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### Newsbriefs

### Book fair in progress

The PTA is sponsoring a book fair in progress at Grand Coulee Dam Middle School from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the library. They could use help with the event. If you'd like to help, call Kim at 633-3542 or Karen at 633-0520.

The book fair runs through Thursday.

### Selecting council

Coulee Dam plans to select a council member at its town council meeting April 23. One of three candidates, Carol Wetzel, Shawn Derrick or Tamra Sacchi will replace Bob Poch, who resigned recently.

Mayor Greg Wilder circulated information about the three candidates to council members last Wednesday and advised them not to discuss it among themselves, but to have discussions in public at their next meeting.

### POWER group to meet

Promoters of Wildlife & Environmental Resources (POWER) will hold its annual meeting at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, April 17, at the Senior Center in Grand Coulee. The 2014 goals and projects will be presented and discussed. A recap of last year's activities and election of officers will take place. The meeting is open to the public, and new members are encouraged. There are no dues for members.

### Adding a teacher

The Grand Coulee Dam School District board approved advertising for a third second-grade teacher and an elementary school physical education specialist at a special meeting last Wednesday night. In other action, the board accepted the resignation of Lee Seekins from her 21st Century position and named James Van Geystel as assistant baseball coach at Lake Roosevelt High School.

#### Flu outbreak

The Grant County Health District is working closely with staff of Garden Oasis Assisted Living in Ephrata to control a recent flu outbreak. The Health District was notified that two Garden Oasis residents have died due to influenza-like related complications. Both had other high risk medical conditions

The Health District advises not to enter Garden Oasis or Columbia Basin Hospital unless you absolutely must. It is recommended that all visitors wear a face mask

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Flu symptoms include temperatures over 100 degrees with a cough and/or sore throat. Those with the flu may also get headaches, runny or stuffy nose, muscle or body aches, fatigue and some

## 1,849 tons of garbage not enough

times vomiting and diarrhea.

Revenues at the Delano Transfer Station are running behind last year's numbers, a report to the area mayors noted. For the first three months of this year revenues are down \$5,762, a report issued at the Regional Board of Mayors meeting Monday disclosed.

In another report, Grand Coulee produced the most garbage at the transfer station last year. Grand Coulee produced 698 tons, Coulee Dam had 584 tons, Electric City had 465 tons and Elmer City 102 tons.





### **Dusty business**

Drivers on Midway Ave., also called State Route 155, follow a pilot car Monday past workers on a \$15.5 million project that is spread over 238 miles on 10 state highways in five counties. The project also includes addition of safety features, such as centerline rumble strips, and meeting Americans with Disability Act concerns in Grand Coulee, Coulee Dam and elsewhere. — Scott Hunter photo

## Towns splitting on wastewater plant question

by Roger S. Lucas

Two towns, Coulee Dam and Elmer City, linked together by wastewater treatment issues, plan to go it alone in seeking an alternative analysis to determine how to proceed with a treatment plant plan.

Elmer City, moments before the town council met last Thursday, received word from Indian Health Services that the agency plans to fund \$27,600 of a feasibility study in regard to wastewater treatment. The town will add \$6,400 to the study for a total of \$34,000.

The town council acknowledged the announcement, but didn't formally act on it at its meeting.

Coulee Dam also started a similar process last Thursday, inviting engineering firms to present "statements of qualifications" for the town to consider in the selection of a firm to revise or amend the town's wastewater treatment plan

Coulee Dam also invited Elmer City Mayor Pro-tem Donna DeWinkler and Ron Toulou from the Colville Tribes to to the meeting with Coulee Dam Mayor Greg Wilder, public works Superintendent Barry Peacock and wastewater treatment plant operator Tim Lynch.

Three firms were selected from among the nine who provided statements. The three firms are: Wilson Engineering from Bellingham; Varela & Associates of Spokane; and TD&H Engineering of Spokane.

These three firms will be invited to further participate in a selection process involving the Coulee Dam Town Council.

Currently, Coulee Dam treats Elmer City's sewage at its wastewater treatment plant in east Coulee Dam under a 50-year agreement.

A \$4.92 million plan to upgrade the existing plant that serves both towns, which had been due to begin in 2014, stalled as Wilder won the mayoral election after campaigning against the plan.

During the campaign to stall the project, Elmer City joined forces with Wilder. Elmer City has since indicated that it might go it alone in developing its own wastewater treatment plant, gaining the support of Indian Health Services.

The two alternative analyses of the \$4.92 million plan to build at Coulee Dam's present site, will get viewing from two perspectives.

Wilder stated that the IHS study will essentially determine what is best for Elmer City, while the Coulee Dam study will determine what is in the best interests of the two towns.

The Coulee Dam study, estimated by Wilder at \$60,000 - \$90,000, may be paid for from the initial loan the town sought from the Department of Ecology.

"They are still studying if they will do that," Wllder stated Monday. If not, he said, the town will

# Hospital CEO resigns, threatens suit

### Bigelow named interim leader

by Scott Hunter

Coulee Medical Center's chief executive tendered his resignation with a required 90-day notice last Thursday, offering to stay on until the end of that time but stating his intention to seek "liability claims."

J. Scott Graham's resignation letter was delivered by Chief Operating Officer Alan Wagner to the hospital commission during its meeting Monday night, but President Jerry Kennedy had received the letter in an email from Graham on Thursday.

"The Board of Directors, in concert with the hospital physicians, have engaged in a pattern of retaliatory conduct toward me that has left me no alternative but to pursue other employment opportunities," Graham wrote. "The Board's ongoing retaliation and refusal to act in good faith toward me in my position as hospital CEO have effectively resulted in the termination of my employment. Under these circumstances

my only reasonable option is to resign."

Graham wrote that the board had been dealing with him in bad faith for months.

"The physicians have tortiously interfered with my employment relationship with the hospital. The board has engaged in a pattern of retaliatory conduct against me since I properly raised the important issue of physician compensation being out of compliance with federal law. I do intend to pursue liability claims against the hospital district and the physicians over these issues. My attorney will be in contact with hospital counsel in the near future with respect to these claims."

The board of commissioners unanimously voted to waive the 90-day clause and terminate Graham's position immediately. After an executive session, they installed Debra Bigelow as interim hospital district superintendent and chief executive officer.

Bigelow was the hospital's chief financial officer for many years and was director of community outreach until Monday night.

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## Daycare, bus garage zoning in

by Roger S. Lucas

Grand Coulee decided Tuesday night to move forward on zoning changes that will permit seniors to build a garage for their two buses, and allow the development of a daycare center, all in the central business district.

The council held a public hearing on the zoning changes Tuesday night and two individuals spoke favorable on the changes.

Charles Long, representing the Grand Coulee Dam Senior Center, told council members there was a real need of a garage that would hold two senior buses that were recently given to the center. The seniors have appeared before the council on numerous occasions asking for a change in the zoning law. The garage will be built, after the council passes the zoning ordinance, on property the seniors

own adjacent to their center. Fire Chief Richard Paris spoke

on both issues, urging the council to move forward. The council, later, passed the

zoning requests 5-0.

the council will likely have an ordinance before it at its meeting May 19.

The clerk said she will have

City Clerk Carol Boyce said

the ordinance drawn up by then for final council passage.

When council passes the ordinance both changes will be in effect.

Two women initially brought up the need for a daycare center about a year ago, but have not appeared before council since then.

They had asked the council to consider a change in zoning so a daycare center could be established on Main Street. That issue is now settled for anyone wanting to start a daycare center.

### Old pavement in use again

by Roger S. Lucas

The out-with the old and in with the new pavement project in the Grand Coulee area ended up helping Electric City pave one of its newest streets.

Electric City received over 50 truckloads of ground up pavement from the Department of Transportation's paving project in Grand Coulee and spread it over Snyder Road.

Ken Dexter and Donna Deckman, from the city's public works department, said the ground up pavement provided a six-inch cover of what was one of the city's streets to improve in its six-year street plan.

The city spread the ground up pavement, rolled it, and ended up after two days with a much improved street, Dexter stated.

Dexter said the road will require more work rolling it and watering it, until warmer weather firms it up.

Wayne Snyder had appeared before council recently to inform



Donna Deckman, of Electric City's public works department, surveys the improvement made to Snider Road with about 50 dump truck loads of chewed up pavement from the Department of Transportation.

Roger S. Lucas photo

members that former mayor Ray
Halsey had promised improvement to the street, and that the city had promised help for the street when the Snider property

was annexed a few years ago.

The dumping of the ground up pavement was also a plus for the DOT in that it didn't have to haul the material very far to dispose of

## Bowling alley sale in process The Zlateff's lease is up at the

by Roger S. Lucas

Riverview Lanes is in the process of being sold.

Pat and Sara Zlateff said this week that Sherry Moore, an Electric City resident, will become owner of the eight-lane alley on May 1.

Moore still has to work her way through a lease arrangement with the town of Coulee Dam.

She said Tuesday that she is

She said Tuesday that she is working on "a lease similar to the one that Zlateff's have."

The Zlateffs have owned the alley for the past seven years and essentially got into the business so that it wouldn't close.

"My parents had the bowling alley here years ago, and I didn't want to be the one to close it up," Pat stated. end of the month.

Sara and Sherry attended the last Coulee Dam council meeting and let the town know of the intent to switch owners. They were quickly put on the agenda for the April 23 meeting.

Moore and her husband, Jeremy, have six children, all of them bowlers. They are Samantha, 14; Alexis, 10; Julie, 10; Derian, 8; Austin, 8; and Athina, 5.

Their mother, who bowls in a league, had a 246 on Tuesday. Not a bad score, bowlers would agree. Her highest score was a 290. Jeremy works in the office of the State Superintendent of Public Instruction in Olympia as a computer programmer.

Sherry said she learned to bowl

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Interim Superintendent Debra Bigelow chats with Dr. Andrew Castrodale, left, and Commissioner Geary Oliver after the meeting. - Scott Hunter photos

### Hospital

Kennedy said the board disagreed with Graham's characterization of the relationship breaking down since last fall between the physicians, Graham and the board since the introduction of a proposed revamp of physician pay that would cut out base salaries, paying instead on a production unit basis.

"If, in fact, litigation does arise from Mr. Graham," Kennedy said, "we'll refer it to our insurance

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in Colville while she was growing up and has never looked back.

Her reason for buying the business was that she "didn't want to see it closed.'

Her plans for the business include expanding the days the alley is open, expanding league play and finding a way to attract more open play.

The town has assigned the task of getting a lease agreed upon to the council's government affairs committee, made up of Councilmembers Duane Johnson and Gayle Swagerty.

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carrier and they'll defend the hospital as appropriate."

Graham's resignation ends months of what many have described as increasing tensions at CMC, which Kennedy said Tuesday were already showing signs of abatement.

Filling a position on their own board, the commissioners voted to appoint Clea Pryor to take the seat vacated by Greg Behrens, who resigned earlier this year. Pryor and John Adkins, superintendent of Nespelem School District, had both written letters of interest to the board. Pryor, a former longtime hospital employee, had come to speak out against the administration after having defended it for some time.



Clea Pryor named to **CMC** commission





### Researcher Dechant to speak on monument history

by Roger S. Lucas

Coulee Dam's town council will hear about those who gave their lives during construction of Grand Coulee Dam next Wednesday night, and how there is a need for a suitable memorial to them.

Susan Dechant, a researcher who lives near Colville, will bring the council up to date on the memorial that once stood near Delano and then was confiscated for non-payment and relocated on the Stevens County Courthouse grounds.

The memorial featured the names of 44 who had died to date (1938) in construction of the dam. The memorial, ordered by the American Legion, had a \$1,750 price tag on it and the monument manufacturer from Colville came to Delano under cover of darkness one night and took it back for nonpayment.

The monument now features the names of those from Stevens County who served in World War

Dechant will provide details of the monument's storied past and



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for about 80 of those who lost their lives during construction at the dam.

The story has sparked interest in Coulee Dam official circles, and Mayor Greg Wilder and Councilmember Gayle Swagerty went to Colville recently to see the original monument.

Dechant hopes that the monument's history and the need for a proper memorial will prompt the town of Coulee Dam to commit to placing a new memorial here using hotel/motel tax money.

She will give her talk after 6 p.m., Wednesday, April 23, at the town hall chambers. The public is invited to hear the story of the monument.



**Susan Dechant** 

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### Letters to the Editor

### **Moving forward**

I had some goals and expectations when I decided to run for hospital commissioner, primarily involving increasing utilization of CMC while maintaining the financial solvency of the facility.

Since my election, however, I've been provided with a lot of material to read, and I have received many unsolicited comments from community members and hospital employees. As a result, those goals have rapidly changed.

Many people in this community remember very clearly the padlocking of the hospital in the 1970s for lack of medical person-

nel. I DO NOT want to be on a Board that is responsible for a closure of our medical facility, which is a very real possibility if our entire medical staff were to leave. We need to have the courage and support of the community to address our issues head on.

I understand that there are complicating factors involved in confronting our challenges, but I do not believe them to be of sufficient merit to risk the loss of a medical staff in which many in the community (including myself) have great trust.

One of my favorite quotes is

Now, it seems to me, that we

from Dante and seems relevant in this situation: "The hottest places in hell are reserved for those who, in times of great moral crisis, maintain their neutrality."

We will move forward with a beautiful medical facility, a great staff, and the courage of our convictions.

**Betty Brueske** Commissioner Douglas, Grant, Lincoln, **Okanogan Counties Hospital** District 6

others who hold different views,

be ready to listen, and think be-

our community as a whole to show

that when it counts we can work

together for the good of all. In the

next several months we will get a

chance to show the world around

us that we can come together.

Let's not waste the chance to show

what we can do when we work for

the good of the whole community.

This is a great opportunity for

fore we speak.



### Coulee Recollections

### Ten Years Ago

Selected as Miss Grand Coulee Dam 2004 was Tiffany Barry. Princesses Jennifer Sedillo and Canace Payne.

The City of Grand Coulee will be received a new fire truck.

#### Twenty Years Ago

Stacey Tinnell-Benton was named Miss Grand Coulee Dam and 1994 Junior Miss. Kristen Sherman was first runner-up and Patsy Gould was second.

Nearly 80 of the 153 registered voters in Elmer City signed a petition declaring their opposition to the consolidation of Electric City, Grand Coulee, Coulee Dam and Elmer City.

#### Thirty Years Ago

Debbie Peterson was crowned Junior Miss. Also crowned were two attendants Lavina Jameson and Jan Vordahl.

Ridge Riders Junior Rodeo Queen Jodi Rosenberg and Princess Debbie Steffens invited the Grand Coulee Dam area to the 9th annual Junior Rodeo April 14 and 15.

#### Forty Years Ago

Cathy Rice was named Miss Grand Coulee Dam. She will represent the GCD area at Colorama

and other festivities being held this summer. The two princesses accompanying her will be Nancy French and Cheryl Brewer.

#### **Fifty Years Ago**

Five councilmen in Grand Coulee took oath of office this week. They include Landy Harrell, G.E. Beirhaus, Andrew Pachosa, Carl Vieth and Ada Shannon.

#### Sixty Years Ago

Twin brothers James Jr. and Michael Somday were home in Nespelem on leave. They are both seamen. James was home from Japan and Michael is stationed at San Francisco.

### To the people of the Grand Coulee Dam area, an opportunity

Recently our entire community went through a major upheaval which in one way or another involved all of us.

We saw that, when aroused, the people of this area can effect change. Our local hospital is such an important factor in our lives that we were ready to speak up, difficult as this can be for many of us.

Our latest board meeting set us a fine example of a group listening to the community and acting together.

The planning meeting Tues-

day the 29th of April at 7 p.m. at

Electric City city hall is not just

for steel buildings, it's for any ac-

cessory building over 850 square

must speak up in an even more important way. It is the community, acting together, that can bring back a hospital that functions as it should. A hospital should care for all the people of the area. It doesn't matter whether you are a patient, a caregiver, work in the office, the lab, the kitchen, or any other service area. We need to come together, be willing to cooperate with each other, even if this means we have to be willing to compromise. We owe courtesy to

feet built out of any materials. If the meeting and be heard.

If you might want a building, better be heard

Mark Payne

Carol Netzel

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you think you might ever want a

garage, shop or other accessory

building bigger than 850 square

feet, I would suggest you come to

### Things I think about

OK, sometimes when I look around the Coulee I see things or hear things, and I cannot help but dwell on these things for a while and just think.

For example, "I won't buy a house below the dam. What if the dam breaks?" I always laugh a little on the inside when I hear this. This dam is not going anywhere. I remember a teacher, years ago, doing research on how much firepower it would take to put a hole in the face of the dam. Even with a perfectly placed shot of the most powerful weapon known, he concluded, it would not even crack the dam at the weakest point. Take off a few lay-

ers of concrete yes, but a crack or hole was nearly impossible.

OK, so take outside weapons off the list. Earthquake maybe? Well, we have never had an earthquake in our area of the size that it would take to dislodge the dam. Could it happen? I suppose, but history says it's unlikely. Now if the dam were in Yellowstone Park, we'd be talking a whole different ball game. Just something I think about.

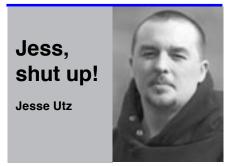
I have seen a lot of big squirrels lately in Grand Coulee. They are finally making a comeback. Years ago the use of DDT, a chemical pesticide used in the area, wiped out a lot of the smaller wildlife around the Coulee. Squirrels, Nighthawks, Rock Chucks and other critters took a big hit. They are coming back. You can now see squirrels doing high line acts across our roadways and moving into the trees that surround us. The night hawks can again be seen

in the evening, collecting their fill of bugs. And of course the ground hogs are again welcoming the visitors to the VC, returning a past tradition of a furry welcome party to the tourists coming to see the dam.

Fishing, well, we could chat a lot about fishing. But here is my question for you: How come bank fishermen and women try and cast out as far as they can, while the boat fishermen and women try to get as close to the shore as possible? Just something I noticed. Maybe not as much on Lake Roosevelt, but on Banks Lake it seems to be the trend. I also re-

> member when fishing as a kid. we could throw on a bobber and a little weighted red jig with a white tail, hook attached, and we could catch perch all day long. But these days rarely does a bobber, with anything, get a bite. By the way, the fish are getting smarter. So many bass will spit that worm out as soon as they feel the slightest pressure. Maybe that is just it, too much pressure.

Ever read Coulee Cops? Of course you do. Ever wonder how some criminals can be so stupid? I mean the ones with warrants. They always seem to be getting stopped for a headlight out, or failing to stop, or talking on their cell phones. They are wanted. They know it. So why do they not take the utmost precaution and try and not get caught? But I guess there is a reason they are wanted to begin with. Starts with a D and ends in a B. Don't worry, they won't be able to figure that out either.



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. Editor and Publisher Roger Lucas



### Sixty-five Years Ago

Workmen operating contractor's prepakt grout equipment, during pumping of grout in prepakt areas as the base of the right training wall as follows: top, two double drum grout mixers; center, two F.S. Simplex pumps and bottom, four triplex grout pumps with hose connections. This work is being performed by the Pacific Bridge Company, contractor, as part of its contract for the repair of the spillway bucket section of Grand Coulee Dam.

### **Obituaries**

### Melinda L. Fields 7/21/58-4/8/14

Melinda Lorraine Fields passed was loved by everyone who knew away peacefully at her home in her, and will be missed.

Electric City, WA at the age of 55. She was born on July 21, 1958, to Merle and Lucille Diseth in Spokane, Wash.

She worked a variety of jobs during her career, most currently as a teller at Coulee Dam Credit Union. Melinda enjoyed entertaining family and friends, reading and may be best known



Melinda is survived by her husband, Gene Fields; children: Aubree Bammer, Jillian Coffey (Richie) and Clayton Fields; father, Merle Diseth and sister, Kathleen Duncan (Paul). She had 3 grandchildren: Dennis and Dylan Bammer and Cody Coffey. A memorial service will be held at the Coulee Dam City Hall on Sat-

for her fabulous potato salad. She urday May 17, at 1 p.m.

### Jeannie Redthunder Moon

headstone setting

Jeannie Redthunder Moon's headstone setting will be held this Saturday, April 19, at 10 a.m., at Chief Joseph Cemetery. A dinner and giveaway will follow at the Nespelem Longhouse.

Jeannie passed away July 25, 2013.



#### **Eric Clinton Clark**

December 5, 1969, and entered to

He attended Omak School, K-12, graduating in 1988 from Omak High School. He was active in sports playing basketball, baseball and football. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, camping and family gatherings. He was a avid guitar player. He played in different

bands in Coulee Dam and Spokane area. He enjoyed cooking shows and loved to cook, especially barbecuing.

He attended Spokane Falls in 1991 with a AA Degree. He furing in 1997 with a BA Degree in Developmental Child Psychology and Social Work.

He held various jobs, CIPP Mill, roofer, carpet installer. He worked at DSHS offices of Division of Disabilities, Child Protective Services, Vocational Rehabilitation, Financial Service Specialist and Clerical. He was also employed with the Colville Tribe as a Caseworker with the TANF & Child Support program. His most recent job was with the Colville Tribe

Eric Clinton Clark was born Head Start Program.

He is survived by his daughter rest on Wednesday, Apr. 9, 2014. Miranda R. Clark, Omak Wash.;

parents Dale and Lorraine Clark; sister Ronda (Dale), brother, Dwayne (Tammy), all of Omak; his nephews Devin and Derek Palmanteer of Omak; William Marchand of Boise Idaho and Rhylee Marchand of Moscow, Idaho. He is also survived by numerous rel-

atives of the Clark, Squetimkin, Adolph, Manuel, Brown, Hahn, Simpson, Nicholson and Tonasket families.

His services were held on Sun-Community College, graduating day, Apr. 13, 2014, at 7 p.m., with Rosary at the Catholic Long thered his education at Eastern House (Omak). His funeral ser-Washington University, graduat- vices were held on Monday, Apr. 14, 2014, at 10 a.m., at St. Mary's Mission Catholic Church, with burial at St. Mary's Mission, and dinner to follow at the Catholic Long House.

Precht Harrison Narrents Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

We would like to thank the Brewster Harmony House for all that they have done for Eric and our family, it was greatly appreci-

### **Senior Meals**

Wed., Apr. 16 - Easter Din- Pineapple Slaw, Cookies.

Ham, Cheesy Potatoes, Seasoned Buttered Carrots, Fruit Salad, Rolls, Birthday Cake. Thurs., Apr. 17 - Dinner

Fish and Chips, Baked Beans, Cole Slaw, Waldorf Salad, Cook-

Fri., Apr. 18 - Breakfast Sausage Links, Eggs, Hashbrowns, Muffins, Fruit Cocktail,

Orange Juice.

Mon., Apr. 21 - Breakfast Spanish Omelet, Pancakes,

Fruit Bowl, Orange Juice. Tues., Apr. 22 - Dinner

Pork and Rice Casserole, Mixed Veggie and Fruit Bar, Cheesy Bis-

cuits, Cream Pie. Wed., Apr. 23 - Dinner

Baked Chicken with Cranberry Sauce, Twice Baked Potatoes, Buttered Peas, Cabbage and

Thurs., Apr. 24 - Dinner

Lasagna, Green Beans, Tossed Salad, Garlic Bread, Fruit Bowl and Whipped Cream. Grocery Shopping and Errands.

Fri., Apr. 25 - Breakfast

Bacon and Eggs, Hashbrowns, Biscuits with Jam or Jelly, Peaches, Orange Juice.

Mon., Apr. 28 - Breakfast Minced Sausage and Eggs, Waffles, Apricots, Orange Juice.

Tues., Apr. 29 - Dinner Vegetable and Pasta Soup, Grilled Ham and Cheese Sandwich, Fruit and Jello Bar, Frosted Cup Cakes.

Wed., Apr. 30 - Dinner

Swiss Steak, Whipped Potatoes and Gravy, Mixed Vegetables, Fruit Salad, Bread Pudding with Lemon Sauce.

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### Rancher and musician wins

Dave McClure holds up his secondplace trophy after competing in the Columbia River Cowboy Gathering and Music Festival in Kennewick last weekend. McClure, a Nespelem rancher and pianist, took the runnerup spot in the music contest with a \$200 prize. — submitted photo



### **Births in the Coulee**

### It's a girl for the Lewandowski's

Teri and Terrence Lewandowski II of Grand Coulee, are proud to announce the birth of their daughter Sadie Rae Lewandowski born Tuesday, March 25, 2014, at Coulee Medical Center in Grand Coulee. She weighed 7 lbs., 1 oz., and was 19.5 inches in length at birth.

Sibling includes 4-year-old Selma Lewandowski. Maternal grandparents are Michele and Larry Thomas of Grand Coulee and Raymond Peone Sr. of Keller. Paternal grandparents are Selma (deceased) and Terrence Lewandowski Sr., of Graham, Wash., and Brian and Julia Autry of Parkland, Wash.

### Figueroa/Peterson have a girl

Angie S. Figueroa and Chris Peterson of Spokane, are proud to announce the birth of their daughter Chloe Ann Snow Bristow on Friday, March 28, 2014, at Coulee Medical Center in Grand Coulee. She weighed 6 lbs., 14 oz., and was 19 inches in length at birth.

Sibling includes 3-year-old Paris Eden Honor Figueroa. Maternal grandmother is Alice Figueroa of Grand Coulee.

Pickel/Seyler have a girl

Tiffany Pickel and Robbie Seyler of Electric City, are proud to announce the birth of their daughter Kinsey Rae Seyler, born Saturday, March 29, 2014, at Coulee Medical Center in Grand Coulee. She weighed 8 lbs., 6 oz., and was 21 inches in length at birth.

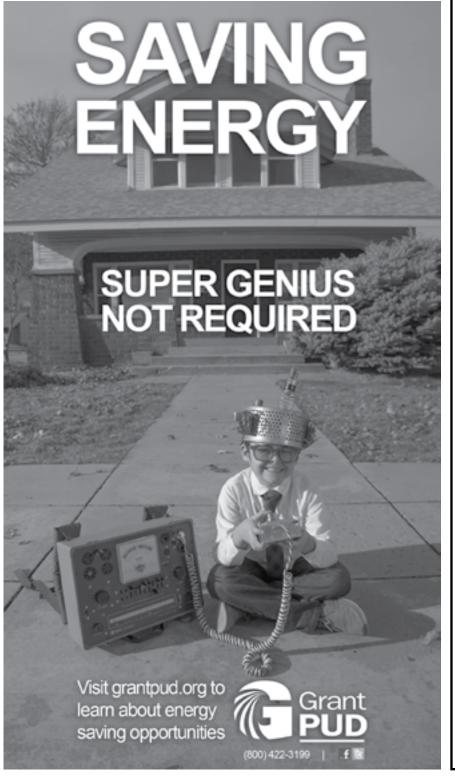
Sibling includes 8-year-old Alli. Maternal grandparents are Douglas and Shannon and Linda Pickel. Paternal grandparents are Wesley and Chris Seyler. Great-grandparent is Shirley Pickel.

#### Smith/Moulton have a girl

Jessica Smith and Eric Moulton of Wilbur, are proud to announce the birth of their daughter Isla Charla Irving Moulton, born Friday, April 4, 2014, at Coulee Medical Center in Grand Coulee. She weighed 7 lbs., and was 20 inches in length at birth.

Sibling includes one-year-old Audrey Marie Moulton. Maternal grandmother is Linda Smith of Salem, Ore, Paternal grandparents include Susan Smith of Ephrata and Robert Moulton of Lincoln.





### **Easter Events**

### **Zion Lutheran**

Zion Lutheran Church will be having Maundy Thursday and Good Friday services on April 17 and 18, both at 7 p.m. On Sunday, April 20, Easter Sonrise will be held outside at Zion at 7 a.m., with breakfast following and the regular Easter service at 11 a.m.

### Nazarene/ **Presbyterian Church**

Grand Coulee Nazarene Church will be holding a Sunrise Service at Crown Point at 7 a.m. A free breakfast at the church will be held at 8 a.m. followed by the service at 9 a.m.

The Coulee Dam Community Presbyterian Church will be worshipping with the Nazarene Church for Easter.

All are welcome ato attend.

### **Easter Egg Hunt Saturday**

The annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, April 19, at the middle school field. It is for ages 0-10.

#### Easter Parade planned

The Coulee Medical Center Guild is hosting a Grand Coulee Dam Area Easter Parade on Saturday, Apr. 19, at 10 a.m. (just before the Lion's Easter Egg Hunt) at the middle school track.

All ages are welcome even pets on leashes. There will be prizes for best Easter outfit, Easter bonnet and Easter costume.

For more information call 633-0405 or 633-1178.

### Meetings & Notices

#### CHAMBER TO MEET

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### LRHS honor roll for third quarter

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### **Local students** make EWU list

Five college students from the local area were named to the Dean's List at Eastern Washington University for the winter quarter.

They are Karah Duclos, Taylor Black, Conor Crim, Luke Night Wolf and Erica VanZyverden, all of Coulee Dam.

An undergraduate student who earns 12 quality hours and receives a GPA of 3.5 or better is placed on the Dean's List for the quarter.

### Raider tennis has busy week

by John R. McNeil II

Raiders competed in three tennis matches during the past week. On April 10th LR travelled to Wilson Creek to take on the small Devils squad. Then on the 11th LR hosted the League leading Liberty Bell Mt. Lions. LR then turned around and hosted the Pateros Billygoats/Nannies on April 14th.

At Wilson Creek Daniel Campobasso remained undefeated for the season as he took down the Devils' number-one. Cotton Crane, 6-1, 6-0.

Areielle White had to step up to the number-one girls' singles spot as Holly Jo Carriere was sick. White rose to the challenge and defeated the Devils numberone, Samantha Dowers, 6-3, 6-2.

Wilson Creek had only two boys and three girls on their squad, which means some of the matches do not count toward the varsity score as only one match per player, per day counts. LR did not have a full squad due to sickness and not enough practices, which played a bigger factor Friday against the Mt. Lions.

Liberty Bell's superior numbers showed as the Raiders' Daniel Campobasso was handed his first loss of the season by Carlos Perez, 6-1, 6-1. The Raider boys were swept in their matches with the Mt. Lions. The lone Raider wins came from girls' singles action, with Areielle White defeating Erin Frey 6-1, 6-4 and Harmony Witten blanking Sylvia Leduc 6-0, 6-0.

Raider Head Coach Steve Archer noted that the Mt. Lions are the league leaders and the toughest B school in District 6.

Against the Pateros Billygoats Monday at home, Campobasso and Tyler Agosto won their singles matches, and the team of Agosto and Corban Wilder won in doubles action.

to take part in the Brewster Relays.

Raider Track traveled to Bridgeport April 8

All events were scored as relays, even the

throwing events. As of deadline, Raider Head

Coach Lori Adkins had no comment on the

meet. On athletic.net neither Coach Adkins

or Brewster has uploaded any results for the

cus with a throw of 83 feet, 10 inches. Pala-

dine Williams threw a personal record in the

discus of 82 feet. Now Williams is reaching for

Nathan Morrell led the Raiders in the dis-

Daniel Campobasso returns a ball to is Pateros opponent Monday afternoon. Campobasso has only lost one match all season. - Schott Hunter photo · Girls' Doubles: Hannah Williams & On the girls side, Tanya Ang won by forfeit and the team of Mary Clark lost to Dowers & James Holly Jo Carriere and Areielle

LR now gets practice time as the match scheduled against White Swan for the April 17 was moved to April 22, starting at 4

White won their doubles match.

Archer is hoping to have the team at full strength with all nine boys and nine girls able to com-

#### At Wilson Creek

- · Boys' Singles: Dan Campobasso def. Cotton Crane 6-1,6-0; Brandin Smith def. Lane Ribail 6-1, 6-0
- · Boys' Doubles: Brandin Smith & Tyler Agosto def. Crane & Ribail 6-4, 6-2
- · Girls' Singles: Areielle White def. Samantha Dowers 6-3, 6-2; Tanya Ang lost to Emily Allen 6-4, 6-2

the 85-foot throw.

#### Vs. Liberty Bell

- · Boys' Singles: Dan Campobasso lost to Carlos Perez 6-1,6-1; Brandin Smith lost to Jesse Schultz 6-0, 6-0; Corbin Wilder lost to Stoney Hulon
- Boys' Doubles: Edmond Fenton & Tyler Agosto lost to Daniel Sonnichsen & F Rickenbaugh 6-0, 6-1; Isaiaj Baty & Jordon Charles lost to Josh Frey & D.J. Holey 6-4,6-2. Girls' Singles: Holly Carriere lost to Tulie Budiselich 6-3,6-0; Areielle White defeted Erin Frey 6-1,6-4; Harmony Witten defeated Sylvia Leduc
- · Girls: Doubles: Tanya Ang & Hannah Williams lost to Erin Frey & Logan Butler 7-6(8-6), 6-2; Mary Clark & Tanya Ang lost to Grayson Alexander

vs Pateros

· Boys' Singles: Dan Campobasso defeated Jorge Caballero 6-2,6-4; Brandin Smith lost to Enrique Rojas 6-4,7-6(7-3); Tyler Agosto defeated Preston Garcia 6-2,7-6(7-3)

· Boys' Doubles: Dan Campobasso & Tyler Agosto lost to Enrique Rojas & Armondo Rojas 6-2,6-2; Tyler Agosto & Corbin Wilder defeated John Frey & D.J. Holey 9-8(7-5)

Girls' Singles: Holly Carriere lost to Emmalee Luft 6-1,6-1; Areielle White lost to Ireland Looper 1-6,6-4,6-3; Tanya Ang won by default against Julia Karkaainen

Girls' Doubles: Holly Carriere & Areielle White defeated Beatriz Morals & Chelsea Rios 7-5,6-2; Mary Clark & Hannah Williams lost to Anna Blackburn & Irish Easter 6-1,6-1; Tanya Ang & Hannah Williams lost ot Grayson Alexander & Logan Butler 8-3; Mary Clark & Jordan Charles lost to Da Sol Lee & Irish Easter

### Raider baseball win and lose

by John R. McNeil II

The Raiders pummeled Pateros out lost to Liberty Bell last week in two away baseball games. Lake Roosevelt came away

with a 10-run victory over the Billygoats in Pateros April 8. Trey Nicholson went four for

five with a grand slam and a three-run home run to drive in seven runs for LR.

Chance Garvin scored four LR

"We hit the ball well, but need to improve our defense," commented Head Coach Billy Nicholson on LR allowing the Billygoats to score eight runs in the victory.

Riding a two-game winning streak into the April 12 matchup with the Liberty Bell Mt. Lions at Liberty Bell the Raider bats fell

Taren Redstar hit one of three

and scored the only Raider run in

"We made too many mistakes to compete with league-leading Liberty Bell," Nicholson said.

Last night against Bridgeport, the Raiders hoped to reawaken the offense for rebound. On Saturday, the Raiders host Manson in a doubleheader starting at 11 a.m. on Greene Field.

LR trounced the Trojans at Manson March 25 by 20-9. The Trojans nabbed their first win of the season April 12 against the Oroville Hornets. Manson is second to last in the Central Washington 2B league ahead of White Swan by just one game.

**At Pateros** Raiders 18-Billygoats 8

At Liberty Bell Mt. Lions 7- Raiders 1

Raider Golf hosted its first home match of the season on April 10 at Banks Lake Golf Course.

golfers compete against Riverside Christian, so there is no team score for the event. Austin Rosenbaum was the

played 18 holes.

Rosenbaum continues to lead

18 hole match with a score of 99.

Madisyn Byam improved her score to 61 strokes for the nine holes played, and Mikel Friedlander finished right behind Byam with 62 strokes. The improved scores for the Raider girls still was not enough to overcome the Riverside Christian girls, who finished first and second on the

Raider golf looks to continue the positive improvement today at 2:30 p.m. at Banks Lake Golf Course as they take on the Oro-

Hall ran his 4x100 relay split in the 11-second

range, which gave him great confidence going into yesterday's meet. LR Track travelled to Davenport yesterday to take part in a Bi-County League meet. Lo-

In the shot put, Raider throwers complained

of an inordinately slick ring, which resulted

in shorter throws than expected. Nathaniel

Track competes at Brewster Relays

cal competition from Wilbur-Creston, Pateros, Republic, Mansfield, and Davenport were present. Panorama schools filled out the field. On Saturday LR will travel to Quincy for

the 15th Annual CliftonLarsenAllen Invita-

Field Events will start at 10:30 a.m. with track events beginning at 11:30 a.m. The competition for Saturday is steep with seven of the eight Caribou Trail League schools present. From the Central Washington League, there will be Manson, Oroville, Pateros, and Soap Lake. From the Bi-County: Lind-Ritzville/Sprague, Odessa-Harrington, and Wilbur Creston. Ephrata, Othello, and Toppenish will compete from the 2A Central Washington Athletic Conference.

### Golf splits with Riverside Christian

by John R. McNeil II

by John R. McNeil II

Lake Roosevelt had only three

only Raider boy at the match. He

the Raiders picking up his second medal of the season finishing the ville Hornets.

LR hits the road tomorrow to take on Manson at the Lake Chelan Golf Club for a 2:30 p.m.

Bovs' Medalist: Austin Rosenbaum. LR, 99 (18 holes). Noah Brown, RC, 100, Richie Hochrein, RC, 108.

Girls' Medalist: Sophia Tilley, RC, 49 (9 holes); Desiree Samuelsons, RC, 59; Madisyn Byam, LR, 61; Mikel Friedlander, LR, 62.

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### This week in sports

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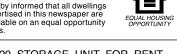






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#55676 Bay Area Dr NE, Electric City, Beautiful custom built 3 bedroom 2 bath home with the property set up for horses. The home was built in 2004 and has appr 1,700 square feet that is all on one level. Home has Vinyl lap siding, dimensional Comp 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

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#11 Grand Avenue, Electric City, Very Large 3 Bedroom 2 3/4 bath home in Electric City. Home has 1,775 s.f. on the main level plus another 1,775 s.f. in the full basement. Built in 1967, the home has Fireplace in LR, 2 pane windows, newer Dimensional Comp roof, Electric BB heat and wall AC, Covered patio with hot tub and fenced front and back yards. There is a large family room with bar and a full bath downstairs, plus tons of storage. There is an attached two car garage and the property is appr 120' wide by 100' deep or 12,000 s.f. all together and has a sprinkler system. List price is just \$184,500 with a \$5,000 buyer closing cost allowance

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 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



213 Electric Place, Electric City

213 Electric Place, Electric City, Here is a 3 Bedroom - 2 bath manufactured home on a corner lot in Electric City. Home is appr 1,050 square feet in size and has nice sized living room with vaulted Ceilings It also has Central Heat & Air Conditioning, metal siding and metal roof. There is a roomy fenced yard area and composite deck with awning for relaxing during spring, summer or fall. Detached garage/shop is almost 700 s.f. and there is lots of off street parking. Property is approximately 9,900 square feet in size. List price is \$84,900.

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 T1-11 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 just \$119,500

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### C'est La Vie

by Frankie Delano

Hello again. Or. Hi v'all! Yes. it's me, Frankie Delano, back at The Star after a hiatus of about six months with no shopping and junking news to crow about and a very long stretch without any yard or garage sales in the Coulee, except for a pre-holiday sale in the former Grand Coulee Liquor Store; and in January, I happened upon an indoor/outdoor unadvertised sale at a downriver home near Elmer City.

For some reason, Black Beauty, the Delano pickup truck, refused to drive past that January sale, probably because the driver, I, caught a glimpse of tables loaded with stuff and a couple of shoppers bent over those tables in what I call the "hunch mode," which means: with legs and feet in a firm stance (just in case, a shopper tries to push you out of your spot at the heap) you lean forward hunching your shoulders to maximize your reach and with arms outstretched, you let your hands do what hands do best in the hunch-mode, handle all kinds of merchandise with finesse. So, at the next sale that you go to, practice the hunch-mode. It works.

What can I say? The piles blowing in the wind at that Elmer City sale were a familiar and comforting sight, a calling of sorts, so I made my way up the long driveway for a look-see. Was it worth the stop? Of course! Where else could a yard sale fanatic find a half-dozen nearly new beach towels for 50 cents each.

The annual shopping and junking season in the Coulee is on its way as of last Saturday with two

sales, both held in Grand Coulee, and one advertised as an estate sale. A crowd of 30 or more shoppers gathered outside the fenced yard on Partello St., waiting for the 9 a.m. opening while eyeballing the stuff set out on several tables, on the grounds and inside a garage. Before 10 a.m., about two-thirds of the hundreds of household items on sale were gone. Frankie D. took a look at a savvy shopper's find: an old carpenter's tool box, made of wood with an interior hand tool box and some old stuff like pencils and railroad booklets out of Boston, Mass. and dated 1929. The price of that treasure was a \$1.50. Such a deal. Plus, I only saw a couple of shoppers in the hunch mode, both of them had long reaches too.

Let's move on. When this column appears in The Star, you'll find some new and different tidbits to ponder, digest and, hopefully, find entertaining. Why, you ask? Here's the thing. Frankie D. has had an epiphany, not really suddenly, and not a flash-in-thepan intuition, but more like a three-way light bulb, from 50, 100, and at its brightest 150 watts, so join me next time when we will explore some of the "going's on" here in the Coulee and more.

And finally, a question. What is a hyper-miler? I have seen a few slowpoke drivers in the Coulee but not many. I wonder what living in the Coulee would be like if quite a few hyper-milers moved here and took over the roadways. I'll be back to explain about "hyper-miling" and how it we might make it work for us with the summer season just around the cor-

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a public workshop will be held by the Electric City Planning Commission beginning at 7:00 p.m. on April 29, 2014 at the Electric City Hall, 10 Western Avenue, Electric City, Washington, to receive public input regarding the size of accessory buildings to be built larger than 850 square feet in Residential

The public is encouraged to attend and comment or submit comments in writing to City of Electric City, PO Box 130, Electric City, WA 99123. We ask if you would please call 633-1510 and let us know if you are planning on attending. We may change the location of the meeting due to a large turnout. Please call or go to our web site electriccity.us

for possible workshop site change. City Hall is accessible to persons with disabilities.

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### TOWN OF ELMER CITY SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE PASSED

#### **ORDINANCE 343**

An Ordinance of the Town of Elmer City, Washington adopting a Franchise Agreement with Falcon Video Communications, LP, locally known as Charter Communications, and authorizing the Mayor to sign such Franchise Agreement on behalf of the Town of Elmer City. (Publish April 16, 2014)

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#### **Grand Coulee Police**

4/7 - Plant Protection advised police that a boom truck was blocking the highway near Riley Point. The driver told police that he thought the truck was out of gas and someone was getting fuel for the truck.

- A man living on Goodfellow in Electric City advised police that he thought someone had tried to get into his house by jimmying the door. The man fixed the door.

- A man on Lewis Street reported that someone had smashed his Mercedes Benz with a log about 24 inches long. Several windows had also been smashed. He asked that a woman he suspected be banned from his property. The man was advised to report to police if the woman came to his property again.

4/8 - Police were called for assistance in a domestic dispute incident in Lakeview Terrace. Police found the woman had fled and those still inside the residence refused to answer the door. When a Lincoln County officer arrived the incident was turned over to him.

- A boy on a bicycle who told police that he was looking for antlers on Bureau of Reclamation property was asked to leave, and he did.

- The man on Lewis Street who reported that someone had damaged his Mercedes told police that someone had entered his travel trailer. He said nothing was missing and he told police that he went to a woman's house where the occupant was warned to stay away from his property.

4/9 - A man told police that a strange light was seen on the coulee wall from his position at Osborne Bay. He said he thought it might have been a plane crash or meteorite.

4/10 - Police raced to the Grant County Mental Health office when a panic button had been pressed. The patrolman found three people inside, one a new employee who was unaware of the panic button.

4/10 - Two men who were attempting to sell meat from the back of their truck in Electric City were told by police that they couldn't operate without a license. They had previously been to city hall but didn't secure a license.

-Police found a black computer bag with a laptop and a baseball cap in the middle of the intersection near Burkin Boulevard. They are holding the items at police headquarters.

4/11 - A man on "A" Street told police that someone had stolen four batteries worth about \$500 from his property.

Workmen operating contractor's prepakt grout equipment, during pumping of grout in prepakt areas as the bagse of the right training wall as follows: top, two double drum grout mixers; center, two F.S. Simplex pumps and bottom, four triplex groupt pumps with hose connections. This work is being performed by the Pacific Bridge Company, contractor, as part of its contract for the repair of the spillway bucket section of Grand Coulee Dam. — March 1949 A man driving on 2nd Street who wasn't wearing his seat belt was stopped and cited

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- A man who called in to report that his wife was drunk and driving was cited for making a false report to police. Police had located the man's wife and found that she wasn't drunk.

4/12 - Police were asked to check on a man who reportedly wanted to end his life and found that he was asleep at his Burdin Boulevard residence and was OK.

- A man staying at Grand Coulee Motel reported that his boat had been prowled and four fishing poles and a lot of tackle was taken. He said the loss was about

- A couple was stopped by police on the 500 kv yard access road where the driver stated that he'd been looking for the Crown Point overlook, realized he was on the wrong road and was seeking a place to turn around. The officer gave him proper directions.

- A patrolman was called to Safeway where he found an intoxicated, bare-footed woman who said she'd had an argument with her boyfriend. She said she needed a ride home and the officer gave her a ride home.

- Police were called to the Wolf's Den Bar, where they could hear loud music coming from the establishment and see several people leaving the bar. While leaving, two people fell down. Police had been to the bar earlier when the officer advised the bartender that a report would be forwarded to the Liquor Control Board.

4/13 - Police found the door to a business open and secured the premises.

- Police got a call to a domestic violence incident through dispatch, but upon investigation found that the call was for Ephrata, not Grand Coulee.

- Police went to a residence on Fortuyn Road after getting a report of domestic violence. A woman there told police that an intoxicated man had slapped her. The officer couldn't verify this and the woman packed her bag and left, saying she would return to get the rest of her things. She had been living with the man for the past three years.

· Police had some tourists from California delete pictures of the guard shack at the top of the dam from their camera. The three tourists were 69, 69 and 73 years old.

- An officer stopped a vehicle because of a faulty headlamp and later gave the man a ticket for not wearing his seatbelt.

### It's WSU master gardener volunteer week

Good

Gardening

By Gayle Swagerty

**Master Gardener and** 

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Washington Gov. Jay Inslee, has proclaimed the week of April 13-19, 2014 as Washington State University Master Gardener Volunteer Week. The program, which is celebrating its 41st year of service, was begun in the state of Washington as a result of expanding interest in gardening in rapidly growing urban areas. Today the horticulture "master" volunteer concept is so effective it has spread throughout the United

States and several provinces in Canada.

The initial training curriculum, which was developed by the area extension agents incollaboration with Western Washington

Resource and Extension Center education specialists in Puyallup, included culture of ornamental plants, lawns, and fruit; control of plant diseases, insects and weeds, and safe use of pesticides. In the spring of 1973 the first training sessions took place in King County and Pierce County. Later that year training was provided by the Horticulture Extension agent in Spokane, making the program a statewide endeavor.

Today there are nearly 4,000 master gardeners across the state, staffing plant clinics in 105 communities and 171 locations. Each master gardener receives approximately 60 hours of training and volunteers a minimum of 50 hours as a community educator in his or her community, extending the service of the university to more than 500,000 people each year. Master Gardener Volunteers teach local community members about managing their gardens and landscapes in a sustainable

manner. They emphasize environmental priorities, such as water conservation and water quality protection. In addition, Master gardener volunteers encourage reducing the impact of invasive species and work to increase public awareness of healthy living through gardening.

Master gardeners also enhance communities through demonstration gardens and donation of produce to local food banks. They help

> low-income citizens learn to grow their own food and become more self-sufficient.

As a master gardener, I would love to hear from you about any problems

and successes in your gardening endeavors. With the combined resources from other master gardener volunteers and WSU Extension research, we can usually find answers to your questions. This summer I will be at the Saturday's Market in Grand Coulee, along with a new master gardener trainee, Arrow Coyote, on the first Saturday of each month.

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## Eight-second technique

World-famous bull rider and Grand Coulee hometown boy Shane Proctor demonstrates technique to young would-be PBR stars at his annual clinic in Nespelem April 8. — Joaquin Bustamante photo



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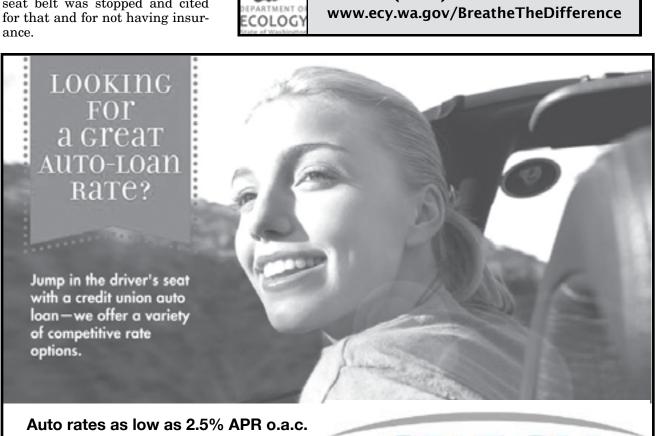
#### BE THE DIFFERENCE, **BREATHE** THE DIFFERENCE.

Breathing smoke from burning leaves and wood is dangerous to your health and your neighbor's health.

Burning isn't allowed in Urban Growth Areas. Illegal burning can result in a **\$10,000 fine.** Alternatives to burning include chipping or composting yard waste, or you can take it to a transfer station.

Burning garbage & burning anything in burn barrels is **illegal**. Call 1-800-RECYCLE or visit us on the web.

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