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# Top IACI PAC Contributors Would Benefit Most from Personal Property Tax Repeal



Alex LaBeau, president of the Idaho Association of Commerce and Industry, sits in the Capitol in Boise Thursday, where he's trying to convince lawmakers to repeal the state's century-old personal property tax on business equipment.

BY MELISSA DAVLIN

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**BOISE** • Those who stand to benefit most from a personal property tax repeal have contributed thousands of dollars to the political action committee of the organization pushing hardest for repeal legislation.

Several of the businesses that donated to the Idaho Association of Commerce and Industry political action committee are the top personal property tax payers in their respective counties, but IACI says the donations are unrelated to the policy making goals of the organization.

Though contributions and membership fees paid to IACI itself aren't public, donations to its political action committee are. Of the businesses that donated, eight paid the most in personal property tax in one or more counties in 2011, according to data published by StateImpact. Those include Micron, Potlatch, Idahoan Foods, Hecla Mining, Idaho Forest Group, Basic American Foods, Clearwater Paper, and Simplot.

Each of those eight companies contributed at least \$3,500 to IACI's PAC, the Idaho Prosperity Fund, in 2012. Micron contributed the most, paying a total of \$20,500 to the fund last year.

The money in the Prosperity Fund pays for mailers on behalf of candidates and community teleconferences with voters. During the 2012 primary election, the Prosperity Fund sent out fliers on behalf of 18 candidates, all of whom won.

Alex LaBeau, executive director of the Idaho Association of Commerce and Industry and political treasurer for the Idaho Prosperity Fund, said though there might be a correlation between the donors to the Propsperity Fund and the top personal property tax payers, that doesn't necessarily equal causation.

The personal property tax repeal has been something IACI studied for years, LaBeau pointed out, and this isn't the first time the Legislature considered a repeal. In 2008, the Legislature enacted a personal property tax repeal for personal property Please see REPEAL, A6



Scott Bedke, Speaker of the House, listens during a hearing on House Bill 131, a water bill at the Capitol Thursday in Boise. Bedke is a key player in the possible repeal of the state's century-old personal property tax on business equipment.

# Idaho Property Taxpayer Promises to **Invest Savings**

BY JOHN MILLER Associated Press

BOISE (AP) • No bill has even been introduced yet to repeal Idaho's \$141 million personal property tax on businesses. But one potential beneficiary aims to kick-start debate by putting its tax savings where its mouth is.

Century Link Inc., one of state's top 10 personal property taxpayers, would invest up to \$2 million in tax savings in Idaho's broadband infrastructure above the company's existing plans if repeal succeeds, said Ed Lodge, the Monroe, La., -based company's lobbyist in Boise.

Please see SAVINGS, A6

# Happiness is Helping Others

Even retirement can't slow down Jack and Mary Zarybnisky's charitable causes.

BY TETONA DUNLAP

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BURLEY • Jack and Mary Zarybnisky walked through the doors of Community Oasis Outreach, their arms full of blankets and food.

A gust of cold air and a singlefile line of teenage boys followed behind them holding pans filled with ham, roasted potatoes and cobblers.

"That goes that direction," Jack said, pointing to the dining area in the next room as teenagers and adults went back and forth to their vehicles bringing in donated items.

The Zarybniskys, of Burley, try to visit the homeless shelter in Rupert at least once a month. And like most volunteering efforts the couple are involved in, they gather others in the community also looking to help.

On Feb. 23, the Zarybniskys were accompanied by members of Boy Scout Troop 21 from Springdale. It

#### More Online

View more photos of the Zarybniskys' volunteer work for free at

Magicvalley.com/gallery.

was the first visit for many of the Scouts to the homeless shelter, just a short drive away from their own

Before the visit, Tommy Christopherson, 15, of Declo, didn't know the shelter existed.

In a tour led by Rev. Roy Shope, house management, Christopherson and the other boys walked through the narrow hallways of the building that holds seven rooms — four single rooms and two family-sized rooms. They even viewed the inside of one of the small rooms, the group barely fitting through the door.

Now that Christopherson knows



Mary Zarybnisky shares a laugh with some members of Boy Scout Troop 21 from Springdale.

the shelter exists, he would like to come back and volunteer again, he said.

He's motivated by the kindness he sees in the Zarybniskys. "They're honestly the brightest

people I know, every time I see them they have a smile, and I think they find joy and happiness in helping other people," Christopherson said.

The Zarybniskys have been involved

in Burley and surrounding communities for a number of years. If there is a need, they will find a way.

And of all the efforts they have dedicated their time to, being catalysts for compassion is perhaps their biggest contribution.

For the past 18 years, the couple has helped coordinate with local churches and the owner of Charlie's Cafe in Burley to provide free Thanksgiving Day meals. The Zarybniskys said the

dinner was started by a local woman, and when she moved away, they worked with others to keep it going. The last dinner provided 1,425 meals and a U-Haul of donated clothes and blankets.

Then there is their work with Special Olympics and the local Lions Club. Jack, a retired optometrist of 40 years, provided free eye exams and glasses for athletes

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Jerome Senior Center will hold a public dance and potluck from 2-5 p.m. at 520 N. Lincoln St., Jerome. \$5 admission.





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# Magic Valley's Student of the Week



# Athlete • Hansen High School Kendra Monique Urena

Kendra Monique Urena, a senior at Hansen High School, is an outstanding athlete. She participates in basketball, track and volleyball.

Urena was chosen as defensive player of the year for basketball at Hansen in her 10th and 11th grades and was recently named to the All-Star Basketball Division II.

She will be attending ISU this fall, majoring in nursing.

How are the AAA students chosen? We asked guidance counselors from schools all over the Magic Valley to work with the teachers at their schools to come up with some of the best and brightest students they could find.





## YOUR NEIGHBOR

# The Biologist Who Loves Horses

BY TETONA DUNLAP tdunlap@magicvalley.com

### When We Met

Imad Eujayl stood on stage before an audience of around 75 people and asked them if they could identify the man displayed on the screen.

The man had white hair, glasses and was wearing a head wrap.

I didn't recognize him, but my guess was that he was Sikh, but I didn't raise my hand because I wasn't sure.

I was sitting in the back rows of a room inside the Twin Falls Center for the Arts, Feb. 22 in Twin Falls. I could hear a woman whispering to her friend behind me.

Her guess was also Sikh, but like me, she didn't speak

"John? Susan?" Eujayl said walking from behind the lecturn to the edge of the stage.

Dressed in a suit, Eujayl seemed to wave his hand toward "John" and "Susan" in the front rows. But still no one replied.

"These are just names I picked," Eujayl said, and shortly after the crowd erupted into laughter.

### How You May **Know Him**

Eujayl was a guest speaker



Eujayl

in the second installment of the the Magic Valley Arts Council's Brown Bag Lecture Series on cultural diversity in the community, called "Getting to Know Our Neighbors."

Eventually, Eujayl revealed to all of us the answer to his question. The man was Manmohan Singh, Prime Minister of India, the first person of Sikh faith to hold the office.

There were other people pictured on the screen, but Eujayl pointed out Singh, because, shortly after 9/11, a 49-year-old Arizona man named Balbir Singh Sodhi was murdered in retaliation because someone thought he was Muslim. But Sodhi wasn't Muslim, he was

Eujayl was born and raised in Al-Jazeera, Sudan. He has a B.S. and M.S. in Agri-Science from the Uni-

versity of Al-Jazeera-Sudan and a Ph.D in Plant Molecular Genetics from University of Helsinki-Finland and the Scottish Crop Research Institute. Eujayl became a U.S. citizen in 2005, but has been

in the country since 1999. He currently works for the United States Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Research Service in Kimberly.

Eujayl's presentation covered a brief background on Islam, Eastern cultures and traditions. He also covered the history of how various Muslim refugees came to Twin Falls. Eujayl estimated that there are 1,000 Muslim families in Twin Falls. He has been a volunteer at the College of Southern Idaho Refugee Center for the past six years.

I learned from Eujayl's presentation that the largest Muslim population in the world is located in Indonesia and how head covers often have more to do with tradition than faith.

"Islam and culture are intertwined," he said.

And after his presentation, Eujayl stayed behind and answered further questions from a small group of people gathered around him. Since he was busy, I scheduled a time to talk with him more the next day at a local coffee shop.

# for Him

On Feb. 23, Eujayl told me about the first rodeo he atlahoma. It was the first time

and wanted to learn more

and their three children moved to Idaho he decided

"I have a colleague at work and she's well into horses and introduced me to horse riding," Eujayl said. "I always liked hors-

mals linked to adventure, bravery, confidence and

riding lessons in Kimberly and has even bought his own horse, an Arabian gelding he

coffee and we walked back to our vehicles, he made sure to point out the horse

# What's Next

about horses and riding.

to take lessons.

es since I was really young." He said in Africa and Sudan, horses are seen as ani-

on his license plates.

tended while working in Okhe ever saw a black cowboy.

Eujayl currently takes horse named "Fireheart."

Tell Tetona Dunlap whom she should meet next for her weekly column: 735-3243 or tdunlap@magicvalley.com.



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# **5TH DISTRICT COURT NEWS**

### TWIN FALLS COUNTY

FELONY SENTENCINGS Sergio Navarro, 43, Nampa; possession of a controlled substance, \$1,500 fine, \$500 fine, \$916.83 restitution, 365 days retained jurisdiction, 7 penitentiary, 3 years determinate, 4 years indeterminate, CAPP program.

Theresa Elaine Rivera, 27, Twin Falls; possession of controlled substance, \$1,000 fine, \$700 suspended, \$350 public defender, \$395 court compliance, \$518.33 restitution, 4 years penitentiary, 2 years determinate, 2 years indeterminate, sentence suspended, 3 years supervised probation, 100 hours community service

Samuel David Layne Ferrell, 22, Twin Falls; lewd conduct with a child under 16, \$1,000 fine, \$1,059.75 restitution, 365 days retained jurisdiction, 10 years penitentiary, 3 years determinate, 7 years indeterminate, second lewd conduct with a child under 16 charge dismissed. Samuel David Layne

Ferrell, 22, Twin Falls; fraud-insufficient funds check, \$2,500 fine, 365 days retained jurisdiction, 3 years penitentiary, 1 year determinate, 2 years indeterminate.

Brandon Gianpiere Vilcapoma, 20, Ketchum; delivery of a controlled substance, amended to criminal solicitation to commit a crime, \$285.50 fine, 5 years penitentiary, 2 determinate, 3 years indeterminate, sentence suspended, 3 years supervised probation; controlled substance (conspiracy) unlawful to manufacture, deliver or possess with intent, amended to criminal solicitation to commit a crime, \$100.00 fine, 5 years penitentiary, 2 determinate, 3 years indeterminate, sentence suspended, 3 years supervised probation; 2 charges delivery of a controlled substance dismissed.

#### DRIVING UNDER THE **INFLUENCE SENTENC-INGS**

Jeremy Ferguson, 36, Shoshone; DUI, amended to DUI (excessive), \$600 fine, \$200 suspended, \$182.50 costs, 365 days jail, 325 suspended, 1 day credited, 365 days drivers license suspension, 24 months supervised probation.

Eric Michael Standley, 22, Twin Falls; DUI, \$1,000 fine, \$600 suspended, \$197.50 costs, \$75 public defender, guilty withheld sentence, 90 days jail, 88 suspended, 2 credited, 180 days drivers license suspension, 12 months supervised probation, victims

panel, court alcohol school.

Twin Falls; DUI, \$1,000 fine, \$700 suspended, \$197.50 costs, \$75 public defender, 90 days jail, 85 suspended, 2 days credited, 180 days drivers license suspension, 12 months supervised probation, 16 weeks Walker Center. Leslie Linda Phillips, 37, Twin Falls; \$1,000 fine, \$500 suspended, \$197.50 costs, guilty withheld sentence, 180 days jail, 178 suspended, 1 day credited, 180 days driver license suspension, victims panel, 8 AA meetings, court alcohol school. Terry Joe Horn, 34, Boise; DUI (excessive), \$1,000 fine, \$800 suspended, \$197.50 costs, \$75 public defender, 356 days jail, 313 suspended, 52 days credited, 365 days drivers license suspension, 24 months supervised probation; open

missed. Channing Leroy Runyan, 21, Buhl; DUI, \$1,000 fine, \$600 suspended, \$197.50 costs, 180 days jail, 178 suspended, 1 day credited, 180 days drivers license suspension, 12 months supervised probation, victims panel, court alcohol school.

container charge dis-

Kerry Lynn Klassen, 44, Twin Falls; DUI (excessive), \$1,000 fine, \$400 suspended, \$197.50 costs, \$75 public defender, 365 days jail, 345 suspended, 1 day credited, 365 days drivers

license suspension, 24 months supervised proba-

tion, victims panel. Cesar Hernandez Leon,

22, Gooding; DUI, \$1,000 fine, \$500 suspended, \$197.50 costs, \$75 public defender, guilty withheld sentence, 180 days jail, 175 suspended, 1 day credited, 180 days drivers license suspension, 12 months supervised probation.

Steven Wayne Jones, 43, Meridian; \$1,000 fine, \$500 suspended, \$197.50 costs, \$100 restitution, guilty withheld sentence, 180 days jail, 177 suspended, 1 day credited, 16 hours work detail, 180 day restricted drivers license, 12 months supervised probation, victims panel, AA meetings.

#### **DIVORCE CIVIL PROCEEDINGS** Valerie Stone v.

Loren Stone

Zhumali Sharafov v. Khalima Sharafova Jason Hart Barstow v. Teresa Barstow Farhad Gholinejad v. Mandana Mahalati Robert Gudgel v. Rossanna Gudgel Alyssa Bargholz v. Robert Speer Brenda Karakatsanis v. Pantelis Karakatsanis Melody Lopez v. Oscar Alfredo Lopez Jennifer Earl v. Stanley Earl Lisa Babcock v. James Curell Jr.

# Idaho's Hispanic Population Grew Drastically during Last Decade BY JULIE WOOTTON

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TWIN FALLS • Over the past decade, the number of Hispanic residents in Idaho has grown drastically faster than other demographic groups

The Hispanic population grew 73 percent from 2000-

That compares with a 17 percent increase in the number of non-Hispanic residents in the Gem State during the same decade.

It's one finding in the newest Hispanic Profile Data Book for Idaho, released in early February by the Idaho Commission on Hispanic

Executive director Margie Gonzalez said the population growth was expected.

"Really, it wasn't a surprise to us," she said. "We just wanted to see those numbers reported accurately."

The 161-page report is based on data from the 2010 Census. It's full of statistics about a wide range of topics, from prenatal care to home ownership.

ICHA pushed to get a more accurate count of the state's Hispanic residents during the 2010 U.S. Census.

Gonzalez the Hispanic population count during the 2000 Census was under reported.

"We knew that the numbers were way off," she said.

As a result, the ICHA stared working with the U.S. Census Bureau in 2006 to encourage more Hispanic residents to self report.

Gonzalez said 2010 numbers are still an undercount of the state's Hispanic population, but are more accurate than past years.

The process of putting together the Hispanic Profile Data Book for Idaho stared a year ago, just after the 2010 Census data came out.

A team of statisticians at Boise State University put together the report with the help of undergraduate students. It's the third data book ICHA has released.

## By the Numbers

Here's the percentage of Hispanic residents in a handful of south-central Idaho counties in 2010.

- Minidoka County:
- Jerome County:
- Gooding County:
- Cassia County: • Blaine County:
- Twin Falls County:

The report lists the 15 Idaho counties with the highest percentage of Hispanic residents. Six from

south-central Idaho are

included. In Jerome, the Hispanic population continues to

"It has really taken off," said Jon Melone, executive director of the Jerome Chamber of Commerce. "I don't see it slowing down at all."

He estimates that Hispanic residents currently make up 35 percent of the city's population, although Melone said some say unofficially that it's as high as 50 percent.

Melone said Hispanic residents who are involved with the agriculture and farming keep those industries grow-

Also, he has seen an increase in Hispanic business owners — particularly in stores along Jerome's historic Main Street.

The chamber of commerce has a membership application in Spanish and includes board members of Hispanic descent, Melone said.

When it comes to city governments, Justin Ruen a policy analyst for the Association of Idaho Cities - said he doesn't know if there have been many impacts due to the increase in Hispanic res-

It's likely more noticeable for school districts, he said.

In Minidoka County, for example, more than one in four students are Hispanic.

There are 1,741 Hispanic students out of 4,011 students, according to the school district office.

### Here are some statistics in the report:

32.4 percent

28.1 percent

24.9 percent

20 percent

13.7 percent

31 percent

• Population: The Gem State gained about 74,000 Hispanic residents between 2000 and 2010. That's 11.2 percent of the state's popu-

About 45 percent of the state's Hispanic residents were ages 19 and younger in 2010. That compares with 28 percent for non-Hispanics.

• Education: In 2010, Hispanic students in third through 10th grades lagged behind their classmates in proficiency in reading, language skills and math, according to the report.

About 54 percent of Hispanic residents over age 25 had earned at least a high school diploma in 2010. Seven percent had a bachelor's degree or higher.

• Mortality rate: About 8.9 percent of deaths between 2008 and 2010 among Hispanic residents were children under age 1.

That compares with 0.9 percent among the same age group in non-Hispanic children.

• Poverty: In 2010, 29 percent of Idaho's Hispanic residents were living below the poverty level. That compares with 16 percent among the state's total population.

• Income: The median yearly income for Hispanic households was \$34,552 about \$10,000 lower than Caucasian households.

Average per capita buying power climbed from \$10,215 in 2005 to \$15,355 in 2010.

• Voting: Between 2006 and 2008, the number of registered Hispanic voters grew from 16,000 to 37,000.

What's up in your neighborhood? Look at the Sunday edition crime and incident map



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# Bill Aims to Update State Synthetic Drug Ban List

BOISE (AP) • Idaho lawmakers are looking to add two more synthetic versions of marijuana to the state's list of banned substances.

The Senate Judiciary and Rules Committee voted unanimously Friday to introduce legislation to ban two new versions of the synthetic marijuana known on the street as

"spice." The new formulas have recently been identified by the state forensics lab.

In 2010, Idaho legislators took steps to permanently outlaw chemicals that mimic the effects of cannabis and new products that contain organic leaves coated with those chemicals that provide a marijuana-like high when smoked. The crackdown also came amid increasing reports of bad health reactions to the products, including seizures, hallucinations and dependency.

Idaho Office of Drug Policy Director Elisha Figueroa said the new legislation would simply update the

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# House Committee to Consider Third Insurance Exchange Bill lengthy testimony and de-

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**BOISE** • On Monday morning, the House Health and Welfare Committee will consider printing another insurance exchange bill. David Hensley from Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter's office is presenting the new bill to the committee.

This isn't the first exchange bill the Legislature has considered this session. Hensley also introduced Otter's original insurance exchange bill in February. That passed the Senate Commerce and Human Resources Committee, then the Senate as a whole, after bates.

A trailer bill, introduced in the House in February, would have added more legislative oversight. The House Health and Welfare Committee was originally going to hear that bill on Feb. 25, but that bill was ultimately pulled.

So what's in the new bill? "It's going to be a combination of (the two bills), with other input we've received from other lawmakers," said Jon Hanian, Otter's press secretary, on Friday after-

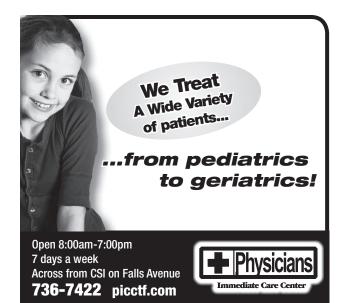
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# Calling All Cooks

Reporter Tetona Dunlap visits a recipe swap in Rupert and finds out what makes them the best in Minidoka County.

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# Senior Center Needs New Ovens

Washington Street South

Eastland Drive South

BY LAURIE WELCH lwelch@magicvallev.com

RUPERT • If the heart of a home is its kitchen – how vital is the Minidoka County Senior Center's continued ability to provide meals for homebound seniors and others at the center five days a week?

Joan Call, chairwoman of the board of directors for the senior center, said when the center was built in 1986 the commercial double oven and commercial range were purchased used. They were 1975 models and are now so old that parts are no longer available. Cost estimates to replace them have come in between \$12,000 and \$20,000 for the double oven and another \$2,000 for the

"We have to watch the food very carefully when we're cooking," said Mary Bendele, cook at the center.

The top oven doesn't work at all and the lower one burns food on one side and doesn't cook at all on the other.

"The cooks constantly have to rotate the pan as the food cooks," Bendele said.

Only two of the burners on the range work.

"In order to keep the center open, we have to deliver Meals on Wheels," Call said. "If they quit working altogether it could potentially close the center."

The center provides 82 meals to homebound seniors Monday through Friday and each participant get an extra two frozen meals on Friday



Crime and Incident Report

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Source: City of Twin Falls

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Minidoka County Senior Center Meals on Wheels Coordinator Linda Branson assembles meals for homebound senior citizens Friday at the center.

"For many of the seniors, this is their home away from home and sometimes it's the only hot meal they get."

**Joan Call,** chairwoman of the board of directors for the senior center

to last over the weekend. The center prepares from 35 to 75 additional meals that are eaten at the center's dining room five days a week.

"For many of the seniors, this is their home away from home and sometimes it's the only hot meal they get," Call

said.

Ruth Rowley, vice chairwoman of the center's board of directors said she has delivered Meals on Wheels before and the service is a lifeline for many participants.

"A lot of times they want you to stay and talk because you are the only person they

see all day," said Rowley.
Call said emergency repairs have a way of sneaking in and pushing back replacement of the kitchen appliances. Recently, a compressor went out on the center's walk-in freezer, which cost

\$4,000 to repair, she said.

Betty Martin, board member, said the center operates on some donations from the county and city and

# Help out

The Minidoka County Senior Center needs a new commercial double oven and range 702 11th Street, Rupert

Call 208-436-9107

other organizations but many of the funding sources are not consistent

are not consistent.

The center holds numerous fundraising dinners and events and is currently selling cinnamon rolls on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The cinnamon rolls cost \$1.50 each and can be pre-or-

dered.
"Sometimes, I think we're going to have to buy those ovens one cinnamon roll at a time," said Martin.

# T.F. Teen Experiences Success in Youth Club

BY ANDREW WEEKS aweeks@magicvalley.com

TWIN FALLS • Before joining the Boys and Girls Club of Magic Valley, Merissa Garcia believed she had limits on what she could accomplish. Now she knows otherwise.

The 16-year-old Canyon Ridge High School student recently competed for the club's state Youth of the Year award on Thursday in Boise.

Though Garcia did not win the award — that went to Nampa teen Fernando Chaidez — she walked away with fond memories and more confidence than she can shake a stick at; the \$1,000 scholarship doesn't hurt, either.

"It was really fun," she said. "I got to meet a bunch of other club members and staff, including those who had won the award in the past. I got to hear their stories, got to know them and bonded with them."

Stephanie Hudson, codirector of resource development at the Magic Valley chapter of the club, formerly told the *Times-News* that the club had its eye on Garcia for sometime

ye on Garcia for sometime "She just exuded a lot of the qualities Youth of the Year portray," Hudson said.

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Garcia isn't sad about not winning top honors at the state event; it's the weekly activities with club members that keep a smile on her face.

Garcia serves the local chapter as a volunteer junior staff member and aide in the club's art program. She's also already thinking about her senior project: an art show.

"What I learned from being a member of the club," she said, "is that we can do things with our lives better than we thought we could."

Club leaders encourage youth to spread their wings and try new things — exactly what Garcia has done.

And she knows how she'll use the scholarship money: she plans first to attend the College of Southern Idaho, but eventually would like to study abroad. Her goal is to become a history teacher.

Currently, she only wishes there were more youth her age in the club.

The Boys and Girls Club is open to youth from age 5 to 18. Few of them in the local chapter are teens, Garcia said.

"I'd encourage more teens to join," she said, noting it really is a confidence builder.

# Snowmobiler Killed in Central Utah Avalanche

**FERRON, Utah (AP)** • The victim of a central Utah avalanche has been identified as a Draper man.

Authorities say 32-yearold James Childs was snowmobiling with other family members Friday afternoon in the Manti-LaSal National Forest about 10 miles southwest of Ferron when he told them he wanted to climb a hill.

Sevier County Sheriff

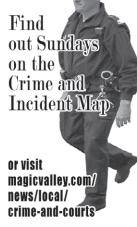
Nathan Curtis says family members later realized they could no longer hear or see Childs and discovered a fresh avalanche.

It took search teams from Sevier and Sanpete counties about five hours until they found Child's body and snowmobile Friday night.

The avalanche was some 150 yards wide, 100 yards long and 10 feet deep.







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This Feb. 2010 file photo, provided by the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, shows wolf coordinator Russ Morgan with a female wolf pup just fitted with a radio collar in northeastern Oregon.

# Oregon's No-kill Wolf Ban Spurs Nonlethal Options

BY JEFF BARNARD

Associated Press

GRANTS PASS, Ore. • As long as wolves have been making their comeback, biologists and ranchers have had a decidedly Old West option for dealing with those that develop a taste for beef: Shoot to kill. But for the past year, Oregon has been a wolf-safe zone, with ranchers turning to more modern, nonlethal ways to protect livestock.

While the number of wolves roaming the state has gone up, livestock kills haven't - and now conservation groups are hoping Oregon can serve as a model for other Western states working to return the predator to the wild.

"Once the easy option of killing wolves is taken off the table, we've seen reluctant but responsible ranchers

stepping up," said Rob Klavins of the advocacy group Oregon Wild. "Conflict is going down. And wolf recovery has got back on track."

The no-kill ban has been in

place since September 2011. That's when the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife announced it planned to kill two members of the Imnaha wolf pack in northeastern Wallowa County for taking livestock. Conservation groups sued, arguing that rules allowing wolves to be killed to reduce livestock attacks did not comply with the state Endangered Species Act. The Oregon Court of Appeals stepped in, prohibiting wolf kills while the two sides work to settle, although ranchers who catch wolves in the act of killing livestock may still shoot them.

At the end of 2012, wolf numbers in the state had risen to 46 from 29 in 2011, according to state fish and wildlife officials. Meantime, four cows and eight sheep were killed last year by two separate packs, while 13 cows were killed by one pack in

Wallowa County cattle rancher Karl Patton started giving nonlethal methods a try in 2010, after he fired off his pistol to chase off a pack of wolves in a pasture filled with cows and newborn calves. State wildlife officials provided him with an alarm that erupts with bright lights and the sound of gunshots when a wolf bearing a radio-tracking collar treads near. He also staked out fladry at calving time. The long strings of red plastic flags flutter in the wind to scare away wolves. The flags fly from an electrically charged wire that gives off a jolt to predators that dare touch it.

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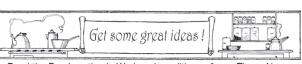
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The Twin Falls County Sheriff's Office asks anyone with information about Sheets's whereabouts to call 735-1911 or Crime Stoppers at 732-5387, where tipsters can remain anonymous and may be eligible for a cash reward.





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# UI President Turnover Causes Some Concern

MOSCOW (AP) — The apparent departure of another University of Idaho president is a cause for concern, Idaho State Board of Education Vice President Don Soltman said.

Since 2003, the school has had four different leaders. That has included two presidents and two interim presidents.

On Friday, regents at Texas Tech University selected UI President Duane Nellis, 58, as the lone finalist to become that school's president. State law requires 21 days to pass before final action is taken on the appointment.

"In a way, it is a little disap-

pointing at the university because we desperately need stability," Soltman said. "I think that President Nellis was giving us that. It would have been nice to continue that?

Soltman said Nellis has agreed to continue at UI through June. Nellis started in 2009 after the school conducted an 11-month search.

"I am personally devastated," said Tom Bitterwolf, a University of Idaho chemistry professor who served on the search committee that found Nellis. "I grieve because he has left so much unfinished."

School officials said Nellis

wouldn't be available for comment until after Texas Tech makes its decision final.

But Nellis issued several statements. On the University of Idaho website, speaking for himself and his wife, he wrote: "Ruthie and I care deeply for the University of Idaho and are so proud of Idaho's 'flagship' national research university and all the people who make it successful. At the same time, I did not expect to be presented with the unique and exciting opportunity that the presidency at Texas Tech University represents."

The use of the word 'flag-

ship' by Nellis conflicts with the state Board of Education, which last year struck the word 'flagship' from the school's mission statement. The board said the word simply carried too much weight, suggesting a special prominence over the state's other universities. Nellis said the board's decision could have negative consequences.

In a statement released by Texas Tech, Nellis said, "Texas Tech University is one of the nation's rapidly emerging public research universities, and I am grateful to be a part of the university's exciting and promising future."

# Fans Keep Love Alive for 'Walking Dead' Star

BY NICOLE EVATT

Associated Press

LOS ANGELES • From week to week fans simply never know which characters will survive the relentless zombie attacks on AMC's hit series "The Walking Dead."

That unpredictability keeps viewers on the edge of their seats and the shows' stars in a constant state of alertness.

"You see series and they last a long time and sometimes the writing gets lazy or the acting gets lazy. Because we're in a zombie apocalypse and anyone can go at any time, it sort of keeps us fresh and on our toes," Norman Reedus told The Associated Press Friday.

Fans lined up around the block to watch a panel discussion with Reedus and his co-stars at Paleyfest, the annual Southern California TV celebration. Many in the  $crowd\,showed\,their\,support$ for Reedus' crossbowwielding character, Daryl Dixon, with their "If Daryl dies we riot!" T-shirts.

The 44-year-old actor says his vocal fan base is responsible for his character's impressive longevity in a series that seems to have no qualms in axing its most popular characters.

"Hell yes. Oh my god, yes," he said. "(They're) keeping me on the show."

"The Walking Dead" focuses on a rag-tag band of surviving refugees, including unruly brothers Daryl and Merle Dixon, who were not part of the series' comic book origins.

"I want to be Daryl Dixon in my next life," joked costar Laurie Holden. "He's sexy and he's got the rugged thing going on."

When asked about his breakout star status, Reedus becomes humble and tries to turn the spotlight on his Golden Globe-nominated cast.

"I watch them grow and I watch myself grow. It's one of those acting things where like I'll be in a scene with her or with him and I'll say should I try this? And they'll go 'yeah' and I'll believe them and I'll trust them. Everyone wants everyone to just kill it," Reedus said with a laugh.

# Some Pushing Back against Arming Utah Teachers

BY PAUL FOY

Associated Press

**SALT LAKE CITY •** A new of concerns have emerged as more Utah teachers seek to arm themselves in the classroom.

The pushback comes as gun advocates urge teachers to pack guns against an intruder. Utah law allows teachers and anyone else licensed to carry concealed weapons to wear a gun in a public school. But some believe teachers should disclose to parents that they're packing, and that alarmed parents should be able to request a different classroom for their children.

To accomplish all of this, Rep. Carol Spackman Moss has drafted legislation for action by the Utah House.

"I see this not as a gun bill, but a parents' rights bill," said Moss, a Democrat from the upscale Salt Lake City suburb of Holladay. "The worst thing to have is a lot of teachers with guns. My constituents - parents and teachers — all say this is the wrong approach."

Gun lobbyists say the legislation runs counter to common sense because pri-

vacy is a cornerstone of having a permit to wear a concealed weapon. Unlike many other states, Utah doesn't draw a line on concealed weapons at public schools, and instructors say more teachers are applying for the permit. Educators say they have no way of knowing how many teachers are arming themselves because they don't have to disclose it.

The efforts to arm or train Utah teachers to confront assailants came only weeks after a gunman killed his mother and then went on a rampage through Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, Conn., killing 20 children and six adults before killing himself.

Nearly 200 Utah teachers showed up Dec. 27 for the first firearms instruction course offered by Utah's leading gun lobby, which waived a \$50 fee

for the training. "I thought it was an overreaction and a poor way to ensure school safety," said Moss, a retired English teacher. "The best thing schools can do for safety is to make sure teachers can lock the doors of their classrooms. There are a lot of situations teachers can control without guns."

Moss acknowledged that teachers were of two minds on gun safety. Some see no problem packing guns in classrooms. Others are horrified by the presence of weapons. Many administrators say guns are fraught with danger. Among the potential dangers they point to are teachers being overpowered for their weapons or misfiring in a panic and hitting innocent bystanders.

But school administrators and state education officials almost universally argue that arming teachers is unwise.

"The more guns you have in the school, the more dangerous it is," Leslie Keisel, superintendent of the North Sanpete School District, has told The Associated Press.

Yet teachers are among the most responsible gun owners and forcing them to disclose when they bring guns to schools would only demonize them, argues Clark Aposhian, chairman of the Utah Shooting Sports Council, the state's biggest gun lobby.

"It's a terrible idea," said

Aposhian, a tactical firearms instructor. "It targets teachers who are feeling vulnerable and choose this method of self-defense rather than protect students by jumping in front of bullets."

Utah is among a few states that let people carry licensed concealed weapons into public schools without exception, according to the National Conference of State Legislatures. Anyone can pack a legally concealed weapon at schools in Utah, although it took a law enacted a dozen years ago to expressly allow it. Legislators took action to overrule some school districts that were trying to enforce their own gun rules.

"We've had 12 years of no problems, let alone a pattern of problems," Aposhian said. 'We trust our kids with teachers every day. Why do we think they'll be any danger?"

Aposhian said Moss' bill has virtually no chance of passage in a state that celebrates gun ownership. Legislators are moving in the opposite direction, advancing a proposal to do away with the requirement of a permit for a concealed weapon.

# Savings Continued from the front page

This partially symbolic gesture seeks to show lawmakers that predicted economic benefits aren't merely empty promises and to overcome stiff opposition from counties, cities and public schools. The Idaho Association of Commerce and Industry, to which Century Link belongs, argues repeal would generate \$6.19 in income for Idaho residents and businesses for every dollar lost to the state, according to its 2007 study.

"The business community has been consistent in its messaging that any savings would be used for economic development purposes, or put back in the business," Lodge said.

Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter has made repeal a top priority for the 2013 Legislature. His draft proposal would somehow find \$90 million in new general fund revenue - ideally from projected economic growth - by 2020 to offset some of the loss, while shifting the remainder of the burden to local governments. Otter's bill was circulated among legislators and others two weeks ago.

Sour reaction from counties, cities and school boards has been accompanied by criticism from Otter's former chief economist-turned-chief critic, Mike Ferguson. They argue the state can't afford to repeal property taxes.

Ferguson, now the Idaho Center for Fiscal Policy's director, insists it would devastate Idaho's 115 school districts because the burden of paying for future supplemental levies that many districts use to cover operations would shift to homeowners who pay local - not state property taxes. Voters facing higher taxes would be less eager to support them,

"As I hear, businesses want to have an educated workforce that is productive, and I already hear businesses complain they have a difficult time hiring qualified employees," Ferguson said.

Most of the biggest potential tax-relief beneficiaries are Idaho Association of Commerce and Industry members. Idaho Power Co., Idaho's biggest utility, is the biggest personal property taxpayer, at roughly \$10 million to \$15 million annually, according to state estimates.

Union Pacific Railroad is No. 2 at \$5.4 million, while agricultural giant Simplot Industries and semiconductor maker Micron Technology Inc. pay some \$3.3 million each. The bill for PacifiCorp's Rocky Mountain unit equals about \$3.1 million annually, followed by Century Link at \$2.9 million.

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Three gas-related companies, including Intermountain Gas Co. in Boise, pay about \$1 million each.

Micron lobbyist Mike Reynoldson contends the century-old personal property tax is a relic of a bygone era that saps money from equipment-heavy companies like his, regardless of profitability, and he argues that money could otherwise be invested in global competitiveness. Micron's net loss widened in the last quarter to \$275 as demand million, slumped.

"It's not based on how much that manufacturer consumes in services and it's not based on the profitability of that taxpayer," Reynoldson said. "It's based purely on the fact that their business depends on a heavy capital investment." Jeff Malmen, Idaho

Power's top lobbyist, said regulated utilities would pass along savings to industrial, agricultural and residential customers, via lower electricity rates.

That would make Idaho more attractive for companies to do business, LaBeau

LaBeau also believes local governments are exaggerating funding impacts.

Even personal property tax-dependent counties like southeastern Idaho's Caribou and Power, with big phosphate-processing operations, would lose just 3 percent of total property tax income by 2020 under Otter's proposal, according to IACI's calculations. If necessary, they could make up losses by shifting the burden to homeown-

Such "cocktail napkin calculations" invoke Association of Counties Executive Director Dan Chadwick's ire, who contends LaBeau is overstepping his expertise by asserting how local governments can manage resources.

"They have no clue what it's like to manage a county budget," Chadwick said.

So far, House Speaker Scott Bedke, R-Oakley, concedes that local government concerns have resonated among lawmakers.

"They have been pretty effective," Bedke said, assessing representatives

Former Speaker Lawerence Denney, R-Midvale, was also frank about Otter's proposal. "It's getting some rough treatment," he said.

The Republican governor isn't giving up, however, with aides working on a revamped plan said to include \$130 million in state replacement money over seven years.

"Anytime you start talking about changing tax structure, there are folks that are going to be nervous about it," spokesman John Hanian said.

# Eastern Idaho Scientists Reveal a Big Fish Story

POCATELLO (AP) • It appears the big one got

away in eastern Idaho. Scientists using CAT scans and 3-D virtual reconstructions have determined that fish fossil teeth found in the region as well as in Utah don't belong to a giant shark, but instead come from a species more closely related to ratfish.

Leif Tapanila is an Idaho State University associate professor of geosciences and also a research curator with the Idaho Museum of Natural History.

He told the *Idaho State* Journal that scientists determined the teeth fit in the back of the jaw. He said that shark teeth would be located in the front of the

"New CT scans of a unique specimen from Idaho show the spiral of teeth within the jaws of the animal, giving new information on what the animal looked like, how it ate," said Tapanila.

He said the study, "Jaws for a spiral toothwhorl: CT images reveal novel adaptation and phylogeny in fossil Helicoprion," is being published by the Royal Society, based in London.

The museum in eastern Idaho has the largest public collection of the fossilized teeth.

Part of the problem in classifying the fish, scientists said, is that it had cartilage for a skeletal structure rather than bone.

But based on 3-D virtual reconstruction of the fish's jaw, scientists can determine other characteristics. As a result, the Idaho Museum of Natural History is creating a 13-foot-long Helicoprion. Experts say the fish likely grew to 25

The model will be part of the museum's new exhibit on the fish that will open this summer. It will include artwork by Ray Troll, a noted scientific illustrator.

# Repeal

assessments less than \$100,000. That repeal would go into effect only if the state's budget grows 5 percent in one year - something that hasn't happened since the law passed.

But that 2008 repeal won't benefit the state's largest companies.

The eight contributors to the Prosperity Fund who paid the most personal property tax in their counties all paid more than \$100,000 - meaning theywould still have to pay, even in the event of that 5 percent growth.

Though they would benefit from a total repeal, some companies are hesitant to voice support. Most companies contacted declined to comment.

Bob Boeh, vice president of government affairs for the Idaho Forest Group, said the group is waiting for an actual bill to come up before taking a position on repeal. The company's main concern: Lost revenue for local taxing dis-

"We want to make sure

that the counties and cities are made whole by any provision before we would support it," Boeh said.

Boeh added that the

Prosperity Fund donation is an annual contribution for the company. Idaho Forest Group is

the top personal property tax payer in Boundary, Kootenai and Idaho coun-LaBeau said though there is widespread sup-

port for personal property

tax repeal among IACI members, not all companies are approaching the repeal proposal the same way. "I think it's businesses want to make sure that the services that are provided in their communities

are going to be OK, and are taking a very responsible approach to eliminating the tax over the long haul," LaBeau said. Though most of the

donors to the Prosperity Fund are large companies, LaBeau said smaller companies contribute to and become members of IACI.

"Whether you're big and storied or small and starting out, it's a tax that everyone hates," LaBeau said.

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# **OBITUARIES**

# Lewis G. Canfield Jan. 29, 1926-Feb. 25, 2013

**RUPERT** • Lewis Gerald Canfield, age 87, of Rupert, died Monday, Feb. 25, 2013, at his home.

He was born Jan. 29, 1926, in American Falls, Idaho, the son of John Wesley and Mary Jane Malcomb Canfield. Lewis gained his education in Fairview, Idaho, and had lived in Rupert, Declo and American Falls. He married Mollie Booth; they later divorced but have remained good friends ever

He worked at the J.R. Simplot Company for 20 years as a fryer operator. He loved camping, fishing, traveling and really old cars. Most of all, he loved family reunions and spending time with his family.

He is survived by his children, Katrina (Michael) VanLaanen of Filer, Sherrie (Lee) Eddings of Rupert and Lewis "Andy" Canfield of Boise; six grandchildren; and seven great-grandchil-



dren. Lewis was preceded in death by his parents; four brothers, Carl, John, Archie and Joe; three sisters, Margret McBride, Hazel Littlefield and Lorene Booth; and one great-grandson, Afton. He will also be greatly missed by many nieces and nephews.

A graveside service will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday, March 7, at the Pleasant View Cemetery in Burley. Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Rasmussen Funeral Home in Burley.

# Mitchel C. Nelson

Dec. 18, 1959-Feb. 25, 2013

**KIMBERLY** • Mitchel C. Nelson, 53, of Kimberly and formerly of Soda Springs, ran into the arms of Jesus Monday, Feb. 25, 2013, in Twin Falls.

He was born Dec. 18, 1959, in San Manuel, Ariz., the son of Ray Nelson and Janet B. Ashe Nelson. Mitch was raised in Soda Springs and graduated from Soda Springs High School in 1979. He attended Provo Technical College, where he trained as a heavy equipment operator and spent most of his working life as a well driller. Mitch loved the outdoors. He enjoyed motorcycle riding, snowmobiling, fishing, hunting and white-water especially rafting. He maintained a very positive attitude and outlook on life even though he was wheelchair bound for 27 years. Mitch will be remembered as a wonderful son, brother, uncle and friend.

He is survived by his parents, Ray and Janet Nelson of Twin Falls; his sister, Ali-



son (Victor) Arreaga of Jerome; one nephew, Jordan Arreaga; two nieces, Kendall (Dillon) Fowler and Weejie (Abraham) Arreaga; one grand-niece, Mia SunShyne Fowler; and many extended family members and friends. He is preceded in death by his grandparents.

A celebration of Mitch's life will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 23, at the home of Ray and Mitch Nelson, 3510 E. 4000 N. in Kimberly, Idaho.

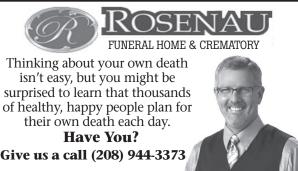
Arrangements are under the care of Farnsworth Mortuary, 1343 S. Lincoln, Jerome, ID 83338.

# College Professor Emeritus Dies

**NEW YORK (AP)** • Irwin Oreskes, a professor emeritus at Hunter College who studied biochemistry and taught laboratory science, has died.

He was 86 years old. Oreskes, who suffered a brain hemorrhage after a fall and died on Friday in Manhattan, was a member of the City University of New York doctoral faculty in biochemistry until his retirement from Hunter College in 2003.







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# **Helen Paulson Kolouch**

SAN FRANCISCO • Helen Paulson Kolouch, a lover of family, fine chocolate and a good ski run, passed away at age 95 in San Franacisco, Calif., on Wednesday, Feb. 13, 2013.

A native of North Dakota, Helen spent her early life in Fargo and Detroit Lakes, where her parents, Irene Finkle and Holger Doran "Happy" Paulson, raised Helen, her twin sister Margie, her sister Kathryn and brother John. Her father and later her brother both served as editor of The Fargo Forum, the region's popular newspaper. Helen valued the experience of growing up in the newspaper world throughout her

Helen attended St. Mary's College in North Bend, Ind., and graduated with her bachelor's degree in political science from the University of Minnesota, where she was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority and where she met her late husband, Fred T. Kolouch, MD. Together they moved to San Francisco in 1939, where Helen began her career as a medical secretary at Shriner's Hospital and Fred completed his internship at San Francisco City and County Hospital.

In 1941, work and family took Helen and Fred from San Francisco back to the Midwest and finally to the Intermountain West where, in 1948, they settled in Twin Falls, Idaho. Helen and her husband discovered the appeal of the mountains in Ketchum, Idaho, where they purchased a small cabin. While raising her family in Twin Falls and later in Salt Lake City, Helen continued her career, first managing her husband's surgery practice and then a medical office complex they built in Twin Falls. Helen relished her role as a businesswoman and property manager, a role she continued until just a few years ago.

In 1988, Helen, then a widow, returned to Idaho and made Ketchum her home. She was happy to return to the Sun Valley area to her old friends and to the golf and skiing she loved sports she enjoyed well into her late 80s. Finally, Helen

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returned to San Francisco, the city where she and her husband had spent the wonderful first years of their marriage, so she could continue to enjoy an active lifestyle at a lower eleva-

Helen's zest for life continued until the day she died. She was much loved by those who cared for her and by her many friends, young and old. She is fondly remembered for her warm hospitality, her smile and her sparkling blue eyes.

Helen was predeceased by her husband and daughter, Peggy. She is survived by her daughter, Karena and her husband, Matthew Fowler of San Francisco; and her three sons, Fred Kolouch of New York City, Tom and his wife, Dr. Zhiping Kolouch of Seattle, and Victor and his wife, Gigia Kolouch of Denver. She is also survived by her nieces and nephews, Mary Ann, James and John Bond, and Jim, Michael, David, Christy and Pat Paulson; and her grandchildren, Karena and Ralf Youtz, Christian Kolouch, Fred and Kathryn Kolouch and Helen Fowler; and greatgrandchild, Ben Youtz.

The family would like to acknowledge Helen's wonderful caregivers at Vintage Coventry, the staff of Sutter Care at Home Hospice and all the friends who brought so much joy, love and dignity to Helen in her last years.

Memorial services will be held in San Francisco and in Ketchum, Idaho. Please contact family members for

Memorial contributions may be sent to Sutter Care at Home Hospice, 1625 Van Ness Ave., San Francisco, CA 94019; Wood River Valley Hospice and Palliative Care, P.O. Box 4320, Ketchum, ID 83340; or to your local Meals on Wheels.

# Verla Marjorie Fuller Gibson Feb. 14, 1918-Feb. 27, 2013

WENATCHEE, Wash. • Verla Marjorie Fuller Gibson and her identical twin sister, Verna Margaret Fuller Holloway, were born on Feb. 14, 1918, at Twin Falls, Idaho, to Ira and Sophia Muffler Fuller. Verla passed away Wednesday, Feb. 27, 2013, at Wenatchee,

She married Melvin H. Gibson on Feb. 18, 1936. They lived on a farm south of Wendell, Idaho, until Melvin died in 1974. Verla resided in her own home in Wendell until 2010. After an accidental fall, she moved to East Wenatchee, Wash. to be with her daughter. Verla was active in Wendell Grange, Orchard Valley Grange, The Rebekah Lodge, Hillandale Club, Pollyanna Club and United Methodist Church in Wendell, Idaho.

Her most exciting trip: to Germany to visit her grandson, Steven, and family. Her most surprising accomplishment: getting lost in Paris, France, and then successfully finding her way back to the hotel. Her most fun trip: to Hawaii, on a cruise with her grandson, Russell, his family, and her twin sister, Verna. Her most fun moments: dyeing Easter eggs with her granddaughter, Peggy, and grandson, Michael, in Denver, Colo. Her proudest honor: being recognized as an outstanding member by the Rebekahs. Her greatest pride: her grandchildren. Her best recipe and favorite food: cheesecake. Her best friend: her twin sister, Verna. Her most cherished friendship: Evelyn Strickland of Wendell, Idaho; they shared every Sunday dinner together for more than 30 years, after their husbands died. Her greatest acting debut: playing Mrs. Marcus Whitman, of 1837, on the Oregon Trail, for the Centennial Celebration for Idaho on the Fourth of July. Her "next to" greatest disappointment: not driving after the age of 90. Her greatest disappointment: the premature death of her husband. Her greatest surprise: that she has lived such a long life.

Survivors include her son, H. Michael Gibson of Moscow, Idaho; daughter, E. Jean Gibson Daniell Smith of East Wenatchee, Wash.; daughter-in-law, Celecta Hall Gibson of Nampa, Idaho; sister, Verna M. Fuller Holloway of Decauter, Texas; 12 grandchildren, Steven P. (Cathy) Daniell of Lacey, Wash., Peggy L. (Greg) Dormaier of Morrison, Colo., Barbara D. (Scott) Borth of Issaquah, Wash., Karen K. (Larry Ma-





ichrzak) Daniell of Chelan, Wash., Robert L. Gibson of Salt Lake City, Utah, Ernest (Trudy) Gibson of Tucson, Ariz., Russell Gibson of Eagle, Idaho, Brian (Robin) Gibson of Antelope, Calif., John (Judy) Gibson of Nampa, Idaho; Michael Gibson, (Breanna) Gibson of Nampa, Idaho; Michelle A. (Chris) Walther of Gig Harbor, Wash., and Jeanne L. (Brad) Williams of Kent, Wash.; 40 great-grandchildren; and 10 great-greatgrandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Melvin H. Gibson, and her son, Robert D. Gibson, both of Wendell, Idaho; her parents, Sophia E. and Ira C. Fuller; an infant sister; her sister, Elsie R. Fuller Enloe; her brothers, George L. Fuller and John Robert (Bob) Fuller; one granddaughter, Debby; and one great-granddaughter, Claire.

A special thank you to Ernie Richardson and Blossom Creek, Wenatchee, Wash.; caregivers and staff for their kindness to our Mother. Memorials may be made to Rebekah Lodge Memorials, P.O. Box 359, Kooskia, ID 83339, or to the charity of choice.

A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, March 9, at the United Methodist Church in Wendell, Idaho, with interment at Wendell Cemetery in Wendell, Idaho.

A reception will then follow services at the LDS Church in Wendell. Arrangements are by Telford's Chapel of the Valley in East Wenatchee, Wash. Interment service is by Demaray Funeral Service, Wendell Chapel. Condolences may be sent to the family by visiting the obituary link at www.demarayfuneralservice.com.



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**OBITUARIES** 

#### TIMES-NEWS

# Marjorie Louella Bauscher July 26, 1924-Feb. 22, 2013

**FAIRFIELD** • Marjorie Louella Bauscher, 88, a resident of Boise and formerly of Fairfield, passed away Friday, Feb. 22, 2013, at Park Center Assisted Living in

Having lived a full and loving life, Marjorie has gone to be with the Lord. She was born July 26, 1924, in Buhl, Idaho, to Libbie (Cibulka) and Lawrence Roubinek. She graduated from Buhl High School and then graduated from Albion Normal College, where she began her lifelong dedication to teaching. She taught school in Gooding, Buhl, Eden and many years at Camas County Elementary in Fairfield. Always looking to improve her teaching skills, she spent several summers at BSU and earned her Bachelor of Arts in elementary education.

Marjorie married Allen Bauscher on June 24, 1948. She and Allen made their home in Fairfield, where they ran a successful farming and ranching operation. Marj was a major contributor to the success of the operation, feeding ranch hands at roundups, delivering snacks to the fields during harvest, and delaying the purchase of a desired sofa so they could buy a new bull and occasionally waking to find a newborn calf in the kitchen that had been born on a subzero Fairfield

To say that Marj kept busy is an understatement, she had unstoppable energy and drive. Not only did she help run the ranch, teach school, but she was very involved in the community. She was active in the Fairfield Community Church, served on the Camas County Planning and Zoning Commission, the Camas Library Board, the American Cancer Society, numerous women's cattle associations and wrote the "Camas Chatter" for the newspaper. She also found time to raise three children, was the consummate hostess, a 4-H leader and provided support and creative entertainment for her grandchildren. She was dedicated to reading her Bible and made time for daily devotions. She enjoyed making quilts for her grandchildren and often gave them as gifts to newborns.

As a lifelong learner, Marj



was determined to learn the computer (much to Al's dismay) and the art of email (sometimes to the amusement of her grandchildren). Always organized, Marjorie wrote her own obituary. Drafts of which date back many years and included numerous footnotes and annotations as life changed along the way. Always humble and drawn to the practical, her drafts were technically accurate but self effacing. We have taken the liberty of expanding on her drafts.

Marjorie was preceded in death by her son, Larry, and her husband, Allen. She is survived by her son, Randy (Mary) Bauscher, and daughter, Paula (Drew) Forney; grandchildren, Miranda (Jeff) Gibson, Brenda Fries, Bill Bauscher, Joe (Kari) Forney, Betsy (Eli) Schmoeger, Suzy Forney, Christie Bauscher, Mike Bauscher and Anthony Barinaga; and great-grandchildren, Kayla and Nicolas Gibson; Madyson, Haylee, Darbie and Paul Fries; Jaxson Bauscher; Jack and Isolabella Forney and Wade Schmoeger. She also leaves behind her sister, Audrey (Mervin) Randall of Buhl; and several nieces and nephews; and special friend, Debbie Despot.

A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, March 8, at Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel. No public visitation will be held. She will be laid to rest at Elwood Cemetery in Gooding, next to her beloved husband, Allen.

Memorial contributions in Marjorie's name may be made to the Camas County Library, P.O. Box 292, Fairfield, ID 83327.

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.

# **Scott Mitchell Anderson**

Nov. 5, 1940-Feb. 27, 2013

GOODING Scott Mitchell Anderson, 72, a resident of Gooding, passed away Wednesday, Feb. 27, 2013, at home.

Scott was born Nov. 5, 1940, in Wendell, Idaho, to Darrell and Rae (Mitchell) Anderson. He was raised in Wendell and Gooding, graduated from Gooding High School in 1959 and received his Bachelor of Science degree in Forestry Range Management from the University of Idaho in 1964. He was employed with the Bureau of Land Management for more than 40 years, working in Oregon, Montana and Idaho.

Scott was an avid sportsman, participating in archery, fly fishing, and hunting. Well-made and properly maintained equipment was very important to him, so much so that he learned to enjoy fletching his own arrows, tying flies, building fly rods, modifying and repairing firearms, reloading bullets, and tuning skis. He enjoyed sharing his love and knowledge of the outdoors and of the sporting life with his family.

He married Mary Belle (Garner) on Aug. 3, 1974, at Stanley Lake. They made their home in Dillon and Butte, Mont., as well as Paul and Gooding, Idaho. Scott was a loving and devoted husband and considered himself lucky to have married his best friend.

Scott always enjoyed working with his hands. In addition to crafting his own fishing and archery gear, he tooled leather goods, crafting belts and purses for many people in the area. His home, yard, and acreage were also a source of great pride. For many years he kept a sizeable garden, and he did much of the interior trim work in the house he and Mary Belle built. When golf became his activity of choice, he built golf clubs and replaced grips for the sheer pleasure of it, but with the conviction that custom-made, hand-built products gave superior performance. He devoted himself to the intensive study of the game of golf to the degree that several of his family members wondered if it was fun for him at all. Yet he kept at it, so it must have been.

Scott underwent quadruple, open-heart by-



pass surgery in October 2012. His last few months were spent doing the thing he loved the most: spending time with his granddaughter, Kylah. The two of them spent many enjoyable days together playing tetherball, shopping 'til they dropped, grabbing a snack, or whatever else their hearts desired.

Scott is survived by his wife, Mary Belle; son, Aaron Anderson (Britton) of White Rock, N.M.; daughter, Amy Anderson of Gooding; brother, Stanley Anderson (Yvonne) of Boise; sister, Gayle Yakovac DeSmet (Reece) of Gooding; two nieces, Stacie Voorn (Paul) and Calley Milne (Scott); a nephew, Stony Yakovac (Teresa); and his precious grandchildren, Kylah, Rhys and Alanna. He was preceded in death by his parents.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, March 5, at the United Methodist Church in Gooding.

A Scott Anderson Youth Memorial Golf Scholarship has been established. Contributions can be sent to: Scott Anderson Youth Memorial Golf Scholarship, in care of Bob Anderson, 1550 E. 2100 S., Gooding, ID

Arrangements are under the care and direction of Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel.



### DEATH NOTICES

### **Arthur Clark**

TWIN FALLS • Arthur King Clark, 93, of Twin Falls, died Friday, March 1, 2013, at his home.

The funeral will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, March 9, at the LDS Chapel, 667 Harrison St. in Twin Falls; visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday, March 8, at White Mortuary in Twin Falls and one hour before the service Saturday at the

### Donna Fuqua

**GOODING** • Donna Marie Fuqua, 84, of Gooding, died Friday, March 1, 2013, at St. Luke's Magic Valley Medical Center in Twin Falls.

Arrangements will be announced by Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel.

### Robert Daigle

TWIN FALLS • Robert Joseph Daigle, 87, of Twin Falls, died Saturday, March 2, 2013, at St. Luke's Medical Center

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# Creator of Game 'Diplomacy' Dies

CHICAGO • As a kid rooting around in the attic of his boyhood home, Allan Calhamer stumbled across an old book of maps and became entranced by faraway places that no longer existed, such as the Ottoman and Austro-Hungarian empires.

That discovery and a brewing fascination with world politics and international affairs were the genesis of "Diplomacy," the board game he would create years later as a history student at Harvard University in the

1950s. After its commercial release in 1959, the game earned a loyal legion of fans in the U.S. and elsewhere that reportedly included President John F. Kennedy, Henry Kissinger and Walter Cronkite, among others.

Calhamer died Monday at a hospital in the western Chicago suburbs where he grew up, his daughter Selenne Calhamer-Boling said. He was 81.

"He was brilliant and iconoclastic and designed this game that's played around the world, and he's adored by nerds throughout the world," his daughter said by phone Saturday. "But at the end of the day he was a great dad. He was at all the T-ball games and all the screechy, horrible orchestra concerts and all the klutzy ballet recitals. I guess that's how I'll remember him."

Calhamer tested early versions of the game out on Harvard classmates before perfecting it. After its commercial release, Avalon Hill bought the rights to it.





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# **OBITUARIES**

# Beulah M. Hicks

July 24, 1921-Feb. 28, 2013

BURLEY • Beulah Maxine Taylor Hicks, age 91, of Burley, passed away Thursday, Feb. 28, 2013, at Parke View Rehabilitation Care Center in Burley.

"Boots," as she was best known, was born July 24, 1921, in Blanchard, Okla., the daughter of Joseph and Bessie Winchester Rose. Her early life was spent in Oklahoma and Missouri until her family moved to Twin Falls when Boots was 14. She spent the remainder of her life in Idaho, where she made her home in Burley.

She is survived by two sons, Michael (Linda) Taylor of Almo and Kerry (Suzan) Taylor of Paul; one daughter, Kristi Leoni of Burley; nine grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; one brother, Joe "Sonny" Rose of Jerome; and two sisters, Jean Sund of Twin Falls and June Smith of Nampa.

Boots was preceded in death by her husband,



William Hicks; her parents; one sister, Myrtle; and two daughters, Sharon (LeRoy) Uhrich and Gayle (Rod) Kinney.

At Boots' request, a private memorial service will be held at a future time. Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Rasmussen Funeral in Burley.

The family would like to thank the staff of Parke View Rehabilitation Care Center and Horizon Home Health and Hospice for the special care they took of Boots.

# Ron Lancaster

Aug. 22, 1959-Feb. 28, 2013

JEROME • Ron Lancaster, 53, of Jerome, was born to Ron Lancaster Sr. and the late Faye Lancaster on Aug. 22, 1959, in Twin Falls and passed away Thursday, Feb. 28, 2013.

He dedicated his life's work to the Jerome City Fire Department, giving more than 20 years of service. Ron spent his leisure time with wife, Dennisa, playing softball, bowling and golfing. They enjoyed their last 18 holes together.

He is survived by his wife, Dennisa; father, Ron Sr. and Ann Lancaster; brother and sister, Rusty and Lorie Lancaster of Jerome and Elaine and Byron Hager of Eden; stepsisters, Faye Wilson of Kimberly, Christine and David Ash of Austin, Texas; children, Christopher and Katie Lancaster of Sandpoint, Megan and Luke Arellano of Jerome, Sean Lancaster of Shoshone and Veronica (Ronnie) Lancaster of stepchildren, Ierome:



Anthony and Cristin Bates of Jerome, Michelle and Jake Sisson of Filer and Josh Hensley of Jerome; and loving grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Public viewing will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. Monday, March 4, at the Demaray-Robertson Funeral Home in Jerome. A funeral service will be held at 1 p.m. Tuesday, March 5, at the Demaray-Robertson Funeral Home in Jerome. Burial will take place at the Jerome Cemetery, with a potluck following at the Snake River Elks Lodge.

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# Katherine E. Heidel

July 17, 1915-Feb. 22, 2013

CASTLEFORD • Katherine Heidel, longtime resident of Castleford, died peacefully at home surrounded by her family on Friday, Feb. 22, 2013.

Born in Missouri as Katherine Elizabeth Carter on July 17, 1915, to Otha and Francis Carter, she was the sixth of seven children. She moved to northern Idaho in 1925 after the death of her parents to live with her aunt and uncle, Tillie and Robert Gooch. This long, solo trip by train to St. Maries at age 10 was the first indication of her strength of character and her ability to embrace life in whatever form it arrived. When life became difficult she found a way to be positive and when life was good she celebrated and shared it with everyone around.

While Katherine was living in Boville, Idaho, she met the dashing, intelligent new superintendent of the local schools, Earl Heidel, and they were married on July 20, 1936. In 1945, after living in several communities in central Idaho and when Earl's dad was ready to retire from farming, they moved to the Heidel Homestead north of Castleford. They lived and raised their family of five children on the farm.

Katherine displayed a lifelong commitment to the Castleford community, the United Methodist Church, and caring for her family. She visited the ill and shutin until the age of 96. Her love of reading, learning, keeping up with the issues of the day and championing the causes of the disenfranchised was an inspiration to many. She penned a poem for many occasions. She enjoyed 63 years of marriage until Earl's death in 1999. The high regard for her service to the community was recognized when



she was the first woman to receive the Outstanding Service Award by the Castleford Men's Club in

She is survived by four children, John (Marian) Heidel of Kailua, Hawaii; Gary (Mavis Easterday) Heidel of Castleford, Idaho; Judith (Reva Bryant) Heidel of Castleford, Idaho; and Peggy (Bob) Gordon of Kanehoe, Hawaii. She is preceded in death by her parents; siblings; husband, Earl (1999); and son, Richard (1975). Katherine's children, five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren will always be grateful for her presence and guidance in their lives. The reality of a truly good person who has filled 97 years with love, compassion and integrity is a blessing.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in Katherine's name to the Castleford United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 667, Castleford, ID 83321, or the Castleford Quick Response Unit, P.O. Box 682, Castleford, ID 83321.

A celebration of life will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 6, at the Castleford United Methodist Church, 303 Elm St. in Castleford. The Rev. Tish Hetrick will officiate. Cremation services are under the direction of Heidi Heil of Serenity Funeral Chapel and Life Celebration Center in Twin Falls.

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SERVICES

**Leona Simpson Brandon** of Twin Falls, funeral at 3 p.m. today, March 3, at Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home, 2551 Kimberly Road in Twin Falls.

Irene Barr Clark of American Fork, Utah, and formerly of Burley, funeral at 10 a.m. Monday, March 4, at the Salt Lake LDS 8th Ward Chapel, 270 E. 500 S.; visitation from 8:45 to 9:45 a.m. Monday at the church (Larkin Mortuary in Salt Lake City, Utah).

**Ned F. Bowen** of Burley, funeral at 11 a.m. Monday, March 4, at the View LDS Church, 490 E. 550 S. of Burley; visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. today, March 3, at the Rasmussen Funeral Home, 1350 E. 16th St. in Burley, and 10 to 10:40 a.m. Monday at the church.

Marjorie Louise Barigar of Buhl, funeral at 11 a.m. Monday, March 4, at Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl; visitation from 10 to 11 a.m. Monday at the funeral home.

**Kenneth L. Ohlinger** of Gooding, funeral at 1 p.m. Monday, March 4, at Demaray Funeral Service, Gooding Chapel; visitation from 4 to 7 p.m. today, March 3, at the funeral chapel.

William "Bill" Dale Hadden of Shoshone, funeral at 1 p.m. Monday, March 4, at the LDS Church in Pilot Rock, Ore. (Demaray Funeral Service, Shoshone Chapel).

**Charles Woodworth** of American Falls and formerly of Burley, funeral at 11 a.m. Tuesday, March 5, at St. John's Lutheran Church, 656 Tyhee Ave. in American Falls; visitation at 10 a.m. Tuesday at the church (Davis-Rose Mortuary in American Falls).

**Roy Thalman** of Rupert, funeral at 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 6, at the Hansen Mortuary, 710 Sixth St. in Rupert; visitation one hour before the service Wednesday at the mortuary.

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# Helping

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competing in the 2009 Special Olympics World Winter Games in Sun Valley. This weekend, March 1-3, Jack and other volunteers were also on hand to provide the same services at the Special Olympics Idaho 2013 State Winter Games in Boise. Jack also assists in Crohn's disease research at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, N.Y.

According to a 2008 *Times-News* article, Soroptimist International of Burley honored Mary that year as the group's Woman of Distinction and made a donation to Special Olympics Idaho in her name.

"If they see a need in the community they will go to the ends of the world to get it done ... they are just plain good people," said Dave Jones, a member of the Burley Lions Club.

Jack held in his hands a couple of plastic zippered pouches containing yellow and purple toothbrushes, disposable razors, toothpaste and container of mustard.

"I knock on dentists' doors and ask for toothbrushes and paste," Jack said as he stood in Oasis' kitchen.

As the Scouts prepared the meal, cutting up the ham and uncovering the hot food, Jack started to wash dishes in the sink.

"It's fun that the Scouts get to do this. We try to get as many people involved so people realize there's homeless people in Rupert and Burley," he said. "There shouldn't be homeless people, but there is."

In August, the Zarybniskys accepted positions as food inspectors for the U.S. Department of Agriculture. They are in charge of inspecting food at processing plants that supply shelters across the country.

This means quite a bit of traveling around the West for the couple. In early February, Jack was at a processing plant near the border of Wyoming.

For a pair that is suppose to be retired, the Zarybniskys have been busy.

But for the former optometrist and teacher — Mary taught in Mini-Cassia for 39 years — the transition in careers has been smooth and they say they've learned a great deal.

"Ithink part of it is that before we retired we were doing a lot with homeless shelters and individuals. It just fit in with this type of work, we knew how they functioned," Jack said. "They (the homeless) need the very best quality of food ... because they're back on the streets again that night, and as far as I'm concerned it's pretty important these people get very adequate meals."

Whenever Jack and Mary travel to these processing plants, they carry extra blankets and stocking caps in the car — just in case they run into someone in need. During Jack's last trip, he spotted a car that was broke down in a rest stop parking lot. Inside was a family with young children who looked cold, so Jack gave them blankets.

Helping children is another important cause for the couple.

"A lot of shelters are seeing more and more kids coming in, their parents have lost their



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Jack and Mary Zarybnisky stand in front

of Community Oasis Outreach in Rupert.

jobs," Mary said.

Years ago, seeing children in shelters was rare, Jack said. Today it's more common.

The Zarybniskys are now working on coordinating trips to Costa Rica and possibly Africa to bring school supplies to children there. These trips aren't a part of any particular group or organization, but are something they chose to pursue on their own.

"Usually people just come to us and ask, 'What do you need help with?'" Mary said.

Betty Brown of Burley is a member of the Piecemakers Quilt Guild, a group of quilters comprised of 22 members. Brown said most of the group's charity quilts go to the Zarybniskys' causes because they know where the quilts are needed. During Christmas the Piecemakers donated quilts of all sizes, including 15 baby quilts.

"As soon as we make enough we give them to them," Brown said.

Before Thanksgiving a group of teenagers from Burley spent hours at the Zarybniskys' house wrapping presents for local children and families — some of whom were staying at Oasis.

"It's so fun watching two or three boys trying to wrap a ball. We just sit back and have a good time," Jack said.

Shope and his wife are the house management at Oasis in Rupert.

He said the Zarybniskys have helped sponsored families at Oasis during the holidays, putting together care packages that include Christmas gifts, hygiene kits, coats and clothing. Shope said meat is the hardest food item to come by because the USDA's rules state it has to be purchased and not donated. So last year, the Zarybniskys gathered donated gift cards to local stores so the shelter could purchase the meat itself.

"They're just the friendliest people I've run across. They always try to help with what they can and they always take on more than their share," Shope said.

As members of Boy Scout Troop 21 served people living in the shelter and those who stopped in for a meal, the Zarybniskys washed dirty dishes that filtered into the kitchen.

After the meal, some of the diners passed through the kitchen on their way out of the shelter, thanking the volunteers, shaking their hands.

"Thank you, God bless," someone said. And before leaving, a woman who came with a young girl stopped and gave Jack a hug.

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# St. Luke's Magic Valley

We held four "Heart Smart" seminars in February that were very well attended by the community, with topics from "Heart Healthy Cooking" to "Exercise and the Healthy Heart."

If you missed our heart seminars, don't miss our upcoming Colon Cancer Awareness seminar, Thursday, March 28, at 6 p.m., at St. Luke's Magic Valley. Dr. Brian Berk, with St. Luke's Clinic Gastroenterology, will present the most current information on colorectal cancer, including risk factors, symptoms, screening, and prevention.

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# Pushing the Pennies into Piles

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or "people need to take responsibility for themselves."
Maybe it's even easy to say more judgmental things like
"lazy" or "entitled." It's easy to wave away the problems and
the poverty with a dismissive statement, but it's much harder — I found this week — to sit in a room and listen to the stories and decide what to do.

For three days this week, from 8 a.m. to noon, I and II other people on the allocations committee listened while non-profit representatives from across the Magic Valley and the Wood River Valley made their cases for United Way funding. They had I5 minutes each to tell us about the need in the community and make a pitch for how a grant from the United Way would help them meet that need.

It was a horrible version of speed dating.

At some point — after listening for hours to the stories about child abuse and domestic violence and senior citizens struggling with hunger and poverty — a part of your mind shuts down. Maybe it goes into shock. And as the person crying in the front of the room tells you about another tragedy, you jot down the numbers and pore through their operating budget to make sure they are good stewards of

each dollar.

I thought of our Magic Valley elected representatives —
Dean Cameron and Maxine Bell — who serve on the state's
Joint Finance Appropriations Committee — and I wondered
how they stood in the middle of so many open hands for so
many months year after year. (I should send them a card.)

It was a tough year for the United Way of South Central Idaho. Donations were down and the need was up. This year, area nonprofits submitted more than \$290,000 in funding requests, but the local United Way had only \$80,000 to give out.

To make matters worse, any nonprofit that relies on government funding kept referring to the sequester and how that could change everything. At the time, we had no idea what was going to happen on Friday.

When people ask for \$3 and you have only \$1 to give, what do you do? Do you let a homebound senior starve? Do you turn your back on a black-and-blue child?

What you do is you look for the nonprofit that can stretch the dollar the furthest. You look at how many volunteers they have and how much they fundraise and ask yourself what would happen if they weren't there to help. At one point, a man came in and told the story of his Mini-Cassia nonprofit. He described it as a well-oiled machine, every dollar accounted for, every food donation used down to the crumb. That tugged at our heart-strings just as much as the horror stories. At the end of three days, we pushed around our pennies into small piles, giving as much as we could to those we felt would touch the most livre.

On Thursday afternoon, I pushed myself away from that conference table, capped my pen and stepped outside. I could see the canyon and the bridge, but I could also see something I hadn't noticed before. I could see all those homebound seniors who rely on Meals on Wheels to eat and that child who has been in four foster homes in the three weeks since he was taken away from his meth-addicted, abusive parents.

What are you supposed to do with that knowledge? Now

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# Vote YES for Education — and for All 6 School Levies

ducation spending in Idaho is low; very low. Make that very, very low. Per pupil spending is near or at the bottom of funding across all 50 states. And funding for schools in the Magic Valley is even lower than the state average.

Something has to be done, and fortunately we are the ones in a position to make it happen.

On March 12, six local school districts have levies on the ballot; the renewal of a \$23 million plant/facilities levy in Cassia County and the renewal of "supplemental" levies in Twin Falls, Hansen, Jerome, Gooding and Camas County. In reality, use of the word "supplemental" to describe this necessary local funding is a gross misstatement. The passage of these levies is critical to the continued education of our children.

Nearly 90 of Idaho's 115 school districts currently have levies, and kids in districts that do not have levies are at a significant disadvantage when preparing to either find employment or climb to the next wrung in their educational future.

In Twin Falls, the two-year \$9 million levy will account for roughly 10 percent of the district's operating funds. Without it, there simply are no easy — or good — outcomes. Increased extracurricular fees, "pay-to-play" if you will, simply does not raise more than a few percentage points of the revenue needed to fund the district at current (but well below 2008) levels. Continuing to forego equipment, textbook and technology upgrades again saves little, leaving district employees, teachers, administrators and support staff to pay the price.

Without the levy, furlough days will skyrocket, already high class sizes will explode, "electives" will be cut and educational output will decline. Period. Without a "Yes" vote on all five supplemental levies, students in Camas County, Jerome, Twin Falls, Hansen and Gooding will suffer in the

short-term and the quality of life and ability for these communities to grow economically will suffer long-term. After all, what business wants to relocate to a community whose residents do not support the education of their children?

The cost of a "yes" vote to an individual taxpayer is quantifiable but rather low in the short-term; generally less than a couple of dollars per month. The cost of a "no" vote is far more difficult to quantify, but will invariably create a less educated student, a less job-ready employee, with the long-term costs of these to our communities very high indeed.

Voters in Camas County, Cassia County, Hansen, Jerome, Gooding and Twin Falls have a choice on March 12; we believe it is a relatively easy one.

We urge voters in each of these areas on March 12 to vote, and to vote "yes" for the future of our teachers, our students, and our tax-paying neighbors.

# In a Rut on Voting Rights Act

rogressives are remarkably uninterested in progress. Social Security is 78 years old and myriad social improvements have added 17 years to life expectancy since 1935, yet progressives insist the program remain frozen, like a fly in amber.

Medicare is 48 years old and the competence and

program remain frozen, like a fly in amber.

Medicare is 48 years old and the competence and role of medicine have been transformed since 1965, yet progressives cling to Medicare "as we know it." And they say the Voting Rights Act, another 48-year-old, must remain unchanged, despite dramatic improvements in race re-

The question concerning which the Supreme

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Court heard oral arguments last Wednesday was whether Section 5 of the VRA is still constitutional, given the disappearance of the conditions that once made it acceptable as a temporary and emergency truncation of states' sovereignty under federalism. In 2008, two years after the fourth renewal of the act, Barack Obama won a higher percentage of the white vote than did Al Gore and John Kerry in 2000 and 2004, respectively. Today Mississippi

has more black elected officials — not more per capita, more — than any other state. Yet defenders of the continuing necessity of Section 5 merely shrug about the fact that race is no longer a barrier to either the nation's highest office or to state and local offices in what once was the state most emblematic of resistance to racial equality.

Last Wednesday, Chief Justice John Roberts, noting that Massachusetts has the worst rate of white turnout compared with that of blacks, and that Mississippi has the best, asked Solicitor General Donald Verrilli: "Is it the government's submission that the citizens in the

South are more racist than citizens in the North?" Verrilli said no. His answer was obviously false. Otherwise, the administration would favor extending Section 5 to the entire nation

Justice Anthony Kennedy asked Verrilli why the government, which purports to believe both that the VRA remains necessary and that there are not regional differences in racism, does not want to make the VRA universally applicable. Verrilli replied that "history remains relevant" and Congress considered it "prudent" in 2006 to maintain Section 5's "deterrent and constraining

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# Initiative Process in Need of Reform

daho Farm Bureau's position on new legislation currently under consideration by the Idaho Legislature that would strengthen the

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voter initiative process is being misunderstood and misrepresented by the media.

The legislation in question, Senate Bill 1108, would ensure there is broad support across the state for any issue before it is placed on the ballot for an initiative or referendum. It does not raise the bar on the total number of signatures required but would require that the signatures that are gathered come from across the state rather than just one or two heavily populated areas. This legislation has nothing to do with the education measures that failed in last fall's election, of which Farm Bureau took no position on.

Recent newspaper editorials cite a previous ruling wherein the court struck down a proposal requiring 6 percent of voters from 22 of Idaho's 44 counties in order to get an initiative on the main ballot. The new legislation specifies 6 percent of voters in 18 legislative districts. A recent editorial in the Nampa Press-Tribune called the change "divisive, cynical, unnecessary and without merit." However, the same court ruling cited by the newspaper also states that "Idaho could achieve the same end through a geographic distribution requirement that does not violate equal protection, for example, by basing any such requirement on existing state legislative districts."

It seems that some newspapers believe that rural Idaho should take a backseat in the initiative process. The arguments raised by those in opposition seem to believe that a class distinction should exist between urban and rural voters. This legislation seeks to correct the discrepancy.

The threat on the horizon comes from large non-governmental organizations like the Humane Society USA and others. Their tactics have worked in several states and placed unnecessary restrictions on agriculture. In fact, their power and influence have become so prevalent that just the threat of them bringing an initiative has caused some states to cave in to their demands. The bottom line here is that the process of lawmaking is difficult for good reasons. It should be challenging for a wealthy, out-of-state organization with an agenda, to come to Idaho and force their way onto our ballot.

To illustrate the issue of numbers, consider that statewide there are 895,834 registered voters. Ada County has 251,467 registered voters as of the last general election. Therefore, it would only take 21.3 percent of registered voters in Ada County to get the required 53,750 signatures. If you add Canyon County, it would take only 15.5 percent of registered voters in those two counties to qualify a measure for the ballot. With numbers like these, why would signature gatherers ever need to venture outside of the Treasure Valley?

Since the 1930s, when the initiative and referendum laws were enacted, demographics in Idaho have changed dramatically. Back then, our population was much more evenly distributed and there was no real danger that one part of the state could potentially impose its will on the rest of the state. Because of increasing urbanization and population declines in rural areas over past decades, it's easily conceivable that the urban areas of the Treasure Valley could place items on the ballot that would be detrimental to rural interests and have the votes to ensure passage. This is one of the main reasons our founding fathers rejected direct democracy in favor of a representative republic.

Many other states also have geographic requirements for their initiative and referendum procedures, many of which are even more restrictive than the one proposed by S1108.

S1108 does not restrict access to the ballot or limit citizens' ability to petition the government. It simply provides an additional "check and balance" to ensure broad support for an idea before it can move forward. While it may require a little more work to gather signatures across the state, that is a small price to pay to ensure that the rights of the minority are protected from the majority.

Frank Priestley is president of the Idaho Farm Bureau.



# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Twin Falls Has New Support Group for Multiple Sclerosis

March is National Multiple Sclerosis Awareness Month.

Everyone knows someone with MS. I have found that to be true ever since my husband and I started raising money for our local MS chapter five years ago.

Idaho has one of the highest rates of multiple sclerosis in the nation and about 80 percent of the money we raise stays right here in Idaho. Our society spends more money on MS research than any other voluntary health agency in the world, investing some \$40 million annually on research programs.

We are looking for caring individuals who would like to volunteer to help coordinate our Walk MS, which will be held Sept. 21 of this year.

We have a newly formed support group that meets the first Thursday of each month at the Shilo Inn. We do not dwell on our disabilities but rather talk about our abilities. It is a place to learn, laugh and meet others while sharing something we all have in common. MS wears many hats, and there is no cure for any of them.

Please help people like myself to keep moving. Volunteer and make a difference. On Facebook, you can go to Magic Valley MS Support Group, Bed Racing for Multiple Sclerosis or contact me, jjfisher@cableone.net, to give you more information.

Remember, March is Multiple Sclerosis Awareness Month. Support a great cause.

JUDY FISHER

Twin Falls

### Lots of Talk about Impeachment, But No Action

I want to say well written to Mike Simmons' response to Sue Harr. You used the perfect word to describe the blind faith of Obama voters, namely, "droolers."

Like Chris Matthews, I think they all must have that shiver down their leg when they think about him. Ms. Harr says to respect our president no matter what. I have always supported a sitting "legal" president. This guy is as far from legal as you can get — fake birth certificate, forged selective service document and a Social Security number that originated in Connecticut where he never ever lived.

Then there is Benghazi — masterminded by Obama to have the ambassador kidnapped by terrorists so that he could swap for the release of the blind Sheikh just in time to be a hero at election time. He didn't count on the brave soldiers that ignored his standdown order and put a kibosh on his plans. He chose to sit and watch them die in real time and blame some idiotic YouTube video.

Ms. Harr, I predict that your president will find a way to circumvent Congress and our laws and remain in power come 2016. If there is an election, he will once again voter fraud his way into the White House. Ms. Harr, I could go on and on about this man's criminal activities, but words are limited so I will give just one more example.

You think gun control is about guns? Think again.

It is completely about people control. Why do you think that while trying to disarm all of us, the Department of Homeland Security has bought up 2 billion rounds of ammunition and still buying? Why are military people being asked if called upon, could they kill fellow Americans? If the answer is no, they are immediately discharged or retired out.

retired out.

Just in case you are interested, Ms. Harr, I also lay a lot of blame on powerful Republicans for not having the guts to fight for this man's impeachment and demand he go to trial for murder of our people in Benghazi. All the conservatives except Rand Paul and Lindsey Graham seem to have stuck their heads in the sand and caved. Lots of talk about impeachment but no action.

If this president does get taken down, it will be due to the efforts of Sheriff Arpaio in Arizona who has a group relentlessly gathering indisputable evidence that we have an illegal immigrant in the White House.

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### Nominate a Special Woman for Rupert Kiwanis Mother's Day Award

The Rupert Kiwanis Club is excited to announce its first Mother's Day Award to honor a special woman for her efforts in benefiting young children (6 and under) and/or pregnant women.

We need your help! We are asking for nominations for women from Minidoka County.

Who might be qualified? A mother or mother figure,

which opens up the field to almost everyone of the female persuasion, someone in the medical, daycare, education profession, your next-door neighbor who has done something outstanding with young children or pregnant mothers, or anyone else you feel has been amazing.

Why are we doing this?

Why are we doing this? Kiwanis International (which we are proudly part of) has accepted the challenge to be a major player in the "Eliminate Project," which will help mothers and babies throughout the world become immune to tetanus, which claims the life of a baby every nine minutes and a mother every 18 minutes. This will be done through the efforts of UNICEF, which is providing tetanus shots and boosters and further education about cleanliness and sterility in the birthing of babies.

How is she nominated? The applications are available at the following locations: Condie, Stoker and Associates, Haskin Insurance and Showkase in Rupert, and the Snake River Bowl in Burley. You may also find it online at www.minidokamemorial.com. Information for returning it to the club is on the application.

The deadline for the nominations is April 5. Please help us honor that amazing lady on May 7 (the Tuesday before Mother's Day) at the Rupert Elks Lodge. Lunch will be provided for the winner and her family and the nominator and his/her family.

CINDY MCWILLIAMS

# Rupert

(Editor's note: Cindy McWilliams is the chairman of the Eliminate Project for the Kiwanis Club of Rupert.)

# How Asians and Westerners Think about Learning

take Confucian sayings that em-

in Li grew up in China during the Cultural Revolution. When the madness was over, the Chinese awoke to discover that far from overleaping the West, they were "economically destitute and culturally barren." This inspired an arduous catch-up campaign. Students were recruited to learn what the West had to offer.Li was one of the students. In university, she abandoned Confucian values, which were then blamed for Chinese backwardness, and embraced German culture. In her book, "Cultural Foundations of Learning: East and West," she writes that Chinese students at that time were aflame - excited by the sudden openness and the desire to catch up.

Li wound up marrying an American, moved to the States and became a teacher. She was stunned. American high school students had great facilities but didn't seem much interested in learning. They giggled in class and goofed around.

This contrast between the Chinese superstudent and the American slacker could be described with the usual tired stereotypes. The Chinese are robots who unimaginatively memorize facts to score well on tests. The Ameri-



cans are spoiled brats who love TV but don't know how to work. But Li wasn't satisfied with those cliches. She has spent her career, first at Harvard and now at Brown, trying to understand how Asians and Westerners think about learning.

The simplest way to summarize her findings is that Westerners tend to define learning cognitively while Asians tend to define it morally. Westerners tend to see learning as something people do in order to understand and master the external world. Asians tend to see learning as an arduous process they undertake in order to cultivate virtues inside the self.

You can look at the slogans on university crests to get a glimpse of the difference. Western mottos emphasize knowledge acquisition. Harvard's motto is "Truth." Yale's is "Light and truth." The University of Chicago's is "Let knowledge grow from more to more; and so be human life

enriched."
Chinese universities usually

phasize personal elevation. Ts-inghua's motto is "Strengthen self ceaselessly and cultivate virtue to nurture the world." Nanjing's motto is "Be sincere and hold high aspirations, learn diligently and practice earnestly."

When Li asked Americans to

When Li asked Americans to randomly talk about learning they used words like: thinking, school, brain, discovery, understand and information. Chinese, on the other hand, tended to use phrases common in their culture: learn assiduously, study as if thirsting or hungering, be diligent in one's learning.

In the Western understanding, students come to school with levels of innate intelligence and curiosity. Teachers try to further arouse that curiosity in specific subjects. There's a lot of active learning – going on field trips, building things. There's great emphasis on questioning authority, critical inquiry and sharing ideas in classroom discussion.

In the Chinese understanding, there's less emphasis on innate curiosity or even on specific subject matter. Instead, the learning process itself is the crucial thing. The idea is to perfect the learning virtues in order to become, ultimately, a sage, which is equally a

moral and intellectual state.
These virtues include: sincerity
(an authentic commitment to the task) as well as diligence, perseverance, concentration and re-

spect for teachers.

In Chinese culture, the heroic scholar may possess less innate intelligence but triumphs over hardship. Li cites the story of the scholar who tied his hair to a ceiling beam so he could study through the night. Every time his head dropped from fatigue, the yank of his hair kept him awake.

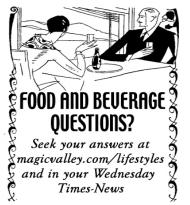
Li argues that Westerners emphasize the Aha moment of sudden insight, while Chinese are more likely to emphasize the arduous accumulation of understanding. American high school students tease nerds, while there is no such concept in the Chinese vocabulary. Western schools want students to be proud of their achievements, while the Chinese emphasize that humility enables self-examination. Western students often work harder after you praise them, while Asian students sometimes work harder after you criticize them.

These cultures are surprisingly enduring, Li notes, even with all the cross-pollination that goes on in the world today. Each has its advantages. I'm mostly struck by

the way the intellectual and moral impulses are fused in the Chinese culture and separated in the West.

It's easy to see historically why this came about. Hellenic culture emphasized skeptical scientific inquiry. With us, religion and science have often been at odds. We're a diverse society, so it's easier to teach our common academic standards in the classroom and relegate our diverse moralities to the privacy of the home.

I'd just note that cultures that do fuse the academic and the moral, like Confucianism or Jewish Torah study, produce these awesome motivation explosions. It might be possible to champion other moral/academic codes to boost motivation in places where it is absent.



# State-based Insurance Exchange Preserves our Options, Protects our Interests

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t my request and after careful, deliberate consideration, the Idaho Senate recently approved legislation affirming my choice of a state-based health insurance exchange.

That bill now goes to the Idaho House of Representatives, where debate figures to be just as passionate. That's understandable, since most members of the Idaho Legislature share my intense opposition to the so-called Affordable Care Act, better known as Obamacare.

But the issue before us has nothing to do with how we feel about Obamacare, how we feel about overreaching federal authority and the government's failure in this gargantuan and unworkable piece of law to address the essential goals of more affordable and accessible health care.

It has quite simply to do with our right and responsibility to keep as many options as possible open to the people of Idaho. As much as we might object to the necessity, creating a statebased exchange is the only way to preserve options, oversight and accountability for our citizens.

If we fail to seize this opportunity, if we default to total federal control of this process, the result will be an unresponsive, one-sizefits-all federal exchange wreaking havoc on some of America's most reasonable costs of coverage.

At its core, this is a matter of state and individual rights. A state-based exchange enables us as citizens to be, if not the architect of our own destiny, then at least the general contractor.

Everyone reading this knows how I feel about Obamacare. As I have from the day it was enacted, I will continue encouraging and supporting efforts by our Idaho congressional delegation and many oth-



ers to repeal and replace the law. But the fact remains that for now and for the foreseeable future it is the law. And as responsible elected officials we're sworn to uphold the rule of law – not just those laws that we support.

So I urge the people of Idaho and members of the Legislature to stay engaged in the important work of changing a misguided federal law, but in the meantime we need to work at preserving for Idaho the option of having a voice in how one element of that law is implemented.

A state-run exchange that works for Idaho is neither a Trojan horse nor a white flag of surrender to Obamacare. Rather, it's an opportunity to positively influence local outcomes under difficult circumstances, but we have to seize it.

Doing nothing leaves us with a federal exchange, administered from Washington, D.C., by unknown bureaucrats making decisions about Idaho citizens under the cover of an allseeing and all-knowing government. That's simply not acceptable to me or, I believe, to most of you.

More than a decade before Obamacare started giving health insurance exchanges a bad name, they were at work in the private sector, used mostly by large companies seeking to provide affordable group health coverage for their employees. Some states, including Idaho, also have had private exchanges selling small group and individual policies for years.

Then Obamacare started confusing the issue. Its passage and court approval, and the subsequent

arrangements — is that the

political class, with its ma-

cannot be trusted to do so.

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re-election of its namesake, left those of us seeking a market-based approach to addressing the issue frustrated and disappointed.

But much as we may wish otherwise, resisting Obamacare by simply refusing to act is no remedy at all. It sounds great in principle even heroic. Yet history tells us it does not effectively influence public policy, change the law of the land or even protect our interests.

That requires relentless, tireless and consistent work to change hearts, minds and votes. Creating a state-based exchange maximizes our flexibility and degree of self-determination while that important process continues.

Make no mistake: Defaulting to a federal exchange is a worst-case scenario for Idaho. While advocates of doing nothing contend there is no substantive difference between a federal exchange and a state-based exchange, their arguments put philosophy and political wishful thinking ahead of facts like these:

- Nobody is required to buy health insurance through an Idaho-based exchange.
- Defaulting to a federal exchange would add extra lavers of bureaucracy for Idaho insurance buyers.
- · A state-based exchange would conduct all its business publicly and transparently - which would not be the case with a federal exchange.

Designing our own unique plan, having the exchange run by locally chosen Idaho citizens who will meet openly right here at home, gives us the best chance of weathering the Obamacare storm while meeting the needs of Idaho citizens.

As one member of the Idaho Senate so eloquently put it: Given a choice, I choose Idaho.

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effect." It was prudent, and history is relevant, only if the citizens of the South remain more racist than the citizens of the North.

Verrilli did not deny that Section 5 takes a toll on federalism. Kennedy, whose vote is apt to be decisive, described the toll disapprovingly as a federal "trusteeship" over the covered states and jurisdictions. Citing the Marshall Plan and other excellent laws that were not necessary forever, Kennedy said: "Times change."

Not for progressives, they don't. Section 5 was enacted as a temporary response to many measures employed, primarily in the South, to disenfranchise minorities. It requires nine states and some jurisdictions in others to get federal permission - "preclearance" - for even minor changes in voting procedures. It has been extended four times, most recently in 2006 for 25 years. The 2006 House vote was 390-33, the Senate vote was 98-0; obviously, the political class's piety about the act has extinguished thought about its necessity. But one reason for judicial review for active judicial engagement in the protection of constitutional rights and

# **COMING UP**

# Calling All Cooks

Reporter Tetona Dunlap visits a recipe swap in Rupert and finds out what makes them the best in

VRA was amended to say that the act is violated whenever nomination and election processes "are not equally open to participation" by minority voters. And equality of participation is said to be denied whenever minority voters "have less opportunity than other members of the electorate to ... elect representatives of their choice." And representatives "of their choice" has been construed to mean representatives who are members of the same minority. This expresses two tenets of progressivism's racialism. One is identity politics: Your

race is your political identity. The other is categorical representation: Members of a race can be understood and represented only by members of this race. By this reasoning the VRA has become an instrument for what Roberts has hitherto called "a sordid business,

this divvying us up by race." Each renewal of the 1965 act should have involved sifting the most recent voting results, but the most recent data used in 2006 was from 1972. By 2031, this data will be 59 years old. Unless the court now stops this pernicious silliness, in 2031 Section 5 will no doubt be renewed a fifth time, perhaps for 34 years, through the centennial of this temporary measure.



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# Most Americans Favor Allowing States to Experiment with Marijuana Reforms

merica is at a tipping point regarding the public's desire for commonsense alternatives to marijuana prohibition. Never in modern history has there existed greater public support for ending the nation's nearly century-long experiment with pot prohibition and replacing it with a system of legalization and regulation. The historic votes on Election Day in Colorado and Washington – where, for the first time ever, a majority of voters decided at the ballot box to abolish cannabis prohibition — underscore this new political reality.

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But you wouldn't know this fact by observing the recent political debate in Boise, where Senate lawmakers are considering legislation resolving to oppose any liberalization of the Idaho's anti-marijuana laws which classify simple cannabis possession as a criminal misdemeanor punishable by up to one year in jail, a thousand dollar fine, and a criminal record. Their actions are out of step with both public and political opinion.

Since January, lawmakers in seven states – Hawaii, Maine, Maryland, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont – have introduced legislation seeking to regulate the adult consumption of cannabis. In Congress, federal legislation – House Bill 499: The Ending Marijuana Prohibition Act of 2013 – also awaits action. Similar to how Congress ended alcohol prohibition, this

Paul Armentano

NORML

measure seeks to de-federalize marijuana policy and create a framework for the retail cannabis production and sale in states that allow

Separate legislation is pending in 11 states to decriminalize marijuana possession offenses, a policy change that reduce penalties to a non-criminal infraction. (Fourteen states have already implemented such changes.) Another dozen states are also debating whether to authorize the consumption of cannabis for therapeutic purposes. (Eighteen states and Washington, DC have approved medical marijuana laws.) It's no wonder. According to a December 20012 CBS News poll, 83 percent of Americans nationwide say that the law should allow for the physician-authorized use of cannabis for qualified patients.

But Americans' support for cannabis law reform is not just limited to allowing for the medicinal use of marijuana. A December 2012 Public Policy Polling telephone survey of US voters found that 58 percent of the public believes that marijuana "should be legal." Only 34 percent of respondents opposed the notion of legalizing cannabis. A postelection survey by the polling firm Angus Reid found that 54 percent of US citizens favor legalizing

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cannabis, and two out of three predict that marijuana would be legal nationwide within 10 years.

Even larger percentages

of Americans believe that the federal government ought to get out of the marijuana law enforcement business altogether. According to a December 2012 nationwide Gallup poll, 64 percent of citizens do not believe that the federal government "should take steps to enforce federal anti-marijuana laws in those states." A January poll conducted by Princeton Survey Research Associates International agreed. It found that over 70 percent of Americans believe that Washington, DC should butt out of the affairs of states that have legalized the plant.

In short, the days of 'Reefer Madness' are coming to an end. The question is: When will Idaho lawmakers get the message?

Paul Armentano is the Deputy Director for NORML, the National Organization for the Reform of Marijuana Laws, and is the co-author of the book, "Marijuana Is Safer: So Why Are We Driving People to Drink?"

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# Speakers Featured During Idaho Women in Agriculture Conference

BY JULIE WOOTTON

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TWIN FALLS • During the Idaho Women in Agriculture Conference, Rep. Maxine Bell, R-Jerome, challenged attendees to use their leadership skills.

"You don't realize how much responsibility you have as farm women," she told more than 50 people during the Saturday conference.

Tell people about what you do and why

you do it, Bell said, noting that misunderstanding can cause harm.

"You've got to tell about the miracle of food and fiber," she said.

The agriculture industry is changing, she said, and it's no longer just "a cow and a plow."

Bell was one of the featured speakers during the one-day conference at the College of Southern Idaho's Taylor Building.

The event included sessions about

marketing trends and tools, agritourism, creative financing and successful social media strategies.

Attendees included farmers, as well as representatives from agencies, nonprofit organizations, colleges/universities and a few students from the University of

During her presentation, Bell said women were considered second-class citizens at one time in history and couldn't even speak during a public forum.

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# Sleigh Ride

ur daughters grew up with "Life is a gift to you so enjoy today and do something fun." Therefore when Janell (No. 1) called to say she and Ben were coming to spend my birthday weekend here, I said, "Great, we have been invited to go on a

crops, some of which are engineered to

W. Lenore Mobley

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sleigh ride Sunday, do you wish to go?" Her reply was, "Yes, sounds like fun." I was not surprised at her response; after all, two of her sisters were today skiing in Canada, her other sister was skiing in the mountains north of Boise, and the youngest one was sunning on the beaches of Florida - hum, sunning?

On Sunday we finally got a sunshine day, but we did put on our outdoor winter clothes and Bill put in two blankets for us to use on the sleigh.

For the sleigh rides, the Southern Idaho Draft Horse and Mule Association was again privileged to use a ranch near Bellevue owned by Pete and Linda Van Dermulen. It was used not only for the sleigh "hitching up place," but also for the barbecue that followed.

loaded from several trailers, and three sleds were waiting to be hitched up to. The others went to watch and meet while I went inside to say hello to Linda. She and her husband Pete welcomed us and said although they were leaving to watch their son, Dan, and others skijoring near Hailey, she said to make our-





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# **Forage**

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tolerate herbicides such as Roundup. On the other hand, conventional growers are free to take advantage of GM crops.

Sinko said most of the challenges that organic farmers confront on a seasonal basis, however, are similar to what the traditional farmer faces: rising electric, fuel, and land costs and making sure there's access to enough water to produce a healthy

"There's plenty of land to farm," he said. "But without water, you can't farm."

Sinko said he thinks organic farming is something young farmers might want to consider, because it's not a huge investment — not like traditional, industrialized farming.

"For one thing, you don't need hundreds of cows," he said. "We average about 60 to 70 cows on our organic farms, but here in the West it's probably about 250 per family."

### More Forage Topics

• Some vendors who attended the forage conference, like Sinko, came from out of state. But most were from southern Idaho.

James Burgoyne and Mark Lebsack, sales managers at Magic Valley Equipment in Paul, promoted their company's lineup for the new planting and harvest seasons.

The business that started in 1984 is most popular with sugar beet farmers, Burgoyne said, many of whom use 12-row diggers the company sells. You might have seen these beastly machines on the road, taking up most of two lanes.

"They're 25 feet wide," he said. All sorts of other farm equipment from several manufacturers, including MacDon, is available through Magic Valley Equipment.

• Dennis Wright of Animal Technologies - which among other things, provides grain conditioners and silage inoculants was there to talk about the inoculant spreader his company recently produced. The company leases the Forage200 to farmers when they purchase inoculant product.

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It's a pretty cool device, Wright said.

• Bill Mayes of Nampabased Legacy Seeds was promoting the company's primary seeds – alfalfa and corn. Alfalfa, he said, is usually planted twice a year - once in spring, and once usually about August.

"If you plant too late and we get an early frost, it'll wipe out your crop" - the bane of every forage grower, he said.

Forage growers interested in learning more about alfalfa listened to a 30minute presentation by Ron Mikkelsen of the International Plant Nutrition Institute, who spoke about the does and don'ts of growing healthy hay. Mikkelsen was one of several speakers during the two-day conference, which ended Friday.

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# Fertilizer Price Outlook: Increases Will Wai

BY CINDY SNYDER

For the Times-News **BURLEY** • Fertilizer

prices continue to be strong, but few expect prices to move higher yet this year.

That's good news for growers who remember watching fertilizer prices double and even triple within just a few months in 2008. Poor world crops and concerns about food prompted shortages some governments to stockpile commodities, pushing many input prices higher as commodity prices soared.

Some analysts are pegging urea at around \$545 a ton, a little lower than the national average price of \$615 per ton (range of \$570 to \$680 per ton) estimated by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. Other analysts are predicting potash prices to be down 14 percent with phosphate down 3 percent and urea down 18 percent.

Rob Mikkelsen wanted to spend less time focus-

ing on actual prices and more time talking about how to get the most benefit from a relatively expensive input during his time at the Idaho Hay and Forage Association's annual meeting. As western region director for the International Plant Nutrition Institute, he knows growers think fertilizer prices are high.

And they are compared to pre-2008 levels. Even though fertilizer prices have softened somewhat as the world's farmers harvested good crops and commodity prices weakened amid abundance, fertilizer is still priced above 2008 levels.

Mikkelsen said that's a result of changes in the fertilizer market during the last two decades. Those changes really hit home in 2008 when limited fertilizer supplies pushed up prices and other countries were willing to pay more for it.

As more Chinese people enter the ranks of the middle class, they eat more meat. Producing

that meat requires purchasing soybeans primarily from the U.S. and South America. South American soils are naturally infertile but can be extremely productive when the right crop nutrients are added.

American producers are now competing with farmers in South America, China and India for nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium. Africa is also poised to demand more fertilizer.

That much global demand will keep fertilizer prices strong, he said. But increases in supply should help keep prices in Natural gas is the pri-

mary source of nitrogen fertilizer but high natural gas prices forced many fertilizer companies to shutter plants.

Now that natural gas production in the U.S. is booming, many companies are re-entering the nitrogen fertilizer market and prices should ease somewhat.

"We think there is a

good supply of nitrogen fertilizer coming online," Mikkelsen said.

After a scare a few years ago when a report indicated that the world would run out of phosphate to make phosphorus fertilizer, other analysts re-worked the estimates and determined phosphate wasn't as scarce as previously believed. Still, high prices have encouraged companies to open new phosphorus mines and that should also improve supply.

Still, one of the questions that all crop producers are asking themselves is how much will they get back from applying fertilizer.

As long as hay prices remain strong, Mikkelsen believes fertilizing to attain maximum yield is a good investment. The trick, as always, is determining where hay prices are going to be compared to fertilizer prices.

Hay prices in 2013 will largely be driven by supplies, and that depends on whether the Great Plains remains locked in a

drought. But corn prices are another key factor in determining hay prices and the market is pricing this year's corn crop lower on anticipation that moisture will be adequate.

Mikkelsen knows that many hay growers took a "fertilizer vacation" after 2008 when prices spiked. For growers who had been following a fertilizer program that met crop needs, not fertilizing hay fields for a year or two probably didn't hurt anything. But growers who had already been skimping on fertilizer saw yields decrease.

He advocates both soil and tissue sampling to determine how much fertilizer to apply.

"The amount of money you can save with a small investment in tissue sampling is great," he told hay growers. "Don't skip applying fertilizer if you need it. It's almost always a good investment."



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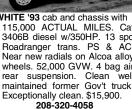


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# Conference

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Here in the western United States, Bell said women have a long history of being pioneers and being part of a farming heritage.

She was an active partner with her husband in their farm operation until she retired from day-to-day oper-ations in 1997. She was also a school librarian.

Bell has served on a number of legislative committees. Currently, she co-chairs the Joint Finance-Appropriations Committee.

Charlotte Eberlein, director of the University of Idaho Extension, talked during the conference about a few women who are extension scientists around the state.

Their research includes how to mitigate problems with zebra chip — a disease that damages potatoes by causing flecks in their flesh.

Celia Gould, director of the Idaho State Department of Agriculture, told attendees that producers deal with high input costs and unpredictable weather.

But she said the future of agriculture is incredibly bright and Idaho's export numbers are at an all-time

Gould is the owner-operator of a third generation farm and ranching operation in Buhl, as well as a beef operation near Declo.

After growing up on a ranch in Buhl, Gould earned a bachelor's and master's degree from Boise State University.

She was a state legislator for 16 years. Following her time in the legislature, she was appointed as director of the Idaho State Department of Agri-

As the state prepares to celebrate the 150th anniversary of the Idaho Territory on Monday, Gould said the conference is a way to recognize what all women have done to make the state great.



"It goes without saying that Idaho women know how to get things done," she said.

Gould said one of the points of the conference is to empower women to hold leadership positions.

Out of 23 agriculture boards in Idaho, nearly half are led by women, Gould said. But only a small fraction of the member positions are held by women.

Nationwide, 30 percent of farm operators — more than 1 million — across the country were women, according to the 2007 Census of Agricul-

That was up 19 percent from a census in 2002. Gould said the numbers are even stronger in Idaho.

Despite improvements, she said there's still work to do.

Gould said her worry is that women and all of agriculture are being taken for granted.

And those in the agriculture industry know that it's not a typical job. A work day doesn't start at 8 a.m. and end at 5 p.m.

"Agriculture is woven into every aspect of daily life," Gould said.



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(TOP) Rep. Maxine Bell speaks during the Idaho Women in Agriculture Conference on Saturday morning at the College of Southern Idaho in Twin Falls. The conference included  $\alpha$ number of sessions that included the changing roles for women in agriculture and women in ag leadership. (ABOVE) University of Idaho student Alicia Hodnik listens to Celia Gould, director of the Idaho State Department of Agriculture, during the conference.

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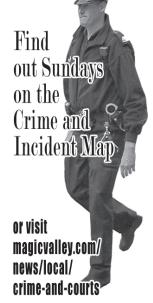
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# Sleigh Ride

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Outside Bill, Janell and Ben were invited to ride on the sled of Rick and Annette Giles. I walked up and was introduced to Tom and Bess, a quiet mule team they had hitched up to the sleigh. They were ready to give us a special

tour of the mountainside. There were six of us on the sled's baled straw seat, and I asked, "Is it too much for the two mules to pull?" "Oh, no – not at all," Annette replied as she gently picked up the reins and gave the right "cue" for Tom and Bess to begin our journey. (I later learned that Annette was a doctor of veterinary medicine.)

As we rode up the ridge the land sloped gently up toward the hills, the sound of our sleigh bells rang out, and no one spoke when we topped the hill and gazed at the view. Here, the hand of God is more evident than the hand of man.

Then Janell exclaimed, "How beautiful the white topped mountains are accented by the clear, blue sky!" To me, it was also topped off with the team being so agreeable by walking straight lines and not seeming to expel much energy. "They are in overdrive and with Annette at the controls, they are on power steering," Rick said as we all laughed at his compliment.

"Do you consider Annette as a mule skinner?" Bill asked Rick. "Oh, no," he replied. "You see, a mule skinner title was given to a person who would take the mule's reins and nearly skin the hide off the animal. And as you have observed, Annette has finesse with the reins -afeel that's gentle as a lamb." I found Rick was right. While the others observed the beautiful scenery, I was glued to our team driver. She talked to the team in a low voice saying "Gee" for a turn, and "Haw," and it was all the instruction they needed. It was a very relaxing sleigh ride and the smiles on all the faces told me they were very glad to be there.

On the ride back I learned the Giles lived in Apache Junction before moving to Buhl. "Don't you miss being able to take the horses out most every day?" I asked Annette.

"We still do, as I can't imagine not taking the mules out for a jaunt. I was raised here, and when our home in Arizona became crowded I told Rick, we're moving back."

I also learned that they often take place in a wagon train journey here in Idaho and that Rick is good at making horse-drawn wagons.

The team seemed focused as we viewed the ranch and trailers below us. When we approached they seemed to become conscious that some action was going on in the vard area. And indeed there was — two mules were running free. They got loose from their owner Dave, and as we rode by he said, "There's something about a mule that humbles you." On his trailer was a sign that read, "If it's not half ass, it's just a horse."

I wish to thank the Southern Idaho Draft Horse and Mule club for a nice time. This club is dedicated to preserving the art of using teams of draft horses and mules to pull wagons and to farm using horse drawn equipment. They work to insure that the rich heritage of our area is not forgotten. Look for their part in the celebration of "Old Fashioned Farm Day" to see their skills in action.

It was a real treat to sleigh ride in the Wood River Valley. If your path seems too monotonous, I just suggest that you get out and go riding through the snow.

Happy Trails.

W. Lenore Mobley is the writer of The Journey Series.

# Extra-big Trucks Get Senate Panel's Approval

BY BETSY Z. RUSSELL

The Spokesman-Review

**BOISE** • Despite opposition from numerous North Idaho elected officials, an Idaho Senate committee on Thursday narrowly approved legislation to allow extra-heavy trucks on roads statewide.

Under the bill, proposed by the Idaho Forest Group in Coeur d'Alene, extraheavy trucks - up to 129,000 pounds - would be allowed anywhere the roads can handle them. The current limit on truck weights in Idaho is 105,500 pounds, except on 35 southern Idaho routes where a 10-year pilot project has allowed the heavier semitrucks, which typically have triple trailers.

Local highway jurisdictions, such as cities, counties or highway districts, would decide whether specific roads can handle the additional weight.

"I'm disappointed," said state Sen. Shawn Keough, R-Sandpoint, who fought hard against the proposal, but was outvoted in the Senate Transportation Committee by one vote.

State Sen. Bob Nonini, R-Coeur d'Alene, led the move to approve the bill, backed by state Sen. Dan Johnson, R-Lewiston.

Stuart Davis, executive director of the Idaho Association of Highway Districts, said he doesn't think there's enough data to support the plan.

But Nonini said, "I don't think we have time to wait and lay out a pilot project, in the light of the closing of mills and what few mills are left up there."

Benewah County Commissioner Phil Lampert spoke out against the bill, telling the senators there are safety concerns with the plan. "The terrain is quite a bit different up there," he said. Lampert described parts of U.S. Highway 95 to the Senate committee and said, "Going downhill, you'd better hope their brakes work."

Backers of extra-heavy trucks have spent more than a decade building support for their use on the designated routes in southern Idaho, Keough noted. They've addressed local concerns and worked with industry and the state

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to iron out the details – all while promising never to seek heavy-truck routes in North Idaho, with its mountainous, twisting roads and much wetter climate.

Prior to the committee's 5-4 vote to approve SB 1117, it voted unanimously to pass another bill to make the southern Idaho pilot project permanent.

Both that bill, SB 1064, and SB 1117 now move to the full Senate for debate.

Matt Van Vleet, vice president for communication and public affairs for Clearwater Paper Corp. in Lewiston, said his company employs 1,270 people and "transportation costs are extremely important to us." Bigger loads could mean significant savings for Clearwater Paper, he said.

Jim Riley, representing Idaho Forest Group, told the committee that properly configured trucks

could operate without up with the money." compromising public safety.

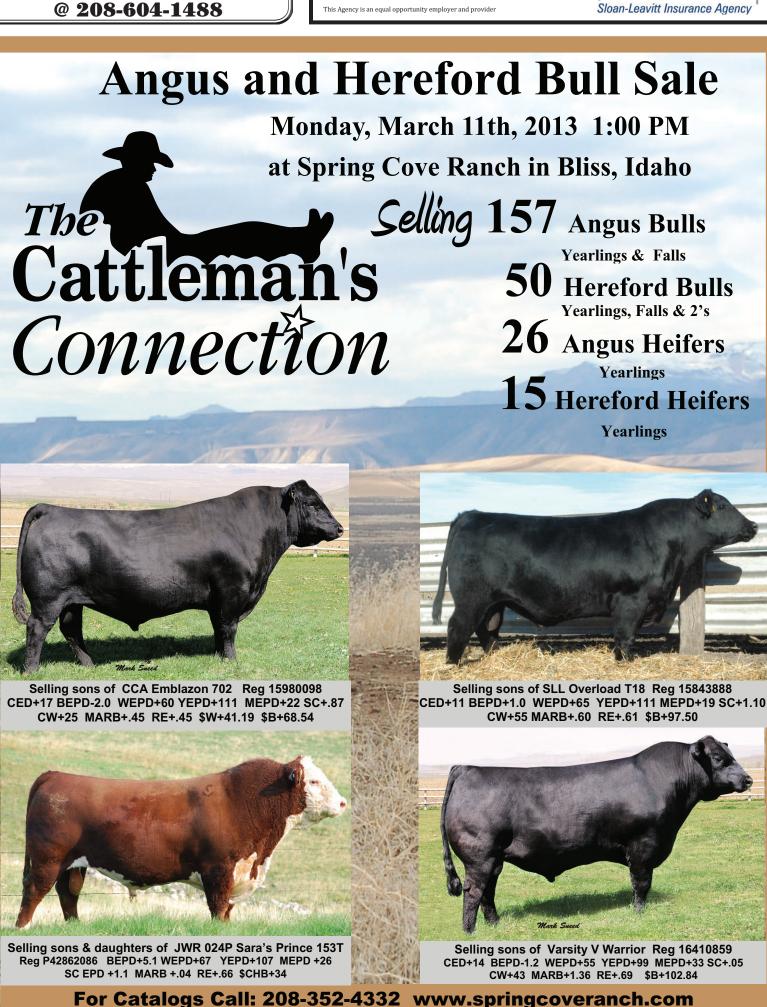
Opponents either testifying against the bill or submitting letters against it ranged from mayors, county commissioners and sheriffs to AAA Idaho.

Dover Mayor Randy Curless said extra-heavy trucks will damage local roads that his small city can't to afford to fix. "I think all the roads are short on adequate funding," he told the senators. "Locally, I don't think we can come



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# Bringing Farm Life to Fourth-grade Classroom

THE TIMES (MUNSTER, IN)

LA SALLE, Ill. • There's a rush of excitement among Trinity Catholic Academy's fourthgraders when Ron Burdon enters their classroom.

Burdon, the Agriculture in the Classroom coordinator for the La Salle County Farm Bureau Foundation, begins assigning students tasks needed to complete that week's agriculture science project.

One student runs to collect water. Another begins pouring cornstarch into sealable plastic bags. Combine those ingredients with a drop of oil and some food coloring, microwave for a minute and, if you're lucky, there will be corn-based plastic in the bag once it has cooled and dried.

"It's science; we're not sure if everything's going to work," Burdon said. "So it's called an experiment."

For the past nine years, Burdon has been visiting fourthgraders around La Salle County to teach them a little bit about agriculture.

"Our kids are in an agriculture community, but they don't learn about it," Burdon said.

Jeff Hartman, manager of the La Salle County Farm Bureau, said the bureau's board of directors began to realize in the 1990s that fewer children in the community were growing up with a connection to the county's agricultural base. They began the Ag in the Classroom program, which is funded through Farm Bureau fundraisers and state and federal funding, in 1999.

"With less people coming from the farm, one day these children will be decision makers and they need to be educated about agriculture and where food comes from," Hartman said. It took a little while for the farm program to catch on, but now many school districts in the area participate.

"The foundation was set by the previous coordinators and Ron has taken it to a different level," Hartman said. During a recent session in Trinity Catholic Academy in La Salle, the fourth-grade students almost all said they had been in cornfields before but most of their experiences were limited to corn mazes.

"My mom grew up on a farm, but we don't talk about that," said Logan Griggs, 9, after class.

Hartman said the program is focused on fourth-graders because that age group has reached the maturity level to comprehend the topics. Throughout a session Burdon exposed students to basic science terminology as well as agriculture-specific knowledge.

During that visit, corn was the subject of the day. From corn stalk to husk to tassel, students learned about each piece of the plant and that only one ear of corn grows on each stalk, at least in most cases. There are more than 4,000 uses for corn, from food products to wrinkle-free clothes, he said.

TCA fourth-grade teacher Stacey Decker said, "The kids are really engaged."

Burdon managed to work in some more topical content along with the basic agricultural science. He touched upon a bit of geopolitics and economics as he discussed how the use of ethanol can reduce dependence on foreign oil, among other topics.

He explained how much corn syrup, basically sugar, is in soda.

"Fifty-six percent of the corn in this country is used for this," he said holding up a plastic bottle of colored corn syrup. He noted it's not healthy to drink too much of it. The students also learned about the differences between oil-based and corn-based plastic products.

"Biodegradable means it breaks down with rain water," Burdon said during a demonstration that showed how corn-based packing peanuts quickly dissolve unlike their Styrofoam predecessors.





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(TOP) In this Feb. 8 photo, Ron Burdon, left, the La Salle County Farm Bureau Foundation Agriculture in the Classroom coordinator, talks to Logan Griggs, a Trinity Catholic Academy fourth-grader, about corn-based packing peanuts in La Salle, Ill. (ABOVE) Beau Gerber, left, pours cornstarch into a bag held by Adam Sarabia while Caroline Moskalewicz looks on during an Ag in the Classroom session at Trinity Catholic Academy in La Salle, Ill. The students were making corn-based plastic.

# Wild Turkeys Becoming a Pest, Lawmakers Say

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) • Utah legislators are talking turkey — that is, they're looking to curb the growing population of wild turkeys.

Officials say Utah has done such a good job reintroducing wild turkeys that they're showing up around residential areas in large numbers and causing a mess.

The Deseret News reports that legislation introduced by Rep. Ronda Menlove of Garland would open a second hunt every year for the game birds.

Wild turkeys spend summers in the mountains to brood and feed. Winter snow drives them down to into neighborhoods and onto farms.

# Federal Grazing Fee Stays Same, Rekindles Debate BY MARTIN GRIFFITH one month. Katie Fite, biodiready massively subsidized said. "Without federal land"

BY MARTIN GRIFFITH
Associated Press

**RENO, Nev.** • The federal grazing fee will stay at the minimum allowable level for a seventh consecutive year, a development that has rekindled a longstanding debate in the West between conservationists and ranchers.

U.S. Bureau of Land Management and Forest Service officials last month said the fee of \$1.35 per animal unit month (AUM) will remain in effect this year for ranchers who hold some 26,000 grazing permits on public lands in more than a dozen Western states.

The formula used to determine the grazing fee, set by Congress in 1978, is based on market conditions, including private grazing lease rates, beef cattle prices and the cost of livestock production. An AUM is the amount of forage a cow and her calf can eat in

one month. Ratie Fite, blodiversity director of the Western Watersheds Project based in Hailey, Idaho, said the fee is unrealistically low because it's set by an outdated formula that allows ranchers to pay far less than they would for grazing on private land.

The fee falls well short of covering government costs to manage grazing, she said, and taxpayers end up footing the bill for killing predators of livestock, for spraying weeds spread by livestock and for sagebrush- and tree-removal projects to create more grass for cattle and sheep.

According to a Government Accountability Office report in 2005, grazing fees generated less than one-sixth of the expenditures needed by the government to manage grazing on public lands in 2004.

"It represents another huge form of subsidy to public lands ranchers who are already massively subsidized by us all," Fite said. "This also brings up a whole other cost of the public lands grazing program — the cost of water lost, fouled, wildlife habitat lost, etc. due to grazing."

J.J. Goicoechea, president of the Nevada Cattlemen's Association, said conservationists fail to take into account that rancher-funded improvements for pipelines, water troughs and fences also benefit wildlife.

Ranchers already are struggling because of drought and wildfires across the West, he said, and they play an important role in rural economies. Studies show each AUM has an overall economic impact of more than \$75, he added.

"Aside from providing for water and increased habitat on private and public land, federal land grazing helps fund our local schools and municipalities," Goicoechea

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said. "Without federal land grazing permits, the stable private property ranch tax base would cease to exist. It is better for wildlife and our environment that open, green spaces, native meadows and rural private property are not subdivided and commercially developed."

BLM officials said the grazing fee formula was designed to support the ranching industry in the West, not to recover the government's expenditures or capture the fair market value of forage. The fee can't drop below \$1.35 per AUM under a 1986 presidential executive order.

"I would note that the fee receives most criticism from those who oppose public lands grazing altogether, so the amount of the fee is not really the bottom-line issue for these groups but the activity of grazing itself," said Tom Gorey, a BLM spokesman in Washington.

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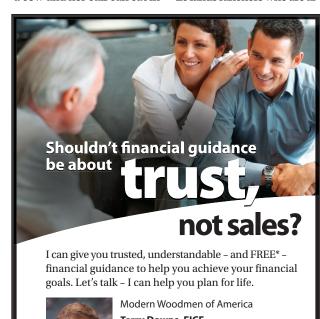
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Trading activity and movement
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for most varieties. Beans are continuing to trade on an as needed
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to focus on new crop acres.
Prices are generally steady across
all varieties. Some large price
spreads are being reported in Idaho
Pinto beans as they range from \$40
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# Policy Change Proposed in Mountain Lion Encounters

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) • An increase in the number of encounters between people and mountain lions has prompted state officials to consider giving game wardens more options besides shooting the animals.

A proposed new policy would give wardens more discretion to use nonlethal methods in handling the encounters, according to a story published Saturday in the San Francisco Chronicle.

The draft policy introduced Friday by the California Department of Fish and Wildlife would also establish a team of experts from around the state for wardens to consult with in dealing with mountain lions.

The proposal comes after several encounters last year, including one incident in December that outraged residents of Half Moon Bay when rangers shot and killed two mountain lion cubs found under a deck of

Game wardens said at the time they didn't try to tranquilize the cubs because of concerns they might escape and become a threat to public safety.

Following the shooting, state Sen. Jerry Hill, D-San Mateo, introduced a bill



This undated file photo provided by the California Department of Fish and Game shows a mountain lion in California. An increase in the number of encounters between people and mountain lions has prompted state officials to consider giving game wardens more options besides shooting the animals, the San Francisco Chronicle reported Saturday.

that would require wardens to tranquilize and relocate mountain lions that wander into backyards or other human-populated areas unless they are an imminent threat, while Fish and Wildlife director Charlton 'Chuck' Bonham ordered a re-evaluation of the department's puma policies. The proposed new policy

would establish a "response guidance team" of experts to assist wardens with encounters. It would also increase training and direct staff to look into how rehabilitation and relocation programs might work

There are an estimated 3,000 to 5,000 cougars in the state, and they are protected under the 1990 California Wildlife Protection Act, which also limits the ability of wardens to tranquilize, relocate and rehabilitate the felines, said Jor-

dan Traverso, spokeswoman for the Department of Fish and Wildlife.

"We have seen an increase in mountain lion encounters or sightings, and we expect to see future increases in mountain lion/human encounters," Traverso said.

"This is more of a comprehensive policy that gives us more options and more access to expertise in these encounters."

# Q&A: Chances of a Horse Meat Scandal in the US?

WASHINGTON (AP) • The horse meat scandal that is hitting Europe has yet to spread to the United States, allowing American consumers to rest easier when buying ground beef or sitting down for a plate of meatballs at Ikea.

The United States has rigorous meat inspections and horse meat isn't readily available. So, while it's certainly possible that small amounts of hidden horse meat has made its way into the United States, it's unlikely to become a larger problem.

Some questions and answers about the problem:

Q: What's happening in Europe?

A: Horse meat has recently been found mixed into beef dishes sold across Europe, including in frozen supermarket meals. It also has been found in meals served at restaurants, schools and hospitals. Furniture giant Ikea this week withdrew its famous meatballs from stores in 21 European countries and in Hong Kong, Thailand and the Dominican Republic after Czech food inspectors found traces of horse meat in them. Stores in the United States and Canada weren't affected because they use a U.S. supplier.

O: Is horse meat safe to

eat? **A:** What is at issue is fraudulent labeling, not a health risk. Horse meat is usually safe to eat, but it's generally not consumed in the United States, mostly for cultural and ethical reasons. However, it's considered a delicacy in some countries.

#### Q: Are horses even slaughtered in the U.S.?

**A:** Not right now. Three horse slaughter plants were shuttered five years ago after court action. Those plants produced meat that was mostly sold overseas.

Q: But horses are slaughtered in Mexico and Canada. Companies could import that meat and use it as a cheap substitute for beef, A: Probably not. No horse

meat is imported to the Unit-

ed States, so it would be hard for U.S. companies to obtain it in large quantities. Q: What is the U.S. government doing to make sure Americans don't face the

problem? A: U.S. food safety law requires meat inspectors to be present for a slaughterhouse freedomautofinders.com



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Advertising billboards for Ikea meat balls are taken down from a parking at the Ikea store in Stockholm on Monday.

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to operate and those inspectors are present for many steps of the process. They can shut down the plants if they think something illegal is going on. The federal oversight also requires meat to be easily traceable to the plant where the animals were slaughtered.

O: What about imports? A: Only certain countries and companies can export meat to the United States, and the Agriculture Department's Food Safety and Inspection Service inspects products at the border and will test them if something appears to be amiss. According to the department, other checks include annual evaluations of the countries that export meat to the U.S. to make sure their food safety standards are those in the United States and on-site au-

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#### Q: What about packaged goods and processed foods from Europe or other regions that may include meat as an ingredient? Could those include horse meat?

**A:** That is one possible loophole. The Agriculture Department won't say if it has additional checks on packaged or processed imports – European foods sold at specialty stores, for example. It is probably impossible for the government to test all those things at the

#### Q: Are large retailers conducting tests to make sure that horse meat hasn't made its way into their products?

A: Unclear. Most U.S. retailers don't have a lot of interest in wading into the European horse meat scandal. The Associated Press contacted Wal-Mart, Safeway, Kroger, Costco, Trader Joe's, Whole Foods and other food industry representatives this week to ask what they are doing to ensure their products don't have horse meat. None of the companies responded.

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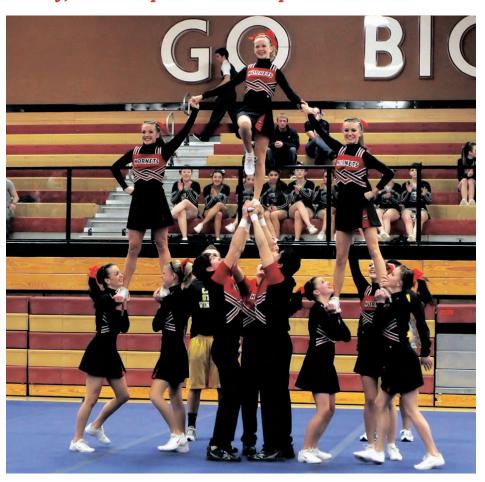
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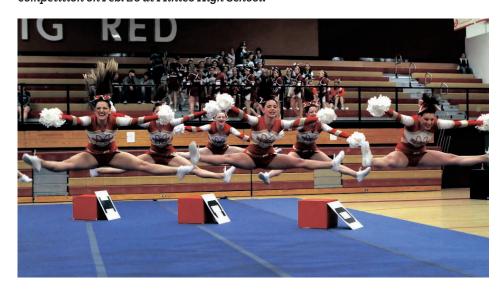
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### Oakley, Minico Tops at Cheer Competition



Oakley and Minico high school cheer teams won overall 2A and 4A district cheer competition on Feb. 26 at Minico High School.



# Jerome Senior Center to Host Wellness Clinic

**JEROME** • The Jerome Senior Center will host the Tiger Health and Wellness Clinic from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Wednesday, March 20. The clinic will be managed by students from the Jerome Middle and High schools with supervision from health professionals in the Magic Valley.

Its purpose is to promote wellness and provide free basic health care. The four main areas of focus are diet, exercise, smoking and education.

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# Kimberly High Speech, Debate Students Qualify for Nationals

**KIMBERLY** • Students from Kimberly High School's speech and debate team have qualified to attend the National Forensic League National Tournament in Birmingham, Ala., in June.

More than 400 students attended the Idaho Mountain River District Tournament at Madison High School from Jan. 31 to Feb. 2. The tournament was one of National Forensic League district tournaments held throughout the country

and was the last step to secure a place at the national tournament in Alabama.

Hayden Gunnell and Michaella Owens qualified to represent Idaho in the Congressional Debate cate-

Janice Witherspoon was a second alternate in her House of Congress competition as well. Truman Whitney was selected as the Idaho Mountain River National Forensic League District Student of the Year.

Kimberly High School was awarded the Congressional Sweepstakes Plaque for Overall Points in Congress.

Julie Underwood, speech and debate coach at Kimberly High School, said these students worked very hard to accomplish this goal. "Kimberly High School now has a 'tradition' of qualifying students to nationals! Thanks for all of the support of this wonderful district in cultivating these exceptional students," she said.

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Pictured from left, Geri Alejandro, volunteer director; Teresa Adams, imaging manager; Justin Jensen, president of Local 3308; Chay Courtwright, battalion chief of Burley volunteer firefighters; Lowayne Wall, president of Cassia Regional volunteers; and Mary Harmle, vice president of Cassia Regional volunteers. The firefighters sold pink T-shirts and hoodies in their effort to raise funds, and the shirts had to be re-ordered often to keep up with demand. Firefighters wore the pink shirts while on duty in October to help promote Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

# Magic Valley Beta Sigma Phi Holds Queens Luncheon

TWIN FALLS • The Magic Valley Council of Beta Sigma Phi chapters (an international sorority of women) held their annual queens luncheon to honor women selected in chapters as sweethearts.

Xi Zeta chapter of Twin Falls hosted the event and its sweetheart was Tawna Purdy. Preceptor Alpha Kappa of Twin Falls selected Maxine Drown. Xi Alpha Tau of Twin Falls selected Val Clark and Idaho Laurete Alpha Zeta of Jerome selected Jeanne Meyer.

All the Beta Sigma Phi chapters raise money in the communities to help the needs of the Salvation Army, Valley House, local food pantries, abuse centers, children's needs and scholarships.



# BJ Duplicate Bridge Club Announces Results

The BJ Duplicate Bridge Club in Rupert has announced the results of play for Feb. 26.

1. Gracie Bennett and Dennis Hanel, 2. Riley Burton and Bobette Plankey, tie for 3rd Shirley Tschannen and Duane

Schneberger, Lila Buman and Marian

Snow, 4. Warren and Faun Mcentire, 5. Jane Keicher and Donna Moore.

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#### ASK POLICEMAN DAN

My boyfriend and I responded to an ad in our local paper for free puppies. When we got there I waited in the car while my boyfriend went into the yard to look at the puppies. He came back with a puppy that stunk to high heaven. There were 7 adult dogs and of puppies in a small, filthy trailer. The owner had told us he had 15 puppies but some of them had already been taken. According to my boyfriend the conditions these dogs were living in was deplorable. I contacted the local animal control and was told that when they went there they only saw 4 dogs and were not going to do anything about the living conditions.

My question to you is this: "Is there anything else I can do?" Technically I can't swear out a complaint because I didn't see anything since I waited in the car. My boyfriend supported me in calling animal control but I don't think he'd be willing to swear out a complaint and possibly go to court over this. I'm an animal lover who hates to think of how those poor animals are living.-Robin

irst of all let me start by saying that most of what I say is more about my opinion about the matter than law and you know about the



opinion cliché.

You are correct about not being able to sign a complaint since you did not witness the alleged animal cruelty. Your boyfriend not willing to be the complainant can hamper things but is not an end -all.

If animal control checked

the premises and only found four dogs then that is what they would have to report. Idaho code 25-3519 allows for animal control officers to go onto the property and certain areas but that does not give them the allowance to go inside a dwelling. If the officer can't confirm the complaint then it becomes unfounded or unable to prove. If this is what happened then they did what they could do. A police officer does have the authority to enter the trailer or the areas described in Idaho Code 25-3519 to check on the animal(s) if an animal control officer asks for their help or the police officer is there on his/her own.

You could call the Humane Society but I'm not for sure what authority they would have. They can make things uncomfortable for the alleged abuser.

The definition of animal abuse can also be very broad. Some people might consider leaving a dog outside as abuse, while some might think the opposite. Most officers base animal cruelty from Idaho Code 25-3510 which reads: Any person who impounds, or causes to be impounded in any pound, any animal, must supply the same during such confinement with a sufficient quantity of wholesome food and clean water. Some officers also consider if the dog(s) have adequate shelter and room to move as well as injuries that appear to be from abuse and not normal dog activities.

I would add that sometimes dogs do have bad smells and it's not from abuse it could be from skin issues (I'm not a qualified animal

I would say that the one thing that might work in your favor is that the owner of the dogs reads this column too and recognizes he or she needs to correct their situation.

### Officer Down

Glad to report that as of the time I sent the column in there were no officers down to report.

Have a question for Policemandan? Email your question(s) to policemandan@yahoo.com or look for Ask Policemandan on Facebook and click the like button. Mail to: Box 147, Heyburn, Idaho 83336

### LIBRARY NEWS

New books at DeMary Memorial Library in rupert include the following:

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# Local Resident Named to ISU Dean's List

**POCATELLO** • Kimberlee Jeppson has earned a place on the Idaho State University 2012 fall semester dean's list for the College of Business announced Dr. Thomas Ottaway, dean of the college.

To qualify for the dean's list, students must complete at least 12 semester credits and receive a grade point average of 3.50 or higher.



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# Twin Falls Duplicate Bridge Results

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5th Bobette Plankey/Riley

Burton 6th Ruth/Don Rahe

Flight B

1st Nancy/Steve Sams 2nd Deloris/Henry Robin-

3/4th Al Poynter/Betty Jeppesen

Dennis Hanel/Grace Ben-

# Motorcycle Club Slates Dart Tournament

**JEROME** • The Veterans of Freedom Motorcycle Club will present its third annual Scholarship Dart Tournament on Saturday, March 16, at the El Sombrero Restaurant, 153 Main Ave. W. in Jerome.

Sign-up begins at noon, and tournament play starts at 1 p.m. Cost is \$5 per person.

Participants can enjoy El Sombrero's taco and nacho bar and entertainment by Dogs on the Lam.

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# Chad Claims Death of Terrorist

Official says man who orchestrated attack on natural gas plant is dead, but doubts linger.

N'DJAMENA, Chad (AP) • Chad's military chief announced late Saturday that his troops deployed in northern Mali had killed Moktar Belmoktar, the terrorist who orchestrated the attack on a natural gas plant in Algeria that left 36 foreigners dead.

The French military,

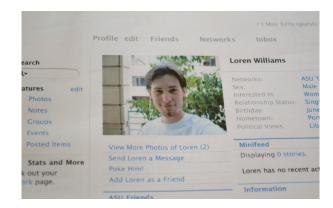
which is leading the offensive against al-Qaida-linked rebels in Mali, said they could not immediately confirm the information.

Local officials in Kidal, the northern town that is being used as the base for the military operation, cast doubt on the assertion, saying Chadian officials are attempting to score a PR victory to make up for the significant losses they have suffered in recent days.

Known as the "one-eyed," Belmoktar's profile soared after the mid-January attack and mass hostage-taking on a huge Algerian gas plant. His purported death comes a day after Chad's president said his troops had killed Abou Zeid, the other main al-Qaida commander operating in northern Mali.

"Chad's armed forces in Mali have completely destroyed a base used by jihadists and narcotraffickers in the Adrar and Ifoghas mountains" of northern Mali, Army Chief of Staff Gen. Zakaria Ngobongue said in a televised statement on state-owned National Chadian Television. "The provisional toll is as follows: Several terrorists killed, including Moktar Belmoktar."

# FACEBOOK GHOSTS



# In Death, Photos on Social Media Site Could Fade Away

**BEAVERTON, Ore. (AP)** • A grieving Oregon mother who battled Facebook for full access to her deceased son's account has been pushing for years for something that would prevent others from losing photos, messages and other memories — as she did.

"Everybody's going to face this kind of a situation at some point in their lives," says Karen Williams, whose 22-year-old son died in a 2005 motorcycle

The Oregon Legislature responded and took up the cause recently with a proposal that would have made it easier for loved ones to access the "digital assets" of the deceased, only to be turned back by pressure from the tech industry, which argued that both a 1986 federal law and voluntary terms of service agreements prohibit companies from sharing a person's information — even if such a request were included in a last will and testament.

Lobbyists agree the Stored Communications Act is woefully out of date but say that until it's changed, laws passed at the state level could be unconstitutional.

"Everybody wants to do the right thing, but the hard legal reality is the federal communications act," said Jim Hawley, a vice president at TechNet, an industry group that represents companies such as Google and Microsoft

Oregon lawmakers moved ahead anyway with a proposal that would have given "digital assets" — everything from photos and messages stored online to intellectual property and banking information — the same treatment as material property for estate purposes.

"I think it's time for us to really look at what we can do now," said Democratic Sen. Floyd Prozanski after hearing Williams testify about her loss last month.

Two weeks later, however, language in the bill that would have covered social media accounts, from Facebook to Flikr, was stripped as tech lobbyists said the federal law and company privacy policies trumped anything that the bill would have included.

e bill would have included. "I recognize the emotional toll



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(ABOVE) Karen Williams poses with a photo of her deceased son, Loren, in Beaverton, Ore., on Feb. 16. Williams, who battled Facebook over the right to view Loren's Facebook page, has been urging lawmakers for years to do something to prevent others from losing photos, messages and other memories that otherwise could be accessed at the click of a mouse. The photo at top shows a printout of Loren's Facebook page.

# "Everybody's going to face this kind of a situation at some point in their lives." son, Loren – are also considering proposals. And the Uniform Law

**Karen Williams,** whose 22-year-old son died in a 2005 motorcycle accident.

these types of decisions can have on a family who's lost a loved one," Prozanski said Thursday. "But some of these issues may have to be addressed when we have more information than we currently have."

Still, the problem persists and discussions on the issue are gaining momentum. As unlikely as such a case might be, even if a person willingly gives over login and password information to someone whom they authorize to access a given digital account, it would violate most terms of service agreements and both people could be charged with cybercrimes and face civil action from Internet companies under current law.

Currently, five states have digital assets laws, which vary wide-

ly. This group includes Oklahoma, which passed a law two years ago allowing estate lawyers to access digital assets, even social media accounts.

That measure did not face the opposition that has emerged in Oregon.

"There is some question if laws like the one we passed in Oklahoma, would stand up to a challenge by Facebook and Gmail saying their terms of service agreements supersede laws like this one and the one being discussed in Oregon," said Ryan Kiesel, a former Oklahoma legislator who wrote the law.

"That's a question that remains to be answered," he added. Several other states, including

Several other states, including Nebraska — guided in part by the story of Williams' 22-year-old proposals. And the Uniform Law Commission, a non-profit, nonpartisan group that writes model legislation for states to help standardize laws around the nation, is examining the issue.

"This law is a real need as we have moved into a digital world," said Lane Shetterly, an Oregon attorney and a representative on the commission's drafting committee. The group is responsible for standardizing a range of legislation, including commercial transaction regulations and child

custody laws.

Proponents say the need is clear. Without clarity or direction, the digital information left behind by a deceased person can spark emotional legal battles, pitting big business against devastated families. And as more and more memories are being stored online, new tools are necessary to make sure loved ones can easily access personal details that could be lost forever.

# Cuts in Place, Obama and GOP Brace for Next Fight

WASHINGTON (AP) • Severe spending cuts now the law of the land, President Barack Obama and congressional Republicans refused Saturday to concede any culpability for failing to stave off what both parties acknowledged was a foolhardy way to slash \$85 billion in federal spending.

The still-fragile economy braced itself for the gradual but potentially grave impact of the across-the-board cuts, which took effect Friday night at the stroke of Obama's pen. Hours earlier, he and congressional leaders emerged from a White House meeting no closer to an agreement.

Even as they pledged a renewed effort to retroactively undo the spending cuts, both parties said the blame rests squarely on the other for any damage the cuts might inflict. There were no indications that either side was wavering from entrenched positions that for weeks had prevented progress on a deal to find a way out: Republicans refusing any deal with more tax revenue and Democrats snubbing any deal without it.

"None of this is necessary," Obama said in his weekly radio and Internet address Saturday. "It's happening because Republicans in Congress chose this outcome over closing a single wasteful tax loophole that helps reduce the deficit."

The president said the cuts would cause "a ripple effect across the economy" that would worsen the longer they stay in place, eventually costing more than 750,000 jobs and disrupting the lives of middle-class families.

In the Republican-controlled House, GOP lawmakers washed their hands of the mess, arguing that bills they passed in the last Congress to avert the cuts absolved them of any responsibility. Those bills passed with little to no Democratic support and were never taken up by the Senate.

"We've done the work and shown that these choices can be made in a responsible, thoughtful way," said Rep. Cathy McMorris Rodgers of Washington in the GOP address.

Obama was holding out hope that as Americans start feeling the effects of the sequester — the term used for the automatic spending cuts — public pressure will force lawmakers back to the table. Ever wary that such fiscal fiascos could jeopardize the rest of his second-term agenda, Obama vowed in his weekly address to keep pushing reforms on immigration, preschool, gun violence and transportation.

But attention was already turning to the next major budget hurdles, with less than a month to negotiate a plan to fund the government beyond March 27 and a debt-ceiling clash coming in May.

# Romney Returns to National Spotlight — but Perhaps Only Briefly

Former GOP candidate embarks on thank-you tour of sorts.

**BOSTON (AP)** • Mitt Romney is back, if only briefly.

The former Republican presidential candidate is reemerging after nearly four months in seclusion at his Southern California home.

Former aides describe his burst of activity this month — a national broadcast interview, a speech at a gathering of conservatives — as a thank-you tour of sorts designed to close out a lengthy political career.

His party isn't exactly clamoring for his return.

In his first public comments in months, Romney used a Fox News interview to criticize President Barack Obama's leadership. The former Massachusetts governor said Obama has been "flying around the country and berating Republicans and blaming and pointing" instead of preventing Washington's latest budget crisis.

In about two weeks, Romney is to deliver his first postelection speech, at the Conservative Political Action Conference in Washington.

A few Republican governors who aggressively supported Romney's presidential bid last fall offered lukewarm responses in recent days to the question of Romney's future role in the GOP. Conservative leaders suggest they're ready for a new era without a prominent Romney role.

"He has every right to be involved. And certainly he gave a lot for the cause," said Tim Phillips, president of the national conservative group Americans for Prosperity. "But most of the movement is wanting to look forward. They want to look forward to the next generation of leaders."

Without a public office or a prominent position in the private sector, Romney lacks a ready platform.

Before Romney, the previous two losing nominees, Republican John McCain in 2008 and Democrat John

Kerry in 2004, eased their way back into national politics through the Senate seats they retained after the elections.

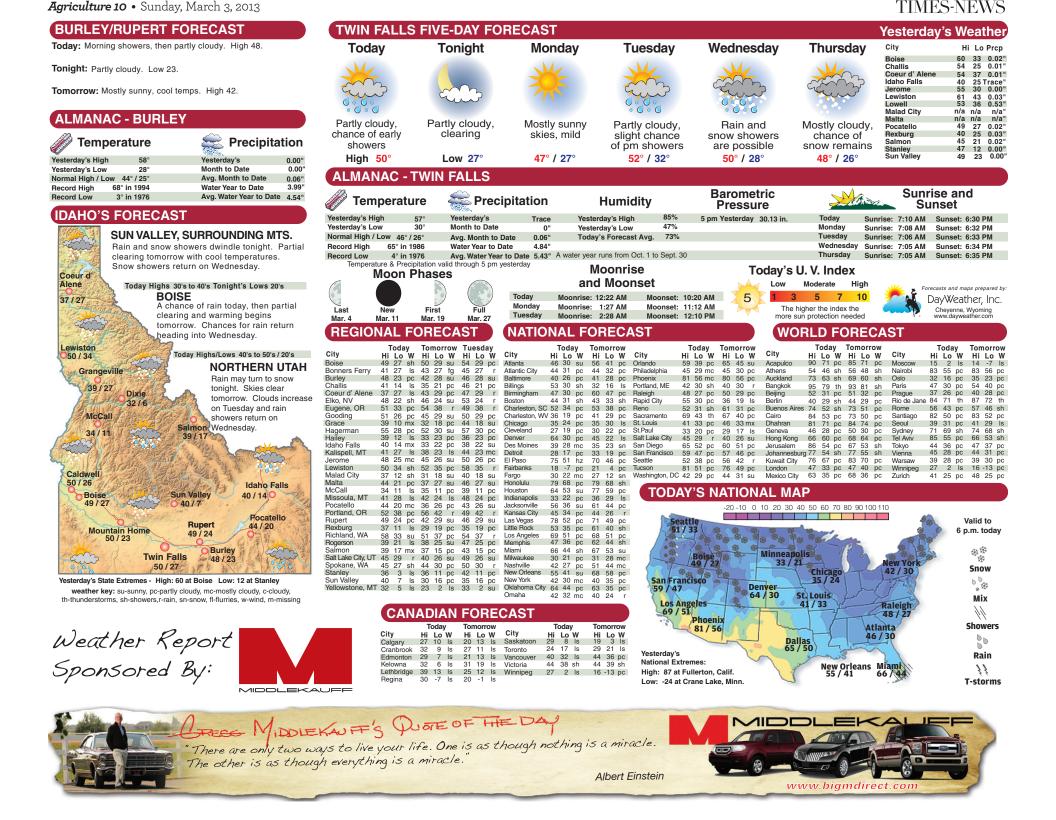
After his loss in 2000, former Vice President Al Gore appeared in a documentary film about climate change and became an outspoken advocate for environmental protections.

But almost immediately after his defeat, Romney retreated to the privacy of his California home. He surfaced in the national media in recent months only in photographs such as those showing him pumping gas, enjoying a day out with his family at Disneyland and shopping at Costco.



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In this 2012 file photo, former Republican presidential candidate Mitt Romney, center, talks with a spectator at ringside prior to a boxing match in Las Vegas. Romney has emerged from nearly four months in seclusion.



# Ex-con Accused of Sneaking Back into New York City Jails

**NEW YORK (AP)** • Most people who've done time in jail can't wait to get away.

But this week New York City authorities

But this week, New York City authorities accused one former inmate of sneaking back in.

Yonkers resident Matthew Matagrano, 36, was arraigned in Manhattan on Saturday on

charges that he impersonated a Department of Correction investigator.

Officials say that for at least a week, Matagrano used phony credentials to get into multiple city lockups, including Rikers Island and the Manhattan Detention Center, where he mingled with inmates for hours.

Investigators said the case was still unfolding, but some of the allegations were detailed in a criminal complaint describing Matagrano's entry into the Manhattan jail on Thursday.

It said that when questioned, Matagrano had admitted to arriving at the jail at around 3:30 p.m. and gaining entry by showing a

gold shield and saying he was an investigator from the department's intelligence unit.

According to the complaint, he stayed until 11 p.m., giving cigarettes to inmates and smoking with them in a common area. He is also charged with stealing a radio from an office while inside.





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# CSI Women Win Region 18 Championship

BY GARRETT CABEZA

For the Times-News

COEUR d'ALENE • The top-seeded College of Southern Idaho Golden Eagles defeated two-seeded North Idaho College 57-55 in the championship game of the women's Region 18 Tournament Saturday night on the campus of North Idaho College.

With the win, CSI clinched a berth to the national tournament.

Adriana Dent, who was named tournament MVP, led all scorers with 16 points to go along with five rebounds and four assists.

"I just knew I had to step up my game," Dent said. "It's a whole new clean slate here. I just had to step up and be a leader and be that person that demands the ball and help the team

NIC came out of the gate a little stronger than CSI.

Aimee Durbidge drove the length of the court on an inbounds play and dished the ball off to Danika Johnson to open up a 9-4 advantage for NIC about seven minutes into the first half.

Patrice Toston nailed a 3-pointer from the wing with 11:18 remaining to tie the game at nine, but NIC proceeded to go on a 10-0 run highlighted by Tori Davenport and Angela Woods' 3-

pointers to make it 15-9. Woods got back into the action with a floater in the lane around the nine

minute mark. Woods led NIC with 14 points.

With the score 19-9, Dent isolated NIC's Georgia Stirton on the wing and drained a 3-pointer.

Elodie Roussas then knocked down a jump shot to cut the lead to five with about seven minutes left in the first

The Golden Eagles cut the lead to Please see CSI WOMEN. S2

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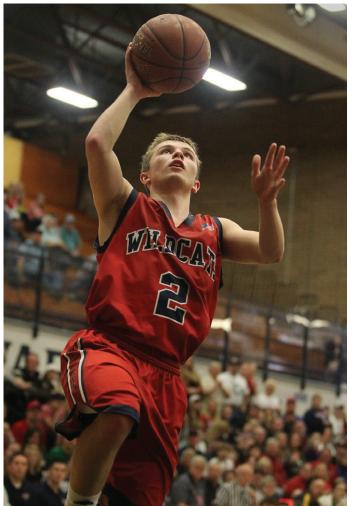
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 $Filer's \ Cortland \ Bailey \ (32) \ helps \ hold \ up \ their \ third \ place \ trophy \ as \ Jed \ Olyler \ collects \ himself \ during \ the \ state \ basketball$ championships Saturday at Meridian High School in Meridian.

# 'Just Incredible'

Filer boys' dizzying performance against the two-time defending state champion Fruitland earns the Wildcats the 3A third-place trophy.



BY NICK RULAND

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**MERIDIAN** • By the start of Saturday morning's 3A third-place game, the collective tears of disappointment had dried from the cheeks of the Filer basketball team, its state title hopes dashed the night before against Shelley.

But through the first 10 minutes against two-time defending state champion Fruitland, its shot-making had dried up, too, to the tune of two points on 1-11 shooting, equaling a 9-2 deficit.

The next 22 minutes the last 22 minutes in the More Online high school career of six Filer seniors — can best be described as a 20-year flood.

Seventy-eight points on 28 made baskets (64 percent from the field), 12 3-point makes (on 50 percent shooting), 10 free-throws made in as many attempts, averaging out to more than three points a minute, leading to an 80-54 win for the Wildcats.

Tears of joy flowed in the wake. "Just incredible," Filer head coach Allen Kelsey said, still stupefied as his players, Filer parents and fans celebrated perhaps the best team in school history long after the final

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# Hawks Race past Bruins for 4A Thirdplace Trophy

BY RYAN HOWE

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BOISE • It's rare for Twin Falls to go home from the state boys basketball tournament without any hardware.

But for the first time in five years and just the third time in the past decade - that's the case, as the Bruins fell to Skyview 57-50 in the thirdplace game of the Class 4A tournament Saturday at Borah High School.

As the Twin Falls players and coaches emerged from the locker room, the feeling was they'll be back to collect next season.

"I hope they keep working and maybe they'll be in the Idaho Center next year," said Twin Falls senior Thomas Corr, who scored a teamhigh 14 points.

Seniors Casey Merritt, Luke Burgett, John Hohnhorst, Damon Jones and Corr won't be back, but most of the main cogs of this squad will.

"Hopefully we learn from it," said Twin Falls head coach Matt Harr. "You can't beat the experience. The sting will go away in a week or so, but hopefully the sting of this tournament (helps) us get back next year. I'm sure it will."

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# Declo Loses in 2A Tourney but Gains Awards, Experience

BY RYAN HOWE

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**BOISE** • Declo didn't go home empty handed.

The Hornets collected trophies for their state academic championship, plus the sportsmanship award at the Class 2A state boys basketball tournament on Saturday.

However, as far as basketball is concerned, Declo ended its season with a 54-47 loss to Soda Springs in the 2A consolation final at Capital High School.

"We weren't happy with the way things turned out, but I think we can play with anybody here," said Declo senior Kai Garner, who scored 17

That assessment comes after Grangeville — to whom Declo lost by 13 points in Friday's quarterfinals won the 2A state championship on Saturday afternoon.

"We were right there. If we would have had the same intensity against Please see **DECLO**, **S4** 





# Dietrich Claims 1A-II **Consolation Trophy**

BY DAVID BASHORE dbashore@magicvalley.com

CALDWELL • It wasn't the color they had in mind, but Dietrich's boys basketball team has a trophy to match the girls' program.

Kayden Power scored 20 to lead three Dietrich players in double figures as the Blue Devils routed Sho-Ban 75-50 to claim the 1A-II state tournament consolation trophy.

They did it less than 12 hours after they finished a high-scoring overtime win over Mackay.

"A lot of guys might feel tired, but once you get on the floor adrenaline just takes over," said Power, a

Dietrich set scoring records in the win, for most points and highest average over the course of the tournament. Those were two of the 11 records that fell at the tournament, and a 12th was matched.

"That's just the way we like to play — controlled chaos," said Dietrich's Logan Porter, who had nine

Trey Dill scored 13 for Dietrich, while Vance Perron added 11. Dietrich's 23 wins is the most the program has had since its lone state championship in 1966.

DIETRICH 75, SHO-BAN 50

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Fenstermaker 1-5 1-2 3. Totals 29-64 12-21 75. SHO-BAN (50)
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### 1A-II Third-place Game

KENDRICK 62, CAREY 51

CALDWELL • Carey controlled the game until midway through the third quarter, when it hit the wall against a bigger, equally athletic Kendrick team.

"We just couldn't get a shot to fall or get a rebound there, and I think we ran out of gas a little too," said Carey coach Dick Simpson. "But our younger players don't quite have that stamina just yet. A lot of these teams are young and you could see the same eight

### ...... Smashing Records

Of the 13 categories in which 1A-II tournament records are kept, 11 were broken and a 12th was

Team scoring, single game: Kendrick, 78. Team scoring, tournament: Dietrich, 216. Team scoring, average: Dietrich, 72.

Individual scoring, game: Caden Betzer, Mackay, 34.

Individual scoring, tournament: Nate Adamson, Carey, 75.

Individual scoring, average: Nate Adamson,

Field goals, game: Caden Betzer, Mackay, 15. Field goals, tournament:

Nate Adamson, Carey, 29. Free throws made, game: Dustin Rosenkrance, Mackay, 11; Morgan Ker-

by, Kendrick, 11. Free throws made, tournament: Morgan Kerby, Kendrick, 19.

3-pointers made, game: Jimmy Shepherd, Salmon River, 6.

3-pointers made, tournament: Jimmy Shepherd, Salmon River, 11 (tied old record).

back next year."

Carey sophomore Nate Adamson led all players with 24 points and nine rebounds, setting three tournament records in the process: total points, scoring average and total field goals in the tournament.

Kendrick's Morgan Kerby set a record for most free throws made in the tournament with 19, and he tied Mackay's Dustin Rosenkrance (set vs. Dietrich Friday) for most free throws made in one game with 11.

Kerby scored 19 to pace Kendrick.

Carey sophomore Matt Whitworth scored 13 in the

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Adamson 9-21 3-3 24, Garcia 0-0 0-0 0, Whitworth
6-9 1-3 13, Baird 0-1 0-0 0, Gamino 2-2 0-0
Andrews 0-0 0-0 0, Totals 21-54 5-8 51.
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# CSI Baseball Sweeps CNCC

TWIN FALLS • The College of Southern Idaho baseball team cracked the .500 mark in Scenic West play Saturday, polishing off a four-game sweep of Colorado Northwestern with two more wins.

Kendal Maier homered and drove in three in the Golden Eagles' 6-3 win over the Spartans in the opener, then CSI got single runs in five innings of a 5-0 victory in the nightcap.

Ryan Johnson and Grant Kukuk combined on a three-hit shutout in Game 2 for CSI (14-7, 5-3 Scenic West), which hosts Treasure Valley (Ore.) for a nonconference doubleheader on Tuesday.

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 LEADING HITTERS - CNCC: McGovern 1-3, 2B, RBI. CSI: Maier 2-3, HR (1), 3

GAME 2

Softball CSI FINISHES FOUR-GAME SWEEP **OF SNOW** 

**EPHRAIM, Utah** • Patti Ferguson's two-run double in the seventh inning lifted CSI to a 6-3 win in the opener of Saturday's doubleheader, and the Golden Eagles followed that up with a 5-2 win to improve to 21-5 on the season.

Tyler Wilkinson hit her first home run of the year in Game 2, while Sierra Whitmer scattered nine hits to win her ninth decision in the circle.

Nellie Makings took the Game 1 win in relief.

CSI (15-1 Scenic West) visits North Idaho next weekend.

GAME 1

CSI 6, Snow 3 CSI LEADING HITTERS - CSI: Ferguson 1-4, 2B, 2 RBI; Stacey 2-4, 2B, RBI.
STOCK: Greenberg 3-3, 3 2B, 2 RBI.
PITCHERS - CSI: Hall 5 IP, 10 H, 3 R, 3 ER, 4 BB, 2 K; Makings (W, 7-2) 2 IP, 2 H, 0 R, 0 BB, 1 K. Snow: Greenberg (L) 7 IP, 5 H, 6 R, 2 ER, 4 BB, 7 K.

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Butler 2-2, DBI EADING THE LOS AND THE LOS AND

# Buhl's Late Surge Not Enough for Win

NICK RULAND

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MERIDIAN • The Buhl seniors that didn't quit after last year's district championship loss against Filer weren't going to leave the 3A state tournament without a fight.

The Indians put together a strong surge at the end of their consolation final against Sugar-Salem, but lost 47-40, ending their season.

"Who would have thought that we could have brought this young team up to state and compete?" asked senior Jacob DeKruyf. "It's been five years since we made it to state. We are starting something new. Being a young team, it shows the pride that we have going up against a team that was No.1 and No. 2 in the state most of

Kasey and Kade Crossland, and freshman Hayden Eckert each made shots in the final minutes, pulling the Indians to within three points before faltering in the final seconds.

"It was the greatest memory of my life," senior Taylor Oppedyk said. "I don't think anyone, not even I thought we were going to be good this year. We worked hard over the summer, brought the freshman in, and they stepped up big. They surprised us, too."

Buhl surprised many by competing with the Diggers. But they also had a chance to beat what turned out to be this year's 3A state champion Snake River 38-37, where they were perhaps one questionable no-call away from advancing to the semifinals.

Thys Vandenberg, the third

shooting. She made one out of

her two free throws to bring

the score to 49-42 with about

Julia Dufurrena got inside

position under the hoop and

scored to cut the lead to six

free throws to make it 50-46

Toston made both of her

eight minutes to play.

with 5:04 left.



Buhl's Kasey Crossland throws up a shot against Sugar-Salem's Jason Hawkes Saturday at Meridian High School in Meridian.

senior on the roster, who was originally part of the quartet that quit the team after last season, decided to come back for his last year two weeks into the season, along with DeKruyf and Oppedyk, and did most of the dirty work for the Indians. The trio combined for 15 rebounds and battled to a draw perhaps the biggest team in the entire state

tournament, as the Indians out-rebounded the Diggers

Kade Crossland scored 14 points and finished the tournament with 55, averaging more than 18 points per game.

Buhl is likely to return 10 players, only four will be seniors, including Kade Crossland.

"We are building something;" Buhl coach Dan Winn said.

and Buskey made one-of-two

free throws to take a three-

CSI made the score 55-54 in

After an NIC miss from in

After an NIC foul, CSI made

favor of NIC after a layup with

close, Dent drove to the rim

and scored a layup with 28 sec-

onds left to take a 56-55 lead.

point lead for the Cardinals.

under two minutes to play.

SUGAR-SALEM 47, BUHL 40

Sugar-Salem Bulh (40)
Eckert 4-14 0-0 9, Oppedyk 3-4 0-0 6, DeKruyf 1-2 0-0 2, Kade Crossland 5-2 3-1 1, Smalls 4-10 1-2 9, Choffin 5-7 0-3 15, Smith 2-9 0-0 4. Totals 17-41 8-14 4-7.
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# **CSI Women**

Continued from **Sports 1** 

one point after a layup and free throw by Toston.

Coming out of a timeout, Dent hit another three to capture the lead for CSI at 21-19 with about four minutes to go in the half.

"We had to show everybody that we can do this and we can be that No. 1 team, that No. 1 seed," Dent said. "It's not a fluke. It's what we are. We're that No. 1 team and we're that team to beat."

After Stirton sliced through the defense for two points, CSI knocked down a three at the

Woods answered right back with a 3-pointer of her own

with about 1:08 to play. Candace Prestwich drove to the basket for two and was fouled. She converted her free throw with about 10 seconds

CSI went into halftime with

a 29-25 lead. Stirton tied the game at 31 apiece and Woods broke the tie with a 3-pointer early in the

second half. After a CSI bucket by Sarah Viehweg, NIC's Katie Buskey hit a contested 3-point shot. Dent answered with a basket

With about 15:10 left in the second half, Dent knocked down a pair of free throws to make the score 39-37 NIC.

Viehweg tied the game at 39 with a runner off the glass

around the 11:30 mark. NIC's Mollie Kramer answered with a three ball and



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one-of-two free throws, which

would be enough for the win as

Stirton launched a 3-pointer at

"We forced them into some

tough shots at the very end,"

CSI head coach Randy Rogers

said. "We were fortunate that

the rebounds were long so

they didn't have a great look to

get offensive rebounds."

the end that fell short.

College of Southern Idaho's Adriana Dent is held as she hugs her teammate Julia Dufurrena after defeating North Idaho College in the Region 18 tournament championship game Saturday in Coeur d'Alene.

Hannah Love scored a layup

at the other end to bring the

Cardinals lead back up to six

points with about 2:50 left to

would have tied the game

coming out of a timeout.

CSI cut the lead to two

Dent missed a layup that

Love blocked Toston's shot

points.

play.

then a layup in transition to make it 44-39.

CSI answered with a layup with 9:36 left in the game.

Buskey got a layup and was fouled. She sank her free throw to convert the 3-point play.

After Buskey's shot was blocked, Prestwich sprinted down the court in transition and was fouled in the act of

the year and not quitting."

Noah, Boozer Lead

# **SCOREBOARD**

Auto Racing NASCAR NATIONWIDE DOLLAR **GENERAL 200 FUELED BY AMERIGAS** 

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6. (6) Austin Dillon, Chevrolet, 200, 94.3, 38, \$27,491.
7. (19) Sam Hornish Jr., Ford, 200, 86.1, 37, \$25,226.
8. (3) Matt Kenseth, Toyota, 200, 117.4, 0, \$17,470.
9. (8) Aric Almirola, Ford, 200, 86.8, 0, \$16,325.
10. (21) Brian Sortt, Chevrolet, 200, 89.2, 34, \$2,3816.
11. (13) Regan Smith, Chevrolet, 200, 95.7, 33, \$14,575. . (7) Jimmie Johnson, Chevrolet, 200, 92.6, 0,

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(30) Blake Koch, Toyota, 200, 68.4, 28, \$19,441. (2) Brian Vickers, Toyota, 199, 98.2, 28, \$12,375. (36) Reed Sorenson, Chevrolet, 198, 65.5, 26,

(36) Reed Sorenson, Chevrolet, 198, 65.5, 26
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 (11) Parker Kligerman, Toyota, 198, 73.2, 25, \$19,066.
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 (35) Ryan Sieg, Chevrolet, 198, 56.7, 0, \$18.41

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21. (35) Ryan Sieg, Chevolet, 198, 56.7, 0, \$18,416.
22. (32) Jason White, Toyota, 197, 54.6, 22, \$18,291.
23. (24) Hal Martin, Toyota, 197, 52.2, 21, \$18,166.
24. (28) Dexter Stacey, Ford, 195, 52.8, 20, \$11,425.
25. (33) Harrison Rhodes, Ford, 193, 41.9, 18, \$17,866.
27. (40) Mike Harmon, Chevrolet, 192, 42.2, 17, \$12,941.

\$28. (12) Travis Pastrana, Ford, 189, 39.4, 16, \$17,666. 29. (20) Eric Mcclure, Toyota, Engine, 187, 62.4, 15, \$17,616.

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30. (37) Joey Gase, Chevrolet, Transmission, 150, 36.9, 14, \$17,866.
31. (18) Alex Bowman, Toyota, 142, 30.6, 13, \$17,511.
32. (25) Mike Wallace, Chevrolet, 139, 60, 12, \$17,451.
33. (10) Kevin Harvick, Chevrolet, Accident, 101, 82.3, 0, \$10,745.
34. (39) Daryl Harr, Chevrolet, Engine, 95, 40.4, 10, \$17,376. 35. (17) Jamie Dick, Chevrolet, Accident, 59, 30.4, 9, \$10,681.

36. (29) Joe Nemechek, Toyota, Accident, 50, 51.3, 8, \$16,641. 37. (26) Jeff Green, Toyota, Handling, 17, 36.6, 7, \$9,940.

38. (31) Josh Wise, Chevrolet, Brakes, 10, 36.1, 6, \$9.886. 39. (34) Chase Miller, Chevrolet, Vibration, 8, 33.4, 5, \$9.770. 40. (16) Johanna Long, Chevrolet, Accident, 2, 29.8, 4, \$16,381.

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Nascar Driver Rating Formula
A Maximum Of 150 Points Can Be Attained In A Race.
The Formula Combines The Following Categories:
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Friday's Games Toronto 5, Tampa Bay 4 Houston 8, St. Louis 8, tie Philadelphia 10, N.Y. Vankees 5 Baltimore 6, PittSburgh (ss) 5 Minnesota 8, Miami 7 N.Y. Mets 6, Detroit 2 Cleveland 9, Chicago White Sox 7 Seattle 8, Texas 6 L. A. Angels 16, L.A. Dodgers (ss) 8 Arizona 6, Chicago Cubs 2 San Diego 7, L.A. Dodgers (ss) 5 Kansas City 3, Cincinnati 2 San Francisco 13, Oakland 9 Colorado 5, Milwaukee 2 Washington 6, Atlanta 5 Boston 2, PittSburgh (ss) 2 Saturday's Games Detroit (ss) 4, PittSburgh (ss) 2 Saturday's Games Detroit (ss) 4, PittSburgh 1 Boston 2, PittSburgh (ss) 3 Washington 6, St. Louis 2 Tampa Bay 4, Baltimore 1 Houston 6, Atlanta 5 N.Y. Mets 8, Miami 8, tie Milwaukee 4, L.A. Angels 3 Kansas City 9, San Francisco (ss) 5 San Francisco (ss) 9, Chicago Cubs 7 Seattle 9, L.A. Dodgers 5 San Diego II, Cleveland 8 Oakland 6, Colorado 3 Chicago White Sox 4, Cincinnati 0 Texas 7, Arizona 1 Sunday's Games

Texas 7, Arizona 1 **Sunday's Games** Minnesota vs. Tampa Bay at Port Charlotte, Fla.,

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NY. Mets vs. Miami at Jupiter, Fla., 11:05 a.m.
Detroit vs. Atlanta at Kissimmee, Fla., 11:05 a.m.
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Philadelphia (ss) vs. Baltimore at Sarasota, Fla., 11:05

a.m. N.Y. Yankees vs. Boston at Fort Myers, Fla., 11:35 a.m. Chicago Cubs (ss) vs. L.A. Angels at Tempe, Ariz., 1:05 p.m. Seattle vs. Texas at Surprise, Ariz., 1:05 p.m. Arizona vs. San Francisco at Scottsdale, Ariz., 1:05

p.m. Kansas City vs. Cincinnati at Goodyear, Ariz., 1:05

p.m. Milwaukee vs. Chicago Cubs (ss) at Mesa, Ariz., 1:05

p.m. Chicago White Sox vs. San Diego at Peoria, Ariz., 1:05 p.m. Cleveland vs. L.A. Dodgers at Glendale, Ariz., 1:05

p.m. Oakland vs. Colorado at Scottsdale, Ariz., 1:10 p.m. Monday's Games Philadelphia vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla., 11:05

A.m. Minnesota vs. St. Louis at Jupiter, Fla., 11:05 a.m. Minnesota vs. St. Louis at Jupiter, Fla., 11:05 a.m. Houston vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., 11:05 a.m. Atlanta vs. MY. Mets at Port St. Lucie, Fla., 11:10 a.m. Tampa Bay vs. Boston at Fort Myers, Fla., 11:35 a.m. L.A. Angels vs. Oakland at Phoenix, 1:05 p.m. Colorado vs. Seattle at Peoria, Ariz., 1:05 p.m. San Francisco vs. Chicago White Sox at Glendale, Ariz., 1:05 p.m.

Ariz., 1:05 p.m. San Diego vs. Texas at Surprise, Ariz., 1:05 p.m. Cleveland vs. Chicago Cubs at Mesa, Ariz., 1:05 p.m. Cincinnati vs. Arizona at Scottsdale, Ariz., 1:10 p.m.

### Basketball NBA STANDINGS

EASTERN				
ATLANTIC	W	L	Pct	GB
New York Brooklyn Boston Philadelphia Toronto	35 34 31 23 23	20 26 27 34 37	.636 .567 .534 .404 .383	- 3½ 5½ 13 14½
SOUTHEAST	W	L	Pct	GB
Miami Atlanta Washington Orlando Charlotte	42 33 18 16 13	14 24 39 43 45	.750 .579 .316 .271 .224	9½ 24½ 27½ 30
CENTRAL	W	L	Pct	GB
Indiana Chicago Milwaukee Detroit Cleveland <b>WESTERN</b>	37 34 29 23 20	22 25 28 38 39	.627 .576 .509 .377 .339	- 3 7 15 17
SOUTHWEST	W	L	Pct	GB
San Antonio	46	14	.767	

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Memphis Houston Dallas New Orleans	38 32 26 21	19 28 32 39	.667 .533 .448 .350	6½ 14 19 25	
NORTHWEST	W	L	Pct	GB	
Oklahoma City Denver Utah Portland Minnesota	42 38 32 26 20	16 22 27 31 35	.724 .633 .542 .456 .364	- 5 10½ 15½ 20½	
PACIFIC	W	L	Pct	GB	_
L.A. Clippers Golden State L.A. Lakers Phoenix Sacramento	43 33 29 21 20	18 27 30 39 40	.705 .550 .492 .350 .333	9½ 13 21½ 22½	

Friday's Games
Indiana 93, Toronto 81
Indiana 93, Toronto 81
New York 96, Washington 88
Boston 94, Golden State 86
L.A. Clippers 105, Cleveland 89
New Orleans 100, Detroit 95
Dallas 98, Brooklyn 90
Miami 98, Memphis 91
San Antonio 130, Sacramento 102
Uttah 98, Charlotte 68
Phoenix 92, Atlanta 87
Penver 105, Oklahoma City 103
Saturday's Games

Denver 105, Oklanoma City 103 Saturday's Games Philadelphia 104, Golden State 97 Chicago 96, Brooklyn 85 Milwaukee 122, Toronto 114, OT Minnesota at Portland, late Sunday's Games

Minnesota at Portland, late
Sunday's Games
Miami at New York, 11 a.m.
Oklahoma City at L.A. Clippers, 1:30 p.m.
Charlotte at Sacramento, 4 p.m.
Memphis at Orlando, 4 p.m.
Philadelphia at Washington, 4 p.m.
Dallas at Houston, 5 p.m.
Detroit at San Antonio, 5 p.m.
Chicago at Indiana, 6 p.m.
Atlanta at L.A. Lakers, 7:30 p.m.
Monday's Games

Atlanta at L.A. Lakers, 7:30 p.m. Monday's Games New York at Cleveland, 5 p.m. Miami at Minnesota, 6 p.m. Orlando at New Orleans, 6 p.m. Utah at Milwaukee, 6 p.m. Atlanta at Denver, 7 p.m. Charlotte at Portland, 8 p.m. Toronto at Golden State, 8:30 p.m. PINILE O.A. UTETS BR.

BULLS 96, NETS 85

BROOKLYN (85)
Wallace 37 1-3 8, Evans 0-2 0-0 0, Lopez 9-16 4-5 22,
Williams 4-12 5-5 14, Johnson 5-10 0-0 11, Bogans 0-0
0-0 0, Humphres 0-1 0-0 0, Watson 3-7 0-0 7,
Blatche 4-10 5-6 13, Brooks 0-0 0-2 0, Teletovic 4-7 0-0
9, Taylor 0-0 1-2 1. Totals 32-72 16-23 85.

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CHICAGO (96)
Deng 3-10 2-2 8, Boozer 9-16 2-2 20, Noah 10-13 1-1 21,
Hinrich 5-8 0-0 12, Belinelli 2-7 2-2 7, Robinson 4-9 2-2
12, Butler 47-5-15, Cook 1-3 0-0 3, Mohammed 0-0
0-0 0. Totals 38-73 14-14 96.

Brooklyn 27 12 20 26 85
Chicago 72 26 24 19 96
3-Point Goals-Brooklyn 5-15 (Wallace 1-1, Teletovic 1-2, Watson 1-2, Johnson 1-4, Williams 1-5, Blatch 0-1),
Chicago 6-15 (Hinrich 2-3, Robinson 2-5, Cook 1-1,
Belinelli 1-2, Butler 0-1, Noah 0-1, Deng 0-2), Fouled
Out-None, Rebounds-Brooklyn 44 (Evans 10),
Chicago 38 (Noah 10). Assists-Brooklyn 19 (Williams 6), Chicago 25 (Noah 5), Total Fouls-Brooklyn 20,
Chicago 21, Technicals-Noah. A-22,414 (20,917).

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76ERS 104, WARRIORS 97

BUCKS 122 , RAPTORS 114 TORONTO (114)
Fields 7-13 1-1 15, Johnson 9-11 1-2 19, Bargnani 4-14 2-2 11, Lowry 4-7 0-0 10, DeRozan 6-21 6-8 18, Lucas 6-9 0-0 16, Valanciunas 2-5 0-0 4, Anderson 8-20 4-5 21, Ross 0-10 0-0, Totals 46-100 14-18 114.

21, ROS 0-0 0-0 0. 10dal3 46-100 14-18 114. MILWAUKE (122) Mbah a Moute 2-5 6-10 10, Ilyasova 12-21 5-5 29, Sanders 6-8 1-11 3, Jennings 3-12 4-4 11, Ellis 9-18 5-6 23, Dunleavy 3-7 0-0 8, Dalembert 1-3 0-0 2, Redick 6-12 2-2 16, Henson 4-5 0-0 8, Udoh 0-1 2-2 2. Totals 46-92 25-30 122. 46-92 25-30 122.

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Miliwaukee 2331 2822 18— 122
3-Point Goals—Toronto 8-22 (Lucas 4-5, Lowry 2-4,
Bargnani 1-3, Andreson 1-8, Fields 0-2), Milwaukee 5-14 (Dunleavy 2-3, Redick 2-6, Jennings 1-2, Ilyasova 03), Fouled Out-DeRozan, Johnson, Rebounds—Toronto 51 (Lowry 10), Milwaukee 5 (Sanders 12), Assists—
Toronto 28 (Lowry 10), Milwaukee 32 (Jennings 19), Total Fouls—Toronto 26, Milwaukee 20. A—16,165

(18,717). Top 25 Fared Saturday 1. Indiana (25-4) beat Iowa 73-60. Next: vs. No. 16 Ohio State, Tuesday. 2. Gonzaga (29-2) beat Portland 81-52. Next: WCC semifinals.

Semifinals.

3. Duke (25-4) beat No. 5 Miami 79-76. Next: vs. Wrignia Tech. Tuesday.

4. Michigan (23-5) did not play. Next: vs. No. 9 Michigan State, Sunday.

5. Miami (23-5) lost to No. 3 Duke 79-76. Next: vs. Georgia Tech, Wednesday.

6. Kansas (25-4) beat West Virginia 91-65. Next: vs. Texas Tech, Monday.

7. Georgetown (23-4) beat Rutgers 64-51. Next: at Willanova, Wednesday.

8. Florida (23-5) beat Alabama 64-52. Next: vs. Vanderbilt, Wednesday.

9. Michigan State (27-6) did not play. Next: at No. 4

9. Michigan State (22-6) did not play. Next: at No. 4 9. Michigan State (22-0) and not play. Toke at 133. Michigan, Sunday.
10. Louisville (24-5) beat No. 12 Syracuse 58-53. Next: vs. Cincinnati, Monday. 11. Arizona (23-6) lost to UCLA 74-69. Next: vs.

Arizona State. 12. Syracuse (22-7) lost to No. 10 Louisville 58-53. Next: vs. DePaul, Wednesday. 13. Kansas State (24-5) beat Baylor 64-61. Next: vs. TCU, Tuesday. 14. New Mexico (25-4) beat Wyoming 53-42. Next: at Arizona State 14. New Mexico (25-4) deal wyoming 53-42. Next: at Nevada, Wednesday. 15. Oklahoma State (22-6) beat Texas 78-65. Next: at Iowa State, Wednesday. 16. Ohio State (21-7) did not play. Next: at No. 1 Indiana, Tiuesday. 17. Wisconsin (20-8) did not play. Next: vs. Purdue, Fondow

Sunday. 18. Saint Louis (23-5) beat George Washington 66-58. Next: at Xavier, Wednesday. 19. Memphis (25-4) beat UCF 76-67. Next: at UTEP,

Tuesday. 20. Butler (22-7) lost to VCU 84-52. Next: at UMass, mursuay. 21. Notre Dame (22-7) lost to No. 22 Marquette 72-64. 21. Notre Dalme (22-7) Jost to No. 22 Marquette 72-64.
Next: vs. St. Dohn's, Tuesday.
22. Marquette (21-7) beat No. 21 Notre Dame 72-64.
Next: at Rutgers, Tuesday.
23. Pittsburgh (22-7) did not play. Next: vs. Villanova,
Sunday, Next: at DePaul.
24. Oregon (23-6) did not play. Next: at Colorado,
Thursday.
25. Louicinana Tech (26-3) beat San Jose State 88-61. 25. Louisiana Tech (26-3) beat San Jose State 88-61. Next: at New Mexico State, Thursday.

Golf HONDA CLASSIC

Saturday

At Pga National (Champion	Course)
Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.	
Purse: \$6 Million Yardage: 7,110 - Par: 70	
Third Round	
Luke Guthrie	68-63-71-202
Michael Thompson	
Lee Westwood	67-65-70-202 66-68-70-204
Geoff Ogilvy	
Rickie Fowler	68-66-70-204 65-71-69-205
Charles Howell III	67-67-71-205
Y.E. Yang	67-72-67-206
Peter Hanson	71-67-68-206
Keegan Bradley	68-68-70-206 68-66-72-206
Justin Rose	
Graham Delaet Darron Stiles	65-68-73-206 71-68-68-207
	69-68-70-207
Erik Compton James Driscoll	69-68-70-207
	69-66-72-207
Lucas Glover	
Tom Gillis	67-68-72-207
Nicholas Thompson	69-66-72-207
Boo Weekley	66-67-74-207
David Lynn	72-68-68-208
Brandt Jobe Kyle Stanley	69-71-68-208 70-69-69-208
Ben Kohles	66-73-69-208
	69-69-70-208
Bob Estes	67-68-73-208
Graeme Mcdowell Sean O'hair	66-68-74-208
Russell Henley	60-00-74-200
Charl Schwartzel	68-71-70-209 70-68-71-209
Mark Wilson	70-68-71-209
Chris Stroud	67-70-72-209
Jeff Klauk	67-69-73-209
Robert Streb	65-70-74-209
Tiger Woods	70-70-70-210
Retief Goosen	72-67-71-210
George Mcneill	
Stewart Cink	71-68-71–210 68-71-71–210
Fabian Gomez	66-72-72-210
Daniel Summerhays	69-67-74-210
Brian Stuard	66-69-75-210
Matteo Manassero	73-67-71-211
Trevor Immelman	73-67-71-211
Steven Bowditch	70-69-72-211
Ben Crane Freddie Jacobson	70-69-72–211 70-69-72–211
Brendon De Jonge	70-68-73-211
Dustin Johnson	66-71-74-211
Branden Grace	65-71-75-211
Chris Kirk	68-68-75-211

Chris Kirk
Doug Labelle Ii
Matt Jones
Scott Stallings
Nicolas Colsaerts
Brendan Steele
Vaughn Taylor
Kevin Streelman
Greg Chalmers
Brian Gay
Kevin Stadler
Jeff Overton
Jefon Durfner

Jason Dufner

66-68-77 67-73-72 74-66-72

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71-66-76-213 69-70-75-214 67-72-75-214 71-66-77-214 71-66-77-214 67-73-75-215 71-69-75-215 Martin Kaymer Ross Fisher Cameron Percy Patrick Reed Steve Marino Jamie Donaldson Marc Leishman D.A. Points Gary Woodland Justin Hicks Billy Horschel Brad Fritsch Jason Bohn 73-66-76-215 69-69-77-215 67-71-77-215 68-70-77-215 71-68-77-216 66-69-81-216 68-72-77-217 70-69-79-218 HSBC WOMEN'S CHAMPIONS

Saturday At Sentosa Golf Club (Serapong Course) At Sentosa Golf Club (Sera) Singapore Purse: \$1.4 Million Yardage: 6,606 - Par: 72 Third Round Na Yeon Choi Stacy Lewis Paula Creamer Danielle Kang Ariya Jutanugarn Azahara Munoz Sun Young Yoo Iessica Korrda 69-66-67-202 67-66-69-202 68-67-69-204 68-69-70-207 69-66-72-207 65-70-72-207 67-68-72-207 Azahara Munoz Sun Young Yoo Jessica Korda Karine Icher Nicole Castrale Candie Kung Chella Choi Morgan Pressel Lexi Thompson Jiyai Shin Pornanong Phatlum Lizette Salas Catriona Matthew

Lizette Salas Catriona Matthew Beatriz Recari Moriya Jutanugarn Yani Seng Anna Nordqvist Jenny Shin Inbee Park Chie Arimura Karin Sjodin Vicky Hurst Hee-Won Han Stacy Prammanasudh Brittany Lincicome Jodi Ewart Shadoff Hee Kyung Seo Suzann Pettersen Effittany Lang Suzann Pettersen Brittany Lang Karrie Webb Ilhee Lee Gerina Piller Amy Yang Haeji Kang Meena Lee Juli Inkster I.K. Kim Julieta Granada Jennifer Johnson Shanshan Feng Caroline Hedwall Giulia Sergas Katherine Hull-Kirk Mika Miyazato Mika Miyazato Cindy Lacrosse Momoko Ueda Michelle Wie Katie Futcher Sandra Gal Angela Stanford Hee Young Park Mi Jung Hur Christabel Goh

#### WEB.COM COLOMBIA **CHAMPIONSHIP**

Saturday
At Country Club De Bogota
Bogota, Colombia
Purse: \$700,000
Yardage: 7,237 - Par: 71
Third Round
Patrick Cantlay
Jim Renner
Shane Bertsch
Bhavik Patel
Ryan Spears

Ryan Spears Steve Wheatcroft Bio Kim Alex Cejka Michael Putnam Alexandre Rocha Roger Sloan Edward Loar Dusty Fielding Andres Echavarria Jordan Spieth Scott Brown Marco Dawson Oscar Serna Manuel Villegas Andrew Putnam BJ. Staten Alex Aragon Mathan Green Bobby Gates David Lipsky DJ. Brigman Chris Wilson Cliff Kresge Chris Riley Oscar Alvarez James Nittles Kevin Foley John Peterson Kyle Reifers Whee Kim Andrew Svoboda Ron Whittaker Zack Miller Martin Piller Matthae Doe Durant Joseph Bramlett Manuel Merizalde Joseph Bramlett
Manuel Merizalde
Billy Hurley lii
Sam Saunders
Miguel Angel Carballo
Will Mackenzie
Roland Thatcher
Vince Covello
Corey Nagy
Paul Claxton
Guy Boros
Russell Knox
Heath Slocum
Danny Lee
Chesson Hadley
Brett Stegmaier
Hudson Swafford
Ariel Canete

# Hockey

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loss.

Friday's Games
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Chicago 4, Columbus 3, Ort
Anaheim 3, Minnesota 2
Buffalo 4, New Jersey 3, 50
Phoenix 5, Anaheim 4, 50
Philadelphia 2, Ottawa 1
Boston 3, Tampa Bay 2
Washington 3, Winnipeg 0
Pittsburgh 7, Montreal 6, OT
Carolina 6, Florida 2
Los Angeles at Vancouver, late
Nashville at San Jose, late
Sunday's Games
Chicago at Detroit, 10:30 a.m.
Ottawa at NY. Islanders, 1 p.m.
Colorado at Columbus, 1 p.m.
St. Louis at Dallas, 1 p.m.
Carolina at Florida, 4 p.m.
Montreal at Boston, 5:30 p.m.
Buffalo at NY. Rangers, 5:30 p.m.
Edmonton at Minnesota, 6 p.m.
Vancouver at Calgary, 6 p.m.
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New Jersey at Toronto, 5 p.m.
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Monday's Games
New Jersey at Toronto, 5 p.m.

Odds NCAA BASKETBALL

FAVORITE

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TODAY'S SCHEDULE:

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ON TV **AUTO RACING** 12:30 p.m.

FOX - NASCAR, Sprint Cup, Subway Fresh Fit 500, at Avondale, Ariz.

**CYCLING** 

1 p.m. NBCSN — Paris-Nice, prologue, at Houilles, France (same-day tape)

**GOLF** 7 a.m.

TGC — European PGA Tour, Tshwane Open, final round, at Centurion, South Africa (same-day tape)

11 a.m. TGC - PGA Tour, The Honda Classic, final round, at Palm Beach

Gardens, Fla. 1 p.m.

NBC - PGA Tour, The Honda Classic, final round, at Palm Beach Gardens, Fla.

5 p.m.

TGC — LPGA, HSBC Women's Champions, final round, at Singapore (same-day tape) BASEBALL

3 a.m.

MLB — World Baseball Classic, first round, China vs. Japan, at Fukuoka, Japan

12:30 a.m.

MLB — World Baseball Classic, first round, China vs. Cuba, at Fukuoka, Japan

**MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL** 

11 a.m. ESPN - Purdue at Wisconsin

Noon CBS — Florida St. at

North Carolina 1:30 p.m. FSN — Washington St.

at Washington 2 p.m. CBS - Michigan St. at

Michigan **NBA BASKETBALL** 11 a.m.

ABC — Miami at New York 1:30 p.m.

ABC – Oklahoma City at L.A. Clippers 6 p.m.

ESPN - Chicago at Indiana **NHL HOCKEY** 

10:30 a.m. NBC — Chicago at Detroit

5:30 p.m. NBCSN — Montreal at Boston SOCCER

5:30 p.m. ESPN2 - MLS, New York at Portland **WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL** 

Noon ESPN2 — Saint Joseph's at Dayton

2 p.m. ESPN2 - North Carolina at Duke

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Chicago St. Louis Colorado at N.Y. Islanders Carolina at Boston at N.Y. Rangers at Minnesota Vancouver	-140 -120 -130 -140 -115 -175 -180 -140 -135	at Detroit at Dallas at Columbus Ottawa at Florida Montreal Buffalo Edmonton at Calgary	+120 +100 +110 +120 -105 +155 +160 +120 +115

# Ski Report

Idano Bogus Basin – Sat 9:55 am variable machine groomed 42 - 42 base 53 of 66 trails 7 of 9 lifts, 81% open, Mon-Fri: 10a-10p; Sat/Sun: 9a-10p;, Brundage – Sat 5:46 am ––PP 62 - 93 base 46 of 46 trails, 25 miles 1500 acres, 5 of 5 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9:30a-

1500 acres, 5 of 5 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9:30a-4:30p Sat/Sun: 9:30a-4:30p;, Kelly Canyon – Operating, no details -Lookout Pass – Sat 5:15 am spring snow machine groomed 74 - 131 base 34 of 34 trails 540 acres, 4 of 4 lifts, 100% open, Mon, Thu-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 8:30a-4p Open Thu-Mon; Magic Mountain – Closed for Snow Sports Pebble Creek – Sat 2:02 pm packed powder machine groomed 23 - 66 base 29 of 54 trails, 900 acres 3 of 3 lifts, 54% open, Mon-Fri: 9:30a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p;

grounieu 2 - 80 acez 29 n 39 4 trais, 300 actes 3 of 3 lifts, 54% open, Mon-Fri: 9:30a-4p; 54t/Sun: 9a-4p;,
Pomerelle – Sat 7:58 am packed powder machine groomed 80 - 98 base 24 of 24 trais, 500 acres 3 of 3 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; 54t/Sun: 9a-4p; Tue/Sat: 4p-9p;,
Schweitzer Mountain – Sat 5:49 am wet snow machine groomed 92 - 122 base 92 of 92 trails 2900 acres, 8 of 9 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-7p;,
Silver Mountain – Sat 3:14 am variable machine groomed 45 - 69 base 73 of 73 trails 6 of 7 lifts, 100% open, Mon, Thu/Fri: 9a-3:45p; Sat/Sun: 9a-3:45p
Open Thu-Mon;,
Snowhaven – Sat 10:01 am — 8 new packed powder machine groomed 30 - 35 base 7 of 7 trails 2 of 2 lifts, 100% open, Fri: 0a-4p; Sat/Sun: 10a-4p; Open Fri-Sun;

Bulls past Nets 96-85

ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHICAGO • Joakim Noah had 21 points and 10 rebounds, Carlos Boozer scored 20 points and the Chicago Bulls beat the Brooklyn Nets 96-85 on Saturday.

The Bulls went on a 19-0 run that started in the second quarter and stretched into third, giving them an 18-point lead. They opened March on a winning note after going 5-8 in February, just their second losing month in 21/2 seasons under coach Tom Thibodeau.

Noah followed up the third triple-double of his career with another terrific performance that also included four blocks. He committed five turnovers, but even so it sure was an impressive follow-up to Thursday's gem, when he had 23 points, 21 rebounds and a career-high 11 blocks in a win over Philadelphia.

Boozer added eight rebounds. Jimmy Butler had 13 points, Nate Robinson and Kirk Hinrich scored 12 apiece, and the Bulls won their second straight after dropping seven of 10.

Brook Lopez led Brooklyn with 22 points -14 in the first quarter — but the Nets fell for the fourth time in five games. Deron Williams cooled off, finishing with 14 after averaging 27 over the previous three games.

Joe Johnson scored 11 in his second game back after missing three with a foot injury and committed five of Brooklyn's 21 turnovers.

Noah had 15 points in the first half, and the Bulls led 53-39 at the break after trailing by 11 in the early go-

They scored the final 15 points of the second quarter and got a pull-up jumper and driving layup from Boozer to start the

4p; Open Thu-Sun; Sun Valley – Sat 5:44 am hard packed machine groomed 24 - 53 base 75 of 75 trails 12 of 19 lifts, 100% open, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 12 of 19 files, 100% objett, MoriFrit: '94"-4p;, Sat/Suir: '94"-4p;, Tamarack — Sat 8:01 am powder machine groomed 24 - 71 base 35 of 36 trails, 882 acres 6 of 6 lifts, 98% open, Thu/Fri: '9a-4p; Sat/Sun: '9a-4p; Open Thu-Sun;, Utah

Utah Alta – Sat 7:45 am packed powder machine groomed 88 - 88 base 116 of 116 trails, 100% open 10 of 11 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9:15a-4:30p; Sat/Sun: 9:15a-

Hop: Brian Head — Sat 7-48 am packed powder machine groomed 54 - 54 base 70 of 71 trails 99% open, 8 of 9 lifts, Mon-Fri: 10a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9-30a-4-30p; Brighton — Sat 5-04 am packed powder machine groomed 72 - 72 base 65 of 66 trails, 99% open 1050 acres, 7 of 7 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-9p; Sat: 9a-9p; Sun: 9a-4p; Caryons — Sat 6-24 am packed powder machine groomed 48 - 70 base 159 of 182 trails 88% open, 19 of 19 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p;

49; Deer Valley – Sat 5:26 am packed powder machine groomed 65 - 65 base 100 of 100 trails 100% open, 21 of 21 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4:15p; Sat/Sun:

100% open, 21 of 21 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4:15p; Sat/Sun 9a-4:15p; Eagle Point – Sat 7:49 am packed powder machine groomed 50 - 50 base 40 of 40 trails 100% open, 5 of 5 lifts, Thu-Fri: 9:30a-4:30p; Sat/Sun: 9:30a-4:30p Open Thu-Sun; Park City – Sat 5:13 am packed powder machine groomed 48 - 62 base 114 of 116 trails 100% open, 16 of 16 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p:

9a-4p; Powder Mountain – Sat 7:51 am packed powder machine groomed 63 - 63 base 135 of 144 trails 94% open, 7 of 7 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-9p; Sat/Sun: 9a-

94% open, 7 of 7 ints, MoII-FIT: 94-9p; Sat/Suff: 94-9p; Showbasin – Sat 5:35 am powder machine groomed 68 - 68 base 104 of 104 trails 100% open, 28 miles, 3000 acres, 9 of 9 lifts, sm Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p; Snowbird – Sat 7:52 am packed powder machine groomed 82 - 82 base 92 of 100 trails 92% open, 13 of 13 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-5p; Sat/Sun: 9a-5p:

5p; Solitude – Sat 7:52 am packed powder machine groomed 72 - 72 base 65 of 65 trails 100% open, 8 of 8 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-

100% open, 4 of 4 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-9p; Sat/Sun: 9a-90; Wid fifth, Money open, 450 ares, 5 of 5 lifts, Mon, Wed-Fri: 9a-9p; Tue: 9a-4:30p; Wolf Mountain – Sat 8:05 am powder machine groomed 68 - 68 base 22 of 22 trails 100% open, 4 of 4 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-9p; Sat/Sun: 9a-90;

JOURN OUPER, 4 of 4 HITS, Mon-Fri: 9α-9p; Sat/Sun: 9α-9p;

Wyoming
Grand Targhee – Sat 6:14 am packed powder
machine groomed 90 - 90 base 76 of 76 trails
100% open, 2602 acres, 5 of 5 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9α-4p;
Sat/Sun: 9α-4p;
Hogadon – Operating, no details Wed-Fri: 9α-4p
Sat/Sun: 9α-4p; open Wed-Sun;
Jackson Hole – Sat 6:40 am 1 new packed powder
machine groomed 61 - 76 base 108 of 116 trails, 94%
open, 2400 acres, 12 of 15 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9α-4p
Sat/Sun: 9α-4p;
Meadowlark Ski Lodge – Thu 7-31 pm powder
machine groomed 31 - 38 base 14 of 14 trails, 100%
open, 2 of 2 lifts, Fri: 9α-4p; Sat/Sun: 9α-4p; Open
Fri-Sun;
Sleeping Giant – Sat 3-58 nm parked nowder

open, 2 or 2 mts, rit: ya-4p; satr/Sun: ya-4p; Upen Fri-Sun; Sleeping Giant – Sat 3:58 pm packed powder machine groomed 25 - 25 base 34 of 49 trails 70% open, 3 of 3 lifts, Fri: y-3:0a-4p; SatySun: 9:30a-4p; Open Fri-Sun; Snow King – Sat 4:00 pm packed powder machine groomed 22 - 44 base 23 of 24 trails 96% open, 4 of 4 lifts, Tue-Fri: 10a-7p; Sat: 10a-7p; Sun: 10a-4p Open Tue-Sun; Snowy Range – Sat 5:06 am packed powder machine groomed 48 - 48 base 29 of 29 trails 100% open, 4 of 5 lifts, Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p;

Ap; White Pine – Sat 6:36 am packed powder machine groomed 12 - 28 base 25 of 25 trails 100% open, 2 of 2 lifts, Thu/Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p; Open Thu-Sun; Grand Targhee XC – Sat 6:11 am packed powder machine groomed 24 - 90 base 5 of 5 trails 15 miles Mon-Fri: 9a-4p; Sat/Sun: 9a-4p;

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Saturday
At Dubai Tennis Stadium
Dubai, United Arab Emirates
Purse: \$2.4 million (WT500)
Surface: Hard-Outdoor
Singles
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Novak Diskovis (1) Serbia de

Championship
Novak Djokovic (1), Serbia, def. Tomas Berdych (3),
Czech Republic, 7-5, 6-3.
Doubles
Championship
Mahesh Bhupathi, India/Michael Llodra, France, def.
Robert Lindstedt, Sweden/Nenad Zimonjic (3),
Serbia, 7-6 (6), 7-6 (6).

third, turning a one-point deficit into a 57-39 lead.

Daequan Cook ignited the run by nailing a 3 with 4:16 remaining in the half, and Robinson and Hinrich struck from long range on back-to-back possessions with about a minute remaining.

76ERS 104, WARRIORS 97 PHILADELPHIA • One assist shy of his first career triple-double, Evan Turner took pride in getting the

rebounds and nine assists, Jrue Holiday scored 27, and the Philadelphia 76ers snapped a seven-game losing streak with a 104-97 victory over the Golden State Warriors on Saturday night.

"I wasn't going to force anything to get a tripledouble," Turner said. "It was cool and it's great to get a win. We competed and gave a lot of effort."

Thad Young had 14 points and 16 rebounds and 17 points for the Sixers, who are 51/2 games behind Milwaukee for the final playoff spot in the Eastern Conference with 25 games left.

Stephen Curry scored 30 and Klay Thompson added 29 for the Warriors, who've lost four in a row.

Despite losing 10 of 13, are one game up on eighththe last spot.

taking care of the basketare hurting us right now."

WORLD TOUR DELRAY BEACH

Saturday At Delray Beach Stadium & Tennis Center Delray Beach, Fla. Purse: \$519,775 (WT250) Surface: Hard-Outdoor

Max Mirnyi, Belarus/Horia Tecau (1), Romania, def. Johan Brunstrom, Sweden/Raven Klaasen (4), South Africa, 7-6

At Feuer at all Catal me Florianopolis, Brazil Purse: \$235,000 (Intl.) Surface: Hard-Outdoor Singles Championship 2, 4-6, 6-4, WTA BMW MALAYSIAN OPEN

Saturday At The Fairmont Acapulco Princess Acapulco, Mexico Purse: ATP, \$1.35 million (WT500) WTA, \$235,000 (Intl.) Surface: Clay-Outdoor

Transactions
BASTRALI
American League
KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Agreed to terms with RHP Aaron
Crow, RHP Luis Coleman, RHP Luis Mendoza, RHP
Guillermo Moscoso and LHP Francisley Bueno on one-year
contracts.

POOTBALL

National Football League

DALLAS COWBOYS—Signed C Phil Costa to a two-year contract

tract.
HOOKEY
Netforal Hockey League
NHL-Fined Dallas F Jamie Benn \$10,000 for cross-checking
Edmonton F Ryan Jones in a Feb. 28 game.
LOS ANGELES KINGS—Activated D Alec Martinez from the
injured reserve list. Assigned D Andrew Campbell to
Manchester (AHL).

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American Hockey League
PROVIDENCE BRUINS—Signed D Nolan Julseth-White to a professional tryout contract.

ECHL—Suspended Florida's Dan Milan one game and fined him an undisclosed amount for his actions in a March 1 game against Gwinnett. Fined Florida's Brent Henley an undisclosed amount for his actions in a March 1 game against Gwinnett. Suspended San Francisco's Mikael Tamone game and fined him an undisclosed amount for his actions in a March 1 game against Gwinnett. Suspended San Francisco's Mikael Tamone game and fined him an undisclosed amount for his actions in a March 1 game against Gwinnett. Suspended San Francisco's Mikael Tamone game and fined him an undisclosed amount for his actions in a March 1 game at Las Vegas.

Central Hockey League
BLOOMINGTON BLAZE—Announced F Kyle Bochek was suspended by the league for five games. Announced G Kieran Millan was recalled by Lake Erie (AHL). Signed G Casey Sherwood.

SOCCER

Major League Socoer

LA GALAXY—Signed F Charlie Rugg and MF Greg Cochrane.

win. Turner had 22 points, 10

Royal Ivey chipped in with

Golden State remains sixth in the West. The Warriors place Houston and 31/2 ahead of the Los Angeles Lakers, who are fighting for

"Our problem was not offensively, our problem was defensively," Warriors coach Mark Jackson said. "Our offense is not going to win ballgames. Defensively is how we got it done and ball, and those two things

INTERNATIONAL

Singles Semifinals Ernests Gulbis, Latvia, def. Tommy Haas (2), Germany, 6-3, 4-6, 7-6 (2).

WTA BRASIL TENNIS CUP

Monica Niculescu, Romania, def. Olga Puchkova, Russia, 6-

Saturday At Budit Kara Equestrian & Country Resort Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia Purse \$25,000 (Intl.) Surface Hard-Outdoor Singles Semifinals Karolina Pliskova, Czech Republic, def. Ayumi Morita (4), Japan, 6-0, 6-2. Bethanie Mattle-Sands, U.S., def. Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova (3), Russia, 6-4, 6-1. Doubes Semifinals Janette Husarova, Slovakia/Zhang Shuai (1), China, def. Ludskia Kumkhum, Thailand/Erika Sema, Japan, 6-4, 3-6, 10-5.

ABIERTO MEXICANO TELCEL

**Championship** David Ferrer (1), Spain, vs. Rafael Nadal (2), Spain, 9 p.m.

Guillermo Moscoso and LHP Francisley Bueno on one-year contracts.

LOS ANGELES ANGELS—Agreed to terms with OF Peter Bourjos, RHP Byan Brasier, OF Kole Calhoun, RHP David Carpenter, C Hank Conger, OF Scott Cousins, RHP Barry Enright, INF Tommy Field, RHP Ernesto Frieri, RHP Steven Geltz, C John Hester, INF Luis Jimenez, RHP Michael Kohn, LHP Nick Maronde, LHP Brad Mills, RHP Garrett Richards, INF Andrew Romine, LHP Brandon Sisk, LHP Andrew Taylor, OF Mark Trumbo and OF Travis Witherspoon on one-year contracts. Renewed the contract of OF Mike Trout.

National League
ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS—Agreed to terms with RHP Chase Anderson, RHP Charles Brewer, RHP Josh Collmenter, RHP Pandall Delgado, RHP Daniel Hudson, RHP Starling Peralta, RHP Eric Smith, RHP Zeke Spruill, LHP Patrick Corbin, LHP Eury De la Rosa, LHP Joe Paterson, LHP Matt Reynolds, LHP Pider Skaggs, OF Keon Broxton, OF Tony Campana, OF Adam Eaton, OF Alfredo Marte, OF A.J. Pollock, INF Didi Gregorius and INF Paul Goldschmidt on one-year contracts. Renewed the contract of LHP Wade Miley.

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Mational Basketball Association

CHICAGO BULLS—Signed F Lou Amundson to a 10-day contract.

MIAMI HEAT—Signed F Juwan Howard to a 10-day contract.

# Filer

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buzzer sounded. It was the second highest scoring game in a state tournament game at the 3A level since the Idaho High School Activities Association began archiving yearly records in 2000.

The highest? Filer in the consolation bracket in 2009. Those Wildcats scored 81 points. Filer's second through fourth quarter full-game scoring pace: 104 points. The alltime scoring record is 96 points by Shelley in 1970.

"We were due for a good shooting game," senior Jed Oyler said. "The first two games (of the tournament) we didn't shoot particularly well. It just clicked. We all were feeling the bottom of the net. It was indescribable."

Austin Tews, who was 1-15 against Shelley and 5-13 against Sugar-Salem (four makes coming in under two minutes), made eight of his final 12 shots, including six 3-pointers.

"He is one of if not the best shooter I have seen, let alone played with or against," said Logan Beard in his last game with the soon-to-be graduate.

Logan Beard was even more efficient than Tews, making seven of 10 shots, three of them 3-pointers, scoring 20 points.

By the end of it, the six graduating Wildcats were substituted for the end of the bench - the next in line - receiving a standing ovation from the roadside crowd at Meridian High School.

"This was all about the seniors, nobody else," Logan Beard said.

For the seniors, it was all about next year's group.

"Last year's senior started something and we built on it," Oyler said. "The guys that got in at the end of the game brought tears to my eyes. It'll be their turn to build."

Nine players scored, including senior Cortland Bailey, who was introduced by the public address announcer as the "Panda," whose soft hands and deft footwork impressed a number of basketball-astute observers, including some coaches from the region. Bailey had four points, but was called for two questionable offensive fouls on potential buckets.

"This was all about hard-work," Bailey said. "We are a really tight group and that's what did it for us. We played for each other. We were always together in the gym, always working."

It's not clear if any of the seniors are interested in playing or attempting to walk on for a college basketball program, though Oyler said some are "exploring their options."

Returners were already talking about the off-season work they wanted to get to.

"We know how to get here now," Austin Beard said.

Filer will now turn to the Beard twins for leadership, as the Wildcats will have a talented but undersized junior varsity team coming to bolster the eight likely returners.

"This is awesome for our community," Logan Beard said. "We want to keep building up, having generations keep coming up and coming up."





RYAN HOWE . TIMES-NEWS

Twin Falls' Casdon Jardine drives against his defender during the Bruins' third-place game of the Class 4A state boys basketball tournament against Skyview Saturday at Borah High School in Boise.

# **Twin Falls**

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Meyerhoeffer each scored 13 points and grabbed four rebounds for Twin Falls, which finished the season with a 20-8 record.

After a shooting lull in its semifinal loss to Rigby on Friday, Skyview got back to blistering the nets like it did in its quarterfinal victory over Burley. The Hawks shot 57.7 percent from the floor, most of which came in transition or from backdoor cuts.

"Coach was harping on us pretty hard to get back (in defensive transition)," Corr said. "That's something you've got to be able to control. You can control your effort. They're a lot quicker than any team we've played, but we still could have hustled back."

Skyview (23-3), which was ranked No. 1 in the state media poll at the end of the regular season, had four players score in double figures. The Hawks were led by Toby Anderson's 18 points, six rebounds and five assists.

"They're athletic," Harr said of Skyview. "When they get a rebound they have four guys who go hard up the floor. ... I thought their quickness might hurt us, and

Twin Falls only trailed by two points at halftime. When Skyview stretched its lead to 53-40 in the fourth quarter, the Bruins made one final rally, cutting the deficit to five with under a minute to play. They got two good looks at 3-pointers that would have made it a onepossession game, but they wouldn't fall.

"It just didn't happen today," Corr said.

SKYVIEW 57, TWIN FALLS 50 Twin Falls

Skyview 12 9 14 13 -57

TWIN FALLS (50) 13 10 20 14 -57

TWIN FALLS (50) 15 10 20 0.0 0, K. Meyerhoeffer 0-2 0-0 0, C. Meyerhoeffer 6-10 0-0 13, A. Meyerhoeffer 5-15 2-2

Skyview 23 14, Jardine 3-6 0-0 8, Burgett 0-1 0-0

Jones 1-6 0-2 0, Stutzman 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 19-50

0. Jones 1-6 0-2 0, Stutzman 0-1 0-0 0. Tötals 19-50 4-7 50.

SKYVIEW (57)
Sharp 1-2 2-2 4, Anderson 7-10 4-4 18, Lightfoot 5-6 0-1 10, Slemmer 4-7 2-3 11, Kennedy 5-7 0-0 11, Hyde 0-1 0-0 0, Robbins 0-3 1-2 1, Field 0-3 0-1 0, Ray 1-1 0-0 2. Totals 2-34 0-9 13-57.

Halftime: Skyview 23, Twin Falls 21. 3-point goals: Twin Falls 11-23 (Merritt 0-1, K. Meyerhoeffer 0-2, C. Meyerhoeffer 1-3, A. Meyerhoeffer 1-7, Corr 4-6, Jardine 2-5, Jones 0-2, Stutzman 0-1). Rebounds: Twin Falls 8 (C. Meyerhoeffer 3); Skyview 17 (Anderson 5). Turnovers: Twin Falls 8, Skyview 10. Team fouls: Twin Falls 13; Skyview 11. Fouled out: none.

# Declo

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Grangeville that we've had these last two games, we would have won that first game," said Declo head coach Val Christensen.

In a back-and-forth battle with Soda Springs, Declo had a three-point lead with 6:52 remaining in the fourth quarter following a Kyle Heward offensive rebound and put-

But that was the last field goal Declo made, and Soda went on an 11-0 game-clinching rally.

Declo turned the ball over 22 times against the Cardinals' half court trap defense, which pressured the Hornets' guards and made post entry passes difficult. Heward, Declo's best post presence, finished with just nine points and eight rebounds.

But even more glaring was the physical mismatch. Soda was simply stronger and quicker.

The District IV champions finished with an 18-8 record.

"We came a long ways from the beginning of the season," Garner said. "We have sophomores and seniors that hadn't played a lot together. We were just trying to find ourselves at the beginning, then toward the end of the season we started working well together.

"They'll definitely be back here," Garner added. "After being here and realizing how fun it is and what a great feeling it is, they'll definitely get backhere, and honestly, I (expect) them to get to the state



SODA SPRINGS 54, DECLO 47

Declo 37 113 15 10 9 - 47 SODA SPRINGS (54) 13 15 10 09 - 47 SODA SPRINGS (54) 12 9, Schvaneveldt 0-2 0-1 0, Mumford 0-2 0-0 0, Yamauchi 2-7 6-8 11, Spain 9-18 0-0 18, Belhap 4-12 1-3 9, Hayes 1-4 2-2 4, Allen 1-2 1-2 3-24 3 18, Ething 4-42 1-3 9, Hayes 1-4 2-2 4, Allen 1-2 1-2 3-24 3 18, Ething 4-4 12 1-2 3-24 3 18, Ething 4-4 12 1-2 3 18, Ething 4-4 12 18, Ething 4-4

**DECLO (47)**Mangum 0-4 0-0 0, Hanson 1-7 4-4 6, Schroeder 0-3 3-4 3, Moore 2-5 2-2 6, Garner 6-15 3-5 17, Matthews 3-8 0-2 6, Heward 3-6 3-4 9, Totals 15-48 15-21 47.

Halftime: Soda Springs 29, Declo 28, 3-point goals: Soda Springs 3-12 (Goodenough 2-2, Mumford 0-1, Yamauchi 1-2, Spain 0-5, Belnap 0-2); Declo 2-15 (Mangum 0-3, Hanson 0-3, Schroeder 0-2, Garner 2-6,

Matthews 0-1). Rebounds: Soda Springs 35 (Spain 7); Declo 25 (Moore, Heward 5). Assists: Soda Springs 12 (Goodenough 3); Declo 8 (Hanson 4). Turnovers: Soda Springs 22; Declo 22. Team fouls: Soda Springs 15; Declo 27: O

Declo 17. Fouled out: Soda Springs, Goodenough

13 16 8 13 15 10

Soda Springs

Zac

makes a move to the hoop during the Hornets' consolation game against Soda Springs during the Class 2A state boys basketball tournament Saturday at Capital High School in Boise.

Declo's Kai

Garner

RYAN HOWE

# **Shoshone** Falls in 1A-I **Consolation Final**

BY DAVID BASHORE dbashore@magicvalley.com

**CALDWELL** • The book on Shoshone has been two pages deep for a lot of the season: guard Garrett Sant for all you're worth, and drop the hammer in the second half when the Indians tend to struggle.

Notus did both to near perfection Saturday, beating Shoshone 48-41 to win the consolation final at the 1A-I state boys basketball tournament at Vallivue High School.

The Pirates did it by holding Sant to nine points in the game, just two after halftime - during the same timeframe Shoshone scored just 13.

"They really wanted to win this game. They outhustled us," Shoshone coach Larry Messick said, going on to specifically refer to three plays by Notus guard Casey Wilbur — two where he flew out of bounds to save a ball and a third where he beat Shoshone's box-out to rebound his own missed free throw.

"All year we've really struggled in the second half, particularly in the third quarter," added Messick, who finished his 40th season in charge at Shoshone. "Sometimes it's a mental toughness thing. When the pressure gets up there, some kids don't handle it well." A team that relies so

heavily on Sant, who scored 31 in the Indians' elimination-game win over Grace on Friday, struggled to generate offense as his - and their legs tired. Henry Garcia led

Shoshone with 11 points, while Bryan Frahm scored 18 and Devin Krasowski added 15 for the Pirates. Sant had eight rebounds.

Shoshone led 28-19 at halftime on the strength of 55-percent shooting from the floor, but the Indians made just four field goals and shot 21 percent from the floor in the second half. Notus, by comparison, shot 33 percent in the first half and 56 in the second.

Wilbur had nine points and nine rebounds for Notus.

#### NOTUS 48, SHOSHONE 41 Shoshone 13 15 Notus 12 7 7 13

Notus 12 7 13 16 -41 SHOSHONE (41) Anguiano 3-6 2-2 8, Garcia 4-7 2-3 11, Sant 4-12 0-19, Waite 2-5 2-3 7, Diaz 0-1 0-0 0, Aoi 0-0 0-0 0, Bench 0-0 0-0 0, Wallace 2-8 2-2 6. Totals NOTUS (48)

15-39 5-11 41.

NOTUS (48)

Hibbard 0-0 0-0 0, Wilbur 3-8 1-4 9, Robinson 1-2 0-0 2, K. Zimmerman 0-3 0-0 0, Lyon 0-0 0-0 0, Krasowski 5-8 4-5 15, Frahm 7-12 2-3 18, Hartman 0-0 0-0 0, Cook 0-0 0-0 0, Buckingham 1-1 0-0 2, T. Zimmerman 0-5 2-2 2, Totals 17-39 9-14 48.

3-point goals: Shoshone 3-10 (Garcia 1-1, Sant 1-4, Waite 1-4, Anguiano 0-1); Notus 5-19 (Wilbur 2-6, Frahm 2-6, Krasowski 1-2, T. Zimmerman 0-3, Robinson 0-1, K. Zimmerman 0-1). Rebounds: Shoshone 25 (Sant 8); Notus 27 (Wilbur 9). Assists: Shoshone 9 (Garcia 5); Notus 7 (Wilbur 5). Turnovers: Shoshone 12, Notus 12. Total fouls: Shoshone 16, Notus 14. Foulled out: none.





them," Christensen said. **EVERYDAY.** 

championship game."

will pay dividends.

Hayden

With a core of Heward,

Mangum, Clayton Moore and

Jade Matthews returning next

season, this state experience

"I'm losing a tremendous

point guard and leader in Kai,

but we're young and we'll be

back. I thought it was a

tremendous effort from our

boys. I'm really pleased with

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#### NOTICE OF MEETING TO NOMINATE A <u>PACKER/SHIPPER</u> MEMBER OF THE IDAHO POTATO COMMISSION

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, March 7, 2013 at 1:00 p.m. at the Idaho Potato Commission office at 3670 S. 25th Street, Idaho Falls, Idaho, nominations for one packer/shipper member of the Idaho Potato Commission may be made by qualified packer/shippers residing in the State of Idaho. Said packer/shippers may nominate three qualified packer/shippers for the vacancy from whom one will be appointed to the Commission by Governor C. L. "Butch" Otter.

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OF THE IDAHO POTATO COMMISSION Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, March 7, 2013 at 3:00 p.m. at the Idaho Potato Commission office at 3670 S. 25th Street, Idaho Falls, Idaho, nominations for one grower member of the Idaho Potato Commission may be made by qualified commercial potato growers residing in District No. 1, which includes Oneida, Franklin, Bear Lake, Caribou, Bannock, Power, Bingham, Bonneville, Teton, Madison, Jefferson, Fremont, Clark, Butte, Custer, and Lemhi counties. Said growers may nominate three qualified growers for the vacancy from whom one will be appointed to the Commission by Governor C. L. "Butch" Otter.

# NOTICE OF MEETING TO NOMINATE A <u>PROCESSOR</u> MEMBER OF THE IDAHO POTATO COMMISSION

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# f TODAY IN HISTORY

a congressional resolution.

#### On this date:

In 1845, Florida became the 27th state.

In 1849, the U.S. Department of the Interior was established.

In 1863, President Abraham Lincoln signed a measure creating the National Academy of Sciences.

In 1894, British Prime Minister William Gladstone submitted his resignation to Queen Victoria, ending his fourth and final premiership.

**In 1913,** more than 5,000 suffragists marched down Pennsylvania Avenue in Washington, D.C., a day before the presidential inauguration of Woodrow Wilson.

In 1923, Time magazine, founded by Briton Hadden and Henry R. Luce, made its

In 1943, in London's East End, 173 people died in a crush of bodies at the Bethnal Green tube station, which was being used as a wartime air raid shelter.

In 1945, the Allies fully secured the Philippine capital of Manila from Japanese forces during World War II.

In 1969, Apollo 9 blasted off from Cape Kennedy on a mission to test the lunar module.

In 1974, a Turkish Airlines DC-10 crashed shortly after takeoff from Orly Airport in Paris, killing all 346 people on board.

In 1991, motorist Rodney King was severely beaten by Los Angeles police officers in a scene captured on amateur video. Twenty-five people were killed when a United Airlines Boeing 737-200 crashed while approaching the Colorado Springs air-

In 1993, health pioneer Albert Sabin, developer of the oral polio vaccine, died in Washington, D.C. at age 86.

Ten years ago: Israeli troops arrested Hamas cofounder Mohammed Taha in a deadly raid. (Israel released him 14 months later.) President George W. Bush offered a rough blueprint for adding drug benefits to Medicare. Malcolm Kilduff, the White House spokesman who announced to a shocked world the death of President John F. Kennedy, died in Beat-

tyville, Ky., at age 75. Five years ago: Democrat Barack Obama said his campaign had never given Canada back-channel assurances that his harsh words about the North American Free Trade Agreement were for political show, despite a Canadian memo indicating otherwise. A gunman opened fire inside a Wendy's restaurant in West Palm Beach, Fla., killing a paramedic who'd gone back to fetch a missing meal toy for his child; the gunman wounded five others before turning the gun on himself. Operatic tenor Giuseppe Di Stefano died in Santa Maria Hoe, Italy, at age 86.

One year ago: Mitt Romney rolled to a double-digit victory in Washington state's Republican presidential caucuses, his fourth campaign triumph in a row. Conservative talk show host Rush Limbaugh apologized on his website to Georgetown University law student Sandra Fluke (fluhk), whom he had branded a "slut" and "prostitute" after she testified to congressional Democrats that she wanted her college health plan to cover her birth control. Eleven passengers and five workers were killed when two trains crashed head-on in southern Poland.

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German Shepherd cross red black and white neutered male name Maddox (no chickens or goats) Husky black and white female name Sadie (no chickens or goats)

Boxer cross female brindle

Beagle Chihuahua cross white and tan neutered male (no children)

Border Collie cross black and white female Lab yellow spayed female name Tana Chihuahua terrier tan white and tan male Pit Lab heeler cross black female name Lady Pit Lab heeler black male name Jax Wirehair Griffon brown and white female Chihuahua cross tan and white spayed female Shepherd corgi tan and black spayed female name Hoodie

Heeler cross tri colored male

Min Pin Catahoula cross chocolate merle male Lab yellow neutered male name Buster

Collie cross tan and white female Pit Bull red female

Pit Boxer cross light brindle neutered male name Tyson Chihuahua cross black and tan female name Fiona

Lab cross chocolate and tan male Lab Border Collie cross white and black female

Chihuahua cross tan female Shih Tzu tan and white female

Terrier cross tan female

Boxer cross light brindle neutered male Border Collie black and white neutered male Chihuahua cross tan female

German Shepherd red and black female Aussie tri spayed female pup

Lab cross black with white on chest female Mastiff Husky cross white and gray brindle neutered male name Jim Bob

Chihuahua cross tan female name Apple

Lab cross black male

Pit Border Collie cross male Terrier cross red spayed female name Little Red (no

small kids)Collie black with white neutered male Lab cross chocolate spayed female name Shelby Lab cross black female Border Collie black with white front sock female

Shepherd Heeler tan with white specks Shar-pei retriever cross gold neutered male name Buster

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20): Friends fall in love. You are romantic, charming and full of fun. Someone you think of as a merely friend may think you are serious about taking a relationship to the next level in the week

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- BAGGAGE CHECK IN MONTANA



**DEAR**  $\mathbf{A}\mathtt{B}\mathtt{B}\mathtt{Y}$ **Jeanne Phillips** 

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**DEAR ABBY:** I have a question regarding what to do when someone pays you a compliment. I was always taught that a compliment should be answered with a polite "thank you." So when my husband compliments me on a nice meal, I say, "Thank you."

He believes that you are not being humble enough when you say thank you, since it is recognizing that you did a good job. He thinks you should say, "I'm glad you like it," instead of thank you. What is the correct response?

#### -GRAMMATICALLY PERPLEXED **DEAR PERPLEXED:** You

are not a robot, and your husband should not attempt to program your responses by "correcting" you. Saying thank you for a compliment is the appropriate response when one is offered. When paid a compliment, I see no reason to feign humility by saying anything that lessens it, especially if it is deserved.

**DEAR ARRY:** About a year ago my sisters, a daughter and several nieces and nephews decided to get the word "family," in my mother's handwriting, tattooed on their bodies to memorialize her. I didn't do it because Mom didn't like tattoos and would not have approved of anyone getting one for any reason. I do a number of other things in her memory.

Should I feel guilty for not joining them in their endeavor to remember Mom, or is it OK to remember her in a way she would approve of?

- NO TATS FOR ME **DEAR NO TATS:** The process of mourning is an individual one. There is no requirement that families do it "en masse." If you prefer to memorialize your mother in your own way, then do it and don't feel guilty about it. However, because your relatives chose to do something else in the spirit of family harmony - which your mother would not approve of — be careful not to criticize the path they took.

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ANSWER: Jumping to game in no-trump without worrying about spades seems highly premature. Since most people play a jump raise to three diamonds in competition as based on shape, start with a cue-bid of two hearts to show a good diamond raise and take it from there. You can always bid no-trump later.

#### Dear Mr. Wolff:

What is the difference between a renege and a revoke, and what are the penalties for the two offenses?

Splitting Hairs, Springfield, Mass.

ANSWER: A renege and revoke are exactly the same thing, and the only difference is that the latter term is the only one used in the U.K., whereas in the U.S., the former may be slightly more popular. Just for the record. The penalty for a renege is now one trick in pretty much every circumstance — UNLESS you personally win the revoke trick with a revoke card, which in turn implies you need to have trumped the trick in error. Of course, if one trick does not restore equity, there may be a further adjustment.

#### Dear Mr. Wolff:

My partner did not agree with my choice here. I was in fourth chair and heard a pass on my left, one club from my partner, and one heart to my right. I had ♠ J-8-7, **♥** 4, **♦** K-9-7-5-4, **♣** A-J-5-4, and simply raised to two clubs. When two hearts on my left was passed around to me, I thought I was too shapely to pass, so I bid three clubs, ending in a 4-3 fit when diamonds was far safer. What should I have done?

Minor Errors, Fayetteville, N.C.

ANSWER: Your two-club call was very reasonable. (You might have stretched to bid two diamonds instead, but there is a lot to be said for supporting with support.)

When the auction comes back to you in two hearts, I wonder whether a call of two no-trump here — unusual, suggesting four clubs and longer diamonds, would be appropriate? If you had wanted to bid no-trump naturally, you would have done so on the first round of the auction.

#### Dear Mr. Wolff:

My RHO was declarer at our local club. Halfway through the play of the hand she led a card and told the dummy to play anything. When I contested this, a director said this was permissible. She then said I could play any card from the dummy that I wished. Can this possibly be correct?

Carte Blanche, Columbia, S.C.

ANSWER: If declarer says "play anything," then as a defender you can ask for a specific card to be played from the dummy. But declarer is within her rights to do that to speed up play (generally if not always to imply to the defenders that nothing THEY do matters either). You are not being damaged here, since if the choice of play matters, YOU get to make the choice, not dummy.

#### Dear Mr. Wolff:

I was in second chair and doubled an opening call of one club, holding ♣ A-10-8-4, ♥ K-J-2, ♦ K-Q-3, ♣ J-8-4. This was redoubled and came back to me. Since my partner had not acted when he could have done, I thought he wanted to play there — suffice it to say that three redoubled overtricks later I was sadder if not wiser. Who goofed? (My partner had four small spades and an otherwise balanced hand.)

Flat Top, Galveston, Texas

ANSWER: There is no villain here, merely a lack of partnership agreement. A simple rule is to play that all passes of redoubles are to play, but one should make an exception when the opponents are at the one-level, and especially in today's quoted auction, where the pass is neutral, waiting for partner to name a suit.

For details of Bobby Wolff's autobiography, "The Lone Wolff," contact kay19072 @aol.com. If you would like to contact Bobby Wolff, email him at bobbywolff@mindspring.com.

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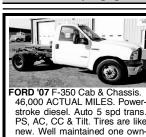
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# Repeal

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assessments less than \$100,000. That repeal would go into effect only if the state's budget grows 5 percent in one year - something that hasn't happened since the law passed.

But that 2008 repeal won't benefit the state's largest companies.

The eight contributors to the Prosperity Fund who paid the most personal property tax in their counties all paid more than \$100,000 meaning they would still have to pay, even in the event of that 5 percent growth.

Though they would benefit from a total repeal, some companies are hesitant to

voice support. Most companies contacted declined to comment.

Bob Boeh, vice president of government affairs for the Idaho Forest Group, said the group is waiting for an actual bill to come up before taking a position on repeal. The company's main concern: Lost revenue for local taxing

"We want to make sure that the counties and cities are made whole by any provision before we would support it," Boeh said.

Boeh added that the Prosperity Fund donation is an annual contribution for the company.

Idaho Forest Group is the top personal property tax payer in Boundary, Kootenai and Idaho counties.

LaBeau said though there is widespread support for personal property tax repeal among IACI members, not all companies are approaching the repeal proposal the

same way. "I think it's businesses want to make sure that the services that are provided in their communities are going to be OK, and are taking a very responsible approach to eliminating the tax over the long haul," LaBeau said.

Though most of the donors to the Prosperity Fund are large companies, LaBeau said smaller companies contribute to and become members of IACI.

"Whether you're big and storied or small and starting out, it's a tax that everyone hates," LaBeau said.

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they could make up losses by shifting the burden to home-

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So far, House Speaker

Scott Bedke, R-Oakley, con-

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Former Speaker Lawerence Denney, R-Midvale,

was also frank about Otter's

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# **Savings**

This partially symbolic gesture seeks to show lawmakers that predicted economic benefits aren't merely empty promises - and to overcome stiff opposition from counties, cities and public schools. The Idaho Association of Commerce and Industry, to which Century Link belongs, argues repeal would generate \$6.19 in income for Idaho residents and businesses for every dollar lost to the state, according to its 2007 study.

"The business community has been consistent in its messaging that any savings would be used for economic development purposes, or put back in the business,"

Lodge said. Gov. C.L. "Butch" Otter has made repeal a top priority for the 2013 Legislature. His draft proposal would somehow find \$90 million in new general fund revenue ideally from projected economic growth - by 2020 to offset some of the loss, while shifting the remainder of the burden to local governments. Otter's bill was circulated among legislators and others two weeks ago.

Sour reaction from counties, cities and school boards has been accompanied by criticism from Otter's former chief economistturned-chief critic, Mike Ferguson. They argue the state can't afford to repeal property taxes.

Ferguson, now the Idaho Center for Fiscal Policy's director, insists it would devastate Idaho's 115 school districts because the burden of paying for future supplemental levies that many districts use to cover operations would shift to homeowners who pay local - not state property taxes. Voters facing higher taxes would be less eager to support them, he said.

"As I hear, businesses want to have an educated workforce that is productive, and I already hear businesses complain they have a difficult time hiring qualified employees," Ferguson said.

Most of the biggest potential tax-relief beneficiaries are Idaho Association of Commerce and Industry members. Idaho Power Co., Idaho's biggest utility, is the biggest personal property taxpayer, at roughly \$10 million to \$15 million annually, according to state estimates.

Union Pacific Railroad is No. 2 at \$5.4 million, while agricultural giant Simplot Industries and semiconductor maker Micron Technology Inc. pay some \$3.3 million each. The bill for Pacifi-Corp's Rocky Mountain unit equals about \$3.1 million annually, followed by Century Link at \$2.9 million.

Three gas-related companies, including Intermountain Gas Co. in Boise, pay about \$1 million each.

Micron lobbyist Mike Reynoldson contends the century-old personal property tax is a relic of a bygone era that saps money from equipment-heavy companies like his, regardless of profitability, and he argues that money could otherwise be invested in global competitiveness. Micron's net loss widened in the last quarter to \$275 million, as demand slumped.

"It's not based on how much that manufacturer consumes in services and it's not based on the profitability of that taxpayer," Reynoldson said. "It's based purely on the fact that their business depends on a heavy capital investment."

Jeff Malmen, Idaho Power's top lobbyist, said regulated utilities would pass along savings to industrial, agricultural and residential customers, via lower electricity rates.

That would make Idaho more attractive for companies to do business, LaBeau said.

LaBeau also believes local governments are exaggerating funding impacts.

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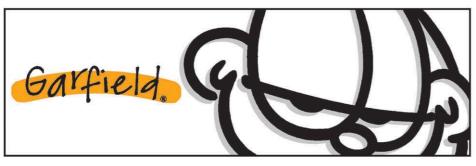














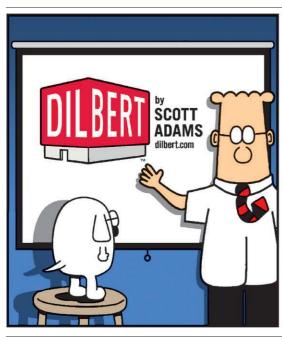


















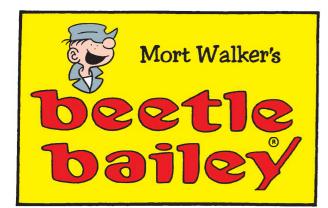


















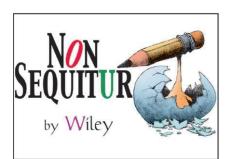


















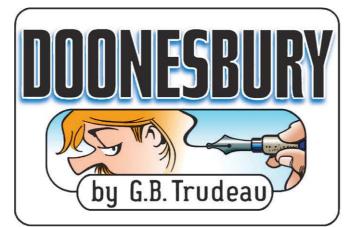




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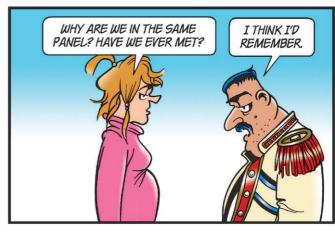
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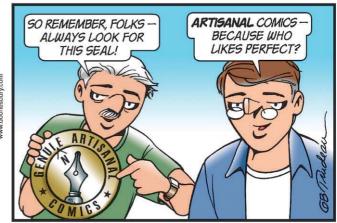
























WHERE'S CONNIE, EL?

SHE'S GOING TO





