbers can vary, most wines sport about 120 calories per serving. Most hard liquors, such as gin and vodka, have about 100 calories per serving. A regular beer has a bit more than 150 calories, while a light beer has about 100.

Those numbers make the hard stuff seem like a good choice when you're watching your calories. Except that most people aren't going to just sip a jigger of vodka and call it a night. And once you start adding mixers and sweeteners and juices, the calories can add up fast.

Just 4 ounces of strawberry daiquiri mixer can add 260 calories to your rum, for a total of 360 calories, roughly the same as a Sausage McMuffin from McDonald's. Even a simple rum and Coke can have 200 calories or more. A vodka and cranberry juice has about the same.

"Mixers can really add up," says Giancoli. "If you like to use liquor vs. having beer or wine, go for the low-



Mixologist Jacques Bezuidenhout prepares a cocktail in the the Sir Francis Drake Hotel in San Francisco.

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calorie mixer. If you're somebody who likes rum and cola, do rum and diet cola. If you're somebody who likes vodka cranberry, you can do vodka with diet cranberry?"

It can take some of the spontaneity out of an evening, but if you're planning to drink it's best to plan ahead, tally the calories and budget accordingly.

#### Ice Is Nice

Lisa McRee, a former "Good Morning America" co-anchor who now publishes the popular recipe and diet tip site The Skinny, remembers being on a "no white foods" diet and being miserable since that included "no white wine." These days she eschews fad diets for a sensible regime of good food cooked well, heavy on the

"The philosophy really comes down to eat more things that grow and fewer

things that walk," she says.

Cutting carbs and other empty calories leaves a little room for alcohol. And when she wants to enjoy her favorite chardonnay she slips an ice cube or two into the glass. That makes the drink last longer and also dilutes the alcohol, an important point since alcohol is a notorious sapper of willpower.

In summer, she'll do the same with a light red wine. While you probably wouldn't want to do this with a heavy red wine such as cabernet sauvignon - or in front of your vinophile friends - serving wine over ice is not without precedent. McRee first came across it while traveling in Italy in 100-degree weather and seeing the locals chill their wine with a few cubes.

#### Get on the Fresh Express

Jacques Bezuidenhout, the master mixologist for

3 pounds yellow onions,

5 cups low-sodium beef or

1 tablespoon white or cider

1 1/2 ounces Parmigiano-

grated (about 1/2 cup)

baguette slices, toasted

In a large saucepan over

pancetta until it is golden. Transfer it to a plate using

Return the saucepan to

olive oil and onions, then

cook, covered but stirring

soft, about 20 minutes. Re-

move the cover and cook,

stirring frequently, for an-

occasionally, until very

medium heat. Add the

medium heat, cook the

a slotted spoon.

Ground black pepper

Eight 1/2-inch-thick

Reggiano cheese, finely

thinly-sliced

1 cup red wine

Kosher salt

vinegar

4 large eggs

chicken broth

Kimpton Hotels & Restaurants, has an easy tip for trimming calories from drinks: Keep it simple.

"When I approach healthy drinking, I focus on what goes in the glass," he says. "Is the juice fresh squeezed? Are we using quality spirits? When you look at those key factors then really look at what kind of sugar you add to the drink! Sugar is the first thing that will start to tag on the calories or assist in a poor feeling in the morn-

Using better ingredients and fresh juice means you need to add less sugar or liqueurs to balance out the cocktail. He recommends using sweeteners such as agave nectar or honey. His diet cocktail? A gin martini, no mixers required.

Alcohol isn't necessarily the best thing to do when you're watching your weight, "but if you're going to do it, we encourage that kind of wellness factor in our bar. Look at what you're putting in your cocktail, balance that sugar," he says.

And one more tip - buy smaller glassware for your home. If you are constantly trying to fill a 12-ounce martini glass or 14-ounce highball with a cocktail of any kind, your sugar levels and spirit levels will go up, says Bezuidenout.

#### Flavor without Fear

Look for no- and low-calorie ways to add flavor to your cocktails. Diet sodas (including diet tonic water) are an obvious choice. But many companies also offer lowsugar varieties of juices, such as cranberry.

Lemon and lime juice add tons of flavor, but pack just 4 calories per tablespoon. Flavor a serving of white rum with a bit of fresh mint (5 calories for 2 tablespoons), some lime juice, a caloriefree sweetener such as stevia, then pour the whole thing over crushed ice and top with seltzer water and you have a mojito for 110

Or opt for juices with big flavor so you don't have to use as much. Pomegranate juice - which has just 18 calories per ounce (2 tablespoons) – can do wonders for a shot of vodka and a splash of seltzer.

And if you're playing bartender at home, there's always the infusion technique. Get a bottle of tequila or vodka and dump it in a large glass jar. Use a vegetable peeler to strip the zest off a whole bunch of citrus (for example, 8 or so lemons for a 750-milliliter bottle), then add the zest to the liquor. Cover and set aside for four or five days, shaking every once in a while. Strain out and discard the zest. To drink, spike a serving of it with calorie-free sweetener and a splash of seltzer.

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# A Lighter Take on French Onion Soup, via Italy

BY SARA MOULTON

Associated Press

Everybody loves French onion soup, and with good reason. Caramelized onions swimming in a rich beef broth flavored with a splash of red wine or brandy and topped with broiled Gruyere cheese? Every warm, gooey mouthful lights up your taste buds like a pinball machine. It's exactly what you want on a cold winter's night.

But it is not light. In my quest to slim down this French classic I turned to Italy. I caramelized the onions in olive oil, rather than butter, swapped out the Gruyere in favor of Parmigiano-Reggiano (less fat and bigger flavor, so you can use less of it), and moved the croutons and cheese off the top to make room for a poached egg. Finally, I added some pancetta for flavor, because we have to have at least a little fun.

I took much of my inspiration for this recipe from Cesare Casella, a brilliant Tuscan chef who used to hold court at Beppe, a wonderful restaurant within walking distance of my home in New York years ago, now long gone. I thought Casella's soup really improved the French original. I especially like the addition of the egg. The yolk makes up for at

least some of the richness lost when the Gruyere goes bye-bye.

But unlike Casella, I don't have home-made beef stock just hanging around my kitchen, so I used chicken broth as the base. Once upon a time I couldn't find storebought beef broth that made the grade. Now Rachael Ray has come out with a good one. I recommend it.

If you'd like, you even can get a jump on this recipe by poaching the eggs ahead of time. Just cool them off after you're done by transferring them with a slotted spoon to a bowl of ice water. Then store them in the refrigerator on a plate covered with plastic wrap until you're ready to reheat them. All you need to do is submerge them in a pan of barely simmering water for a minute or two.

Traditional French Onion Soup is a rich first course. This Italian-style onion soup is a full meal in a bowl.

#### Italian-style Onion Soup Topped with a Poached Egg

Start to finish: 1 1/2 hours (20 minutes active). Serv-

2 ounces chopped pancetta 3 tablespoons extra-virgin

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other 35 to 45 minutes, or until the onions are golden brown and

caramelized. Add the wine and boil until it is reduced by half. Add the broth and simmer for another 20 minutes.

Bring a large saucepan of salted water to a low simmer. Add the vinegar.

Crack each egg into a small glass. One at a time, gently and slowly pour each egg into the simmering water, bringing the lip of the glass right down to the water so that the egg slides in. Depending on the size of your pan, you may need to cook them in 2 batches. Cook for 4 minutes, then use a slotted

spoon to lift each egg out (letting excess water drip away).

To serve, ladle the soup into 4 bowls. Top each with a poached egg, sprinkle with some of the cheese, some of the pancetta and pepper to taste. Serve each portion

with 2 toasts on the side. Per serving: 710 calories; 250 calories from fat (35 percent of total calories); 28 g fat (8 g saturated; 0 g trans fats); 200 mg cholesterol; 73 g carbohydrate; 8 g fiber; 19 g sugar; 31 g protein; 1200 mg sodium.



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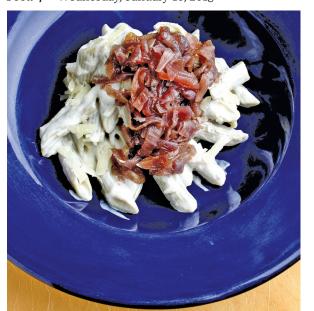
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# Dinner in 40 Minutes:

# Pasta with Yogurt

BONNIE S. BENWICK

The Washington Post

The Greek islands of Kassos and Karpathos both have versions of this simple, rich dish. Unfortunately, it's not the most appealing plate you'll ever set on a weeknight table. But it tastes great.

We used an aged manchego cheese instead of the original recipe's Greek kefalotyri cheese.

Serve with a salad of chopped greens, olives and almonds, tossed with a dried-oregano vinaigrette.

Adapted from "The Country Cooking of Greece," by Diane Kochilas (Chronicle, 2012).

#### Pasta with Yogurt and Onions

4 servings.

Water

3 large (about 1 1/3 pounds total) red onions

Salt 8 ounces dried spinach tagliatelle or spinach

penne 5 tablespoons unsalted

butter 2 cups low-fat plain

2 cups low-fat plain Greek-style yogurt 1/2 to 1 cup coarsely grated hard, sharptasting cheese, such as

an aged manchego

Bring a large pot of water to a boil over high heat. Heat a large, wide, heavybottomed pot or skillet over medium-high heat. Add enough water to come up about 1/4 inch on the sides.

Peel the onions and cut them in half, then into very thin slices, adding them to the pot or skillet as you work. Once they're all in, stir until they've started to pick up a bit of golden color. Sprinkle lightly with salt, then cook the onions for about 30 minutes, stirring a few times, until they are soft and browned. Transfer to a bowl; there should be about 2 1/4 cups.

Add a generous pinch of salt to the pot of water, then add the pasta. Cook according to the package directions. Drain, reserving 1/2 cup of the pasta cooking water. Return the pasta to the pot (off the heat).

While the pasta and

onions are cooking, melt the butter in a small skillet over medium heat just until it browns; this should take 5 to 7 minutes. Pour into the pasta and stir to coat, then stir in the yogurt. If the mixture seems too thick, add some or all of the reserved pasta cooking water. Cover to keep warm.

Divide the pasta among individual plates. Sprinkle with equal amounts of the grated cheese, then top with equal amounts of the browned onions and their juices. Serve hot. Per serving: 540 calories, 24 g protein, 61 g carbohydrates, 23 g fat, 14 g saturated fat, 55 mg cholesterol, 230 mg sodium, 4 g dietary fiber, 13 g sugar.

# Pasta with No Carbs and Almost No Calories? No Way

BY JIM ROMANOFF

Associated Press

The conventional wisdom of cutting carbs and calories generally has meant that pasta is a no-go.

But recently, a new noodle has challenged that thinking, giving dieters a fresh — albeit slightly different — way to have their pasta and their New Year's resolutions. We're not talking spaghetti squash which, while delicious in its own right, has never made a satisfying substitute for the real deal.

It's so-called shirataki noodles that have attracted the attention of so many dieters of late. Their appeal? No carbs, no fat and almost no calories.

No kidding?

No kidding?

It's true. These slightly chewy noodles — which usually are found alongside the tofu and other refrigerated Asian foods in grocers' produce sections — are made from a water-soluble fiber that comes from a type of sweet potato (some are made with tofu as well, which contains a tiny bit of fat). Though they once were found only in Asian markets, they have begun showing up in most large supermarkets.

And it's not just a desire to cut carbs that is fueling the growth of this product (which has gone from just one or two varieties to many in a span of a couple years). Food and shopping expert Phil Lempert, founder and editor of Supermarket Guru.com, says the growth of the gluten-free (which shirataki happen to be) category also is driving the popularity of this product.

Shaped like spaghetti, fettuccine and even "rice," shirataki noodles come packed in water and require nothing more than draining, rinsing and briefly boiling.

And while these noodles can replace your favorite pasta in many dishes, you'll need to keep in mind two things. First, don't skip the rinsing step. This washes away a slight bitterness and funky smell. Fear not, both disappear entirely once you've rinsed and boiled.

Second, while they certainly are filling, in keeping with their lack of carbs and calories the noodles have virtually zero flavor. But Grace Young, author of "Stir-Frying to the Sky's Edge," considers that an advantage. She says a lack of flavor makes shirataki the perfect ingredient for dishes where the other ingredients

or the sauce define the dish. Young was first intro-

duced to shirataki by a home cook in the Philippines, who used the carb-free noodles all the time because she was diabetic, but still wanted pasta. Young says she adds them to homemade broth with fresh vegetables, or simply prepares them with a good quality soy sauce and toasted sesame oil.

Because of their bland flavor and chewy texture, Young advises picking companion ingredients for shirataki carefully. Salty and bright, tangy flavors work well, along with crisp textures and even the toothsome quality of cooked mushrooms and meats. This way, she says, every bite will have that perfect blend of taste and consistency.

To give shirataki a more pasta-like consistency, also try dry roasting them in a well-oiled or nonstick skillet over high heat for about a minute (be careful not to burn them) before adding them to your favorite dish.

#### Chicken and Shirataki Noodle Soup

Start to finish: 30 minutes. Servings: 6.

10 cups reduced-sodium chicken broth

2 cups shredded carrots 1 large stalk celery, coarsely

chopped 3 tablespoons minced

fresh ginger
2 tablespoons minced

garlic
Three 8-ounce packages
fettucine-style shirataki
noodles, drained and well

rinsed 4 cups shredded cooked skinless chicken breast (about 1 pound) 3 tablespoons chopped fresh dill

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1 tablespoon lemon juice Salt and ground black pepper, to taste

In a Dutch oven over medium heat, bring the broth to a boil. Add the carrots, celery, ginger and garlic. Cook, uncovered, until the vegetables are tender,

about 8 to 10 minutes. **Add the shirataki** and chicken, then simmer until the noodles are just hot, 2 to 3 minutes. Stir in the dill and lemon juice, then season with salt and pepper. Per serving: 150 calories; 15 calories from fat (10 percent of total calories); 1.5 g fat (0 g saturated; 0 g trans

fats); 45 mg cholesterol; 10

g carbohydrate; 3 g fiber; 3

g sugar; 24 g protein; 1020

mg sodium.

**OBITUARIES** 

# Joyce Ramona Wilson Bay

Jan. 24, 1931-Jan. 13, 2013

TWIN FALLS • Joyce Bay, 81, loving mother, wife, grandma and great-grandma, passed away Sunday, Jan. 13, 2013.

Joyce was born Jan. 24, 1931 in Oklahoma City, Okla., to Daniel Wilson and Bertha Baker Wilson Young. She lived in various parts of the world, including Brazil for two

years with her husband, Thomas, and her three young children. Then later in their lives, a move took them to Alaska for more than 20 years, where their daughter (Brenda) and her family were able to live, too. Their last move brought them all to Twin Falls, where she and Tom lived their final years. Joyce was married to her best friend, Tom, for 54 years. Joyce was always with loved ones; she was lucky to have the help of her grandsons (Louis and Joe), daughter (Brenda) and son-in-law (Paul) to take care of her in her time of need.

Joyce always had a love and unbelievable talent for the art of painting; her paintings are just breathtaking. She entered some of her paintings in the fair with the push of her husband, Tom. She was very



help but keep her-

Joyce is survived by her sons, Rick and Larry Manning; and her daughter, enda Upchurch (Paul). She

self busy.

Brenda Upchurch (Paul). She will be missed by 10 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. She is also survived her younger brother, Kenneth Wilson. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Thomas Bay; brother, Eugene; and her daughter, Donna.

The funeral for Joyce will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 17, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the service from 9 to 10 a.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Interment will be held following the service at the Twin Falls. Cemetery in Twin Falls.

Those wishing to share memories or condolences may do so at www.magicvalleyfuneralhome.com.

### **James Dale Assendrup**

July 5, 1941-Jan. 5, 2013

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OAKS, Calif. •
James Dale Assendrup, 71, died
Saturday, Jan. 5,
2013. He passed
away peacefully at
the hospital due to
pneumonia/infection fol-

battle from a back surgery.
Jim was the son of Ray
and Lillian (Nelson) Assendrup of Jerome, Idaho,
and was born July 5, 1941.

lowing a hard, five-month

He is survived by his wife, Patricia Assendrup; and his three children, Terri Flores of Sacramento, Calif., Brian Assendrup of Glenns Ferry, Idaho, and Julie Karp of Westminster, Colo.; as well as sister, Marjorie Balmer of Idaho Falls, Idaho. Jim has four grandchildren, Brandon



Korbin and Kaleb Wickham. He had three stepdaughters as well.

Jim graduated from University of Idaho with a master's degree in physics. He moved to Southern California in the 1960s to begin his long and important career in Aerospace Physics, starting with Autonetics/Rockwell doing nuclear classified work, then later moving to Thousand Oaks, Calif., to work the remainder of his career as a research physicist with Litton/Northrup Grumman. While

Northrup Grumman, he created a Ring Laser Gyroscope that was used to stabilize space satellites and was also used in deep space probes.

Jim had a love for motorcycles, camping, jazz music and good times. He had hummingbird feeders in his backyard and a huge bird feeder as well. He loved to sit on his deck with his favorite drink and watch all the birds come and go. He knew each one by look and would tell stories about them. He had been working on a model ship for 30 years, the USS Endeavor; he finished it six months ago. All the pieces got spilled in an earthquake, thousands of them, yet he managed to figure it all out. He was a kind and good man with a brilliant mind.

Jim's family was very proud of him and all of his accomplishments. He was an amaging and highly intelligible.

gent man. He is already so deeply missed by his family. James Assendrup will forever be in the hearts of all who knew and loved him, especially his children. A service was held Jan. 10 in Thousand Oaks, Calif.



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### **Ruth Eileen Stone**

May 16, 1923-Jan. 13, 2013

**HAZELTON** • Ruth Eileen Stone of Hazelton, Idaho, departed this life Sunday morning, Jan. 13, 2013, for her eternal home in Heaven, there to join other family and friends and await the coming of her husband, Alva "Al" Stone, and be forever with her Lord and Savior

Jesus Christ and the Father of all the saved forever and ever.

Ruth was born May 16, 1923, to Washington Ray and Lilly Davidson of Gamaliel, Ark., the third of six children, and is survived by one sister, Marvene Cargill of Porterville, Calif. Also surviving are her son, Robert and wife of





ents and four siblings preceded her in death. Thanks to the doctors, hospice and Twin Falls Care Cen-

Big Piney, Wyo.; three

grandchildren, Jeremy

of Boise, Idaho, Andie

of Twin Falls and Jamie

Stone of Eden, Idaho;

and one great-grand-

child, Emma. Her par-

ter for their loving care of Ruth.

At Ruth's request, no service was held. Cremation was under the direction of the Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home of Twin Falls, Idaho. Those wishing to share memories or condolences may do so at www.magicvalleyfuneralhome.com.

# Georgia Lee (Exon) Zollinger $_{\text{Aug. 16, 1929-Jan. 13, 2013}}$

**GOODING** • Georgia Lee (Exon) Zollinger, 83, a resident of Twin Falls and formerly of passed Gooding, away on Sunday, Jan. 13, 2013, at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center in Twin Falls.

Georgia was born Aug. 16, 1929, in Hominy, Okla., the daughter of James H. Exon and Hazel Marie Cox Exon. She was raised and educated in southern Idaho at the schools in Hazelton. She moved from Oklahoma to Idaho in her young life, where she met and married Jacob R.

Zollinger.

Georgia worked in food service in the area for many years, retiring early at the age of 62. She loved life, enjoying her family and especially her grandkids. She loved to cook, and there was always a feast at dinner time with lots of homemade goodies in between. She was a very faithful person and never minded sharing her testimony with anyone. Georgia was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother and friend. She will be greatly missed, but we know she is in a great place being re-

united with loved ones.



Georgia is survived by her husband, Jacob R. Zollinger of Twin Falls, Idaho; three sons, David R. (Jan) Zollinger of Hagerman, Idaho, Timothy and

(DeAnn) Zollinger and James N. Zollinger, all of Gooding, Idaho; one daughter, Sherry L. (Frank) Stone of Gooding, Idaho; two brothers, Jim (Kathy) Exon of Richfield, Idaho, and Jerry Exon of Moscow, Idaho; 10 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents; two sisters, Berta Bauer and Barbara Geer; and two brothers, Jack Exon and Bill Exon.

Visitation for family and friends will be held from 4 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 16, at Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel. A funeral will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 17, at Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel. Burial will follow at the Hagerman Cemetery in Hagerman. Arrangements are under the care and direction of Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel. Condolences may be sent to the family by visiting the obituary link at www.demarayfuneralservice.com.

# Leila Faye West

Sept. 21, 1927-Jan. 13, 2013

RUPERT • Leila Faye West, age 85, of Rupert, Idaho, passed away Sunday, Jan. 13, 2013, at the Countryside Care and Rehabilitation Center in

Faye was the daughter of Dave and Elsie Pfeifer. She was born Sept. 21, 1927, and was the second oldest of nine children. She married Alvin G. West, of Acequia, and they lived and raised their family mostly in southern Idaho.

Faye is survived by five brothers, Tilmus "Jack" (Twylla) Pfeifer, Gerald "Jerry" (Linda) Pfeifer, Melvin (Yoosoon) Pfeifer, Merlyn (Debbie) Pfeifer and Lester "Butch" (Sue) Pfeifer; two sisters, JoAnn (Kent) Bryan and Sharon (Bob) Hissung; two sons, Jack (June) West and Malcolm West; eight grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; an older brother, Dale; and an infant son, Alvin Ray West. Faye was born in Zeeland, N.D., and spent the first 12 years of her life in a small German community where she learned to speak only German. When the family moved to southwestern Idaho, she discovered that all of her classmates spoke English. This presented quite a challenge for the shy 12-year-old. Faye grew up helping her family work on the farm. In her late teens and early 20s, Faye worked as a waitress and later in the food processing industry. In addition to her work as a lab technician at Simplot in Heyburn, Faye also spent some time working as a camp host for the Forest Ser-

vice. She was stationed at



Brownlee Reservoir located near the Idaho and Oregon borders. This was an exciting experience for Grandma West, and she loved talking to campers and Forest Service workers. Faye loved camping with her family and also loved playing softball and bowling. She was also good at crafts, liked to do ceramics and knitted and crocheted many beautiful afghans and other items. Faye also loved to play softball and was a fast and accurate pitcher. She was also a good bowler and traveled many places with her team to play in games and tournaments. She has a wall full of awards and pins. She loved being with her kids and grandchildren and often let them talk her into rather dangerous activities — snow skiing, motorcycle and snowmobile riding, driving on unfamiliar roads, etc. Faye was greatly loved by her family and will be sorely missed. Say hi to Dad for us, Mom. The funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Friday, Jan. 18, at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, where friends and family may call one hour prior to the service. Burial will be in the Paul Cemetery.



**GOODING** • James Dale "Jim" Raby, de-

voted husband and father, died Thursday, Nov. 29, 2012, at the age of 84. He was born in

Gooding, Idaho, on May 2, 1928, to Walter and Beulah Raby. After graduation from Gooding High School, he joined the Navy. Later, he trained at Idaho State University to be a television engineer, then moved to California where he worked as a cameraman enjoying the challenges of a career in the early days of TV. In 1958, he started work at

KTVU where he worked until

his retirement in 1988.

Jim enjoyed camping, backpacking, boating and photography, but his special love was cycling. He bicycled around Marin and Sonoma counties, exploring the back roads and even completed a century ride. After 37 years of living in Santa Rafael, he and his wife, Naomi, moved to Santa Rosa to enjoy retirement. They took many trips in their motor home and also with Elderhostel. His wife, Naomi Le (Copsey), and he had celebrated their 66th wedding anniversary last June. He was active in the First Congregational Church, serving as a deacon. He enjoyed

singing in the First United Methodist Church choir and his Thursday breakfasts with the Methodist Men in Fellowship.

He is survived by his wife; his four children and spouses, Diane Preece (Tom Preece), Edith Raby (Paul Sheinfeld), Chuck Raby (Debbie Raby) and Jeff Raby (Ramon Silvestre); four grandchildren, Dana Wallace, Beth Raby, Ben Raby and Jake Raby; and one great-grandchild, Oscar Raby. Jim enjoyed the love of his immediate family and of Naomi's large Copsey family. Jim is predeceased by his parents; and his sister, Vila Ruth Consolini.

A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 19, at Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel. A private inurnment will take place at a later date at Elmwood Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Sutter VNA and Hospice, 1110 Dutton Ave., Santa Rosa, CA 95401.

Local arrangements are under the care and direction of Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel. Condolences may be shared with the family by visiting the obituary link at www.demarayfuneralservice.com.

### William R. Jones

Sept. 14, 1920-Jan. 12, 2013

BURLEY • William Reed "Bill" Jones of Burley, Idaho, passed away Saturday, Jan. 12, 2013, at the age of 92 at Parke View Rehabilitation and Care Center in Burley.

He was born in Burley, Idaho, on Sept. 14, 1920, to Percy and Larian (Johnson) Jones. He graduated from Burley High School in 1939. In 1942, Bill enlisted in the U.S. Army, proudly serving his country with the 17th Field Artillery Battalion in the European Theater. While in the service, Bill received the American Theater Operation Service Ribbon, European African Middle Eastern Ribbon, a Good Conduct medal and the AR600-68 Victory Medal; he was honorably discharged on Feb. 5, 1946.

He met Emma Kerbs in Burley, and they were married June 2, 1943, in Elko, Nev. In his younger years, he farmed south of Burley and then opened Bill Jones Automotive in 1949. In 1962, Bill opened Minico Auto Parts with Jay McBride. He later sold his interests in Minico Auto Parts and renamed his business Burley Auto Parts. While in the auto parts business, Bill was an active member of the Automotive Wholesalers of Idaho. Bill retired in 1992, selling the business to Schow's Auto Parts. He was an active member of Zion Lutheran Church in Burley, serving as a trustee and a member of the Zion Lutheran Layman League. He was instrumental in building the gymnasium, and the members could always count on Bill to lend a helping hand with anything at the church.

Bill was an avid hunter and fisherman, teaching his kids and grandkids his love of the outdoors. He loved his trips to the Big Wood River and never missed an opportunity to take his family. He was active in the VFW and loved to spend time in his garden at the shop. His last 21/2 years were spent as a resident of the Warren House in Burley. Bill loved the people there and enjoyed the interac-

tion with the other residents. He was preceded in death by his wife, Emma; his parents; two sisters, Ione Jones and Doris Fullmer; two brothers, Louis Jones and W. John Jones; a son, Dennis Jones; and one great-grandson, Conner Reed Jones. He is survived by his sons, Larry R. Jones of Burley, W. Rick Jones (Cheri) of Ilwaco, Wash., Steven P. Jones (Shelley) and Jack J. Jones (Barb) of Burley; one daughter, Charlene Bartlome (Gary) of Burley; 10 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; one brother, Ross V. Jones (Lor-





raina) of Burley; and one sister,

Myrth Kidd of Rexburg. Bill will always be remembered for his big heart. If he ever saw someone in need, he was always the first one to help them out. He will always be remembered for his "moo cow" call, his love of children and his willingness to help his community. For many years, Bill and his sister, Myrth, gave Christmas presents to the kids at the Idaho Youth Ranch in

Acequia. The funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 19, at the United Methodist Church, 450 E. 27th St. in Burley, with the Rev. Kathy Abend officiating. Burial will be in the Pleasant View Cemetery in Burley. Friends may call from 6 until 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 18, at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, and from 10 until 10:45 a.m. Saturday at the church.

Memorial contributions may be made in Bill's name to the Idaho Youth Ranch or to Zion Lutheran Church in care of the Rasmussen Funeral Home, P.O. Box 878, Burley, ID 83318.





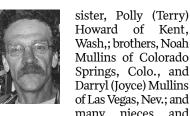
# **John Paul Mullins**

Sept. 27, 1960-Jan. 9, 2013

SPARKS, Nev. • John Paul Mullins passed away Wednesday, Jan. 9, 2013, at his home in Sparks, Nev., after a long illness. John was born Sept. 27, 1960, to

Noah Mullins Sr. and Barbara Hepworth.

John is survived by his mother and stepfather, Barbara and Seth Hepworth of Twin Falls, Idaho; his stepmother, Dianne Mullins of Albany, La.; daughter, Brandy Mullins of Sparks, Nev.; grandchildren, Maranda, Domanic, Damian and Jezze; his



many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father, Noah Mullins Sr.; and his brothers, Pat Dufour, David Dufour, Ed Hepwoth and Sidney Dufour.

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A gathering of family and friends will he held later this summer. Cremation took place under the care of Mountain View Mortuary in Sparks,

# **JoAlene Bagley Pineda**

June 6, 1959-Jan 11, 2013

ANAHEIM, Calif. • JoAlene Bagley Pineda, 53, of Anaheim, Calif., passed away Friday, Jan 11, 2013, in Provo, Utah. She was born June 6, 1959, in Twin Falls, Idaho, to Merwin D. (Bud) and Nina M. Bagley. She graduated from Twin Falls High School and later married Mario W. Pineda on Aug. 23, 1991. She was an active member of the LDS Church, having many church callings which she faithfully fulfilled. She is survived by her mother, Nina M. Bagley; sister, Dawna (Rick) Ward; and brothers, Jeffrey Lynn and Dee Bagley; husband, Mario Pineda; three daughters, Graciela, Jessica and Alexis Pineda; and



many relatives and friends. She was preceded in death by her father, Merwin Bagley.

The funeral will begin at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 19, at the Anaheim LDS 3rd Ward Church in Anaheim, Calif.

# **Frances Elaine Steinmetz**

Oct. 15, 1936-Jan. 5, 2013

**KIMBERLY** • Frances Elaine Steinmetz was born Oct. 15, 1936, in Pinedale, Wyo. She passed away at her home in Kimberly on Saturday, Jan. 5, 2013, with her Bob, Scott, and Denise at her side.

Francis was a loving mother to her family and companion to her husband, Chuck, for 42 years in Hansen,

Idaho, and the later years in Eden, Idaho, until Chuck's passing in 2009. Francis spent the remainder of her life in Kimberly with her children.

Francis and Chuck spent many years doing activities with the Antique Tractor Club, the JRoam-ers RV Club

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Club, of which they were active members. Family was very important to her; she was able to spend the holidays this year

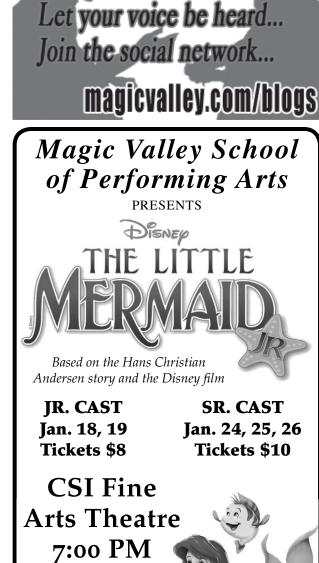
and the Antique Car

with her children and grandchildren at her side. Our mother was

the strongest, most determined person we have

ever known, and she will be greatly missed by all.

Those wishing to pay their condolences on line may do so at www.magicvalleyfuneralhome.com. Arrangements were under the direction of Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home of Twin Falls.



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Rob Arno warms a pan before pouring pretzel toffee bark on it at Arno Confection Perfection in Twin Falls.

# Chocolate

Continued from Food 1

"It's a real fun event. You walk in and the room smells like chocolate," Skeem said. "It's like a cocktail party with chocolate. Everyone's real happy, probably because they are on a sugar high."

The Rotary Club of Twin Falls sponsors the event, so don't feel guilty when you experience sugar crash; all proceeds will benefit local charities and the Main Avenue Splash Park and Plaza.

'We love doing Death by Chocolate. It's a fun event and we love to support it," said Cyndi Arno, owner of Arno Confection Perfection in Twin Falls.

The first year Arno Confection Perfection competed in Death by Chocolate, in 2009, it took home second place in a People's Choice category for Arno's peppermint bark. Though Arno had made peppermint bark for years, she had just started to dabble in making it as a business. But the win at the chocolate competition solidified her plan.

"Oh, I do think we have a business here," Arno said she thought at the time.

Today Arno's business has taken off since its debut at Death by Chocolate. On Jan. 10, Arno was preparing a batch of peppermint bark for a company that supplies food products to Twitter. The company found Arno's business online and has ordered more than 400 pounds of her bark. She said her products will also soon be sold at Whole Foods Market in Boise.

Arno said she isn't quite sure what she will submit to this year's contest — she currently makes flavors like toffee, sea salt and cranberry almond bark - but is considering coming up with a new flavor just for the event in the coming weeks.

Last year Krislyn Canary, owner of Pieces of Heaven Cupcakery, competed in the



Arno Confection Perfection's pretzel toffee bark.

#### Fill Your Plate

The Rotary Club of Twin Falls is sponsoring its eighth annual Death by Chocolate tasting event, a charity fundraiser, at 6-9 p.m. Jan. 31 at Canyon Crest Event Center, 330 Canyon Crest Drive in Twin Falls.

There will be a silent auction and raffle throughout the evening and live music by the Jason Lugo Band. There will also be a no-host bar, Zulu Bagels providing free coffee and Costco providing free water. Western States Bus Service will donate free shuttle service to overflow parking areas.

Admission: \$15 in advance and \$20 at the door. Advance tickets are sold at the Twin Falls Area Chamber of Commerce, Kurt's Pharmacy, The Mail Room

www.twinfallsrotary.org. Information: Jill Skeem, committee chairwoman, at 208-320-2786 or jillasherman@yahoo.com.

cupcake division. This year, she said, the store will be represented by a product that is already in its display

case: the Blackout Cake.

"It's a chocolate cake with chocolate chips," Canary said. "It's really chocolatey."

If candy is more your speed, be on the prowl for whatever students from Canyon Ridge High School concoct.

Barbara Morales, a family consumer science teacher at Canyon Ridge, said the team's students are all volunteers and have taken at least one of her classes. This is the third time the school has competed. Last year, Morales said, students took third in three divisions with their salted caramel

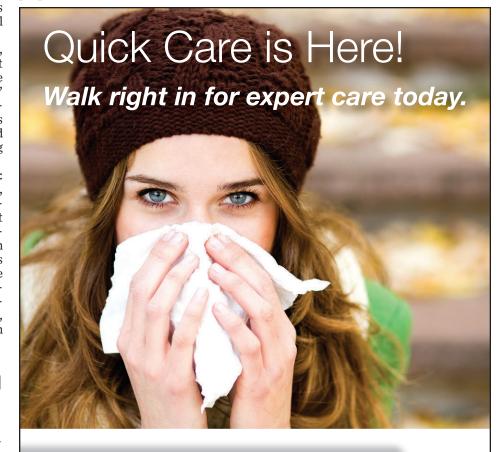
"They like to compete, they love to go to the event and they want to make everything from scratch," Morales said. "We're competing against businesses like Cactus Petes and Daisy's; if we get anything we feel good."

The 2013 competitors: Arno Confection Perfection, Bakehouse, Black Cat Cupcakes, Cactus Petes Resort Casino, Canyon Crest Dining & Event Center, Canyon Ridge High School, Carla's Creations, Cold Stone Creamery, College of Southern Idaho's baking and pastry arts program, Daisy's, From Seed to Store, Hilton Garden Inn, JJ's Cakes & Confections, Magic Valley High School, Pieces of Heaven Cupcakery, Simplicity Sweets, Sweet Hope, The Coffee Shop, Twin Falls High School, Heritage & Woodstone Assisted Living and Wynwood at Twin Falls.

Last year, the Rotary Club of Twin Falls estimated it netted around \$31,000 for local charities at its seventh annual Death by Chocolate tasting event, Skeem said in 2012, estimating that year's attendance at around 1,100 people.



Family Planning and Reproductive Health Clinics have returned to the Mini-Cassia and Jerome Offices! Birth Control Pap Tests Pregnancy Tests STD and HIV tests South Central Public Health District Call for an appointment: Mini-Cassia • 678-8221 Jerome • 324-8838



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#### NEXT WEEK

#### Wake Up and Smell the Coffee!

That's right, you'll almost be able to smell the delicious aroma when you read about a Twin Falls couple performing a traditional Ethiopian coffee ceremony; Paul Dunn reports. Next Wednesday in Food



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#### **NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING**

The annual meeting of East End Mutual Electric will be held January 22, 2013 at 2:00 PM at the Rupert Elk's Lodge. Members attendance at this meeting is needed so important business may be conducted. A Director from District 1 will be elected. David Maier is currently the director. Refreshments will be served.

PUBLISH: January 13, 16 and 20, 2013

#### **PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE** AVAILABILTIY OF FEDERAL GRANT PLAN FOR PUBLIC REVIEW

SUBJECT: Proposed use and distribution of funds of a federally funded Grant; Availability of Plan for public review.

PURPOSE: The purpose is to receive comment on the proposed use of funds during Federal Fiscal Year 2013. The Grant Plan being reviewed is:

PY 13 Weatherization Assistance Program Grant Plan

PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE: A public hearing will be held on Monday, January 28, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 pm, Mountain Daylight Savings Time at 5400 West Franklin Road, Suite G, Boise, Idaho, 83705.

All written comments must be received before 5 p.m., Mountain Daylight Savings Time, January, 27, 2013, at 450 W. State St Boise Idaho 83720-0036 SUMMARY OF CHANGES: The proposed changes to the PY 13

State Plan are as follows: · Increase in the average allowable weatherization expenditure

per unit as directed by DOE AVAILABILITY OF PLANS: Copies of the plan are available at: Community Action Partnership Association of Idaho, 5400 West

Franklin Road, Suite G, Boise, Idaho, 83705 Idaho Department of Health and Welfare, 450 W. State St. Boise,

83720-0036 **IDHW** http://www.healthandwelfare.idaho.gov/

SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS: Anyone may submit written comment regarding the proposed use of these funds for this grant. Written comments will be accepted

through January 27, 2013. For more information, contact IDHW Program Manager at 208-334-5656, or the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare, 450 W. State St.- 2nd Floor, Boise, ID 83720-0036.

PUBLISH: January 16, 24 and 27, 2013

Notice of Trustee's Sale Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: December 7, 2012 File No.: 7303.22170 Sale date and time (local time): May 6, 2013 at 11:00 AM Sale location: outside the main entrance of the Minidoka County Courthouse, 711 'G' Street Rupert, ID 83350 Property address: 805 S D St Rupert, ID 83350 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc. an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: William T. Brown and Deborah L. Brown, husband and wife Original trustee: First American Title Company Original beneficiary: Option One Mortgage Corporation Recording date: 05/30/2007 Recorder's instrument number: 491080 County: Minidoka Sum owing on the obligation: as of December 7, 2012: \$93,513.83 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: Lot 5 in Block 6 of the McCool Addition to the City of Rupert, Minidoka County, Idaho, according to the official plat thereof, now on file in the office of the County recorder. Minidoka County, Idaho, recorded March 11, 1955 in Book 8 of Miscellaneous, Page 113, Minidoka County records. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described at the sale and which can be reviewed at www.northwesttrustee.com USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 7303.22170) 1002.236020-File No.

**PUBLISH:** December 26, 2012, January 2, 9 and 16, 2013

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TS No. 09-0106169 Title Order No. 090519878IDGNO Parcel No. RPB33000020060A The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, payable in lawful money of the United States, Outside the main entrance of the Minidoka County Courthouse, 711 G Street, Rupert, ID 83350, on 05/13/2013 at 10:00 AM, (recognized local time) for the purpose of foreclosing that certain Deed of Trust recorded 01/25/2005 as Instrument No. 476429 and re-recorded 02/16/2005 at 04:37 PM as Instrument No. 476818, and executed by BROOKS WEST AND KIM WEST, HUSBAND AND WIFE as Grantor(s), in favor of MORTGAGE SYSTEMS, INC., as ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION Beneficiary, to RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A., the Current Trustee of record, covering the following real property located in Minidoka County, state of Idaho: LOT 6 IN BLOCK 2 OF THE GREEN ACRES SUBDIVISION TO THE CITY OF BURLEY, MINIDOKA COUNTY, IDAHO, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT THEREOF, NOW ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER, MINIDOKA COUNTY, IDAHO, RECORDED JULY 11, 1960 IN BOOK 8 OF MISCELLANEOUS, PAGE 306, MINIDOKA CONTY RECORDS The Trustee has no knowledge of a more particular description of the above referenced real property, but for purpose of compliance with Idaho Code, Section 60-113, the Trustee has been informed that the street address of, 300 WEST 4TH STREET NORTH, BURLEY, ID 83318 is sometimes associated with said real property. Bidders must be prepared to tender the trustee the full amount of the bid at the sale in the form of cash, or a cashier's check drawn on a state or federally insured savings institution. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in that certain Deed of Trust. The default for which this sale is to be made is: Failure to pay the monthly payment due 04/01/2009 of principal, interest and impounds and subsequent installments due thereafter; plus late charges, with interest currently accruing at 5.750% per annum; together with all subsequent sums advanced by beneficiary pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and any supplemental modifications thereto. The principal balance owing as of this date on said obligation is \$96.147.18, plus interest. costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the obligations hereunder and in this sale, together with any unpaid and /or accruing real property taxes, and/or assessments, attorneys' fees, Trustees' fees and costs, and any other amount advanced to protect said security, as authorized in the promissory note secured by the aforementioned Deed of Trust. Therefore, the Beneficiary elects to sell, or cause said trust property to be sold, to satisfy said obligation. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE, AND THAT THE DEBT MAY BE DISPUTED. THE ABOVE GRANTORS ARE NAMED TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 45-1506(4)(a) IDAHO CODE. NO REPRESENTATION IS MADE THAT THEY ARE, OR ARE NOT, PRESENTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS OBLIGATION. 12/28/2012 RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. Successor Trustee Name and Address of the Current Trustee is: RECONTRUST COMPANY, N.A. P.O BOX 10284 VAN NUYS, CA 91410-0284 PHONE: (800) 281-8219 A-4346391 PUBLISH: 01/09/2013, 01/16/2013, 01/23/2013, 01/30/2013

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#### **ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS** 2013 Twin Falls Wastewater Treatment Plant **Dewatering Equipment**

Sealed proposals will be received in the office of the Deputy City Clerk at 321 Second Avenue East, Twin Falls, Idaho until 10:00 A.M., prevailing local time on January 31, 2013, at which time they shall be publicly opened and read in the Council Overflow Room at 305 3rd Ave. East.

Bids will be received for dewatering equipment for the Twin Falls Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Requests for Proposal specifications and required forms to be completed by bidders are available at the office of the Engineer:

CH2M Hill 322 East Front Street, Suite 200, Boise, Idaho 83702

(208)345-5310. No specification fee is required. Sharon M. Bryan - Deputy City Clerk

City of Twin Falls 321 Second Avenue East P.O. Box 1907 Twin Falls, ID 83303-1907

PUBLISH: January 16 and 23, 2013 Open: January 31, 2013

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#### **NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

On Tuesday, the 21st day of May, 2013, at the hour of 10:15 a.m. of said day at the front entrance of the Twin Falls County Courthouse, 425 Shoshone Street North, Twin Falls, State of Idaho, TITLEFACT, INC., an Idaho corporation, as Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit: PARCEL 1

Township 9 South, Range 15 East, Boise Meridian, Twin Falls County, Idaho

Section 9: A parcel of land being a portion of Parcel 6, in Book 28 of Miscellaneous Plats, page 1589, and being more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at the South quarter corner of Section 9, said point lies South 89°54'56" West 2692.49 feet from the Southeast corner of Section 9; THENCE South 89°54'12" West 75.00 feet along the South

boundary of Section 9; THENCE North 00°25'31" West 2383.45 feet;

THENCE North 89°09'26" East 630.00 feet to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING;

THENCE North 00°25'31" West 337.44 feet; THENCE South 88°37'02" East 520.00 feet;

THENCE South 00°25'31" East 317.24 feet;

THENCE South 89°09'26" West 152.22 feet;

THENCE South 89°09'26" West 367.54 feet to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING. PARCEL 2

Township 9 South, Range 15 East, Boise Meridian, Twin Falls County, Idaho

Section 9: A 50.00-foot-wide access easement described as follows

BEGINNING at the Southwest corner of Section 9; THENCE North 89°54'12" East 2669.95 feet to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING, said point also lies South 89°54'12" West

25.00 feet from the South quarter corner of said Section 9; THENCE North 00°25'31" West 2384.10 feet;

THENCE South 89°09'26" West 50.00 feet:

THENCE South 00°25'31" East 2383.45 feet; THENCE North 89°54'12" East 50.00 feet to the REAL POINT OF BEGINNING.

Commonly known as: bare land, Buhl, ID 83316. Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding

title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by CANYON VIEW ESTATES LLC, an Idaho limited liability company, Grantor to TITLEFACT, INC., as Trustee for the benefit and security of FIRST FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK OF TWIN FALLS, dated May 7, 2010, and recorded May 10, 2010, as Instrument No. 201-009350, and modified by Modification of Deed of Trust recorded December 9, 2011, as Instrument No. 2011-022938, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.

The default for which this sale is to be made is failure to pay: Monthly payments, collection charges and late charges through November 6, 2012, all in the amount of \$600.00;

and the unpaid principal balance owing as of November 6, 2012, on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$19,271.61, plus interest, late charges and foreclosure costs.

DATED: December 21, 2012. CT INC

By LILA ORTON, Assistant Vice-President **PUBLISH:** January 2, 9, 16 and 23, 2013

#### **NOTICES**

Notice of Trustee's Sale Idaho Code 45-1506 Today's date: December 18, 2012 File No.: 8308.20321 Sale date and time (local time): April 19, 2013 at 11:00 AM Sale location: in the office of First American Title Company, 199 Country Lane, Jerome, ID 83338 Property address: 509 East Avenue D Jerome, ID 83338 Successor Trustee: Northwest Trustee Services, Inc., an Idaho Corporation P.O. Box 997 Bellevue, WA 98009 (425) 586-1900 Deed of Trust information Original grantor: Russell E. Blight and Julisa R. Blight, husband and Commonwealth Land Title Original wife Original trustee: beneficiary: Ameriquest Mortgage Company Recording date: 12/21/2005 Recorder's instrument number: 2057129 County: Jerome Sum owing on the obligation: as of December 18, 2012: \$110,447.58 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day to day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. Hence, if you pay the amount shown above, an adjustment may be necessary after we receive your check. For further information write or call the Successor Trustee at the address or telephone number provided above. Basis of default: failure to make payments when due. Please take notice that the Successor Trustee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for certified funds or equivalent the property described above. The property address is identified to comply with IC 60-113 but is not warranted to be correct. The property's legal description is: That part of Block A-184, Jerome Townsite, Jerome County, Idaho, as the same is platted in the official plat thereof, now of record in the office of the recorder of said County, described as follows: Commencing at a point on the North boundary of said Block A-184, which point is 114 feet East of the Northwest Corner of said Block; thence running Easterly on the North boundary, 56.155 feet; thence running Southerly, 135 feet; thence running Westerly, 56.155 feet, thence running Northerly, 135 feet to the Point of Beginning. The sale is subject to conditions, rules and procedures as described sale and which can be www.northwesttrustee.com or USA-Foreclosure.com. The sale is made without representation, warranty or covenant of any kind. (TS# 8308.20321) 1002.237035-File No. **PUBLISH:** December 26, 2012, January 2, 9 and 16, 2013

#### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

On Tuesday, the 21st day of May, 2013, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. of said day at the front entrance of the Twin Falls County Courthouse, 425 Shoshone Street North, Twin Falls, State of Idaho, TITLEFACT, INC., an Idaho corporation, as Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, all payable at the time of sale, the following described real property situated in the County of Twin Falls, State of Idaho, and described as follows, to-wit:

Township 9 South, Range 15 East, Boise Meridian, Twin Falls County, Idaho

Section 30: A parcel of land located in the SE1/4NW1/4 more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at the West Quarter (W1/4) corner of said Section 30 from which the Northwest corner of said Section 30 bears North 00°22'55" West, 2653.48 feet;

THENCE South 89°49'52" East along the South boundary of the NW1/4 of Section 30 for a distance of 1152.85 feet to the Southwest corner of the SE¼NW¼ of Section 30 and being the TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING;

THENCE North 00°31'54" West along the West boundary of the SE¼NW¼ of Section 30 for a distance of 340.00 feet;

THENCE South 89°49'52" East parallel with the South boundary of the SE¼NW¼ of Section 30 for a distance of 150.00 feet; THENCE South 00°31'54" East parallel with the West boundary of the SE14NW14 of Section 30 for a distance of 340.00 feet to a

point on the South boundary of the SE1/4NW1/4 of Section 30; THENCE North 89°49'52" West along the South boundary of the SE1/4NW1/4 of Section 30 for a distance of 150.00 feet to the

TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. SUBJECT TO a 50.00-foot wide easement for the purpose of ingress and egress and future access road for development purposes, said easement being the South 50.00 feet of the

described parcel.
AND SUBJECT TO a 15.0-foot wide easement for the use and maintenance of an existing irrigation ditch, said easement being adjacent to and on the easterly side of the westerly boundary of the described parcel

Sometimes known as: 1522 East 4250 North, Buhl, Idaho 83316 Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty regarding title, possession or encumbrances to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in the Deed of Trust executed by MARIE COVERT, a single woman, as Grantor, to TITLEFACT, INC., an Idaho corporation, as Trustee, and FIRST FEDERAL SAVINGS BANK OF TWIN FALLS, as Beneficiary, recorded April 28, 2009, as Instrument No. 2009-009376, records of Twin Falls County, Idaho.

The default for which this sale is to be made is failure to pay: Monthly payments, collection charges and late charges through November 6, 2012, all in the amount of \$1,917.48;

and the unpaid principal balance owing as of November 6, 2012, on the obligation secured by said Deed of Trust is \$132,858.10 plus interest, late charges and foreclosure costs.

DATED: December 19, 2012. , i rustee

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# New Today

#### RENTAL PROPERTIES

#### 0602 **Unfurnished Homes**

FILER Cute & clean 1 bdrm mobile on quiet city lot w/storage, cls water. No pets. Refs. 326-5887

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Bids must be sent or delivered to the above address on or before the above listed date and time to be accepted. The outside of the envelope should clearly indicate "SEALED BID envelope should clearly indicate ENCLOSED".

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John M. Mason Vice President of Administration

Marc Santoro STAR Site Manager

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Announcements

# **Lost and Found**

FOUND CAT on Falls & 3400 E in Kimberly. Mature, friendly unneutered male, gray tiger stripes w/white trim. 208-944-9415

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#### 104 Personals



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General

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#### PROFESSIONAL



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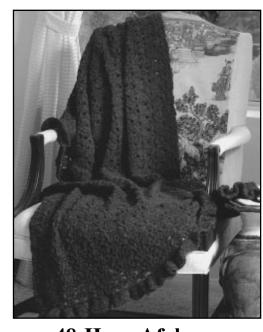
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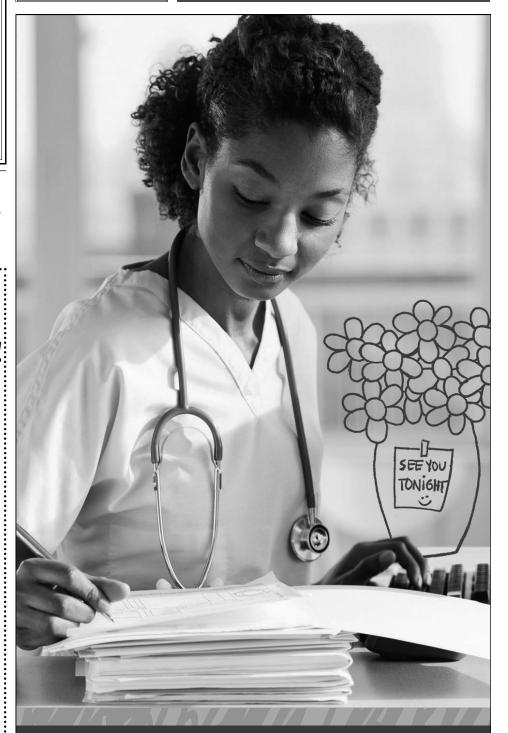
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DEAR ABBY: "Myles" and I have known each other for five years, but have grown really close over the past three. We tell each other everything, and I have fallen in love with him.



**DEAR**  $\mathbf{A}$ BBY **Jeanne Phillips** 

A few months ago, Myles sent me a text saying he needed to tell me a "secret." He went on to say the guy he had told me was his brother, "Jeff," is really his lover. Needless to say, that bombshell floored me. We have discussed it in person, and I have never told him how I feel. I visit them a couple of times a month and always go home feeling hurt. I want Myles for myself, even though I know I can't have him. I don't want to lose him as my friend, but it hurts seeing him and Jeff together. How do I resolve this?

#### - GIRL LEFT BEHIND **IN CALIFORNIA** DEAR LEFT BEHIND:

Start by being as honest with Myles as he was with you. Tell him that over the course of your friendship you fell in love with him — and that you wish you had known he was gay before you became so emotionally involved. If you want romance, you will have to look for it elsewhere. In order for you to find it, I cannot stress strongly enough that you will need to feel good about yourself. Stop torturing yourself by visiting the two lovebirds and take a break for a while. A LONG while.

DEAR ABBY: I am a 36vear-old woman who has never been married or had children. For the past two years I've been seeing a man I'll call Frank. I love him deeply, and I believe he feels the same about me.

Frank is still married but legally separated from his wife. They have one child who lives with his mom. Frank lives with me, and Frank's wife lives with another man and has a second child by yet another guy.

My problem is, Frank's wife calls ME whenever she has a fight with her boyfriend. She confides in me like I'm her best friend. I have never talked to Frank about divorcing her, but I'm at my wit's end over this whole circle. Sometimes I feel like I'm wasting my time with him. Abby, I'm a longtime reader who needs to find a solution to this soap opera. Please help me.

#### - GETTING DIZZY INEASTBOSTON **DEAR GETTING DIZZY:**

You need to talk to Frank about his degree of commitment to you. Two years is a long time to live with someone who's married to someone else — let alone be trying to solve his wife's love problems. Perhaps it's time to distance yourself from both of them and figure out what you want to do for YOU.

**DEAR ABBY:** My friend "Maggie" is getting a divorce. She has been living with my husband and me for four months. She pays one-third of our utility bill but pays no rent.

My husband feels that since Maggie is living with us, she should pay something - even if it's only \$100 a month. She's a lifelong friend, and I don't know what to do. Maggie is very upset over her messy divorce. Should I ask her for rent money? (I don't want to fight over this with my husband.)

#### -ONLY FRIEND **INKENTUCKY DEAR ONLY FRIEND:** It

depends on Maggie's financial circumstances. If she has the money, it's certainly OK to ask. If she doesn't have the resources - or a job - she should consider finding one so she's not completely financially dependent on others.

Dear Abby is written by Abigail Van Buren, also known as Jeanne Phillips, and was founded by her mother, Pauline Phillips. Write Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069.

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In 1920, Prohibition began in the United States as the 18th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution took effect, one year to the day after its ratification. (It was later repealed by the 21st Amend-

In 1935, fugitive gangster Fred Barker and his mother, Kate "Ma" Barker, were killed in a shootout with the FBI at Lake Weir, Fla.

In 1942, actress Carole Lombard, 33, her mother Elizabeth and 20 other people were killed when their plane crashed near Las Vegas, Nev., while en route to California from a war-bond promotion tour.

In 1944, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower took command of the Allied Expeditionary Forces in London.

In 1969, two manned Soviet Soyuz spaceships became the first vehicles to dock in space and transfer personnel.

**In 1978,** NASA named 35 candidates to fly on the space shuttle, including Sally K. Ride, who became America's first woman in space, and Guion S. Bluford Ir., who became America's first black astronaut in space.

In 1987, Hu Yaobang resigned as head of China's Communist Party, declaring he'd made mistakes in dealing with student turmoil and intellectual challenges to the system. Broadway columnist Earl Wilson died in Yonkers, N.Y., at age 79.

In 1991, the White House announced the start of Operation Desert Storm to drive Iraqi forces out of Kuwait.

In 2007, Sen. Barack Obama, D-Ill., launched his successful bid for the White House.

Ten years ago: AOL Time Warner chief executive Dick Parsons was tapped to be the media conglomerate's new chairman, succeeding Steve

Five years ago: President George W. Bush closed out his Mideast trip with a brief visit to Egypt, where he was welcomed by President Hosni Mubarak. Archbishop Earl Paulk, the 80-year-old leader of a megachurch, pleaded guilty in Atlanta to lying under oath about his sexual affairs and was sentenced to 10 years' probation. (Paulk died in March

One year ago: Republican presidential front-runner Mitt Romney fended off attacks from rivals during a debate in Myrtle Beach, S.C.; hours before the debate, former Utah Gov. Jon Huntsman withdrew from the race and announced his support for Romney despite their differences. Jimmy Castor, funk and soul saxophonist, singer and songwriter whose tune, "It's Just Begun," morphed into an anthem for generations of musical acts, died in Las Vegas at age 71.

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The mistake most declarers made was to win the lead in dummy and play a spade to the 10. West won, led a low diamond to his partner, and a club shift scuttled declarer's chances.

Let's revisit the play. Since you are not keen for East to be able to obtain the lead cheaply to lead a club through your king, you should play low from dummy on the first trick. East is welcome to overtake with the diamond king. If he pays this high price to gain the lead, the defenders can take their clubs, but you will finesse the diamond 10 subsequently, setting up a discard for your spade loser.

If East plays low at trick one, you win the next diamond with dummy's ace and play a spade to the 10. If West wins with the king or queen, you will unblock the spade ace and later take a ruffing spade finesse through East after drawing trumps to set up a discard for one of your club losers. So long as the spade honors are split, the defenders cannot prevent this line of play. And if both spade honors are on your right, you still have the club finesse available.

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SOUTH **♠** A 10 ♥ A K 10 7 4 3 2 **♦** 4 2 ♣ K 4

Vulnerable: Neither Dealer: South

WEST

**★** K 7 3

♣ A 6 3

♦ QJ963

**♥**85

The bidding: South West North East Pass 2 ♥ Pass All pass

Opening lead: Diamond queen

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South holds: **♣** J 9 5 4 **♥** Q J 6 ♦ A 10 5

South West North East Pass 1 ♦ **Pass** 2 💠 **Pass** Pass Pass

**♣** 10 7 2

ANSWER: Your partner has real extras and, in the first instance. is looking for no-trump if you can offer a heart stopper. Here, you have a decent hand for the bidding and a decent heart stopper — just enough to jump to three no-trump. Without the diamond 10 and heart jack, you would bid two no-trump.

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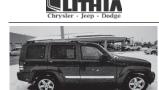


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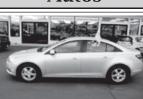
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Study Highlights **Spending Gaps** in NCAA • S6

#### LOCAL ROUNDUP



Burley's Brennor Downs drives past Jerome's Zach Thibault during their Great Basin Conference boys basketball game Tuesday at Burley High school.

# **Burley Boys** Rout Jerome

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**BURLEY** • The Burley boys basketball team made it 11 wins in a row with a 55-26 Great Basin Conference home victory over Jerome

Tuesday. Braylan Bean scored 11 points and Kyle Garrard had nine points and seven rebounds for the Bobcats (11-3, 4-0), who got 21 points off the bench and obtained 20 points off 15 Jerome turnovers.

Will Hope had eight points and four rebounds

for the Tigers (8-4, 2-2). Both teams have conference games Friday, as Burley travels to Twin Falls and Jerome hosts Canyon Ridge.

#### **BURLEY 55, JEROME 26**

Jerome 8 6 5 7 -26 Burley 13 12 12 18 -55 JEROME (26) Smith 3, Thibault 7, Gratzer 5, Bowman 2, Espinoza 1, Hope 8, Totals 10 5-13 26. BURLEY (55) Knopp 4, Bean 11, Greener 2, Coltrin 6, Hinckley 4, Cook 9, Garrard 9, Hosteen 9, Pilling 1. Totals 19 11-13 55

3-point goals: Jerome 1 (Gratzer), Burley 6 (Bean 3, Coltrin 2, Hosteen). Total fouls: Jerome 9, Burley 10.

### SHOSHONE 59,

HANSEN 24 **SHOSHONE** • Garrett Sant scored 17 and Shoshone improved to 2-0 in the

Snake River Conference. Seth Williams led the Huskies with nine points.

Nick Wallace scored nine for Shoshone (6-7), which visits Butte County on Fri-

4 5 8 7 -24 20 17 8 14 -59 Shoshone 20 17 8 14 –59
HANSEN (24)
Stimpson 2, Williams 9, Fitzsimmons 8, Arevalo 1,
Lasso 1, Urie 3, Totals 7 7-11 24.
SHOSHONE (59)
Anguiano 8, Linares 4, García 6, Sant 17, Waite 2,
Diaz 2, Bench 7, Wallace 9, Stanhope 4. Totals 24 811.59.

3-point goals: Hansen 3 (Fitzsimmons 2, Williams); Shoshone 3 (Sant 2, Anguiano). Total fouls: Hansen 7, Shoshone 8. Fouled out: none.

LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN 69, **MURTAUGH 48** 

**MURTAUGH** • Luc Fadness scored 32 to lead Lighthouse Christian to the win.

Jose Miranda scored 16 and Troy Baynes added 12 for Murtaugh, which visits Dietrich tonight.

Lighthouse Christian17 13 Murtaugh 8 10 LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN (69)

CAREY 66, CASTLEFORD 62, OT

**CASTLEFORD** • Nate Adamson scored 25 and Jordan Dilworth added 17 as Carey survived Castleford

in overtime. Will Kline scored 12 for Castleford, including three free throws with no time left on the clock to force the

extra period. Coy Surrett had a gamehigh 30 for Castleford, which visits the Community School on Thursday.

Carey 16 17 11 7 15 -66
CASTLEFORD (12 15 11 13 11 -62
CAREY (66)
Adamson 25, Dilworth 17, Hansen 11, Koudelka 5,
Whitworth 4, Baird 2, Thompson 2. Totals 24 15-20 66.
CASTLEFORD (62)
COy Surrett 30, Kline 12, Zimmers 9, Reynolds 6,
Rector 2, Cod. Surrett 3. Totals 24 10-21 62.
3-point goals: Carey 3 (Adamson 2, Dilworth);
Castleford 4 (Kline 2, Reynolds, Cod. Surrett). Total fouls: Carey 18, Castleford 15, Fouled out: Adamson.

#### **GOODING 44,** WENDELL 41

GOODING Taylor Kimmes scored 13 and Carter Flora had 11 as Gooding nipped Wendell.

Johnny Lancaster scored a game-high 18 in the loss for the Trojans.

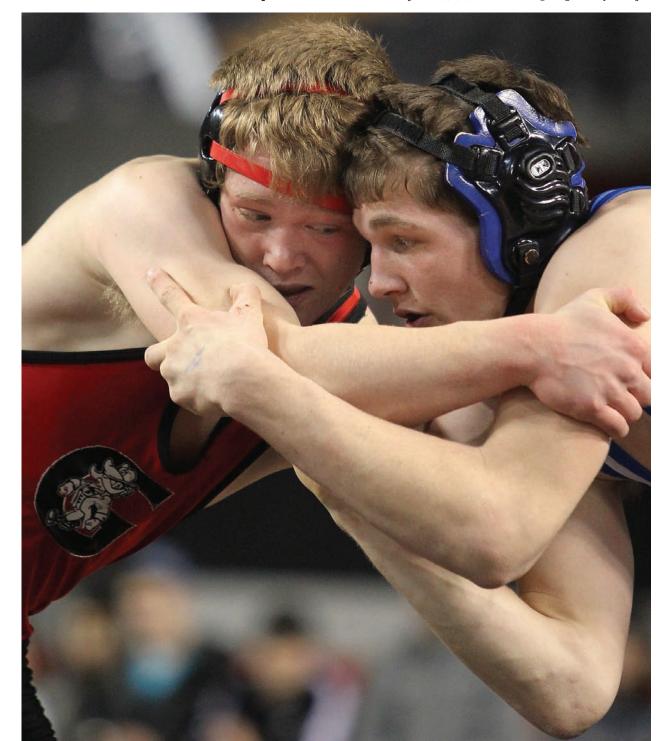
Gooding WENDELL (41) Hope 4, Egbert 2, Vander Hulst 8, Swainston 5, Rocha 2, Lancaster 18, Sandoval 2. Totals 17 2-5 41. GOODING (44) GODDING (44) williams 10, Rigby 4, Kimmes 13, Flora 11, Arkoosh 6. Totals 15 11-17 44. 3-point goals: Wendell 4, Gooding 2. Total fouls: Wendell 14, Gooding 10.

RICHFIELD 66, **CAMAS COUNTY 50** RICHFIELD • Dallen Tree scored 17 and Zak Wood added 16 as Richfield

cruised past Camas County. Isaac Simon scored 19 in the loss for the Mushers.

Camas County 7 16 5 22 -50
Richfield 14 19 17 16 -66
CAMAS COUNTY (50)
Moore 4, 1. Simon 19, Knowlton 12, J. Simon 4,
Peterson 11. Totals 18 8-10 50.
RICHFIELD (66)
Rivas 3, Hansen 12, Tree 17, Davis 14, Wood 16,
Ward 4. Totals 28 5-11 66.
3-point goals: Camas County 6 (I. Simon 3,
Knowlton 2, Peterson); Richfield 5 (Tree 3, Henson 2). Total fouls: Camas County 11, Richfield 17.

Please see ROUNDUP, S2



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Gooding's Torin Brunson (left), No. 1 at 3A 152 pounds.

# THE SEASON'S FIRST **WRESTLING RANKINGS**

Editor's notes: Rankings are compiled and provided by IdahoSports.com. District IV wrestlers only are listed below. The first individual 2A rankings will be released next week.

#### Class 4A

Team: 8. Wood River.

Individuals - 98 pounds: 10. Austin Pierson, Jerome. 106: 6. Blake Gilchrist, Minico. 120: 7. Gage Kepner, Canyon Ridge; 9. Allan Jeppsen, Minico. 126: 8. Wyatt Bingham, Minico. 132: 4. Isaac Laris, Twin Falls; 6. Isaiah Alvarado, Minico; 8. Cooper Bailey, Wood River. 138: 6. Trent Diederich, Jerome; 8. Tyler Lookingbill, Twin Falls; 10. Austin Gilchrist, Minico. 152: 2. Tommy Bailey, Wood River; 3. Kaleb Price, Canyon Ridge. 160: 5. Wytt Bedke, Minico. 170: 2. Storm Anderson, Wood River. 182: 7. T.J. Strunk, Minico; 8. Chance Connell, Twin Falls; 9. Joseph Maicke, Jerome. 195: 2. Juan Labra, Burley; 3. Thomas Heiden, Wood River; 8. Arnold Zavala, Jerome. **285:** 5. Chris Carnes, Wood River.

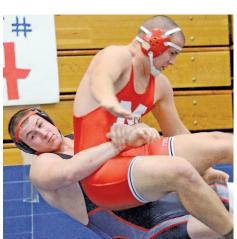
### Class 3A

Team: 7. Gooding.

Individuals - 113 pounds: 6. Jeff Hernandez, Gooding. 120: 7. Holt Bright, Kimberly. 126: 4. Jacob Herman, Kimberly; 10. Santos Gutierrez, Gooding. 132: 5. Adam McLean, Buhl. 138: 7. Palmer Champlin, Kimberly; 10. Junior Gutierrez, Gooding. 145: 7. Adan Diaz, Kimberly. 152: 1. Torin Brunson, Gooding. 160: 1. Stephen Mejia, Buhl; 9. Jacade Jones, Filer. 172: 3. Sam Dalton, Gooding; 7. Chris Chandler, Kimberly. 195: 5. Landunn Koyle, Gooding. 220: 2. Eric Finley, Gooding; 9. Jorge Peralta, Filer. 285: 1. Cole McGinnis, Gooding; 3. Manuel Lepe,

#### Class 2A

Team: 3. Declo.



Gooding's Cole McGinnis, No. 1 at 3A 285 pounds.

RYAN HOWE



RYAN HOWE • TIMES-NEWS FILE PHOTO Buhl's Stephen Mejia, No. 1 at 3A 160 pounds.

HIGH SCHOOL HOOPS

# Slumbering Wildcats Wake Up, Thrash Kimberly, 62-32

**NICK RULAND** 

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**FILER** • The Filer girls presented head coach Kody Ketterling (now 37) with a birthday cake just minutes prior to Tuesday

gallery to see night's tilt against more photos of Kimberly. Tuesday night's Minutes into the game. contest, he likely

lost his appetite. The Bulldogs jumped out to an eight-point lead, forcing the Wildcats to guzzle their own medicine. But they answered in a big way, eventually cruising to a 62-32 win.

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"It took us a while to get into it," Filer guard Alyssa Case said.

Trapping and pressing ball-handlers, creating turnovers on in-bounds and in the back-court, and scoring from inside and out, Heidi Funk, Jensen Upton, Kelsey Wright, Mackenzie Watts and sophomore Maysie Rongen all got in on the action.



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Please see FILER, S2

Kimberly's Kelsey Wright looks to pass as she's swarmed by Filer's defense on Tuesday at Filer High School in Filer.

Kimberly was playing like the Wildcats typically do. Filer might've been in

# Baker's 21 Lifts Burley **Over Jerome**

BY RYAN HOWE

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BURLEY • Bad news for Bobcat opponents: Chelsee Baker has found her rhythm.

One of the Burley's main scorers last year, Baker's performance the first half of this season fell slightly below expectations, partly due to a nagging injury.

But after back-to-back games with 20-plus points — including 21 in Burley's 44-23 home win against Jerome — the junior guard appears to

be back. "I've been trying to not rush myself. At the beginning of the season I would force things and now I've been letting the game come to me," said

"(Baker) did the job tonight. She killed us on the glass," said Jerome Please see BURLEY, S3

Baker, who also grabbed nine re-

# ANTI-DOPING OFFICIALS WANT LANCE ARMSTRONG UNDER OATH

ASSOCIATED PRESS

A televised confession by Armstrong isn't enough.

Anti-doping officials want the disgraced cyclist to admit his guilt under oath before considering whether to lift a lifetime ban clouding his future as a competitive athlete. That was seconded by at least one former teammate whom Armstrong pushed aside on his way to the top of the Tour de France podium.

"Lance knows everything that happened," Frankie Andreu told The Associated Press on Tuesday. "He's the one who knows who did what because he was the ringleader. It's up to him how much he wants to expose."

Armstrong has been in conversations with U.S. Anti-



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Cyclist Lance Armstrong listens to a question from Oprah Winfrey on Monday during taping for the show 'Oprah and Lance Armstrong: The Worldwide Exclusive' in Austin, Texas.

Doping Agency officials, touching off speculation that he may be willing to cooperate with authorities there and name names.

Interviewer Oprah Winfrey

didn't say if the subject was broached during the taping Monday at a downtown Austin hotel. In an appearance on "CBS This Morning," she declined to give details of

what Armstrong told her, but said she was "mesmerized and riveted by some of his an-

Asked whether the disgraced cyclist appeared genuinely contrite after a decade of fierce denials, Winfrey replied, "I felt that he was thoughtful, I thought that he was serious, I thought that he certainly had prepared for this moment. I would say that he met the moment."

She was promoting what has become a two-part special, Thursday and Friday, on her OWN network.

Around the same time, World Anti-Doping Agency officials issued a statement saying nothing short of "a full confession under oath" would cause them to reconsider Armstrong's lifetime ban from sanctioned events.

# Roundup

Continued from Sports 1

AMERICAN FALLS 54, MINICO 50

**AMERICAN FALLS • Nevin** Gonzales scored 12, but Minico was done in by a poor third quarter.

The Spartans host Wood River on Friday.

Minico 13 12 10 19 -54

MINICO (50)
Chavez 4, Stallings 10, Christenson 10, Gonzales 12,
Crystal 7, Harper 5, Wilkins 2. Totals 13 21 50.

AMERICAN FALLS (54)
Schutt 4, Mower 3, A, Patterson 15, Hall 10, D.
Patterson 8, Wammert 14. Totals 19 13 54.
3-point goals, Minico 3 (Gonzales 2, Chavez);
American Falls 3 (Hall, A. Patterson). Total fouls:
Minico 18, American Falls 11. Fouled out: Wilkins,
Chavez.

#### Girls Basketball **TWIN FALLS 45** MINICO 39

**RUPERT** • Kaitlyn Merritt scored 15 points to lead the Twin Falls girls basketball team to a win against Minico Tuesday.

Chloe Bradford had 14 points to lead Minico (5-10), which hosts Canyon Ridge on Thursday.

Twin Falls TWIN FAILS (45)
Meyerhoeffer 4, Merritt 15, Robertson 2, Hutchinson 3, Harr 4, Harris 9, Loundsbury 2, Moffit 4, Watkins 2. Totals 16 10-19 45.

totals to 10-19 45.
MINICO (39)
Mendoza 2, Hawkes 4, Bailey 6, Noble 3, Pruett 1,
Child 7, Bradford 14, May 2, Totals 16 4-7 39.
3-point goals: Twin Falls 1 (Merritt), Minico 1 (Noble).
Total fouls: Twin Falls 10, Minico 17, Fouled out:
Minico, Child.

#### WOOD RIVER 38, **CANYON RIDGE 29** TWIN FALLS • Sydney Tid-

well scored 13 as Wood River scored a road win over the Riverhawks.

Caitlyn Joslin led the Riverhawks (3-11, 1-5 Great Basin) with eight points.

11 6 9 12 -38 5 11 7 6 -29 Canyon Ridge 5 11 7 6 –2 WOOD RIVER (38) Schott 2, Belloli 9, Sutton 2, Peavey 9, Tidwell 13, Petit 2, Cole 1. Totals 14 8-25 38.

Petit Z, Loie 1. Totals 14 6/22 30. **CAMYON RIDGE (29)**Packham 5, Coleman 4, King 5, Strauss 4, Joslin 8, Sagers 3. Totals 9 11-22 29.

3-point goals: Wood River 2 (Belloli, Peavey). Total fouls: Wood River 18, Canyon Ridge 22. Fouled out: Ving Leclin

DECLO 48, WENDELL 35 **DECLO** • Declo beat Wendell behind 12 points from Malorie Bowen and Chancey Knopp. Due to technical issues a box score was unavailable at press time.

Declo hosts Aberdeen to-

LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN 48, MURTAUGH 27 MURTAUGH • Brooklyn Vander Stelt scored 23 to lead Lighthouse Christian to the

Brooklyn Worthington netted 16 in the loss for Murtaugh, which visits Dietrich

on Friday.

LIGHTHOUSE CHRISTIAN (48)
Barker 1, van Viet 7, Pridey 7, Griffith 4, Vander Stelt
23, DeKruyf 4, Jenks 2, Totals 18 12-23 48.
MURTAUGH (27)
Cabral 4, Zavala 4, Wilkins 2, Martinez 1, Worthington
16. Totals 10 6-9 27.
3-point goals: Murtaugh 1 (Zavala). Total fouls:
Lighthouse Christian 10, Murtaugh 16. Fouled out:
none.

#### **BLISS 37, COMMUNITY** SCHOOL 20

BLISS • Hannah Walker scored 14 points in the Bears home win over the Cutthroats. Ella Marks led the Community School with 11.

Community School hosts the Castleford JV and Bliss hosts Dietrich on Thursday.

 Community School
 7
 2
 2
 9
 -20

 Bliss
 7
 11
 10
 9
 -37

 COMMUNITY SCHOOL (20)

 Marks 11, Hennessy 5, Smith 2, Perkins 2. Totals 9 1-1

20.

BLISS (37)
Ligon 7, Altamarano 5, Schoessler 3, Perron 6, Patterson 2, Walker 14. Totals 17 2-4 37.
3-point goals: Community School 1 (Marks); Bliss 1 (Altamarano). Total fouls: Community School 7.

### SHOSHONE 33,

HANSEN 19 **SHOSHONE** • The Indians picked up their first Snake River Conference win with

the victory over the Huskies. Jessie Simonson led Shoshone with 10 points, followed by Christy Race

with nine. Hansen is at Oakley and Shoshone (7-9, 1-4) hosts Hagerman on Thursday.

0 5 6 8 -19 7 12 9 5 -33 HANSEN (19)

HANSEN (19)

K. Urena 3, I. Urena 4, Huizar 5, Renee Peters 1, Valles 4, Carter 2. Totals 5 9-19 19.

SHOSHONE (33)

SHOSHONE (33)

SHOSHONE (33) Sanchez 7, Stein 1, Vaught 2, Hadden 3, Simonson 10, Lee 1, Race 9. Totals 10 10-23 33. 3-point goals: Shoshone 3 (Sanchez 2, Hadden). Total fouls: Hansen 18, Shoshone 20. Fouled out: Sanchez.

RICHFIELD 48, **CAMAS COUNTY 26 RICHFIELD** • The Tigers moved to 2-0 in the Northside Conference with the

win over the Mushers. Sam Edwards from Richfield and Stephanie Moore from Camas County each scored 14 points for gamehigh honors.

Camas County is at Twin Falls Christian and Richfield (10-3) hosts Lighthouse Christian on Thursday.

Camas County 11 6 9 9 -26
Richfield 8 15 8 17 -48
CAMAS COUNTY (26)
McGuire 4, Sabin 2, Moore 14, Hurless 3, Walker 2,
Ornelas 1. Totals 11 1-10 26.
RICHFIELD (48)
Buckner 2. D. Edwards 6, Lezamiz 7, King 7, S.
Edwards 14, Scott 7, Ervin 2, Wood 3. Totals 19 5-10
48.

3-point goals: Camas County 3 (Moore 2, Hurless); Richfield 5 (D. Edwards 2, S. Edwards 2, King). Total fouls: Camas County 11; Richfield 9. Fouled out: D. Edwards.

DIETRICH 37, **GLENNS FERRY 33 DIETRICH** • Dietrich moved to 14-0 with the four-point

win over Glenns Ferry.

senior McHone led all scorers with 17 points in the loss.

Cheyenne Hubert scored a team-high nine points for the Blue Devils, who won their 42nd straight game.

Dietrich is at Bliss on Thursday. Glenns Ferry hosts Grace on Saturday.

Glenns Ferry 0 Dietrich 10 GLENNS FERRY (33) 9 10 14 -33 6 13 8 -37 McHone 17, Martin 4, Bauman 3, Rodriguez 8, Turner 1. Totals 12 4-9 33.

DIETRICH (37)

DIETRICH (37)
Flick 2, Bingham 5, Hubert 9, Berthelson 2, Larson 5, McConnell 5, Shaw 7, Campbell 2, Totals 14 8-19 37 3-point goals: Glenns Ferry 5 (McHone 5), Dietrich 1 (Shaw). Total fouls: Glenns Ferry 17; Dietrich 12. Fouled out: Glenns Ferry, Gorrell.

### GOODING 42, BUHL 30 BUHL • Tia Conrad scored a

game-high 12 points in the Senators Sawtooth Central Idaho Conference win over the Indians.

Kali Archibald and Amy Morse each tossed in 10 points to lead Buhl.

Gooding hosts Kimberly on Thursday. Buhl (4-13, 0-6) is at Burley on Saturday.

 Gooding Buhl
 5 17 11
 5 15 30
 -42 30

 GOODING (42)
 Tsetsakis 2, Bullers 8, Russell 2, Youren 2, Knopp 2, Conrad 12, Robinson 9, Garza 1, McGinnis 4. Totals 16 7-16. 42.

7-16 42.
Bull (30)
Archibald 10, Bohling 2, A. Morse 10, N. Morse 2,
Lively 6. Totals 9 9-14 30.
3-point goals: Gooding 3 (Robinson 3); Buhl 3 (A.
Morse 2, Archibald). Total fouls: Gooding 14; Buhl 14.
Fouled out: Lively.

#### **RAFT RIVER 46,**

OAKLEY 27 MALTA • Raft River senior Wynter Holtman and Oakley freshman Haley Critchfield each finished with 10 points in the Trojans' home win

over the Hornets. Raft River hosts Hansen tonight. Oakley hosts Hansen on Thursday.

Oakley 1 12 12 13 — OAKLEY (27)
Martin 2, Palmer 5, Critchfield 10, Hale 6, Jones 2, Cranney 2. Totals 10 7-16 27. 10 -27 13 -46

Cranney 2. Totals 10 7-16 21.

RAFT RIVER (46)
Adams 6, Hit 9, Holtman 10, Schumann 6, Whitaker 5, Tuckett 2, Baker 8. Totals 18 8-15 46.
3-point goals: Raft River 2 (Baker, Hitt). Total fouls: Oakley 17, Raft River 17. Fouled out: none.

#### Wrestling DECLO 58, MINICO 19

98 pounds: Speers (D) by forfeit. 106: Gilchrist (M) d. Hansen 5-1. 113: Alonzo (D) p. Colby. 120: Jackson (M) md. Alonzo 17-4. 126: Nunnelee (D) p. Vega. 132: Alvarado (M) d. Phillips (D) p. Duncan. 152: Hanson (M) d. Santana 7-6. 160: Bedke (M) p. Southern. 170: Payne (D) p. Allred. 182: Gillette (D) md. Strunk 12-4. 195: Thrall (D) p. Gil. 220: Loveland (D) p. Taylor. 285: Osterhout (D) p. Rangel.

#### MINICO 62, BUHL 13

98 pounds: double forfeit. 106: Gilchrist (M) by forfeit. 113: Rimer (B) p. Colby, 120: Jeppsen (M) by forfeit. 126: Vega (M) by forfeit. 132: Alvarado (M) tf. McLean 19-4.
138: Gilchrist (M) by forfeit. 145: Gutierrez (B) d. Duncan 6-1.152: Hansen (M) p. Castillo. 160: Mejle (B) md. Bedke 110- 170: Allired (M) p. Smalley, 182: Strunk (M) p. Compton. 195: Gil (M) d. Centeno 12-6. 220: Taylor (M) by forfeit. 285: Rangel (M) by forfeit.

#### TWIN FALLS 63, BUHL 15

98 pounds: Cowden (TF) by forfeit. 106: Douglas (TF) by forfeit. 113: Rimer (B) d. Laris 11-9, OT. 120: Page (TF) by forfeit. 126: Withers (TF) by forfeit. 132: Laris (TF) d. McLean 9-5. 138: Juker (B) d. Lookingbill 11-10.

Smalley. 182: Connell (TF) p. Compton. 195: Centeno (B) d. Tolbert 9-3, 220: Pirtle (TF) by forfeit. 285: Luker (TF) by forfeit.

#### DECLO 56, **TWIN FALLS 18**

98 pounds: Speers (D) p. Cowden. 106: Hermansen (D) inj. def. Douglas. 113: Alonzo (D) p. Laris. 120: Alonzo (D) d. Page 5-0. 126: Nunnelee (D) d. Withers 9-1. 132: Phillips (D) tf. Lauda 15-0. 138: Laris (TF) 5-20ilinger 3-1, 07 145: Phillips (D) tf. Lookingbill 15-0. 152: Santana (D) p. Geilman. 160: Alvarez (D) by forfeit. 170: Miller (D) d. Payna 7-4. 182: Gillette (D) md. Connell 11-3. 195: Hatch (TF) p. Thrall. 220: Pirtle (TF) p. Loveland. 285: Osterhout (D) p. Luker.

#### Bowling JEROME 9, WENDELL 4 High howler: Prince (W), score not reported.

#### Late Monday **Boxes**

**BOYS BASKETBALL** WOOD RIVER 34, KIMBERLY 32
Kimberly 6 10
Wood River 11 8
KIMBERLY (32)
Sutherland 1 Carleton E IIo Chem

6 –32 10 –34 Sutherland 1, Carlton 5, Ho Chee 4, Cress 7, Clements 5, Sargeant 2, Millward, Ray 3, Bair 8. Totals 11 7-12

32.
WOOD RIVER (34)
Hayes 3, Scott 3, J. Hernandez 3, Bates 3, Carter 10, Isaacson 2, Brunker 2, Nordsieck 8, M. Mauldin 3, Hernandez 2. Totals 12 9-20 34.
3-point goals: Kimberly 3 (Cartton, Millward, Ray);
Wood River 1 (Carter). Total fouls: Kimberly 14, Wood River 14. Fouled out: none.

BURLEY 67, BUHL 50 Burley 11 14 20 22 -67 Buhl 17 10 5 18 -50 Bulkley (67)
Knopp 2, Bean 12, Greener 8, Coltrin 3, Hinckley 12, Cook 7, Garrard 6, Hosteen 6, Pilling 7, Downs 5.
Totals 22 -14 19-27 67.

Totals 22-14 19-27 67.

Burnandez 3, Eckert 6, Oppedyk 10, DeKruyf 5, Kad.
Crossland 8, Kas. Crossland 14, Lively 4. Totals 16 11
17 50. 17 5U. 3-point goals: Burley 4 (Greener, Coltrin, Dawns, Pilling); Buhl 7 (Kas. Crossland 3, Kad. Crossland 2, Eckert, Hernandez). Total fouls: Burley 19, Buhl 18. Fouled out: none.

Girls Basketball

Valley 7 10 Pocto 7 4 4 7 Pocto (22) Carpenter 2, Bott 2, Webb 2, Searle 3, Knopp 3, Bowen 6, Moore 4 Totals 8 4-6 22. VALLEY (30) Banuelos 6, Mangum 1, Buschhorn 3, Wilbanks 1, Henry 11, Elorrieta 8. Totals 10 8-18 30. 3-point goals: Declo 2 (Searle, Knopp); Valley 2 (Henry, Buschhorn). Total fouls: Declo 19, Valley 9.

Fouled out: none. HAGERMAN 56, **CASTLEFORD 18** 

Castleford 4 Hagerman 18 CASTLEFORD (18) 5 20 5 15 axie 2, Schlund 2, Weekes 6, Buffington 4, Monson MANE 2, Schmid 2, Weekes 5, Burnington 4, Monso I, Gandolfo 3, Totals 6 5-12 18.

HAGERMAN (56)
Eggr 2, White 12, Palermo 4, Knight 13, Owsley 3, Regnier 14, Sauer 8, Totals 24 5-9 56.
3-point goals: Castleford 1 (Gandolfo); Hagerman 3 (White 2, Knight), Total fouls: Castleford 14, Hagerman 10. Fouled out: none.

#### Bowling **BOYS** BURLEY 7, **CANYON RIDGE 6**

**CANYON RIDGE 8,** 

MINICO 5 High bowler: Quaintence (CR) 234.

**GIRLS** BURLEY 11, **CANYON RIDGE 2** 

MINICO 12, **CANYON RIDGE 1** 

# Lance Armstrong, Exceptional?Phooey!

wo enduring myths about Lance Armstrong should be laid to rest after his confession to Oprah Winfrey.

One is that even if he doped, Armstrong was still a truly exceptional athlete, so naturally gifted and determined that he could have won the Tour de France without drugs.

The other is that Armstrong must have been the best rider in a bad bunch, because so many of his Tour rivals were also doping and yet he always came out on top.

Phooey.

Perhaps the promise and natural physical ability Armstrong demonstrated as a teenage triathlete, when one assumes and hopes he was clean, were always going to shine through and lead to some degree of success in professional sports, although surely not to the record seven Tour titles that have since been stripped from

him. Or perhaps it was only drugs and blood transfusions that made a serial winner of Armstrong. Perhaps he would have been far less stellar without them, not quite a donkey but not a world-beater, either.

The sad truth, one of many with Armstrong, is we will never know either way.

After years of insisting that he competed clean, Armstrong stunningly reversed course in his interview this week with Winfrey. It will air in two parts on Thursday and Friday.

More forgiving souls will continue to argue that since so many riders were cheating, the playing field in Armstrong's era was more or less level and perversely fair.

Phooey to that, too. Some riders refused to join the chemical warfare that cycling became. People like Christophe Bassons, a French cyclist shunned and told to pipe down by his peers after he punctured the silence about doping and spoke out at the 1999 Tour, the first Armstrong won.

To now still cling to the idea that Armstrong was always going to beat riders like Bassons is grossly unfair, because it cannot be proved.

"Christophe Bassons was a talented rider, for sure," Jonathan Vaughters, one of Armstrong's U.S. Postal Service teammates on the 1999 Tour, said in a phone interview this week. "How would he have done in the Tour de France had it been an equal playing field? We'll

never know." Bassons himself said: "In the top 30 or 40, you had a bunch of riders who could have been on the podium or challenged those at the top" if doping hadn't skewed the competition.

Just as some people get drunker than others after a bottle of wine, dopers don't all get the same performance benefits from drugs they take. Some could afford more or better doping than others, or more devious doctors and more reliable suppliers. Some are willing to take bigger risks, larger or more frequent doses and try products or methods that others wouldn't.

Christian Vande Velde, a teammate of Armstrong's on the 1999 and 2001 Tours, testified to the U.S. Anti-Doping Agency that he disliked needles and injecting himself and fretted about getting caught and the health risks of doping. So he didn't adhere religiously to the doping program drawn up by the team medic; "I was not a model patient," Vande Velde testified.

And Armstrong? Did he win because he was simply a more accomplished and organized doper? Winning the Tour isn't purely an individual achievement

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but also a team one. The systematic doping program his U.S. Postal teammates detailed to USADA gave them and their leader, Armstrong, a performance advantage over rivals who weren't so organized and dishonest.

"It's got to be man versus man not man plus drugs versus man plus drugs," said Vaughters, who runs the Garmin-Sharp cycling team and is one of the sport's most vocal advocates for clean racing. He testified to US-ADA about his own and Armstrong's doping when they rode together at Postal.

"Different bodies adapt differently to drugs," Vaughters said. "I can't say one way or the other whether Lance benefited more or less than his competitors. But what I do know is that there's absolutely no way you can just say, 'Well, it was fair.' Because you can't actually dig in and determine that."

USADA annulled all of Armstrong's competition results from Aug. 1, 1998. Very few people, perhaps only Armstrong, can know whether any of those results were achieved clean. Even if he said some of them were, would you believe him?

And what about before that date? Was Armstrong clean when he won the world championship in 1993, aged just 21? And how about when he rode in but failed to finish the Tours of 1993, 1994 and 1996, and placed 36th in

In 2006, in retirement from cycling having won his seventh Tour, Armstrong ran the New York City Marathon. He called it "without a doubt the hardest physical thing I have ever done." He had sore shins and said he didn't train enough. He barely broke his goal of three hours, with 800-plus runners finishing ahead of him. It was pretty impressive for a marathon debut but hardly world class. If Armstrong did that run for fun drug-free, is that a good gauge of his natural athletic abilities?

"I think his New York marathon results are the closest we can get to understand how he'd perform alongside other nondoped athletes when he races without a needle. Good result, but definitely not someone you'd regard as the world's greatest endurance athlete," Australian anti-doping scientist Michael Ashenden said by email, responding to questions.

"Sport has thousands of athletes who succeed at under age or national level but who fail to emulate that success on the international stage. Everyone also realizes that winning a one-day world championship is not the same as winning a three-week major Tour. We have some insight into Armstrong's physiological limits from published results and those indicate he is a good athlete, capable of making a living as a pro. But his lab results definitely don't suggest he was great." The waters have be-

come so muddied by Armstrong's cheating that it is no longer possible to say with certainty what he would have made of himself without it. Maybe he did have the physical attributes to be a Tour champion. Maybe not. That's now nothing more than speculation. What a waste.

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celebration mode, effectively wrapping up the SCIC ti-"We weren't ready at

first," Filer post Jenna Jarolimek said. But Filer returned to its normal form in the second quarter, as Sarah Sharp con-

trolled talented inside scorer Rongen and the Bulldogs' feisty inside attack. Kimberly was outrebounded in the early going, even as Ketterling lamented as he headed into the locker-room with a seven point lead. From the middle stages of

the second quarter, however, the Wildcats would overwhelm Kimberly with traps in the back-court, high-intensity close-outs in the half-court, size on rebounds and then extra hustle plays.

Jarolimek raced back to block what appeared to be an easy layup in the third quarter — one of her hallmark plays – and redirected the ball on at least four other possessions.

points. "We just started playing as a team, together," Jarolimek

Jarolimek finished with 10

said. "We picked up our defense." What makes Filer an al-

most unfair matchup for most opponents, again evidenced on Tuesday night as it went on a 53-15 run to close out the game, is that it typically has at least three and sometimes four ball-handlers and playmakers on the court at the same time. Kimberly tried its best to pressure, especially as it began to fall bewho, among teammates, was most often maneuvering through traffic to either score or set up an easy layup. Case had 14 points. Filer will host Canyon Ridge and Marsh Valley this

week.

Kimberly

hind, but this time it was Case

Filer KIMBERLY (32) Stucks 2, Watts 2, Funk 8, Wr 5, Bright 1, Totals 12 7-16 32. ?, Funk 8, Wright 7, Upton 7, Rongen Hughes 7, Koyle 11, Ferrell 9, Jarolimek 10, Case 14, Sharp 3, Jeffries 1, Williams 2, Moon 6. Totals 24 12-19 3-point goals: Kimberly 1 (Funk); Filer 2 (Hughes, Ferrell). Total fouls: Kimberly 16, Filer 17. Fouled out:

15 4 6 7 -32 9 17 15 21 -62

FILER 62, KIMBERLY 32

#### **SCOREBOARD**

### Odds

NFL PLAYOFFS										
Sunday										
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at Maryland	2	NC State
at Butler	2 10	Richmond
Pittsburgh	5 7	at Villanova
at Georgetown		Providence
Miami	7	at Boston College
Michigan St.	111/2	at Penn Št.
Memphis	191/2	at Rice
at East Carolina	7	Houston
at Georgia St.	. 4	William & Mary
at UNC Wilmington	31/2	Old Dominion
at Northeastern	13	Hofstra
at Delaware	11	Towson
at Akron	191/2	Ball St.
at W. Michigan	2 3½	Toledo
at Miami (Ohio) at Buffalo	372	Bowling Green Kent St.
at Indiana St.	12	Missouri St.
at Ohio	21	N. Illinois
at Charlotte	14	Fordham
at St. Bonaventure	11/2	Xavier
at Oklahoma	17	Texas Tech
Southern Miss.	2	at SMU
at Wichita St.	10	Illinois St.
at Drake	11/2	Evansville
at Boise St.	1	New Mexico
at LSU	11	South Carolina
at Missouri	141/2	Georgia
at IIIChicago	21/2	Loyola of Chicago
at Arkansas	10	Auburn
UTEP	11/2	at Tulsa
Alabama	31/2	at Mississippi St.
at Colorado St.	11	Air Force
at Iowa St.	10	West Virginia
Kansas St.	10	at TCU
at Nebraska	Pk	Purdue
at Marquette	91/2	Seton Hall
at Washington St.	61/2	Utah
Wyoming	31/2	at Fresno St.
at San Diego St.	41/2	UNLV
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#### Basketball NBA STANDINGS

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Monday's Games
Washington 120, Orlando 91
Boston 100, Charlotte 89
Chicago 97, Atlanta 58
LA. Clippers 99, Memphis 73
Dallas 113, Minnesota 98
Oklahoma City 102, Phoenix 90
Utah 104, Miami 97
Sacramento 124, Cleveland 118
Tuesday's Games
Indiana 103, Charlotte 76
New Orleans 111, Philadelphia 99
Brooklyn 113, Toronto 106
LA. Clippers 117, Houston 109
Denver 115, Portland 111, OT
Milwaukee at L.A. Lakers, 8:30 p.m.
Wednesday's Games
Chicago at Toronto, 5 p.m.
Brooklyn at Atlanta, 5:30 p.m. Brooklyn at Atlanta, 5:30 p.m.
Houston at Dallas, 6, p.m.
Denver at Oklahoma City, 6 p.m.
New Orleans at Boston, 6 p.m.
Memphis at San Antonio, 6:30 p.m.
Cleveland at Portland, 8 p.m.
Washington at Sacramento, 8 p.m.
Wishington at Sacramento, 8 p.m.
Mimian it Golden State, 8:30 p.m.
Thursday's Games
New York vs. Detroit at London, England, 1 p.m.
LA. Clippers at Minnesota, 6 p.m.
Milwaukee at Phoenix, 7 p.m.
Milwaukee at Phoenix, 7 p.m.
Milwaukee at Sacramento, 8:30 p.m.
NUGGETS 115. TRAIL BLAZERS 111 OT Atlanta, 5:30 p.m.

NUGGETS 115, TRAIL BLAZERS 111, OT

PORTLAND (111)
Batum 8-17 4-6 22, Aldridge 10-21 8-8 28, Hickson 7-8
5-5 19, Lillard 6-15 1-2 16, Matthews 6-13 0-0 14,
Babbitt 1-3 0-0 3, Barton 3-7 1-2 7, Price 1-3 0-0 2,
Freeland 0-1 0-0 0, Jeffries 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 42-88
19-23 111.

CLIPPERS 117, ROCKETS 109

L.A. CLIPPERS (117)
Butler 0-1 1-1 1, Griffin 7-13 5-5 19, Jordan 4-6 1-2 9,
Bledsoe 7-12 4-4 19, Green 5-6 3-3 15, Barnes 6-14 3-4
18, Odom 1-4 0-0 2, Crawford 11-20 3-3 30, Hill 1-2 2-4 Turiaf 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 42-78 22-26 117.

4, funda 0-0-0-0 (10d)s 42-78 22-26 117. **HOUSTON** (109) Parsons 7-10 1-2 17, Patterson 2-5 0-0 5, Asik 3-6 13 7, Lin 5-11 1-2 12, Harden 8-20 5-6 23, Morris 4-9 1-4 12, Smith 3-3 0-6, Douglas 3-6 0-2 7, Delfino 5-10 4-4 16, Motigipnas 0-1 1-2 1, Anderson 0-0 0-0 0, Delfino 5-10 4-4 Beverley 1-1 0-0 3, Aldrich 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 41-82 14

L.A. Clippers 28 30 32 27 - 117 Houston 29 30 18 32 - 109 Provision 29 30 18 32 – 109 3-Point Goals—L.A. Clippers 11-19 (Crawford 5-7, Barnes 3-6, Green 2-3, Bledsoe 1-1, Butler 0-1, Odom 0-1), Houston 13-37 (Morris 3-6, Parsons 2-4, Delfino 0-1), Houston 13-37 (Morris 3-6, Parsons 2-4, Definio 2-7, Hardren 2-9, Beverley 1-1, Douglas 1-2, Patterson 1-3, Lin 1-4, Motiejunas 0-1). Fouled Out-None. Rebounds-L. A. Clippers 4 (dofum 11). Houston 48 (Asik 9). Assists-L.A. Clippers 21 (Griffin 8), Houston 25 (Lin 10). Total Fouls-L.A. Clippers 21, Houston 23. Technicals-L.A. Clippers defensive three second, Houston defensive three second, Houston defensive three second. Houston defensive three second. Houston defensive three second. e second. A-16,823 (18,023).

NEW ORLEANS (111) Aminu 2-4 1-2 5, Davis 4-6 2-3 10, Lopez 4-9 0-0 8, Vasquez 10-18 0-1 23, Gordon 7-13 3-4 19, Henry 4-7 2-2 11, Mason 3-4 0-0 7, Anderson 5-11 2-2 14, Smith 3-7 0-0 6, Rivers 0-1 1-2 1, Roberts 2-3 2-2 7. Totals 44-83 13-18 111

13-18 III.

\*\*PHILADELPHIA (99)\*\*

Turner 5-12 3-4 14, TYOung 6-18 0-1 12, Allen 4-5 0-0

8, Holiday 10-17 5-5 29, Richardson 2-5 0-0 5, Hawes

2-6 0-0 5, Ivey 1-1 0-0 3, Wilkins 1-3 0-0 2, Wirght 2-6

2-7, Brown 0-0 0-0 0, N.Young 6-9 0-1 14. Totals 39

87 10-13 90

82 10-13 99.

New Orleans 35 18 33 25 — 111
Philadelphia 28 19 21 31 — 99
3-Point Goals—Norleans 10-18 (Vasquez 3-4, Gordon 2-3, Anderson 2-6, Mason 1-1, Roberts 1-2, Henry 1-2), Philadelphia 11-21 (Holiday 4-5, N.Young 2-4, Ney 1-1, Hawset 3-2, Turner 1-2, Richardson 1-3, Wiright 1-4), Fouled Out—None. Rebounds—New Orleans 34 (Anderson 9), Philadelphia 36 (Turner 7), Assists—New Orleans 22 (Vasquez 9), Philadelphia 28 (Holiday 11), Total Fouls—New Orleans 18,

PACERS 103, BOBCATS 76 PACERS 103, 808CATS 76

INDIANA (103)
George 7-16 0-2 16, West 6-13 3-4 15, Hibbert 5-11 8-8
18, Hill 6-11 2-2 16, Stephenson 3-6 0-1 7.
I-Hansbrough 2-5 5-5 9, Green 1-7 1-2 3, Mahinmi 0-2
4-4 4, Augustin 2-4 0-0 6, Johnson 1-4 0-0 2,
Pendergraph 2-6 0-0 4, McGuire 0-0 0-0 0,
B.Hansbrough 1-2 0-0 3. Totals 3-6-87 23-28 10.3.
CHARLOTTE (76)
Kidd-Gilchrist 1-5 2-3 4, Warrick 2-4 0-0 4, Biyombo 2-6 12-5, Walker 6-9 0-0 13, Henderson 3-10 8-12 15,
Haywood 1-3 0-0 2, Adrien 1-32-2 4, Taylor 1-6 22-5,
Gordon 3-9 1-1 7, Sessions 3-10 7-8 13, Diop 0-1 0-0 0,
Thinds 0-2 0-0 0, Williams 2-4 0-0 4, Totals 25-72
23-30 76.

23-30 76. Indiana 27 23 33 20 – 103 Charlotte 20 20 17 19 – 76 3-Point Goals-Indiana 8-22 (Augustin 2-3, Hill 2-76 4-90; Point Goals-Indiana 8-22 (Augustin 2-3, Hill 2-76 4-94), Charlotte 3-9 (Henderson 1-1, Walker 1-1, Taylor 1-4, Sessions 0-1, Williams 0-2), Fouled Out--None, Rebounds-Indiana 69 (George 10), Charlotte 41 (Biyombo, Adrien 6), Assists-Indiana 25 (Stephenson 6), Charlotte 13 (Henderson 3), Total Fouls-Indiana 24, Charlotte 23. Technicals-George, Indiana defensive three second. 4–12-996 (19.077). NETS 113, RAPTORS 106

TORONTO (106) Fields 4-6 0-0 8, Davis 6-10 0-0 12, Gray 2-5 2-2 6, Calderon 6-11 0-0 15, DeRozan 5-15 2-2 12, A, Johnson 6-7 3-6 15, Anderson 0-4 2-3 2, Lowry 5-7 7-7 21, Ross 2-9 0-0 4, Acy 2-2 2-2 6, Lucas 2-6 1-1 5. Totals 40-82 10-33 10/6 19-23 106. **BROOKLYN (113)** Bogans 3-5 0-0 7, Evans 1-3 0-0 2, Lopez 6-12 10-10 22, Williams 6-13 8-8 21, Johnson 9-18 1-12, Blatche 7-10 0-0 14, Stackhouse 9-1 0-0 0, Humphries 0-1 0-0 0, Brooks 3-51-3 7, Watson 2-5 4-4 9, Telectovic 3-8 1-2

10, James O-0 O-0 D. Totals 40-81 Z-28 113.

Toronto 27 23 26 30 — 106

Brooklyn 27 27 29 30 — 113

3-Point Goals-Toronto 7-13 (Lowry 4-5, Calderon 3-4, Anderson 0-1, Ross 0-3), Brooklyn 8-21 (Teletowic 3-6, J.Johnson 2-5, Watson 1-1, Bogans 1-3, Williams 1-5, Stackhouse 0-1), Fouled Out-None. Rebounds-Toronto 50 (Teledis 11), Brooklyn 40 (Lopez 9).

Assists—Toronto 21 (Calderon, Fields 5), Brooklyn 22 (Williams 7). Total Fouls-Toronto 21, Brooklyn 21, A-16,236 (17732).

TOP 25 FARED

Tuesday
1. Louisville (16-1) did not play. Next: vs. No. 6
Syracuse, Saturday.
2. Indiana (15-2) lost to Wisconsin 64-59. Next: at
Northwestern, Sunday.
3. Duke (15-1) did not play. Next: vs. Georgia Tech,
Thursday

3. Duke (15-1) full not play. Next: vs. eeongla fecti, Thursday. 4. Kansas (15-1) did not play. Next: at Texas, Saturday. 5. Michigan (16-1) did not play. Next: at No. 9 Minnesota, Thursday. 6. Syracuse (16-1) did not play. Next: at No. 1 Louisville, Saturday. 7. Arizona (15-1) did not play. Next: at Arizona State, Saturday.

Saturday. 8. Gonzaga (16-1) did not play. Next: at Portland, Thursday. 9. Minnesota (15-2) did not play. Next: vs. No. 5

Michigan, Thursday. .O. Florida (12-2) did not play. Next: at Texas A&M, 10. Fiortida (12-2) did not play, Next: at Texas Adw., Thursday. 11. Ohio State (13-3) did not play. Next: at No. 18 Michigan State, Saturday. 12. Creightion (17-1) beat Northern Iowa 79-68. Next: at Wichita State, Saturday. 13. Butler (14-2) did not play. Next: vs. Richmond, Wednesday. 14. NC. State (14-2) did not play. Next: at Maryland, Wednesday.

14. N.C. State (14-2) did not play. Next: at Maryland, Wednesday.
15. San Diego State (14-2) did not play. Next: vs. UNLY, Wednesday.
16. Kansas State (13-2) did not play. Next: at TCU, Wednesday.
17. Missouri (12-3) did not play. Next: vs. Georgia, Wednesday.
18. Michigan State (14-3) did not play. Next: at Penn State, Wednesday.
19. New Mexico (15-2) did not play. Next: at Boise State, Wednesday.
20. Notre Dame (14-3) lost to St. John's 67-63. Next: vs. Rutgers, Saturday.

vs. Rutgers, Saturday. 21. Oregon (14-2) did not play. Next: at Southern Cal, Thursday. 22. VCU (14-3) did not play. Next: vs. Saint Joseph's,

ursday. . Illinois (14-4) did not play. Next: vs. Northwestern, Thursday. 24. UCLA (14-3) did not play. Next: vs. Oregon State,

Thursday. 25. Marquette (12-3) did not play. Next: vs. Seton Hall, Wednesday.

#### USA TODAY/ESPN WOMEN'S TOP 25 POLL

The top 25 teams in the USA Today-ESPN Women's college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Jan. 14, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote and last week's ranking:

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Team	W-L	Pts	Pys	_			
1. Baylor (25) 2. UConn (3) 3. Notre Dame (1) 4. Duke (2) 5. Kentucky 6. Stanford 7. California 8. Penn St. 9. Tennessee 10. Maryland 11. Purdue 12. Georgia 13. Louisville 14. Oklahoma 15. UCLA 16. Oklahoma St. 17. Dayton 18. South Carolina 19. North Carolina 19. North Carolina 20. Texas A&M 21. Kansas 22. Jowa St. 23. Syracuse 24. Florida St. 25. Colorado Others receiving votes: Nebr	14-1 14-1 14-1 15-0 15-0 13-2 13-2 13-3 14-3 14-3 14-3 14-3 14-1 13-5 11-4 13-2 14-1 13-2 13-2 13-2 13-3 13-2 13-3 13-3 13	767 731 722 686 631 628 604 554 554 445 445 445 431 366 355 262 265 265 269 182 102 88 83 81 67 Michigas Michiga Michigas Michigas Michigas Michigas Michigas Michigas Michigas Michigas Michigas Michigas Michigas Michigas Michigas Michigas Michiga M	1 2 3 5 6 4 7 8 9 10 111 12 13 14 15 18 17 16 20 21 19 24 -	_			
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#### Football NFL PLAYOFFS

NFL PLAYOFFS

All Times MST
Wild-card Playoffs
Saturday, Jan. 5
Houston 19, Cincinnati 13
Green Bay 24, Minnesota 10
Sunday, Jan. 6
Baltimore 24, Indianapolis 9
Seattle 24, Washington 14
Divisional Playoffs
Saturday, Jan. 12
Baltimore 38, Denver 35, 207
San Francisco 45, Green Bay 31
Sunday, Jan. 13
Atlanta 30, Seattle 28
New England 41, Houston 28
Conference Championships
Sunday, Jan. 20
San Francisco at Atlanta, 1 p.m.(FOX)
Baltimore at New England, 4:30 p.m.(CBS)
Pro Bowl
Sunday, Jan. 27
At Honolulu
AFC vs. NFC, 5 p.m.(NBC)
Super Bowl
Sunday, Feb. 3
At New Orleans
AFC champion vs. NFC champion, 4 p.m.(CBS)

# Ski Report

Nation Bogus Basin – Tue 4:17 am variable machine groomed 23-30 base 52 of 66 trails 5 of 9 lifts, 79% open, Mon-Fri: 10a-10p; Sat/Sun: 9a-10p Brundage – Tue 9:42 am 3 new powder machine groomed 49-79 base 46 of 46 trails 25 miles, 1500 acres, 4 of 5 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9:30a-4:30p Sat/Sun: 9:30a-4:30p Pomerelle – Tue 9:07 am 1 new packed powder machine groomed 54-65 base 24 of 24 trails 3 of 3 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p Sun Valley – Tue 6:12 am 1 new packed powder machine groomed 24-55 base 27 of 75 trails 15 of 19 lifts, 98% open, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p Tamarack – Reopen 1/17 Thu/Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p

4p Sun Valley XC — Thu No Recent Information packed powder machine groomed 24-24 base 12 of 14 trails, 32 miles, Mon-Fri: 9a-5p; Sat/Sun: 9a-5p

32 miles, Mon-Fri: 9a-5p, Sat/Sun: 9a-5p

Utah

Alta — Tue 8:21 am powder machine groomed 65-65

base 115 of 116 trails, 100% open 10 of 11 lifts, MonFri: 915a-430p; Sat/Sun: 915a-43.0p;

Beaver Mountain — Tue 8:22 am packed powder

machine groomed 37-37 base 48 of 48 trails 100%

open, 3 of 6 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-9p; Saty. 9a-4p;

Brighton — Tue 4:20 am packed powder machine

groomed 60-60 base 66 of 66 trails 100% open,

1050 acres, 7 of 7 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-9p; Sat: 9a-9p

Sun: 9a-4p;

Canyons — Tue 7:45 am packed powder machine

groomed 40-57 base 159 of 182 trails 88% open, 19

of 19 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p;

Deer Valley — Tue 5:23 am packed powder machine

groomed 38-58 base 95 of 100 trails 95% open, 21 of

21 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-415p;

Eagle Point — Reopen 1/16

Park City — Tue 5:20 am packed powder machine

groomed 40-52 base 112 of 116 trails 94% open, 16 of

16 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p;

Powder Mountain — Tue 8:27 am powder machine

groomed 55-55 base 13 of 134 trails 100% open, 7 of

7 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-9p; Sat/Sun: 9a-9p;

Snowbasin — Tue 5:49 am 1 new packed powder

machine groomed 57-58 base 104 of 104 trails 95%

open, 25 miles, 2900 acres, 8 of 9 lifts, sm Mon-Fri:

9a-4p Sat/Sun: 9a-4p;

Snowbird — Tue 8:28 am powder machine groomed

63-63 base 85 of 85 trails 100% open, 13 of 13 lifts, 63-63 base 85 of 85 trails 100% open, 13 of 13 lifts, Mon-Fris 93-5p; Satf/Sun 93-5p; Solitude – Tue 8:29 am powder machine groomed 60-60 base 65 of 65 trails 100% open, 8 of 8 lifts, Mon-Fris 93-4p; Satf/Sun 93-4p; Sundance – Tue 5:22 am packed powder machine groomed 44-44 base 42 of 42 trails 100% open, 450 acres, 5 of 5 lifts, Mon, Wed-Fris 93-9p; Tue-93-4:30p Sat: 93-9p; Sun: 93-4:30p; Wolf Mountain – Tue 8:29 am powder machine groomed 56-56 base 22 of 22 trails 100% open, 4 of 4 lifts, Mon-Fris 93-9p; Sat/Sun: 9a-9p;

4 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-9p; Sat/Sun: 9a-9p; Wyoming
Grand Targhee — Tue 5:57 am 1 new packed powder
70-70 base 76 of 76 trails, 100% open, 2602 acres, 5
of 5 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p;
Jackson Hole — Tue 6:39 am 1 new packed powder
machine groomed 48-61 base 110 of 116 trails, 96%
open, 2400 acres, 12 of 15 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p
Sat/Sun: 9a-4p;
Grand Targhee XC — Tue 5:49 am hard packed
machine groomed 15-71 base 5 of 5 trails 15 miles
Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p;

Tennis

AUSTRALIAN OPEN Tuesday At Melbourne Park Melbourne, Australia Purse: \$31.608 million (Grand Slam) Surface: Hard-Outdoor Singles

Men First Round Andy Murray (3), Britain, def. Robin Haase, Netherlands, 6-3, 6-1, 6-3. Blaz Kavici, Slovenia, def. Thomaz Bellucci (29), Brazil, 6-3, 6-1, 6-3. Brazil, 6-3, 6-1, 6-3
Joao Sousa, Portugal, def. John-Patrick Smith,
Australia, 6-4, 6-1, 6-4
Ricardas Berankis, Lithuania, def. Sergiy Stakhovsky,
Ukraine, 6-2, 7-6 (4), 7-5
Andreas Seppi (21), Italy, def. Horacio Zeballos,
Argentina, 6-2, 6-4, 6-2
Denis Istomin, Uzbekistan, def. Igor Sijsling,
Netherlands, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4, 6-2.
Florian Mayer (25), Germany, def. Rhyne Williams,
U.S., 2-6, 3-6, 6-2, 7-6 (12), 6-1
Milos Raonic (13), Canada, def. Jan Hajek, Czech
Republic, 3-6, 6-1, 6-2, 7-6 (0). Republic, 3-6, 6-1, 6-2, 7-6 (0). Go Soeda, Japan, def. Luke Saville, Australia, 6-7 (4),

Alejandro Falla, Colombia, def. Josselin Ouanna, France, 6-4, 7-5, 6-4. Amir Weintraub, Israel, def. Guido Pella, Argentina, 7-Amir Weintraub, Israel, def. Guido Pella, Argentina, 7-6 (2), 7-5, 6-2. Roger Federer (2), Switzerland, def. Benoit Paire, France, 6-2, 6-4, 6-1. Philipp kohlschreiber (17), Germany, def. Steve Darcis, Belgium, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4. James Duckworth, Australia, def. Benjamin Mitchell, Australia, 6-4, 7-6 (8), 4-6, 5-7, 8-6. Jeremy Chardy, France, def. Adrian Menendez-Maceiras, Spain, 7-6 (5), 6-7 (3), 6-2, 6-1. Jo-Wilfried Isonga (7), France, def. Michael Llodra, France, 6-4, 7-5, 6-2. Juan Martin del Potro (6), Argentina, def. Adrian Mannarino, France, 6-1, 6-2, 6-2. Richard Gasquet (9), France, def. Albert Montanes, Spain, 7-5, 6-2, 6-1.

Richard Gasquer, France, der. Ander Mointaines, Spain, 7-5, 6-2, 6-1.
Marcel Granollers (30). Spain, def. Grega Zemlja, Slovenia, 7-6 (6), 7-6 (5), 1-0 retired.
Jesse Levine, Canada, def. Tommy Robredo, Spain, 7-6 (5), 6-7 (2), 6-4, 6-4.
Lukas Rosol, Czech Republic, def. Jamie Baker, Britain, 7-6 (5), 7-5, 6-2.
Marin Cilic (12). Croatia, def. Marinko Matosevic, Australia 6-4 7-5 6-7. Australia, 6-4, 7-5, 6-2. Gilles Simon (14), France, def. Filippo Volandri, Italy,

Ivan Dodig, Croatia, def. Wu Di, China, 7-5, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3. Benjamin Becker, Germany, def. Aljaz Bedene, Slovenia, 4-6, 6-3, 7-5, 7-6 (1). Jarkko Nieminen, Finland, def. Tommy Haas (19), Germany, 7-6 (3), 4-6, 6-8. Daniel Brands, Germany, def. Martin Klizan (27), Slovakia, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4.

Slovakia, 6-3, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4. Nikolay Davydenko, Russia, def. Dudi Sela, Israel, 3-6, Yen-hsun Lu, Taiwan, def. Ruben Ramirez Hidalgo, Spain, 6-2, 6-1, 4-6, 6-1. Rajeev Ram, U.S., def. Guillermo Garcia-Lopez, Spain, 6-4, 6-4, 3-6, 6-2. Bernard Tomic, Australia, def. Leonardo Mayer, Argentina, 6-3, 6-2, 6-3. Gael Monfils, France, def. Alexandr Dolgopolov (18), Ukraine, 6-7 (7), 7-6 (4), 6-3, 6-3.

Caroline Wozniacki (10), Denmark, def. Sabine Lisicki, Germany, 2-6, 6-3, 6-3. Carla Suarez Navarro, Spain, def. Sara Errani (7), Italy, 6-4, 6-4. Maria Kirilenko (14), Russia, def. Vania King, U.S., 6-4,

6-2. Svetlana Kuznetsova, Russia, def. Lourdes Dominguez Lino, Spain, 6-2, 6-1. Kimiko Date-Krumm, Japan, def. Nadia Petrova (12), Russia, 6-2, 6-0. Peng Shuai, China, def. Rebecca Marino, Canada, 6-3,

Elena Vesnina, Russia, def. Caroline Garcia, France, 3-6, 6-3, 6-1. Shahar Peer, Israel, def. Alexandra Panova, Russia, 6-4, 1-6, 6-3. 4, 1-0, 0-3. Hsieh Su-wei (26), Taiwan, def. Lara Arruabarrena-Vecino, Spain, 7-6 (5), 6-2. Varvara Lepchenko (21), U.S., def. Polona Hercog, Slavanja, 4, 4, 6, 1 Slovenia, 6-4, 6-1. Serena Williams (3), U.S., def. Edina Gallovits-Hall, Romania, 6-0, 6-0. Victoria Azarenka (1), Belarus, def. Monica Niculescu, Spain, 6-3, 7-5. Petra Kvitova (8), Czech Republic, def. Francesca

Romania, 6-1, 6-4. Roberta Vinci (16), Italy, def. Silvia Soler-Espinosa, Schiavone, Italy, 6-4, 2-6, 6-2. Yulia Putintseva, Kazakhstan, def. Christina McHale, U.S., 6-1, 6-7 (0), 6-2. Bojana Jovanovski, Serbia, def. Maria-Teresa Torro-Flor, Spain, 2-6, 6-4, 6-3. Annika Beck, Germany, def. Yaroslava Shvedova (28), Kazakhstan, 6-2, 6-7 (7), 6-3. Donna Vekic, Croatia, def. Andrea Hlavackova, Czech Republic, 6-1, 6-2. Lucie Safarova (17), Czech Republic, def. Mirjana

Sloane Stephens (29), U.S., def. Simona Halep, Romania, 6-1, 6-1. Laura Robson, Britain, def. Melanie Oudin, U.S., 6-2, Ayumi Morita, Japan, def. Anna Tatishvili, Georgia, 6-Garbine Muguruza, Spain, def. Magdalena Rybarikova, Slovakia, 4-6, 6-1, 14-12. Akgul Amanmuradova, Uzbekistan, def. Mathilde

Johansson, France, 6-4, 6-2. Daria Gavrilova, Russia, def. Lauren Davis, U.S., 6-3, 6-7 (2), 6-4. Eleni Daniilidou, Greece, def. Karolina Pliskova, Czech Republic, 7-5, 5-7, 6-4. Kristina Mladenovic, France, def. Timea Babos, Hungary, 6-4, 4-6, 11-9, Jamie Hampton, U.S., def. Urszula Radwanska (31), Poland, 6-2, 6-4. Jana Cepelova, Slovakia, def. Greta Arn, Hungary, 6-2,

Lesia Tsurenko, Ukraine, def. Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova (24), Russia, 7-5, 3-6, 7-5. Luksika Kumkhum, Thailand, def. Sofia Arvidsson, Sweden, 7-6 (5), 6-4. Yanina Wickmayer (20), Belgium, def. Jarmila Gajdosova, Australia, 6-1, 7-5.

AUSTRALIAN OPEN PARTIAL RESULTS

Wednesday At Melbourne Park Melbourne, Australia Purse: \$31.608 million (Grand Slam) Surface: Hard-Outdoor

Second Round

Nicolas Almagro (10), Spain, def. Daniel Gimeno-Traver, Spain, 6-4, 6-1, 6-2. Sam Querrey (20), U.S., def. Brian Baker, U.S., 6-7 (2), 1-1, Kei Nishikori (16), Japan, def. Carlos Berlocq, Argentina, Tomas Berdych (5), Czech Republic, def. Guillaume Rufin, France, 6-2, 6-2, 6-4.

Second Round Second Nound
Agnieszka Radwanska (4), Poland, def. Irina-Camelia
Begu, Romania, 6-3, 6-3.
Angelique Kerber (5), Germany, def. Lucie Hradecka,
Czech Republic, 6-3, 6-1.
Kirsten Flipkens, Belgium, def. Klara Zakopalova (23),
Czech Republic, 6-1, 6-0.
Slovakia, 7-6 (6), 6-4.
Ulis Caergre (18) Carmany, def. Pomina Oprandi Journal, 70 (1), 0-4. Julia Goerges (18), Germany, def. Romina Oprandi, Switzerland, 6-3, 6-2. Li Na (6), China, def. Olga Govortsova, Belarus, 6-2, 7-5. Madison Keys, U.S., def. Tamira Paszek (30), Austria, 6-2, 41.

6-1. **Doubles** Men First Round

Aisam-ul-Haq Qureshi, Pakistan/Jean-Julien Rojer (6), Netherlands, def. David Goffin, Belgium/Simon Stadler, Germany, 6-3, 6-1. Simone Bolelli/Fabio Fognini, Italy, def. Johan Brunstrom, Sweden/Frederik Nielsen, Denmark, 6-3, 6-3. Robert Lindstedt, Sweden/Nenad Zimonjic (7), Serbia, def. Michael Llodra/Nicolas Mahut, France, 3-6, 7-5,

Alex Bolt/Greg Jones, Australia, def. Alejandro Falla/Santiago Giraldo, Colombia, 3-6, 6-2, 7-6 (5). FISS KOUND Kimiko Date-Krumm, Japan/Arantxa Parra Santonja, Spain, def. Lara Arruabarrena-Vecino/Lourdes Dominguez Lino, Spain, 4-6, 6-3, 6-2. Silvia Soler-Espinosa/Carfa Suarez Navarro, Spain, def. Bethanie Mattek-Sands, U.S./Sania Mirza (10), India, 7-6

(4), 6-3. Jill Craybas, U.S./Chanelle Scheepers, South Africa, def. Rika Fujiwara, Japan/Mervana Jugic-Salkic, Bosnia-Herzegovina, 6-1, 6-4. Maria Kirilenk, Russia/Lisa Raymond (3), U.S., def. Alicja Rosolska, Poland/Tamarine Tanasugarn, Thailand, 6-2, 1-

TODAY'S SCHEDULE:

#### **HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL** 7:30 p.m.

Pocatello Shelley at Jerome Valley at Oakley

**AUTO RACING** Midnight

layed tape) **GOLF** 

2 a.m.

TGC — European PGA Tour, Abu Dhabi Championship, first round, at Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates

5 p.m.

ESPN2 — West Virginia

6 p.m.

8:30 p.m. ESPN - Miami at Gold-

**TENNIS** Noon

Melbourne, Australia (same-day tape)

9 p.m. ESPN2 — Australian

ESPN2 — Australian Open, second round, at Melbourne, Australia

6, 6-4. Darija Jurak, Croatia/Katalin Marosi, Hungary, def Alla Kudryavtseva, Russia/Shahar Peer, Israel, 6-0, 6-3. Melinda Czink, Hungary/Bojana Jovanovski, Serbia, def Simona Halep, Romania/Arantxa Rus, Netherlands, 4-6, 6-2, 7-6 (2).

6-2, 7-6 (2).
Mandy Minella, Luxembourg/Megan Moulton-Levy, U.S., def. Petra Martic, Croatia/Kristina Mladenovic, France, 2-6, 6-4, 7-6 (8).
Ashleigh Barry/Casey Dellacqua, Australia, def. Polona Hercog, Slovenia/Francesca Schiavone, Italy, 6-2, 6-4.
Mathildie Johansson/Pauline Parmentier, France, def. Kilk Bertens, Netherlands/Tatjana Malek, Germany, 7-6 (7), 4-6, 7-5.

American League
DETROIT TIGERS — Named Jamie Garcia pitching coach and Gerald Perry hitting coach of Frie (FL) TEXAS RANGERS – Agreed to terms with RHP Kyle cClellan on a minor league contract.

American Association

VICHITA WINGNUTS — Released OF Mike Conrov. Frontier League
GATEWAY GRIZZLIES — Traded INF Jerod Yakubik. INF Cotilla and future considerations. Released INF Richie

and OF Matt Wright. RIVER CITY RASCALS — Signed RHP Dyllon Nuernberg. Hational Football League
BUFFALO BILLS — Named Eric Ciano strength and condi-tioning coach, Donnie Henderson defensive backs coach, Chuck Drieshach linehackers coach. Tyrone Wheatley running backs coach, Jim O'Neil linebackers coach, Greg Adkins tight ends coach. Anthony Weaver defensive line

Canadian Football League CALGARY STAMPEDERS – Signed LB Karl McCartney to a

Released QB Quinton Porter. HOCKEY

American Hockey League
AHL – Suspended Grand Rapids LW Trevor Parkes one game. ALBANY RIVER RATS – Returned RW Bryan Haczyk and C

games, Idaho D Scott Todd two games, Orlando D Jesse Dudas one game and fined them, and Orlando F Ryan Cruthers, undisclosed amounts.

Major League Soccer PHILADELPHIA UNION — Loaned D Carlos Valdes to Independiente Santa Fe (Colombia). TORONTO FC — Signed M Julio Cesar. **COLLEGE** 

ARKANSAS—Named Barry Lunney Jr. tight ends coach. Announced the resignation of wide receivers coach

tant athletic director for development.

SPRING HILL — Named Eric Sajowitz men's and women's

Canyon Ridge at Wood River at Twin

Wendell at Hagerman **GIRLS BASKETBALL** 7:30 p.m.

Aberdeen at Declo Hansen at Raft River WRESTLING

6 p.m. Glenns Ferry, Valley at Kimberly Raft River at Malad

ON TV

NBCSN — Dakar Rally, stage 11, La Rioja to Fiambala, Argentina (de-

**MEN'S COLLEGE** BASKETBALL

ESPN2 — NC State at Maryland 7 p.m.

at Iowa St. **NBA BASKETBALL** 

ESPN - Houston at Dallas

en State

ESPN2 — Australian Open, second round, at

Open, second round, at Melbourne, Australia

#### **Transactions**

Nate Wilder and RHP Brett Zawacki to Joliet for RHP Rev JOLIET SLAMMERS – Signed RHP Chase Doremus to a contract extension. Placed RHP Brian Smith on the LAKE ERIE CRUSHERS – Signed RHP Alex Kaminsky to a contract extension. NORMAL CORNBELTERS — Signed SS Patrick McKenna

coach, Brian Fleury defensive quality control coach, Samson Brown assistant defensive backs coach and Jason Rebrovich defensive quality control coach. NEW YORK GIANTS — Signed WR Kris Adams and CB Antonio Dennard to reserve/future contracts.
PHILADELPHIA EAGLES — Signed T Allen Barbre.
SAN DIEGO CHARGERS — Named Mike McCoy coach.

EDMONTON ESKIMOS — Released WR Glenn MacKay. HAMILTON TIGER-CATS - Re-signed C Marwan Hage

HOCKEY

ANAHEIM DUCKS—Signed LW Pierre-Luc Letourneau-Leblond to a one-year contract.

DALLAS STARS—Recalled D Jamie Oleksiak and F Colton Sceviour from Texas (AHL).

MINNESOTA WILD — Signed RW Nick Palmieri to a one-year, two-way contract.

NASHVILLE PREDATORS—Claimed F Richard Clune off waivers from 10s Appelles. waivers from Los Angeles. WASHINGTON CAPITALS — Loaned D Cameron Schilling to

Kelly Zajac to Trenton (ECHL).

ECHL – Suspended Colorado's LW Devin DiDiomete four

ECAC — Named Steve Bamford commissioner. Promoted Ben Layton to assistant commissioner for programs and

Allhounted the resignation of whole receivers coach George McDonald.

NEW JERSEY CITY Amend Maurice Washington men's assistant volleyball coach.

OREGON STATE—Promoted assistant head football coach Jay Locey to chief of staff and graduate assistant Trent Bray to linebackers coach.

PENN STATE — Named Ed Franks director of sports camps. camps. RHODE ISLAND COLLEGE — Named Greg O'Connor assis-

> Burley improved its shooting - from 30 percent in the first half to 52 percent in the second – and beefed up defensively.

son-high 30 points, including 12 straight to start the fourth quarter, and the Los Angeles Clippers looked just fine without Chris Paul in a 117-109 win over the struggling Houston Rockets on Tuesday night.

Crawford scored a sea-

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Denver Nuggets guard Andre Iguodala (9) dunks

Batum (88), of France, during the third quarter of an

over Blazers 115-111 in OT

against Portland Trail Blazers forward Nicolas

Chandler Lifts Nuggets

NBA game on Tuesday in Denver.

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**DENVER** • Wilson Chan-

dler hit a tiebreaking 3-

pointer with 14.9 seconds

remaining in overtime and

the Denver Nuggets beat

the Portland Trail Blazers

115-111 Tuesday night for

their season-best sixth

Danilo Gallinari added 25

points, including a key 3-

pointer in the extra period.

Ty Lawson had 24 points

and 12 assists for the

Nuggets, who are 2-0 in

Portland, which lost for the

first time in six OT games this

season, was led by LaMarcus

Aldridge's 28 points. Nicolas

Batum had 22 points, J.J.

Hickson 19 and Damian Lil-

lard 16. Gallinari hit his third 3

of the game for an overtime

lead but Aldridge responded

with a turnaround jumper

that tied it 109-all with 51.8

seconds left. Lawson then

lobbed a pass to JaVale McGee

CLIPPERS 117, ROCKETS 109

Jamal

for an alley-oop dunk.

HOUSTON

overtime this season.

consecutive victory.

PACERS 103, **BOBCATS 76** CHARLOTTE, N.C. • Roy Hibbert had 18 points and seven rebounds, and Indiana handed Charlotte its 13th straight home loss.

NETS 113, RAPTORS 106 **NEW YORK •** Brook Lopez had 22 points and nine rebounds, Joe Johnson and Deron Williams each scored 21 points, and Brooklyn beat Toronto to extend its season-high winning streak to seven games.

HORNETS 111, 76ERS 99 PHILADELPHIA • Greivis Vasquez scored 23 points and Eric Gordon added 19 to help New Orleans beat Philadelphia.



RYAN HOWE • TIMES-NEWS

Burley's Chelsee Baker (24) and Jerome's Kaitlyn Kelley reach for a rebound during their Great Basin Conference girls basketball game Tuesday at Burley High School.

# Burley

coach Scott Burton.

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Aubrie Vale added nine points, five rebounds, two assists and two steals for Burley, which improved to 11-4 overall, 5-1 in Great Basin Conference play.

Jerome (9-7, 4-4) kept it close in a low-scoring first half and trailed 16-14 at halftime.

"We had to change the tempo of the game to make it a little bit ratty and ugly," Burton said. "Coming out the second half, we didn't answer the bell very well. Burley got in our face physically and our playmakers never got it going."

The Bobcats outscored Jerome 28-9 in the second

"I'm proud of the girls' defense tonight," said Burley coach Roger Caresia. "Jerome gets after you physically. We maintained our composure and in the second half started making shots." Burton pointed to his

team's lack of aggression, which showed statistically with only one offensive rebound and one trip to the free throw line.

Both teams have conference road games Thursday: Burley is at Wood River and Jerome is at Twin Falls.

**BURLEY 44, JEROME 23** 

Jerome 7 7 2 7 -23 Burley 9 7 14 14 -44 JEROME (23) Grove 3, Praegitzer 2, Green 5, Lott 4, Kelley 3, Bright 6. Totals 9 2-2 23.

BURLEY (44) Hutchison 2, Robins 2, Vale 9, Wayment 2, Baker 21, Carpenter 4, Bowers 4. Totals 18 7-15 44. 3-point goals: Jerome 3 (Grove, Green, Kelley); Burley 1 (Vale). Total fouls: Jerome 16, Burley 6. Fouled out: none.

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# Seattle Heads into Offseason with Core Intact

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RENTON, Wash. • As belongings were packed up, the phrase became a popular refrain coming from all corners of the Seattle Seahawks locker room.

"We have a really good core group here."

Whether it was safety Earl Thomas or rookie quarterback Russell Wilson or veteran fullback Michael Robinson uttering those words, they resonated with substance because the Seahawks went from a young team with potential to a team on the cusp of being an NFL power this season with most of its key components returning next season.

The expectations will be different in 2013 and everyone already understands that fact. No longer will the Seahawks be a pleasant surprise, but instead hold the title of contender.

"There is nobody in our building that doesn't think that this is going to be an extraordinary offseason for this club," Seattle coach Pete Carroll said. "Knowing that all of the kids that made the team last year that get to come back, and played a lot and they come back. It's such a big jump that happens from year one to year

The biggest reason for

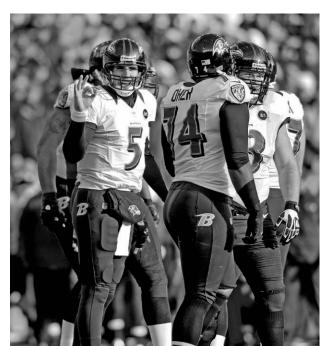


Seattle Seahawks quarterback Russell Wilson (3) runs past Atlanta Falcons defensive end Kroy Biermann (71) during the first half of an NFC divisional playoff NFL football game Sunday in Atlanta.

Seattle's optimism going forward is that core group that has been solidly constructed in three seasons by Carroll and general manager John Schneider and is mostly locked up for the 2013 season. Among their starting 22 on offense and defense, the Seahawks have just two players who are unrestricted free agents - defensive tackle Alan Branch and outside linebacker Leroy Hill. They have only eight unrestricted free agents total and another three who are restricted and can have any offers from other teams matched by the Seahawks.

Unlike last offseason when Seattle was tasked with trying to lock up running back Marshawn Lynch and find an answer to its quarterbacking situation, the Seahawks enter this offseason with the ability to supplement through free agency and the draft while also trying to solidify their roster long-term.

"It is unfinished business," Robinson said. "We are a good team right now but we've got to go from good to being a championship football team. We need to take that next step. We thought we had it this year but hopefully we've got to take this offseason, use it to compete to keep our jobs, compete against other teams ... and draw on this experience next year if the opportunity presents itself."





(ABOVE LEFT) Baltimore Ravens quarterback Joe Flacco (5) motions to teammates an AFC divisional playoff NFL football game against the Denver Broncos on Saturday. (ABOVE RIGHT) San Francisco 49ers head coach Jim Harbaugh celebrates with quarterback Colin Kaepernick (7) after Kaepernick's 56-yard touchdown run against the Green Bay Packers during an NFC divisional playoff NFL football game in San Francisco on Saturday.

# Ravens, 49ers Plan Different Endings

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This time, it will be different. That's the mantra the Ravens and 49ers must carry into Sunday's conference

championships. One step from the Super Bowl once more, the Ravens and 49ers believe they've found that extra element for success. For San Francisco, it might be the versatility and big-play potential Colin Kaepernick brings to the offense. For Baltimore, it could be the ramped-up emotions from Ray Lewis' pending retirement.

The odds makers believe the Niners have what they need to beat the Falcons one year after an overtime loss to the Giants in the NFC title game; San Francisco is favored by 31-2 points at Atlanta. That says a lot.

But the bookies don't believe the Ravens will do any better than in last year's AFC championship, when they fell at Foxborough 23-20. Baltimore is a 91-2-point underdog to the Patriots.

"There are challenges that get you to the point that you are at as a football team and make you who you are, even as a person," said Ravens coach John Harbaugh, whose team needed a last-minute 70-yard touchdown pass to force overtime at Denver last Saturday before beating the top-seeded Broncos. "And, our guys have handled all those things extremely well. Individually, a lot of our guys

 and collectively – have come out of it stronger and better men, and we're a stronger and better team."

His younger brother, Jim, head man of the 49ers - siblings have never met as head coaches in the Super Bowl has guided San Francisco to the NFL's final four in both of his seasons. This is John Harbaugh's third conference title game in five years in charge.

The 49ers' Harbaugh sees the togetherness and developing maturity of his team as a reason it could reach the franchise's first Super Bowl

since winning its fifth in 1995. "We want to be about that," he said. "But I don't think it's attributed to anything, I think it's just who we are as a team, who our players are. It's a talent and it's character. I've always thought that

about our team. "Being a great teammate, doing the best to your Godgiven ability each and every time, is a great gift that you can give another man. To have his back. That's a strong phrase, but I don't think that's just something our guys talk about, I think it's who they are?

Who the Niners are is quite different this time around. Last season, they used a shutdown defense, strong special teams and a conservative, avoid-mistakes offense to get this far. But quarterback Alex Smith and that offense bogged down too often

against the Giants. San Francisco added Randy Moss and Mario Manningham at wideout and still had the superb Frank Gore at running back. But Moss has been a complementary player and Manningham is out with a torn knee.

Tight end Vernon Davis, Smith's most reliable target a year ago, has had a lesser role.

The big changes? The emergence of receiver Michael Crabtree, the solidification of the offensive line, and, of course, Kaepernick.

As he showed in setting a playoff record for QBs with 181 yards rushing, and throwing for 243 in the divisional round against Green Bay his playoff debut, no less – Kaepernick is a game-break-

"I think quarterbacks that have a talent for running the ball can be very effective," Jim Harbaugh said, stating precisely what he felt when he left Smith on the bench after the incumbent recovered from a concussion late in the season and went the rest of the way with Kaeper-

"That's been long known in football, the National Football League as well. A quarterback that can get out of the pocket, run, pick up first downs, that's a threat that the defense has to account for."

It's also what the 49ers didn't have in their repertoire against New York. Now, they have inserted a whole section of plays in the game plan built around Kaepernick's speed and intermediate hurdler strides.

"There are some quarterback-driven runs that have been added because our quarterbacks are very good at those, and Colin especially," Jim Harbaugh said. "It's already noted that he's very fast. He's very good at reading and executing that type of offense. So, that's the reason."

And a main reason the people in the Bay Area believe this is the 49ers' year.

Across the country in the Chesapeake Bay area, the other Harbaugh's stomping grounds, that conviction is just as strong.

Critics say the Ravens are too old, inconsistent and banged-up on defense. That they don't pass protect well. The quarterback Joe Flacco has won a postseason game in each of his five pro seasons, yet has no Super Bowl appearances.

Plus, the Ravens had every chance to knock off the Patriots last year and failed.

But those detractors tend to ignore that Torrey Smith and Anguan Boldin have become extremely dangerous in the passing game. That the line has been effective in the playoffs and Flacco barely was bothered by Denver's strong defense last weekend.

And that Lewis, Terrell Suggs, Haloti Ngata and Ed Reed have Baltimore's D on the upswing. Remember, 14 of Denver's points came on special teams, and the Ravens forced three turnovers by Peyton Manning



New York Jets quarterbacks Mark Sanchez, left, and  $\it Tim\ Tebow\ work\ out\ during\ NFL\ football\ practice\ in$ May 2012 in Florham Park, N.J.

# Suddenly Unwanted, Tebow Has Uncertain NFL Future

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**NEW YORK • From nearly** unstoppable to nearly invisible.

Tim Tebow was two wins from the Super Bowl a year ago. Now, he's pretty much a player without a team likely to be released by the New York Jets after one frustrating season and his hometown team in Jacksonville already pulling in the welcome mat.

Even Tebow doesn't know how this will unfold. A backup role on another NFL team? A position change? The Canadian Football League?

"I don't know what my future holds, but I know who holds my future," the devout Christian said in a recent interview with Fox Business Network, his only public comments since his strange Jets season ended.

"And, in that," he added, "there is a lot of peace and a lot of comfort."

Tebow barely played for the Jets last season. "An absolute mess," is the way recently retired special teams coordinator Mike Westhoff described it. Tebow has two years left on his contract, but New York is expected to trade or release him in the next few weeks. So far, destination unknown.

"I can't imagine a scenario in which he'll be a Jacksonville Jaguar," new general manager David Caldwell declared last week. "Even if he's re-

While there's an outside chance Tebow could remain a New Yorker, depending on the whims of the still-to-be-hired GM, it appears highly unlikely.

So, that's two NFL teams down - the only ones, atthat, who showed any interest last offseason when Denver shopped him - and the 25-year-old Tebow's options appear to be dwin-

"Tim Tebow is an extremely popular individual - or, he was," said former Cowboys executive Gil Brandt, now an analyst for NFL.com. "I think his popularity has waned significantly the last three or four months."

The buzz these days belongs to young quarterbacks like Washington's Robert Griffin III, Seattle's Russell Wilson, Indianapolis' Andrew Luck and San Francisco's Colin Kaeper nick. It seems so long ago now that Tebowing - his signature dropping to a knee for a prayerful pose was all the rage.

But even Tebow never Tebowed during the regular season for the Jets. Not once. Quite a fall for a Heisman Trophy winner and two-time national champion with the University of Florida, and whose No. 15 Broncos jersey ranked second in national sales to Green Bay's Aaron Rodgers

"I think it's fair to say," Tebow acknowledged last month, "that I'm a little disappointed."



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Mike McCoy speaks during a news conference after being named the new head coach of the San Diego Chargers NFL football team on Tuesday in San Diego.

# Broncos OC McCoy Agrees to Become **Chargers Coach**

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SAN DIEGO • Mike McCoy is the new head coach of the San Diego Chargers.

The team has scheduled a 2 p.m. PST news conference Tuesday to introduce McCoy, who had been the offensive coordinator for the Denver Broncos.

The 40-year-old McCoy replaces Norv Turner, who was fired along with general manager A.J. Smith after the Chargers finished 7-9 and missed the playoffs for the third straight season.

McCoy's hiring comes three days after the top-seeded Broncos were eliminated from the playoffs in a home loss to the Baltimore Ravens.

The coaching search was led by Tom Telesco, who was hired as Chargers GM last week. Telesco also is 40.

The Broncos have won consecutive AFC West titles. McCoy tutored quarterbacks Kyle Orton and Tim Tebow in 2011, and Peyton Manning in 2012.

McCoy, who interviewed with the Miami Dolphins last year after retooling Denver's offense to fit Tebow's skill set, burnished his head coaching credentials this season while blending the power formations the Broncos used in leading the league in rushing last year with Tebow and some of the spread formations that Manning ran in Indianapolis.

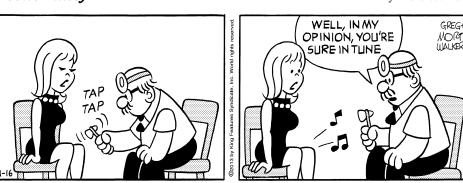
"I think he's going to be a great head coach. Very detailoriented, knows the game, relates with players very well;" Broncos wide receiver Brandon Stokley said. "So, I think he'll be an excellent head coach."

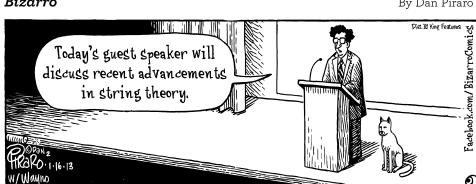




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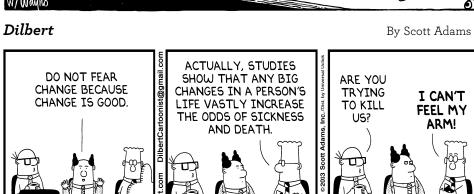




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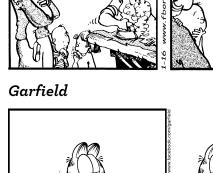
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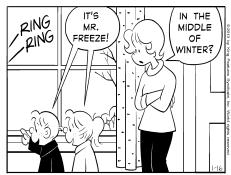


















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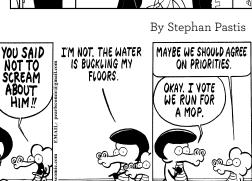
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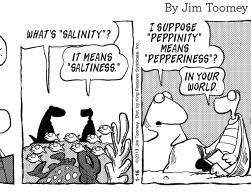
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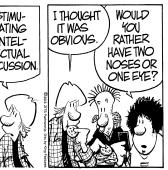


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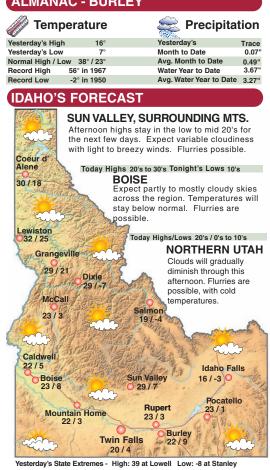
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# Study Highlights Spending Gaps in NCAA

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Annual spending on sports by public universities in six bigtime conferences like the SEC and Big 12 has passed \$100,000 per athlete – about six to 12 times the amount those universities are spending per student on academics, according to a study released Wednesday to greet college presidents arriving at the NCAA's annual meeting in

The study finds the largest gap by far in the Southeastern Conference, which combines relatively low academic spending and explosive coaching salaries. Median athletic spending there totaled nearly \$164,000 per athlete in 2010. That is more than 12 times the \$13,390 that SEC schools spent per student for academic expenses, including instructional costs and student services.

The schools of the Pac-10 (now the Pac 12), Atlantic Coast Conference, Big Ten and Big East also averaged six-figure spending per student athlete in 2010, the study finds. Across Division I, athletic spending -though still smaller in absolute terms — rose twice as fast as academic spending between 2005 and 2010. During that period, the schools competing in the toplevel Football Bowl Subdivision (FBS) of the NCAA upped theirathletic expenditures on average \$6,200 per athlete each year, according to data compiled by the Delta Cost Project at American Institutes for Research as part of an ongoing project with the pro-reform Knight Commission on Intercollegiate Athletics.

The report does not provide information about ratios at individual institutions.

Overall, FBS schools spent on average \$92,000 per athlete in 2010, or just under seven times what they were spending per student on academics at a time of falling state funding for higher education in much of the country, and tuition increases widely outpacing inflation. The report did find, however, the growth rate seemed to be slowing.

The figures likely won't shock college presidents arriving in Grapevine, Texas, for the NCAA convention, but they will highlight their rising concern over out-of-control spending on intercollegiate athletics that threatens to sink budgets and compromise their academic missions. Some want the NCAA to do more to address the issue even if it can't

legally limit salaries. "How many sport video an-

alysts do you really need?" said John Dunn, president of Western Michigan University, who gave a talk Tuesday at a preliminary portion of the meeting on rising inequality in college athletics. "How many assistants for a coach — not assistant coaches, (but) assistant office personnel, to keep his life

"While the NCAA wants to avoid being overly intrusive, they have never had a problem saying there should be x number of coaches and x number of scholarships awarded," he said. "Why not also govern how many ancillary personnel you can have?"

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NCAA spokesman Erik Christianson said in a brief emailed statement that colleges make their own spending decisions and "are reluctant to cede authority over their budgets to the NCAA." SEC spokesman Craig Pinkerton said he would have to refer questions to Commissioner Mike Slive, who wasn't available for comment.

The conceit of the study – comparing per capita spending on athletes versus academic spending - carries some caveats. Universities already "spend" widely varying amounts on different types of students; those in majors requiring special equipment, or offering small classes, already benefit from more spending, as might those signing up for extra-curriculars or special tutoring. Knight Commission Executive Director Amy Perko said her group realizes at many

institutions athletic spending per athlete will inevitably be higher than academic spending per student.

Also, "academic spending" can be a confusing category, though the study uses federal data, universities must report under a precise methodology. While it includes athletic scholarships as athletic spending, for example, institutional financial aid available to other students doesn't count as "academic spending."

Still, the size of the ratios and the fact that six conferences have broken six figures, up from four a year before are eye-catching data points showing the extent to which Division I college athletics programs have come to inhabit separate financial universes from the academic institutions whose names they share.

Perko said it's the growing subsidies most universities kick in to cover athletic department budgets that are especially alarming. The Knight Commission has been pushing for the NCAA to incentivize institutions to stay within certain ratios of athletic-to-academic spending, to no avail. The BCS, which is organizing the new college football playoff system separately from the NCAA, has committed to tying 10 percent of the lucrative payout from the new BCS playoff system to academic benchmarks, Perko said, but she wants more done.

While new TV deals will produce more revenue, they will also likely exacerbate inequality. If adopted, recent proposals to pay athletes a stipend would also fuel spending by athletic departments, as could the increased travel required by recent conference realignments.

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Many big spenders like the SEC schools also have the most revenue to cover those costs. A few dozen or so actually turn a profit on their athletic departments, and on average the top half of FBS programs get by on a modest university subsidy, averaging between \$3 million and \$6 million. But schools in the bottom half of FBS rely on much bigger subsidies from the academic side to fund athletics. That money often comes from student fees paid by non-athletes. At those schools, the subsidies now total \$11 million to \$14 million annually, the study found.



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