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## Newsbriefs

### Substitutes accepted

The Regional Board of Mayors has decided if one of their four mayors can't attend the monthly meeting that mayor can send a voting substitute. The mayors repeatedly have had to cancel meetings because all four mayors are not in attendance. The substitute could be the city's mayor pro-tem or a council member.

### Playhouse to win

Tickets are still on sale to win the children's playhouse on display at Loepp Furniture in Grand Coulee. Tickets are \$1, and some lucky winner will get to take the playhouse home after the Junior Rodeo coming July 19. The winning ticket will be drawn during the rodeo.

The playhouse was built by DWK Fowler Construction. The firm has built and donated the playhouses for a number of years.

### Local in

#### Soap Lake play

The Masquers Theatre in Soap Lake will offer its initial showing of "Charley's Aunt" this Friday night at 7:30 p.m. Among actors in the performance is Jeremy Hansen from the Grand Coulee area. Hansen plays Francis Chesney, one of the leading roles in the play.

The play will be performed Fridays and Saturdays for the next three weekends. A matinee will be held at 2:30 p.m. each of the three Sundays. Carrie N. Glencoe is director.

#### Want to show the old school spirit?

The Coulee Pioneer Museum is asking for mementos from the Grand Coulee Tigers and Coulee Dam Beavers for display. The two schools were independent before the consolidation of the two districts. Birdie Hensley said this week that persons who wish to show their materials in the display should drop them off at the museum, and the items will be returned after the showing.

#### Looking for BUIs

Marine patrols are scheduled in state waters in an effort to cut down on accidents caused by boat operators under the influence of alcohol. The statewide drive "Operation Dry Water" will occur over a three-day period, June 27-29. Grant County Sheriff's Office has a marine patrol that sometimes operates on Banks Lake. Boaters under the influence of alcohol are one of the leading contributors to injuries and death on Washington waters, organizers stated.

Between 2004 and 2013, at least 64 people died in state boating accidents where alcohol use was a contributing factor. Recent U.S. Coast Guard statistics report that boating under the influence is still the leading factor in fatal boating accidents, with 17 percent of boating fatalities a direct result of alcohol use by the operator.

#### Fair animal deadling extended

The Okanogan County Fair Advisory Board voted June 19 to extend the livestock weigh-in deadline to July 1.

Any youth participant who wishes to bring a market livestock animal to the fair now has until July to submit a weighed and tagged animal. Proof of ownership (signed and dated bill of sale, or brand slip from the breeder) and a picture of the animal must be submitted, showing the animal has been in the participant's possession for the minimum required amount of time.

For more information, contact the appropriate barn superintendent, the Livestock Coordinator Bill White or Fair Advisory Board Chair Lon Dixon.

The fair takes place Sept. 4-7

# Electric City to consider supplying its own police

by Roger S. Lucas

Electric City is considering creating its own police force and possibly a tax to fund it.

Mayor Jerry Sands said Tuesday that it will be on the agenda when his council meets July 8.

He stated that the city will consider a property tax levy issue, asking residents of Electric City to vote 35 cents per thousand dollars of assessed valuation to fund the department. That would cost owners of a \$200,000 house \$70 a year.

Sands will ask his council to consider putting a levy before voters on the Aug. 5 primary election

ballot.

Sands also stated that he has been in discussions with the Grant County Sheriff's Office about providing law enforcement coverage. "I don't see that happening, because of the distance," he said.

The law enforcement issue came to bear after Grand Coulee presented a contract proposal asking for \$209,982 for police coverage in 2015, or 279-percent of the current price of \$79,000 a year.

The two cities have met once to talk about a new five-year contract.

"I don't see Grand Coulee coming down enough on their propos-

al," Sands stated.

Sands indicated that if the city develops its own police force, then citizens would get better coverage.

It already appeared that Grand Coulee was considering a revised proposal.

Mayor Chris Christopherson had stated at Grand Coulee's last city council meeting that maybe some expenses were included in the first proposal that may not have been necessary. He huddled with his two council members who are negotiating the contract, Erin Nielsen and David Taylor, after the council meeting to discuss the city's offer.

Sands had said earlier that the two cities need to get together before his council meets July 8, because his city is going to move forward to protect its interests.

The two cities have not set a second meeting. It may be a mute point, depending on action of the Electric City council on July 8. The current agreement for police services expires at the end of the year.

At the first meeting, Grand Coulee proposed a contract for \$209,000 the first year with incremental increases in each of the four remaining years, bringing the cost on the final year to about \$250,000.

Sands acknowledged that an increase was understandable, but reeled from the amount of the increase.

Grand Coulee's total police budget for this year is \$1,150,591.85. Of that amount, \$536,168.85, is for a U.S. Bureau of Reclamation contract. There's \$1,000 for reserve officers. So Grand Coulee will spend about \$615,000 to put officers in neighborhoods this year, and just under 27 percent of their calls come from Electric City.

Council members who are the negotiating team from Electric City are John Nordine and Aaron Derr.



Mary Jo Monteith shows off an alpaca during a Grand Coulee Dam Area Chamber of Commerce luncheon Thursday. — Peggy Nevsimal photo.

# Alpacas and lavender make chamber agenda

by Roger S. Lucas

In the rocky hills above Lake Roosevelt last Thursday, some 25 chamber of commerce members got to experience the dream farm of members Merv and Mary Jo Monteith.

At their Spring Canyon Alpacas and D&M Gardens, they were introduced to the couple's Alpaca herd, about 30 in number, and got a special introduction to a 3-week-old newcomer to the farm.

Visitors took a winding gravel and dirt road up a hill and past the D&M Garden lavender grow, now nearly in full purple bloom.

A barbecue prepared and served by the Tropical Pig, an Electric City firm, was waiting for the chamber members.

The setting provided a territorial view of Lake Roosevelt, with the mountains as a backdrop.

Mary Jo Monteith walked visitors through the farm's lavender program and then through

the operation of the alpaca business and a future garlic operation that is about to come into full bloom.

She told of the primary purpose of the alpaca part of their operation, the shearing of fibre, and the fact that they have raw wool for sale in their farm store, as well as items made of alpaca wool.

Later, it was the tour of the alpaca herd and an introduction of the tiniest newcomer that brought out the cameras and conversations.

# Ranch rodeo to show the real stuff

## Saturday Ridge Riders event features common ranch tasks

by Roger S. Lucas

Ever wonder what a real cowboy does?

You can find out Saturday evening when the Ridge Riders hold their Ranch Rodeo in Delano. Action begins at 7 p.m.

It's the second year that the Ridge Riders have brought ranch rodeo action to Grand Coulee.

Saturday's program is an excellent time to bring the family because children 10 and under can attend free.

Team contestants will compete in the following categories: 1) Team branding; 2) Trailer loading; 3) Pasture gathering, and a special individual category: bronc riding.

Buckles and money are in line



A cowboy throws a lariat during the 2013 ranch rodeo. — Scott Hunter photo

# Pipes and paving conflict may be avoided

by Roger S. Lucas

An Electric City 10-inch water-line project to Sunbanks Lake Resort, which had been scheduled to begin Monday, has been delayed until after July 4 weekend.

City Clerk Jackie Perman said the contractor on the job said if his crew wasn't set up to go on Monday he would delay the project. The job calls for a nearly 1,900-foot long trench for a 10-inch pipeline to provide city water to the resort.

The 10-inch line to be installed alongside the pavement of SR 155 will be capped for any eventual service to new construction across the causeway. Sunbanks will run a 6-inch line from its entrance into the park.

Officials were fearful that if

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# Three newcomers elected to tribal council

by Roger S. Lucas

Three newcomers have won their way onto the 14-member Colville Business Council as a result of the Colville Tribes' general election tally last Thursday.

The newcomers are Marvin Joseph Kheel, and brothers Edwin and Michael E. Marchand.

Kheel won over Yvonne Swan 284-158 in the Inchelium Position 2 race.

Edwin Marchand won over John E. Gorr, 286-179, for Position 1 in the Omak District. Michael E. Marchand won Position 2 over Duane E. Hall, Sr., 267-198.

In other races, Jim Boyd was re-elected from Inchelium District Position 1, over Gerald R. "Jerry" Springer, 253-184.

In the Nespelem District, incumbent William "Billy" Nicholson defeated Amelia (Moses) Marchand, 319-272, in the Position 1 race; and incumbent Nancy C. Johnson turned back Harvey Moses, Jr., 320-260, in the Position 2 race.

In the Keller District, incumbent Joseph L. Somday was elected to a second term, defeating Darlene Zacherle, 123-47.

Winners will take the oath of office July 10.



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# Town seeks commission member

by Roger S. Lucas

The town of Coulee Dam is looking for a third Civil Service Commission member.

Mayor Greg Wilder said two commissioners have been selected, but a third is still being sought.

Wilder named Shawn Derrick to the two-year term and Herb Sherburne to the six-year term. He is looking for an interested person to serve a four-year term.

Derrick is currently a town councilman, and according to Wilder, can also serve on the commission.

Anyone interested in serving on the commission can contact Wilder at city hall, 633-0320.

The commission, when functioning will be charged with two tasks. The first will be to go through the steps to hire a third Coulee Dam police officer.

In addition to a third officer, the Civil Service Commission will be involved in finding a School Resource officer, probably for the 2015-16 school year, Wilder stated.

Currently the police department is down to just two officers, Chief Pat Collins and Sgt. Larry Hall.



# Chopping block

Coulee Area Park and Recreation District Commissioner Bob Valen asks a tree cutting crew about their plans at North Dam Park Wednesday, where the crew, under contract to the Bonneville Power Administration, was set to cut all the trees in the lower, undeveloped area of the park. The park district managing the area wasn't notified and was including some of the trees in its master plan. Under a 2011 policy change, BPA now directs cutting of all growth higher than 10 feet in its powerline right-of-ways. Much was cut, but many trees still remain. — Scott Hunter photo

# Six arrested on drug charges

After an eight-month investigation the North Central Washington Narcotics Task Force executed several search warrants that led to the arrest of six individuals, according to a press release.

The task force made 19 methamphetamine purchases in all and added an additional 13 enhancements for the deliveries that occurred in school zones, some of which occurred in the areas near Okanogan High School, Okanogan Elementary school and the Brewster High/Middle School.

During the service of several search warrants law enforcement officers located drugs, cash, weapons and seized four vehicles.

Several agencies assisted the North Central Washington Narcotics Task Force with the arrests and service of the warrants, including the Okanogan County Sheriff's Office, Colville Tribal Police, United States Border Patrol, Homeland Security Investigations out of Oroville, Drug Enforcement Administration out of Spokane, Brewster Police Department and Douglas County Sheriff's Office.

Arrested were: Jose M. Plata-Niebla, 45 of Okanogan; Ruben Ochoa-Jauregui, 38, Okanogan; Adrian Rodriguez, 31, Bridgeport; Humberto Aguilar-Garcia, 21, Omak; Delfino Avila-Mejia, 54, Bridgeport; Carlos I. Martinez-Lopez, 33, Okanogan.

All were booked into the Okanogan County Jail on various charges.

# Repeat offender sentenced to 180 months for abusive sexual contact

A federal judge sentenced a 22-year-old man to 15 years in prison for "abusive sexual contact" with a child on the Colville Indian Reservation.

Senior United States District Court Judge William Fremming Nielsen sentenced Steven Ray St. Peter for his abuse of a minor child on the reservation in 2012.

On June 12 of that year, a federal prosecutor's press release said, the family of the 9-year-old victim reported the sexual contact to the Colville Tribal Police who began a search for St. Peter. Witnesses told police they saw St. Peter running away from the scene of the crime. St. Peter was arrested shortly thereafter in a nearby residence in Omak by Colville Tribal Police Officers.

St. Peter pled guilty on March 19, 2014.

"Sexual abuse will not be tolerated within any of the four Indian Reservations in the Eastern

District of Washington," United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Washington stated. "This District's federal and tribal law enforcement partners are ever-vigilant when investigating sexual abuse crimes. Their tireless efforts resulted in the successful prosecution of St. Peter and prevented other minor victims from being victimized by him. Today's sentence plainly reflects the seriousness of this type of crime."

The investigation was conducted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Colville Tribal Police Department. The case was prosecuted by Matthew F. Duggan, assistant U.S. attorney for the Eastern District of Washington.

St. Peter will be under court supervision for 60 months after he is released from federal prison.

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# Rodeo

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for the cowboys and cowgirls in the various categories, where time is the deciding factor.

A ranch rodeo circuit exists from Tonasket to Republic and Winthrop to Grand Coulee.

Last year the Ridge Riders staged a pair of ranch rodeos.

Teams are made up of three men and one woman, and spectators can get a good idea of what a true cowboy/cowgirl will do in today's ranch world.

Teams can be made up from individual ranches or a combination of members.

# Know before you go



See [grantpud.org](http://grantpud.org) for Columbia River recreation updates in Grant County



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# OPINION

## Police tussle shows opposite of progress

As absurd as it is starting to appear, the current discussion between Grand Coulee and Electric City regarding their police services contract at least serves to illustrate why an area with a tiny population continues to burden itself with four separate towns where one would do nicely. The problem is we're too focused — on ourselves.

Electric City is now considering the possibility of launching its own police department rather than accept the sticker shock of a proposed huge increase in the rate it pays to Grand Coulee for the service.

That's just not possible if Electric City residents wish to continue getting 24/7 police protection, at least not for less than they're spending now. At an average salary and benefits for five officers (the minimum needed for 24/7 coverage) of \$68,000 a year, you've already spent \$341,000 a year before buying cars, guns, or a building. The city currently pays \$79,000.

Of all the calls Grand Coulee Police get from the dispatch center in Moses Lake, 27 percent come from Electric City. If that percentage was Electric City's portion of the \$615,000 a year Grand Coulee spends on police for local coverage, Electric City would pay \$166,000 a year — still sticker shock territory, but

less than half of salaries alone for a separate department.

Now that the math is out of the way, let's call it what it is: irrelevant. None of that matters, and focusing on such details, as negotiators for two municipalities must, is a smear on the lens of anyone trying to see the bigger picture.

The town of Coulee Dam is currently protecting its citizens some of the time with just two officers while officials try to build up the ranks again after losing a \$500,000 federal security contract.

Connecting the dots, the question has to be, why have two departments, let alone three?

The answer probably has nothing to do with rational thought, but instead draws on decades of irrelevant tradition and pride at the expense of actually delivering the best service possible to the people.

Those people, the citizens of Coulee Dam, Grand Coulee and Electric City, should demand their leaders stop playing unwinnable games and start collaborating on a sustainable plan for the future, together.

Scott Hunter  
editor and publisher



## Coulee Recollections

### 10 Years Ago

Grand Coulee Police Officer, Dan Holland, saved a Grand Coulee woman from a house fire Friday night. At 2:27 a.m. the report came in as a brush fire at Nancy Fish's home. Seconds later it was considered a structure fire. Officer Holland responded and woke Mrs. Fish up who was sleeping and more than likely saved her life.

Two LRHS basketball players have been asked to play on the Elite State Team this summer. Jessica Loe, a junior, and Steve Breeze, recently graduated, will both get the opportunity to play against the best players in the state at the high school level.

### 20 Years Ago

Warner Bartleson, who guided Coulee Community Hospital through the contentious birth of the hospital district and into an area of growth, announced his retirement last week at their board

meeting.

Rocky Seylor won big at the recent Prospectors' Days stock car race in Republic, Wa. With his number 13 race car that he built from the ground up, he won the "Heat Race" and the "Main Event".

### 30 Years Ago

Gary Haven, son of Ed and Carolyn Haven, received his obligation into the VFW Post 3157 this week. Gary has been in the Navy the past 3 years and just completed a tour on the U.S.S. New Jersey.

### 40 Years Ago

Wayne Stark, the 9 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Roberts was fatally injured Sunday morning when he was struck by an automobile while riding his bike on the corner of McGovern Street

and HW 174. The cause of the accident is still under investigation but it is known that the boy's bike had no brakes.

### 50 Years Ago

Speaking before a large crowd Saturday, was Governor Albert Rosellini at the Grand Opening of Steamboat Rock State Park. He talked of the importance of recreation as a major factor in the health of Washington citizens but also as a necessary industry in the economics of our State and in the local area.

### 60 Years Ago

The Northwest Indians will hold their annual celebration at their campground 2 miles south of Nespelem, beginning July 4th and lasting 10 days. This year's committee members in charge of the event are Joe Redthunder, Lige Williams and Harry Owhi.

## Letters from our readers

### School district should consider solar panels

Since it's been decided to repair/replace the roof of the high school gym, this would be an opportune time to install solar panels to generate electricity. This would reduce the power bill for the school dis-

trict. The savings would probably be enough to pay the cost of the solar panels.

Jack McKissen

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## "Pooka," man's best friend

The very first column I wrote for the paper, "Missing the missing trees," had a section in it about a dog that was walked by her master in those trees. (Ironically, more trees and shrubs are being ripped out of the North Dam area as we speak). Well, that dog was Pooka, and she has edited her last paper with her master and watered her last bush.

A lot of you who frequented The Star, or knew the Hunters, knew the white scruffy canine that went just about everywhere they did. You knew Pooka. Many of you brought treats on many visits to The Star. Yes, you were picking up your paper, but you also visited with the happy-go-lucky dog. She knew when you were there for her, too. She would always move to the front desk of the building on Wednesdays, waiting for her treats.

Pooka was also seen at many of our local events — the summer concerts at North Dam, Colorama parades and other events that were dog friendly. I guess you could say she was just as much a part of this community as, well, I guess The Star itself. She was not just the family pet. She was a trademark of the area. She represented what we like best in the Coulee: nature, low stress, trees, good food and good company.

My last day with the dog was last Wednesday. She was no different that day than any other. She just had gotten older and it was harder for her to get around. But for goodness sakes, she was 98 in dog years, as one other Star employee informed me, remembering when Pooka was just a pup and nibbling on her toes as she worked. Lately, she just nibbled on the scooby snacks she got daily.

It is hard to believe sometimes that we can get so attached to a pet or animal that we are crushed emotionally when that critter is lost. They truly do become a part of the family or man's best friend. A pet will love you no matter what happened yesterday as long as you give it what it needs to survive. Food, water, shelter and a belly rub from time to time. Unconditional love from its master. That's what Pooka had. Gimme a snack, and I will love you forever.

I think back to my pets as a kid and wonder how I ever survived those times of loss. I can remember my pets' names easier than I can remember classmates. My current pet is where my heart dwells when I think of the heart condition the Hunters must be in at this time. Hard stuff. But if Pooka could tell us something, something to make us feel better, well, first there would be that surprising, out-of-the-blue bark. Then ...



Thank you for the walks, you were always so dedicated. Even when you had very important things to tend to, you walked me and gave me a snack. I will remember every pat on the head, every belly rub. I loved the trees. I could play for hours chasing chipmunks and butterflies in the bushes and in the yard. Thanks for including me to cover stories on emergencies and fires. You always remembered to bring me water, even when you brought none for yourself. Thanks for a home, a home where kids played with me and loved on me. Thanks for your patience, especially when I got old and could not do things on my own. You helped. I know it was hard for you; it was hard for me too. I wanted to jump up and lick your face but I

couldn't anymore. Thanks for loving me, unconditionally. Thank you master, my best friend.

This column is dedicated to everyone who has a pet and loves it unconditionally. It is also dedicated to a shaggy, white haired dog named Pooka, who barked constantly while I wrote this as if telling me what to say. I hope I got it right. "Woof"

Jess, shut up!

Jesse Utz



## Sixty-Seven Years Ago

Rebuilding the burned parts of Columbia Grade School in Coulee Dam — May 13, 1947. (now it is the Coulee Dam Federal Credit Union)

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### Obituaries

#### Leta (Linda) Joyce Hall

Leta (Linda) Joyce Hall, 88, of Coulee Dam, Wash., passed away on Friday, June 13, 2014. Leta was born in Spokane, Wash., on March 26, 1926, to Leland and Ethel Mae Johnson. Her earliest memories are of living in Omak, Wash., where her father was a barber. They moved to Spokane when her father took a job with the state of Washington as a Parole Officer. She eventually moved to Coulee Dam and met Charles L Hall while attending high school. They were married on June 28, 1947, in Spokane.



She was a member of P.E.O. and a lifelong member of the Coulee Dam Community Church where she sang in the choir for many years.

Leta's favorite pastimes were playing bridge, doing crossword puzzles, reading and cooking.

She is survived by her three sons: Larry L Hall (Angel) of Coulee Dam, Randy L Hall (Dee) of Genesee, Idaho, and Michael T Hall (Kim) of Grand Coulee. She had two grandchildren, Andrew M and Nathaniel L Hall. She was preceded in death by her parents, her brother, Donald Johnson and her husband of 60 years Charles L Hall.

A memorial service will be held on Sunday, July 7, 13, 2014, at 2 p.m., at the Coulee Dam Community Church.

#### Christie Ann Arbaugh

Christie Ann Arbaugh passed away on Thursday, June 12, 2014, at her home in Grand Coulee, Wash. She was born to Lloyd and Angeline Nicholson on January 5, 1958. She was raised in Arlington and graduated from Marysville-Pilchuck High School.



Christie was a loving wife, daughter, sister, aunt, cousin, niece and a friend to anyone she met. She married her soul mate, James C. (Pete) Arbaugh on February 11, 1983. They built a home in Stanwood on property that had side-by-side ponds that they loved to stock with fish for friends and family to enjoy. They loved camping, hiking and fishing in Eastern Washington so much that they retired, and moved to Soap Lake and later found their dream home in Grand Coulee. Prior to retirement Christie worked for the Housing Authority of Snohomish County. Pete and Chris enjoyed going to garage sales and especially the Senior Center thrift store.

Christie was preceded in death by her father, Nick; brother, Dave; and most recently, her husband, Pete who suffered a fatal heart attack while fishing off of a dock on Lake Roosevelt on December 15, 2013.

She is survived by her mother, Angie of Arlington; sisters, Connie (Paul) White of Marysville, Carolee Beecher of Marysville, Carla (Jerry) Kneeland of Arlington; sister-in-law, Marion Shankweiler-Nicholson of Lynnwood; brother-in-law, Bill (Bobby) Arbaugh of Lake Stevens; as well as many more extended family members. She is sadly missed by all who knew and loved her.

We take comfort in the fact that she is no longer suffering from the extreme pain that she felt in her heart after Pete's death.

#### Henry "Hank" Piatote

Henry "Hank" Piatote, 84, died Wednesday afternoon, June 18, 2014 in Puyallup, Washington. Born May 13, 1930, to the Nespelem, Washington home of William and Margaret Thompson-Piatote he attended Puyallup High School. A standout all-around athlete, the recent high school graduate was drafted by the Brooklyn Dodgers pro-baseball team, an offer young Hank turned down, to pursue life's adventures and see the world. On April 5, 1950, he joined the United States Air Force, serving during the Korean conflict, was awarded the Good Conduct Medal and attained the rank of Airman First Class prior to his honorable discharge on September 2, 1953. After earning his Bachelors' Degree, Hank worked as a civil engineer with Waste Water Management Services with Indian Health Services of Seattle, Washington. Never losing his love of adventure, Hank traveled throughout the United States and many countries participating in his hobby of photography. One of Hank's greatest joys was attending Seattle Mariners games with his brother Melvin.



2 p.m., a Family Dressing took place at Strate Funeral Home in Grand Coulee, followed by a 7 p.m., Rosary at the Nespelem Longhouse in Nespelem, Wash. A 10 a.m., funeral Mass was held Saturday at the Nespelem Longhouse, followed by burial with military honors at the Little Nespelem Cemetery.

Please sign Hank's online register book at [www.stratefuneralhome.com](http://www.stratefuneralhome.com). Strate Funeral Home of Grand Coulee, Washington is honored to be serving Hank's family.

## Preserving your family collections

by Kristen Heidenthal

Many people have some sort of family collections stashed away in their homes — family photos, letters, post cards, newspaper clippings and journals full of memories. Although they have lasted this long, what are you doing to ensure that these items of personal value will be preserved for the future?



Archives, libraries and museums are not the only organizations tasked with preserving history these days. You can take a few steps to make sure that your family treasures will last for future generations without spending a lot of money and effort in doing so. The first step is to identify the type of material you wish to preserve.

Let's discuss photographs and negatives since they are so prevalent within family collections. Photographic processes have evolved greatly over the years, each type of material — glass plate negative, nitrate negative, cellulose negative, tintype or gelatin print, etc. — all have different storage recommendations. The Northeast Document Conservation Center website has extensive information on how to identify photograph and negative material types — and the information is free!

Consider the environment where you store your photos —

pollutants, light, heat and moisture are all environmental factors that place your collections at risk. Pollutants such as dust can be abrasive and increase harmful chemical reactions in certain materials. High temperatures can accelerate deterioration.

High humidity promotes mold growth, while excessive dryness can increase cracking. Extreme fluctuations in temperature can cause flaking and warping, and ultraviolet rays cause yellowing, fading and disintegration.

When handling prints and negatives, oils from your hands can be very damaging. Use clean gloves or wash hands thoroughly when handling photographs and negatives. Also, handle the edges of photos and negatives.

Always use archival quality materials when storing photographic materials — folders, sleeves and boxes. Avoid adhesives such as rubber cement and self-gluing photo pages, which can cause chemical damage. Also avoid metal fasteners and rubber bands.

Another key to preservation is giving your images context — identify the people in each photo, the location where the photo was taken and the date of when it was taken to the best of your ability. This gives added meaning to each image. Keep in mind not to write on the image. When this information is not recorded, it can be very

hard, if not impossible, to recreate.

For instance, I have a family album from the 1890s in my family collection. We know based off of landmarks that some of the images were taken in Germany. Only a handful of individuals have been identified. At one point, this album was of great importance and treasured to someone in the family since it traveled so far — but since we don't know who everyone is and how they are connected to us, the meaning and value is slowly being lost.

Scanning your collections is another great tool to aid in preservation. The Smithsonian Institution Archives advocates that photographs are scanned at a resolution of at least 600 pixels per inch, 24 bit RGB and saved in a non-compressed standard file format like TIFF. Keep in mind that if you do digitize your collections, you still need to take care of the original copies.

Remember, preservation is an ongoing process — the steps you take today will have to be revisited and updated as standards change over time and technology advances.

Sources: Northeast Document Conservation Center website: <http://www.nedcc.org/>

Smithsonian Institution Archives website: <http://siarchives.si.edu/>

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### Meetings and Notices

#### CHAMBER TO MEET

The Grand Coulee Dam Area Chamber of Commerce will meet Thursday, June 26, at Pepper Jack's Bar & Grille.

#### GRANT COUNTY FIRE DISTRICT 14 TO MEET

Grant County Fire District 14 will hold its regular monthly meeting Monday, June 30, at 7 p.m. at the Electric City Fire Station.

#### CMC GUILD TO MEET

Coulee Medical Center Guild (Auxiliary) holds its regular luncheon meeting the third Tuesday of every month. The next meeting is July 15 in the Community Room at CMC from noon to 2 p.m.

#### AMERICAN LEGION POST 157 MEETS

The American Legion Post 157 holds legion will meet Tuesday, July 8, at 7 p.m. at the Vets' Center in Electric. All veterans are welcome.

#### BIBLE STUDY OFFERED

Beth Moore Bible Study "Sacred Secrets" will begin Wednesday, July 9, at Banks Lake Bible Church. This is a six-week study and will be held from 7-8 p.m., Wednesday nights. To register, please call 509.633.0670 or 509.647.0210 The deadline for registration is tonight.

## Celebrate 'Flood Fest' at Sun Lakes/Dry Falls State Park

Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission invites the public to celebrate the unique geologic heritage of Sun Lakes/Dry Falls State Park near Coulee City at the annual Flood Fest.

The festival is from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, June 28 at the Dry Falls Visitor Center. Flood Fest also celebrates the remarkable Ice Age floods that carved the channeled scablands of eastern Washington.

Visitors will find a variety of educational stations staffed by event partners, including the National Park Service, Ice Age Floods Institute, Coulee Corridor Consortium, Bureau of Reclamation and David Shapiro, author of the popular children's book "Terra Tempo." New this year will be the Birds-of-Prey station where visitors can view a live golden eagle and great horned owl. For more information about Flood Fest, contact Chris McCart, Interpretive Specialist, Dry Falls Visitor Center, (509) 632-5214 or [Dry.Falls@parks.wa.gov](mailto:Dry.Falls@parks.wa.gov).

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Sunday Worship..... 10:45 a.m.  
Community Youth Group  
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Coffee Fellowship..... 10:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship..... 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m.  
Prayer..... Wed., 11:00 a.m.  
Bible Study..... Wed., noon

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348 Mead Street, Grand Coulee Church 633-2566  
Coulee City Bible Study..... 8:00 a.m.  
Coulee City Worship..... 9:00 a.m.  
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# Honor Rolls for LRHS

The following is the second semester honor roll for Lake Roosevelt High School.

Reichlin, Hannah Williams, Julie Steffens, Damian George

## HIGH HONORS 3.5 – 4.0

**SENIORS**  
Mikel Friedlander, Chyenne Kelly-Marconi, Akaycia Foster, Daniel Campobasso, Shaine Thomas, Madisyn Byam, Brandon Desautel

**JUNIORS**  
Marissa LaFountaine, Katelyn Schilling, Jazmine Sumner, Tyler Cross, Kammi Rosenbaum, Hayley Seylor, Aaron Whitney, Hannah Manon, Steven Joseph, Riley Stout, Coltin Williams, Shay Duclos, Savannah Marin

**SOPHOMORES**  
Lachelle Bearcub, Scott Abrahamson, Devan Black, Desarae Garcia, Kayley Duclos, Hunter Chapman, Tanya Ang, Savannah Kentner, Michael Reyes

**FRESHMEN**  
Grace Engeseth, Matthew Tillman, Cameron Tillman, Jazmine Reed, Robin Matt, Charlie Michel, Marianna Clark, Quincy Williams, Nathaniel Hall

## HONOR Roll 3.25 - 3.49

**SENIORS**  
Jennifer Reichlin, Nicole Baker, Brandin Smith, Clare Castrodele, Rachel Carter

**JUNIORS**  
Meagan Drywater, Oscar Pooktas, Kendra Descoteaux, John Antone, Austin Rosenbaum, Zachary Erickson-King

**SOPHOMORES**  
Taren Redstar, Joshua Wilder

**FRESHMEN**  
Olivia Arnold, Angelo Clark, Mataiya Nachtigal, Brooklyn

# Bowling Scores

TEAM	W	L
Team 2	3	1
Team 1	1	3
Team 3	0	0
Team 4	0	0

High Game Team 2 216; Bishop S. 103; Ellie H. 70  
High Series: Team 2 619; Bishop S. 266; Ellie H. 163

**SENIORS 6/18**  
Bob M 179/467; Ray D. 167/466; Rick 180/465; Leo /467; Bob S 181  
Splits: Dixie 2-4-5-10; Ray 5-6-10;  
Greg, Leo and Bob M. 3-10  
6/11  
Bob S. 191/509; Bob M. 182/497;  
Greg 173/465  
6/4  
Bob S. 203/556; Ray D. 179/508; Dixie 143/377

## TERM 4 Honor Roll

### HIGH HONORS 3.5 – 4.0

**SENIORS**  
Daniel Campobasso, Mikel Friedlander, Madisyn Byam, Shaine Thomas, Chyenne Kelly-Marconi, Akaycia Foster, Brandon Desautel

**JUNIORS**  
Katelynn Schilling, Jazmine Sumner, Steven Joseph, Marissa Lafountaine, Kammi Rosenbaum, Tyler Cross, Hayley Seylor, Shay Duclos, Aaron Whitney, Savannah Marin, Riley Stout, Coltin Williams, Hannah Manon, Meagan Drywater, Oscar Pakootas

**SOPHOMORES**  
Scott Abrahamson, Lachelle Bearcub, Devan Black, Kayley Duclos, Desarae Garcia, Hunter Chapman, Tanya Ang, Savannah Kentner, Michael Reyes

**FRESHMEN**  
Grace Engeseth, Charlie Michel, Matthew Tillman, Cameron Tillman, Jazmine Reed, Angelo Clark, Marianna Clark

### HONOR ROLL 3.24 – 3.49

**SENIORS**  
Jennifer Reichlin, Clare Castrodele, Nicole Baker

**JUNIORS**  
Kendra Descoteaux, Daniel Loch, Austin Rosenbaum

**SOPHOMORES**  
Taren Redstar, Joshua Wilder, Baylee Daniels

**FRESHMEN**  
Brooklyn Reichlin, Olivia Arnold, Nathaniel Hall, Mataiya Nachtigal, Marque Wilson, Hannah Williams

TEAM	W	L
Chewy's Cons. SVC	17.5	10.5
Fighting Chipmunks	17	11
Flying W	16.5	11.5
LBB	15	13
The Force	13	15
Dixie Chicks	13	15
Bad News Berars	11.5	16.5
Gandma's Gang	8.5	19.5
High Game: LBB 554; Bob Schryvers 222; Candy Weed-Butz 170		
High Series: LBB 1454; Bob Schryvers 574; Mae Stensgar 420		
Splits: 6-7; Daniel 2-8-7; Marilyn 5-7/4-7-10; Shellia 5-4-7		
Previous – High Game: Chewy's Construction 532; John Stensgar 220; Candy Weed-Butz 189		
High Series: Fighting Chipmunks 1518; John Stensgar 608; Candy Weed-Butz 553		
Splits: Jimmy 5-7; Dixie T. 3-10; Candy W. 6-10; Percy 7-4; Clean game - Ray 202		
Previous: High Game: Flyin W 517; Percy Kuehne 226; Candy Weed-Butz 179		
High Series: LBB 1471; Percy Kuehne 561; Candy Weed-Butz 501		
Splits: Mae 3-10; Leo 9-10; Ray 5-6		
Clean Game Percy 226		

# Nespelem School honor roll

The following is the fourth quarter honor roll at Nespelem School.

6<sup>th</sup> Grade – LorRinda Richardson, 4.0

5<sup>th</sup> Grade – A: Moses Luevano, Edward Frank, Isaiah Adolph, Robert Thomas; B: Kyona Edmo

4<sup>th</sup> Grade – A: Michelle Luevano; B: Shunka Cawston, Gladeyes Williams

3<sup>rd</sup> Grade – B: Enid Bearcub, Maurice Circle, Camryn Carden, Anoki Somday

2<sup>nd</sup> Grade – A: Virgil Bearcub, Janie Epperson, Edward Gonzalez, Cylia St. Pierre, mMixat Vargas-Thomas; B: Peyton Jake, Zoe Weed

1<sup>st</sup> Grade – A: Hope Harris, Siriana Simonsen, Ruby Simpson, Lola Yazzie; B: Zyven Boyd, Isaac Circle, Skyler Covington, Jhaylon Tonasket

# Camp planned

The first Raider Nation Youth basketball camp will be held at the Lake Roosevelt High School gym, July 7-10.

The camp will be run by Raider boys' head basketball Coach Matt Simpson and his assistants.

The basketball camp will be for third to eighth grade boys and girls.

Simpson said grades 3-5 will meet at the gym from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. daily. Grades 6-8 will meet from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m.

Youth must submit permission documents either before the clinic begins or the day they arrive. Cost per youth is \$15.

Simpson said Nespelem, the middle school, Center Elementary, Keller, Wilbur, Coulee City and Bridgeport schools will all have forms and are invited to attend the clinic.

# Tree booklet

The Arbor Day Foundation is offering a handy tree-care booklet designed to help people plant and care for trees.

Anyone can receive *Conservation Trees*, a user-friendly booklet featuring illustrations, colorful photos and easily-understood descriptions, by making a \$3 donation to the Foundation this month.

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# Library summer reading program has begun

The theme for this summer's NCRL's Grand Coulee branch summer reading program is "Fizz, Boom, Read!" There are a lot of activities and crafts in addition to special presentations that are free to the public. Also don't forget the reading challenge available for all ages.

This Friday, June 27, activities include paper airplanes, balloon powered helicopters and balloon airplane races and more. The fun begins at 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday, July 2 is Lego Day beginning at 1:30.

Friday, July 11, the NCRL Puppeteers – Mad Scientist will be performing at 3 p.m.

Fri., July 18, Master Story teller Deb McVay will be here beginning at 10 a.m.

Fri., July 25, Chelan County PUD "Zap, Crackle, Zing! – How Energy Works" program will begin at 10 a.m. Witness and participate in the wonders of the five energies: Potential, Kinetic, Mechanical, Electrical and Light.

Wed., July 30, 10:30 a.m., Build a Robot.

Fri., Aug. 1, 10:30 a.m., Celebrate National Inventors' Month and Genius Kits.

Wed. Aug. 6, 10:30 a.m., Craft Day with Spinning Wheels and Thaumatrope.

Fri., Aug 8, 10 a.m. Reptile Man will be at the library.

Wed., Aug. 13, 10:30 a.m., the theme is Survival, come make survival bracelets.

Fri., Aug. 15, NCRL Puppeteers will be at the library, beginning at 10 a.m.

Fri., Aug. 22, beginning at 10:30 a.m., the Summer Reading Program Gala – Science: Weird, But True. There will be a drawing for bicycles, donated by the local Free Masons of Wasington.



Dragon breath - Noah Hunt adds a little oxygen and flares up a science exhibit at the Grand Coulee library Friday during a presentation by the Pacific Science Center. — submitted photo

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# Homes

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# Rentals

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# On the road again Yard sale season is here

What's on your agenda for the weekend? If you are staying close to home, and you have a few bucks burning a hole in your pocket, and you are looking for a short-time diversion, look no further because it's yard sale season in the Coulee.

Here's the menu. For starters, there are a half dozen sales advertised in The Star this week and more than likely, other sales will "piggy back" on these sales, offering up more chances, choices, and challenges so you can make some of those hard earned dollars work for you, on the cheap. But first, you have to get up and get going, unless you luck out and live in a neighborhood or on a street where there's a sale or two going on.

On to the main course. Try making a run at a couple of sales, either those put on by folks you know (or know of) and who possibly have the goods that you are interested in or by picking out one or two random sales based on some of the items listed in their advertisements or by hearing about an up coming "good" sale. Sometimes there's advanced notice of a good, better or best sale that are in the works, even before it's advertised, and the anticipation of a best-ever sale on its way paves the way.

On to the main course. Now that you've decided which sales look appetizing to you, get your yard sale kit ready to go. What's a yard sale kit? I've touched on this topic before, but let's give it another go: A ride with enough gas in the tank so you can drive throughout the Coulee without experiencing that terrible nightmare, running out of gas; a bunch of dollar bills and maybe a few fives and tens if you've got them floating around with nothing to do; a pair of sunglasses and a pair of

cheaters if you need them to read price tags and labels; some kind of head-gear, unless maintaining your hairdo takes priority over the hot sun baking your brain; a good pair of shoes which might protect your feet a bit from hot pavement or gravel driveways; comfortable clothing; and here's a side dish for your entree, take a buddy with you when shopping for furniture and bulky items so you can get unloaded safely. Many times, there's someone helping people load up but unloading at your place might be another issue.

And finally, since this Kit Deal has turned into a foodie adventure, let's have dessert!


The heat's on in the Coulee right now which translates to slurping a frozen confection, an ice cream cone or a milk shake, offered up at some of the eateries and other places around here this summer; and once you've tasted your treat on the way home from hitting the yard sale circuit, the best treat of all might be getting back home with some goodies, not of the food kind, and savoring these newly acquired treasures.

Were you among the lucky shoppers at the advertised yard sales in the North Shores Acres housing development south of Electric City? Well, if you didn't get out there Saturday morning and you made the 40-mile round trip to the Wilbur Community Wide Yard Sales, you missed out on some great merchandise at fair prices and in good condition. At one sale, the lady of the house said a shopper showed up almost an hour early and consequently she was informed that she was welcome to come back at the 8 a.m. start time. But, the shopper said no and that she would not be back, so that early bird left empty handed. C'est La Vie.

**C'est La Vie**  
 by Frankie Delano

# Check Out These Listings!

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**13 Electric Blvd., Electric City**  
 Photo Ad\*\*\*#13 Electric Blvd., Electric City, 3+ Bedroom home with just over 1,050 s.f. on the main level, plus a full basement. Home was built in 1971 and is in very good condition. Home has full bath on main level, plus a 3/4 bath downstairs. There is a Family Room plus a Rec Room. 2 pane windows part new and part original. Electric BB heat. Galley style kitchen with Stove, Ref, and DW. Lot is just over 6,000 s.f. in size and has a fenced back yard with small shed. **List Price is just \$124,900.**

**#55676 Bay Area Dr NE, Electric City.** Beautiful custom built 3 bedroom 2 bath home with the property set up for horses. The home was built in 2004 and has appr 1,700 square feet that is all on one level. Home has Vinyl lap siding, dimensional Comp roofing, Gas Fireplace, Central Heat & AC with HP, and vaulted ceilings. There is a detached garage/workshop with tack room and hay storage. Corral for the horses and three separate pastures that are all fenced, so you can rotate your grazing. Beautiful landscaping and wonderful sunsets. The property is 5 acres in size all together. **List price is just \$339,500.**

**#127 Silver Drive, Electric City.** Looking for a larger 3 Bedroom home and just haven't found the one? We think you will like all the amenities this property has to offer. Built in 1979, home has 3 Bedrooms and 1 3/4 baths, including master bath. There is hardwood flooring in part of the home, plus tile & carpeting. The home has Central H & Air Conditioning. Vinyl lap siding, a wood fireplace with insert, and a newer dimensional composition roof. The property is appr. 17,500 s.f. in size and has a very large fenced backyard, with an above ground lap pool, a few cherry trees, and an in ground auto sprinkler system. **List price is just \$294,900.**

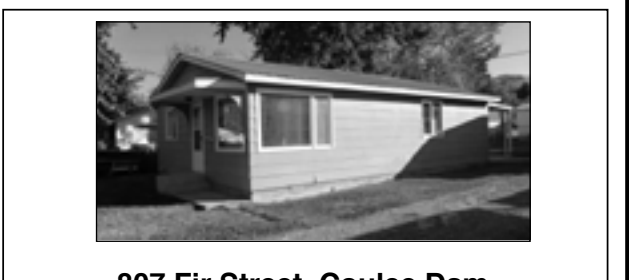
**33 Diamond Street, Electric City.** Immaculate 3 Bedroom - 1 3/4 Bath home. Built in 1980 it has over 2,450 s.f. of tin living area. Spacious LR with gas FP, formal dining room, kitchen with oak cabinets and large family room with nook for piano or desk. Downstairs is a craft area, exercise room and hobby room. The home has electric bb and rec wall heat with wall AC, updated 2 pane windows and dim arch bat roofing. The property includes an extra lot to bring the total size of the property to appr. 20,475 sq' or just under half an acre. The property is all fenced and includes an auto sprinkler system and a basketball court. **List price is just \$234,900.**

**#411 Banks Ave, Grand Coulee.** Enjoy beautiful lake views from this custom built Grand Coulee home. This home features 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, a large 2 car garage, RV Parking and an private yard area. The home is 1,120 s.f. on the main level, plus another 1,120 in the basement. The home was built in 1995 and has vinyl siding, vinyl 2 pane windows, Central H & AC, and Metal Roof. The lower level has a huge family room, large storage & mechanical room and 3rd bedroom with 3/4 bath. Beautifully maintained property. **List Price is reduced to just \$210,000.**

**20 Pearl Avenue, Electric City.** Beautiful 4 Bedroom Split entry home with 2 baths and just over 2,000 s.f. of living area. Located in a very nice neighborhood, the home has a new Central Heat & AC w HP in 2010, dimensional composition roofing, updated 2 pane vinyl clad windows and newer floorings throughout. Large Kitchen with Oak cabinets and lots of counter space and includes all the appliances. There is a Family Room with fireplace and utility room with washer and dryer included downstairs. The property is 80' by 110' and has a fenced back yard, in ground auto sprinklers and there is an attached 24' by 28' garage. **List price is now just \$199,500 with \$3,500 closing cost allowance.**

**120 E Grand Ave, Electric City.** 1350 s.f. 3 bedroom, 2 bath home that has been extensively remodeled. The home has an open kitchen with appliances all included, big Living Room-Dining room, Covered Breezeway, Large Deck, Lake View, fenced yard, sprinkler system, New Garage space? No problem. There is a 30' by 36' detached garage with power, water, heated floor and roll up door and more. A 20' by 20' garage with bench space, roll up door and stand up loft. A 20' by 16' tool shop that is insulated with benches all around, plus a 21' by 22' 2 car carport. All this and only 1 minute to Coulee Playland Boat Launch. **List Price is just \$159,500.**

**306 Ferry Ave, Coulee Dam,** 3+ Bedroom 3 bath home in West Coulee Dam. Home has just over 1,000 s.f. on the main level, plus another 800 s.f. downstairs with lots of storage. The home has Central H & AC w HP. Updated electrical with 200 amp cb service, wood siding, 2 pane windows



**807 Fir Street, Coulee Dam**  
**607 Fir Street Coulee Dam,** 2 Bedroom Ranch Style home in East Coulee Dam. Home was built in 1971 and has appr. 900 s.f. of living area, Central H & AC, Updated floorings, and Metal roof. Living room is 11.5 by 17.5, and there is a large covered patio, fenced yard, and detached 1 car garage. The lot is 60' by 80' and the property taxes have been very reasonable. **List Price is now just \$99,500.**

and Comp 3 tab roof. There is a 1 car garage plus a 2 car carport. The property is appr 6,700 s.f. in size. **List Price is just \$149,500 with \$2,500 closing cost allowance**

**1104 Camas Street, Coulee Dam.** 3 Bedroom Ranch Style home that is all on one level. Home was built in 1933 and has a very large living room with gas fireplace. It has 1 3/4 baths, large utility room and dining room right off the kitchen. The home has copper plumbing and the owner is having a new 200 amp CB service installed soon. It has Electric BB heat and a large covered patio in the backyard. The property is appr. 110' wide by 120' deep or about 13,200 s.f. all together. There is an attached garage that is 22' by 22.5' plus a det. garage that is 20.5' by 28' that owner stored his airplane in. (airplane extra) **List Price is just \$144,900**

**602 Spruce Street, Coulee Dam.** 3 Bedroom home with 940 sq ft up and 940 s.f. downstairs. Home has had a number of updates. It has vinyl lap siding, copper plumbing, Fireplace upstairs and wood stove downstairs. Family Room and two bathrooms. Large patio in the back with RV hookups and a hot tub hut. The property is appr. 125.5 feet wide by 77.5 feet deep, or appr. 9,725 s.f. all together. There is a detached garage/shop that is 24' by 36' and there is lots of off street parking. **List Price is just \$119,500**

**58110 View Place NE Grand Coulee.** Home is approximately 1340 s.f. in size and was built back in 1937. The property is approximately 1/2 of an acre in size all together and has a big area for a garden. The shop is appr. 24' by 40' or 960 s.f. in size and has separate electrical service and 10 foot sidewalls. The home has 1 bedroom and another room that could be used as a bedroom. There are 2 bathrooms. The home has T-11 lap siding and stucco siding, woodstove, and electric bb heat and wall air conditioner. Cute kitchen that includes stove, ref, portable dishwasher. There is a screened in porch area, storage shed, and a fenced yard. **List price is now just \$115,000**

**213 F Street, Grand Coulee,** Multi level A Frame on large corner lot. Home needs a lot of work, but has a lot of potential. There is 1,150 s.f. on the main level, an additional 575 s.f. upstairs, plus a 1,120 s.f. basement apartment. Built in 1972, the home has metal siding, shake roof, bb electric and wall ac, 2 fireplace, and galv plumbing. The basement apartment has its own private entrance and large covered patio. The property is appr. 150' wide by 119' feet deep. **List price is just \$99,500.**

**#411 Center Street, Grand Coulee.** Looking for a reasonably price 3 Bedroom - 2 Bath home? Take a look at this one. Home has approximately 1,440 s.f. all together. Home has both a Living Room and Family room, Master Bedroom and bath are on one end of the home, with two additional bedrooms and bath are on the other end. Home has Central Heat and swamp ac for air conditioning. The property is appr. 75' by 100' or 7500 s.f. and includes a det garage/shop and a 14' by 24' carport. Taxes are very reasonable. **List Price is just \$67,500.**

**57921 NE Lakeview Blvd, Grand Coulee,** 2 bedroom 1 bath cottage located in Delano. The home has 1,030 s.f. on the main level and is on a large lot. The home has stucco siding, metal roof, galvanized plumbing, 200 amp cb service, and electric bb heat. The home is serviced by an on-site septic system. The property is appr 13,000 s.f. in size and is partially fenced. **List price is now just \$65,000.**

**214 A Street, Grand Coulee.** Here is the perfect little cottage just for you. Home has 750 s.f. on the main level, plus another 750 s.f. in the basement. Home has recently been replumbed. It still has the older fuse electrical system. Concrete block construction with Comp 3 tab roof, stucco interior walls, and patio area. Lot is 50' by 120' deep and has 1 car carport. **List price is just \$52,500.** Owner also has another 50' by 120' building site available next door. If you want the extra property, not a problem. **List price for both is \$64,900.**

# Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★★**  
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# King Crossword

**Solution time: 27 mins.**

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# Super Crossword

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16	Cleopatra's snake	54	Filmmaker Kazan	103	Certain shoe mender	9	Stair parts	52	Pond critter	88	Take-view of (rown on)
19	Underscore	57	Stick through	107	"Sing Along" leader (1911)	10	Mil. rank	53	Humdrum	89	Motel unit
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21	Shrunken lake	59	Mussolini of Italy	116	Racy reading	12	Like a good	55	Mary August bables	91	Unanimously
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26	— mode (with ice cream)	66	Epoch	122	Center or tackle	15	Ho Chi Min's capital	58	Novels	94	Readily bent
27	— Reader (eclectic bimonthly)	68	Hit film whose title describes them	123	New York city or tribe	16	Hi man	59	Unanimously	95	Give gas to
30	"Ain't No Sunshine" singer [1938]	74	ND-to-LA dr.	127	One gazing	17	Appar.	60	Isolated valley	96	trapezists connect
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36	Lean and muscular	77	Former jet	84	"Twice-Told Tales" author	20	Oil, for short	63	Words in a verbed	99	Some whales
38	Long-eared equine	80	— about	88	Crone earmer	21	Young boy	64	Formerly known as "friends?"	100	Scap-ling Oscar
41	Have dinner	81	Long-eared equine	88	Crone earmer	22	Fine sand in a verbed	65	Consums	101	Lease topic
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# Coulee Cops

Compiled from police files

## Grand Coulee

6/16 - A person on Continental Heights reported that a fire alarm that would sound when the door was opened had been broken off by an unknown party.

- An Electric City woman reported that someone had slashed one of her tires and keyed the paint on her vehicle.

6/17 - A Coulee Dam woman reported that her car had been struck while parked at North Cascades Bank. The woman was asked to get a damage report so information could be filed.

- An Electric City woman who listed her 17-year-old son as a runaway told police that she was afraid that he might return and assault her. She stated he was a gang member.

6/18 - An Electric City man had his vehicle impounded after he was stopped for a safety issue and the officer learned that the man had been driving with a suspended license. He was cited for being a habitual offender for driving without a license and also for not having an ignition interlock in place.

6/19 - A Wilbur man is being sought and will be charged with violating a no-contact court order and first-degree custodial interference after an incident at Sunbanks Resort. The man allegedly took keys, a phone, and a 10-year-old boy from a villa at the resort. The boy's mother said that she had a no-contact order against the former boyfriend. The boy was taken to his father's place and released, and police have asked Lincoln County authorities to help locate the wanted man.

- A woman told police that she saw a dog chase a child on Burdin Boulevard. The owner of the dog was told if the dog was loose again he would be cited. The dog did not bite the child.

6/20 - After they received a report of animal abuse, police warned a woman living on W. Grand Ave., in Electric City that she needed to take care of her dog. The dog had been penned up in a garage. She told police that it received food and water twice a day.

6/21 - Police responded to a report that two females had the door to a pickup open and when the party yelled at them, they left. Police checked the area but were unable to locate the pair. It wasn't known if anything was taken.

- An Electric City man reported that someone had been dumping garbage at his rental house on Kelso. He supplied police with

a name he found in the dumped material.

- Police impounded the motorcycle of a Burdin Blvd. man because its license had expired, it had equipment dangling that created a dangerous situation and the rider didn't have a motorcycle endorsement. The rider was cited.

6/21 - The Grant County Housing Authority is requesting burglary and theft charges against a former manager at the Continental Heights apartments in Grand Coulee.

The suspect allegedly entered an office without permission and used Internet service without authority.

6/23 - USBR Plant Protection advised police of two suspicious vehicles parked between the 230 kV switchyard and the 500 kV switchyard. Police recognized one vehicle as belonging to a local resident and his vehicle was parked off the road. The second vehicle was gone when police arrived.

6/24 - Police had a report of a suspicious vehicle with expired plates parked on Palmer Street in Electric City. The officer who checked on the vehicle found that it belonged to a person living on Burdin Boulevard. The report stated that the vehicle might be towed.

## Coulee Dam

6/16 - Police told a Civic Way resident that she couldn't go into her neighbor's yard and that if she continued to do so she could be cited for trespass. She told the officer that there was a lien that permitted her to enter her neighbor's yard. It was explained to her that the city held the lien so it could have access to do city work. The woman's son had entered the neighbor's back yard to prop up a fence that had fallen down.

6/17 - Police checked on a report that fireworks had been set off near the Mormon church. The officer couldn't find any evidence of fireworks.

6/18 - A woman on Camas Street told police that her ex-husband had taken the kids for the weekend and refused to return them. She was advised that she needed court papers in order to get the children back.

6/20 - An alarm company in Pasco advised police of an alarm at a location on Lincoln Avenue. Police checked and cleared the alarm.

6/22 - A caller said a suspicious person was ducking down inside a car across from the casino. Police checked it out and learned that a man was loading music on his phone and checking his emails.

6/23 - Police checked on two intoxicated men sleeping in the park, who told the officer that they were waiting on a bus to take them to Spokane. A tribal officer appeared and found that both men were wanted on warrants. Since the two were tribal members the Tribal officer took charge of them.

# Conflict

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they didn't get started Monday they would end up with a huge traffic problem during the July 4 weekend.

There were additional highway problems that developed this week.

A Department of Transportation chip seal crew had been advancing about five miles a day from Coulee City to Electric City, but were pulled off the SR 155 job to go to Pullman to do an emergency road project there, according to DOT officials. The chip seal project will probably be stalled until July 7. The DOT crew was somewhere near the Million Dollar Mile area when it pulled up to go to Pullman.

DOT officials were unaware that a pipeline project would be going on at the same time as when they were projected to go through Electric City.

The DOT project calls for the state to go through Electric City

and on to Grand Coulee's Midway Avenue, the stretch of highway through that city. Grand Coulee officials said it was their understanding that the Midway work would begin this week.

Asked if the Grand Coulee police department was aware that the Midway work was scheduled sometime this week, Chief Mel Hunt said it was the first time he had heard about it.

The DOT's SR 155 project through Electric City could come at the same time contractors are digging a trench alongside the highway laying pipe toward the entrance to Sunbanks Resort. That project, a \$300,000 job, is being paid for by the owners of Sunbanks Lake Resort.

DOT officials stated that they would call the water line contractor to see if they could coordinate the project so it doesn't provide a traffic mess in Electric City.

## GCD Seniors NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice to contractors wishing to provide services. Grand Coulee Seniors are seeking bids for construction of a 30'x 30' post frame building with a tentative completion date of September 15, 2014. Detailed bid specifications are available at the Senior Center front desk.

Please return bid quotation summary to Senior Center, 203 Main Street, Grand Coulee, Wash., by July 7, 2014.

(Publish June 25 and July 2, 2014)

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Verizon Wireless (VZW) is proposing to construct (2) new towers on the Colville Tribe Reservation. VZW is working with the Tribe to construct a shared tower on Bunker Hill, located at coordinates: 48.174234N, 118.942800W and another at: 47.960644N, 118.963403W. In order to better inform the public of the new telecommunication towers, VZW will perform balloon tests at each location, as part of the Colville Tribal Code, Chapter 4-22 Wireless Telecommunications Facilities. The balloon tests will take place on Saturday, 07/12 between the hours of 7am-4pm. The balloons will fly for (4) consecutive hours and will represent the new proposed towers, as best as possible. In the case of poor visibility, VZW will retest on Monday, 07/14. Please contact Verizon Wireless' authorized real estate representative, Melissa Helland, at 425-308-8710 or the Colville Confederated Tribe Planning Department, with any questions with the projects.

(Publish June 25 and July 2, 2014)

## Grand Coulee Dam School District #301 Notice of Public Hearing 2014-15 Budget

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Proposed Budget of the Grand Coulee Dam School District #301 will be presented to the Board of Directors for its consideration. A PUBLIC HEARING will be held on June 30, 2014 at 6:00 p.m. at the offices of the School District located at 110 Stevens Avenue, Coulee Dam, WA 99116.

The purpose of the public hearing is to allow any person to be heard in favor of or against the proposed budget as it is submitted, or for or against any item or items contained in the proposed budget, and hearing all persons interested in the subject concerning same. A copy of the proposed budget is available at the Office of the Superintendent, 110 Stevens Avenue, Coulee Dam, WA 99116 where it may be inspected by any interested person during regular office hours.

(Publish June 18 and 25, 2014)

## The Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation Planning Department Pete Palmer, Land Use/Shoreline Administrator

P.O. Box 150, Nespelem, WA 99155 509-634-2577

## PUBLIC NOTICE

The Colville Tribes Land Use Review Board will be holding a public hearing to make a ruling on the following land use and development permit:

1. Jimmy Jackson, representing the Colville Tribes Information Technology department has submitted a land use and development permit application to install 10,000' feet of 24-strand single mode aerial fiber on existing Nespelem Valley Electric poles and provide high speed internet to the Nespelem School and Town businesses. The project is commonly known as the Bunker Hill Aerial Project and will take place within Township 31 North, Range 31 East, Section 20 within Tribal Tract 101-T5691 containing 742.080 acres more or less and is within the boundaries of the Colville Indian Reservation.

A public hearing for the above mentioned Land Use Development Permit Application will be conducted on Thursday June 30, 2014 at the Colville Tribal CFS conference room on the Colville Indian Agency Campus starting at 9:30 a.m. Written comments will be accepted until June 29, 2014 at 4 p.m. or comments can be made verbally at the public hearing. All comments may be sent to Pete Palmer, Land Use/Shoreline Administrator, P.O. Box 150, Nespelem, WA 99155 or they can be faxed to her attention at 509-634-2581. You can also contact the Tribal Planning Department at the above-mentioned address or phone number to request a copy of the permit documents.

(Publish June 25, 2014)

## CITY OF GRAND COULEE PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held before the GRAND COULEE CITY COUNCIL, at the City Council Facility located at 306 Midway Avenue at 6:35 p.m. on July 15, 2014 to consider a petition to vacate a portion of a street located between Block 8B and Block 9 in the Grand Coulee Heights addition to Grand Coulee. More specifically, the portion of the east end of Roosevelt Drive.

At the time and place listed above, the Council will consider whether the street should be vacated; whether the City should retain an easement for construction, repair and maintenance of public utilities and services; and whether the adjoining property owners on each side of the street to be vacated will be required to compensate the City in an amount not to exceed the full appraised value of the vacated street.

Any person wishing to provide testimony and/or written comments for or against the proposed vacation may be heard at the above stated time and place. The City Clerk must receive written comments submitted for the record by 5:00 p.m., July 11, 2014.

(Publish June 25, 2014)

## TOWN OF ELMER CITY NOTICE OF SURPLUS VEHICLE

The Town of Elmer City will sell by sealed bid, to the highest bidder, a 2003 Ford Crown Victoria, deemed to be surplus to the needs to the Town.

Bids must be submitted on a Town supplied bid form and received by the Town Clerk no later than 3:00 p.m. on July 2nd, 2014.

A bidding form and information for bidders may be obtained from the Town Clerk's Office, 505 Seaton Ave., Elmer City, WA. 99124 during normal business hours.

(Publish June 25, 2014)

## CITY OF GRAND COULEE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public hearing will be held by the city council in the council chambers, 306 Midway Avenue, on July 15, 2014 at 6:40 p.m. The purpose of the public hearing is to review and receive comments regarding the proposed City of Grand Coulee Six Year Street Transportation program. This program lists and prioritizes street construction, repair and maintenance projects under consideration for the ensuing six calendar years, 2015-2020. Comments may also be submitted in writing to City of Grand Coulee, PO Box 180, Grand Coulee WA 99133, by 5:00 p.m. on July 10, 2013. The city hall is accessible to persons with disabilities. Arrangements to reasonably accommodate the needs of special classes of citizens, including handicap accessibility or interpreter, will be made upon receiving twenty-four (24) hour advance notice. To make accommodation arrangements, contact City Hall at (509) 633-1150.

(Publish June 25, 2014)

## IN THE TRIBAL COURT OF THE CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF THE COLVILLE RESERVATION

Colville Tribal Credit Corporation, ) Case No.: CV-CD-2013-36206  
a lending institution wholly-owned by )  
the Confederated Tribes of the Colville )  
Indian Reservation )  
) CHIEF OF POLICE PUBLIC  
) NOTICE  
) OF SALE OF  
) REAL PROPERTY  
Plaintiff, )  
)  
vs. )  
Bernardene Charley, )  
A single individual, )  
)  
Defendant )

The Colville Tribal Court has directed the undersigned Chief of Police, Colville Tribe, to sell the property described below to satisfy a judgment in the above-entitled action:

The real property subject to the Deed of Trust lien and related decree of foreclosure is described as:

Lots 5 and 6, Block 114, Plat of Government Town site of Omak, as per plat thereof recorded in Volume "D" of plats, page 31, records of the Auditor of Okanogan County, Washington.

The Reap Property or its address is commonly known as 815 E. 6th Ave., Omak, WA 98841. The Real Property tax identification number is 2001140500.

The sale of the above property is to take place:

TIME: 9:00 A.M.  
DATE: July 25, 2014.  
PLACE: Front Entrance, Colville Tribal Courthouse #1.

The Judgment Debtor(s) can avoid the sale by paying the judgment amount of \$137,545.92 together with interest, costs, statutory interest, and fees before the sale date. For the exact amount, contact the Chief of Police at the address stated below.

Please publish on the following dates:

Week of June 23, 2014  
Week of June 30, 2014  
Week of July 7, 2014  
Week of July 14, 2014

Sharlene Zacherle for  
Matt Haney, Interim - Chief of Police  
28 Okanogan Street/PO Box 617  
Nespelem, WA 99155  
(509)634-2472

(Publish June 25, July 2, 9, 16, 2014)

## Notice of Primary Election Okanogan County, State of Washington Tuesday, August 5, 2014

A Primary Election will be held in the below mentioned districts for the purpose of submitting to the voters for their approval or rejection the following.

Representative in Congress 4<sup>th</sup> Congressional District, State Senator District 7, State Representative District 7 Position 1, State Representative District 7 Position 2, State Representative District 12 Position 1, State Representative District 12 Position 2, County Assessor, County Auditor, County Clerk, County Commissioner District 3, County Coroner, County Prosecuting Attorney, County Sheriff, County Treasurer, Public Utility District No. 1 of Okanogan County, Commissioner District 1

The registration deadline for online registrations, mail-in registrations and transfers is July 7, 2014. Any qualified elector who is not registered to vote in the State of Washington may register to vote in person at the Auditor's Office up to and including July 28, 2014.

You can register or obtain registration forms at the Auditor's Office, on line at [www.vote.wa.gov](http://www.vote.wa.gov), and Department of Licensing.

The Okanogan County Auditor's Office, 149 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave N, Room 104, at the County Courthouse, will be open so voters may obtain replacement ballots, drop off voted ballots, obtain provisional ballots, and use the Accessible Voting Units, at the following times.

Monday – Friday 8:00 AM – 4:30 PM July 18 – August 4, 2014  
On Election Day only, August 5, 2014, 8:00 AM - 8:00 PM.

Drop box locations around the county for the Primary Election.  
Tonasket – Tonasket City Hall/Library Complex, 209 S Whitcomb Ave, Tonasket  
Omak – Next to Police Station, 8 N Ash, Omak  
Pateros -180 Pateros Mall in parking lot, Pateros  
Drop boxes will close at 8:00PM on Election Day

Voters needing additional information or assistance with voter registration forms or voting may call (509) 422-7240. Voters unable to use the mail-in ballot may use the Accessible Voting Unit available at the County Auditor's Office.

Ballots require sufficient first class postage (.49 cents) and must be postmarked by the day of the election. Check with your local Post Office for deadlines to have your ballot postmarked properly.

For additional information on the election or regarding voter registration - [vote.wa.gov/okanogan](http://vote.wa.gov/okanogan), [myvote.wa.gov](http://myvote.wa.gov), local newspaper, radio, and TV.

Meetings of the Okanogan County Canvassing Board are open, public meetings and shall be continued until the activities for which the following meetings are held have been completed. Canvass Board meetings are held in the Okanogan County Auditor's Office, 149 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave N, Room 104, at the County Courthouse, in Okanogan.

Wednesday, August 13, 2014 at 11:00 AM to determine the status of any provisional or challenged ballots

Tuesday, August 19, 2014 at 11:00 AM to canvass the votes cast and certify the election  
This notice is in accordance with RCW 29A.52.

Dated at Okanogan, Washington this 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2014.  
Laurie Thomas, Okanogan County Auditor and Ex-Officio Supervisor

By Mila M Jury, Chief Deputy and Certified Election Administrator

Publish week of June 22 – July 2, 2014