

## Lake Wenatchee Fire & Rescue Chief Lamar responds to criticism by Hill Street LLC

SUBMITTED BY LAKE WENATCHEE FIRE & RESCUE CHIEF MICK LAMAR

The number of residents and the demand for fire and rescue services has grown dramatically over the last ten years and is expected to grow even faster in the future. Lake Wenatchee Fire & Rescue's existing facilities will not be adequate to handle the projected growth.

As a result, LWFR began talks with the Cascade School District in 2017 regarding purchasing a parcel of land owned by the school district that conjoins our property on Beaver Valley Road. The property sits behind the Beaver Valley Elementary School off Hill Street.

LWFR is interested in purchasing the property because it is centrally located, shares a common border with our existing facility, is relatively flat, has water and power available, and may be offered for considerably less than smaller properties that would need to be developed.

LWFR has been very open about our plans. We held a joint public meeting with the school district, held private meetings with those who could be most impacted, answered numerous written questions, and provided documents as requested. We have also offered public input on the design process of new facilities. However, we do not intend to design a facility before we have a place to put it.

A small group opposed to this acquisition has begun a campaign of misinformation that we feel is necessary to address. A small group opposed to the acquisition has been campaigning against the sale of the land and has made some misleading statements on their website and in the local paper. Contrary to the misleading information:

- LWFR is not asking taxpayers for additional funds to acquire the land.

- LWFR has no plans to use the site for a regional training center with dormitories. We do envision a facility similar to the Leavenworth Fire Station except we will not be conducting training burns at the site. This facility has a training room, office spaces, apparatus bays, cooking areas, and sleeping areas for resident firefighters. The training room could be used by the community for meetings or more importantly a temporary shelter during emergencies.

- LWFR has not expressed a desire to build a jail or holding cell nor has the Sheriff approached us about a jail. We are planning to include a small office for the Sheriff personnel who patrol our area. The community has expressed the desire to have a more vis-

ible police presence in our neighborhoods.

- LWFR has assured those with concerns that emergency response will continue to be primarily off the Beaver Valley

station, but now appear to be opposed to expanding the fire station. It is reminiscent of building next to an airport and then complaining about aircraft noise.

are contributors to the growth that is fueling the increase in emergency services here in the Upper Valley.

Another interesting fact is that they incorrectly state that the fire district will raise taxes to purchase the land, but they proposed a "parks and recreation" tax to fund their proposal to develop a park on the property. However, when soccer fields were proposed on the site, they opposed them as well.

Included in their opposition is a statement that "they" don't think we should fight fires on federal lands. The cohesive strategy for fighting fires anywhere in the United States is the closest available resources get on it quickly before it gets out of hand. Anyone who has lived here knows that firefighters from all over the country including privateers, federal, state, career and volunteers have come here to help protect us from catastrophic fires. They have come to help us and we will go to help them.

Those of you who have lived here or have visited here over a period of time see the changes that are occurring.



Photo courtesy LWFR

LWFR Chief Mick Lamar responds to the recent article in the Echo about the Hill Street group forming an LLC.

Road access.

- LWFR has publicly indicated that until development on that site is needed the land may be open to public use and Cascade School activities.

- LWFR currently performs and will continue to perform maintenance on their ve-

A few of these same neighbors have stated things like:

- Go buy the POT FARM and build your station by "those" people.

- Can't you see how much money we have spent on "our" homes?

- We would rather have a

## Red Bull World Championships



Photo by Ian Dunn

A Red Bull World Championship Pump Track race was held in Leavenworth on May 23. Riders from around the country participated with a chance to qualify for the world championships. Here, a rider catches some air around the track.

hicles inside a maintenance shop. Having a local shop with trained mechanics allows taxpayers to save dollars and helps keeps the vehicles in a more available status. In addition, we have an agreement with Cascade Medical to service their ambulances. We are not planning any outdoor maintenance facilities.

The existing Fire Station on Beaver Valley Road was the first structure on that block of land. People in the Hill Street area built their homes next to an existing school and fire

middle school there, it would be less intrusive.

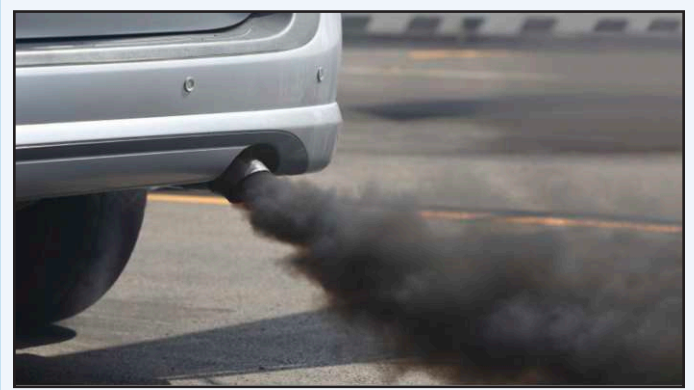
- You firefighters are going to pay a deep price for supporting this!

- We will never support you owning this property; we are going to fight you at every step!

It seems ironic that some of the opponents who profess to keep Plain "rural" own multiple homes in the area, rent their homes to vacationers, or are involved in businesses that bring thousands of people to our valley every year. They

Volunteer firefighters are becoming harder to train, equip, retain, and the costs of meeting these needs is skyrocketing. Volunteers used to receive limited classroom and practical training; now they must attend a regional academy with practical and written exams. They are expected to obtain the same training as career firefighters. Eventually, this area will require seasonal, residents or career firefighters to meet the community's needs. In order to provide

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File photo

A proposed new ordinance in Leavenworth would fine those motorists, mostly buses, which idles for long periods of time in residential neighborhoods.

## City to crack down on vehicle idling in neighborhoods

BY IAN DUNN  
EDITOR

Big buses idling for hours on local streets are about to become a thing of the past. City officials are taking steps to crack down on vehicle idling in neighborhoods.

"During the study session, a concern was raised about buses idling in the residential neighborhoods. Staff was looking at our regulations realizing we don't have anything that would help that condition or curtail idling," said Development Manager Nathan Pate, at the May 22 city council meeting. "There are some RCWs that deal with it, but local regulation that allows a little more control is a good idea. Idling does lot of things. This particular regulation has rules about idling and also what is exempt from those rules."

Driving people around, picking people up from buses.. those are basically exempt, Pate said. This proposed ordinance is meant to prohibit those buses that sit on the street idling to heat or cool the bus.

"Those add lots of toxic materials into the atmosphere and the noise is problematic," Pate said. "This prohibition says if you have a vehicle idling more than five minutes, you are subject to a fine. We're probably moving away from a civil infraction. In the penalty, it would be a ticket issued by Pacific Patrol."

Councilman Elmer Larsen said the school buses idling for long periods should be subjected to the same requirements. Mayor Cheri Kelley Farivar said it is not just buses, but also pickup trucks and semis.

This is a vehicle in the street, not private property. If someone is working on their car on private property, they are exempt. Councilwoman Sharon Waters asked where the five minutes came from?

Pate said his first regulation was one minute.

"I took a look at the times across various states. It varies from zero to 15 minutes. One minute is probably too tight, but five minutes is close enough to be enforceable. State law actually for idling is you can't idle a vehicle, public or private space, and not be in the vehicle," Walinski said.

Waters said she went around and talked to bus drivers, who said they like to idle for about 15 minutes every three hours. The buses are idling so it is warm when the people come

back. Waters wondered if five minutes was enough time.

"I believe that it is. Whether it is long enough to warm up the bus is not our concern, so much as whether or not the fumes spewed out during that period of time are excessive for our neighborhoods. I think that is the key point," Farivar said.

The other thing you have to look at is enforcement, Walinski said.

"If you go the 15 minutes, it could be up to a half-hour. It is at five minutes, the maximum amount of time might be 10 minutes," Walinski said.

Larsen asked how this would affect Link Transit. Pate said transit services are exempt.

"Let's say, Christmas Lighting and a bus is parked outside a home idling. Who does the timing? Can a homeowner start filming with their iPhone and that five minutes starts then? Or does that start when Pacific Security shows up on the scene?," said Councilman Clint Strand.

It starts when Pacific Patrol arrives, Pate said, because the investigator has to witness it. Strand wondered if a \$500 fine would be enough.

Since the city is moving away from the civil component, Pate said the fine is probably going to be between \$25 and \$50 or maybe lower. Farivar said the ticket is issued to the driver not the company.

"These are similar to the parking citations that Pacific Patrol issues for overtime parking, so they are processed through the city. This would not be a ticket issued by the Chelan County Sheriff's Office," Walinski said.

Waters said she was concerned the older buses would need to idle longer to warm up.

"Again, we're trying to curtail the emissions. Maybe they need to get a better bus," Pate said.

Local resident Sharon Rucker said she lives on the corner of Benton and Ski Hill Drive.

"Every Christmas Lighting, every weekend, there are the big buses sitting there idling for hours, so much so, that my closed house smells like diesel," Rucker said. "It's not old buses. It's not something that needs a long time to heat up. They are sitting there bored and they don't want to be cold. Thank you so much for doing this. I am so excited."

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## Fire department: Second lowest funded fire district in county

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housing, store apparatus, and provide training facilities we will need to increase our footprint.

Acquiring this parcel cen-

trally located, conjoined to existing property and a buildable site will reduce taxpayer expenses at the time of development. It will also be large enough to increase setbacks, build screening (to address

impact issues) and leave space available for public use. It will also allow a large enough parcel to jointly address the need for a refuge or community meeting space.

We are the second lowest

funded fire district in the county at 0.61 cents per \$1,000 and dropping. We strive to be good neighbors, good stewards of your tax dollars, and be transparent about our actions. Those opposed to us acquiring

the land would like to portray us as none of those. Their desire for us to design a station and then acquire the property. This is neither feasible nor economical.

## City's highway crosswalk project to cost a jaw-dropping, \$622,453

By IAN DUNN  
EDITOR

Three crosswalk projects planned for this summer will cost \$622,453. Two of the crosswalks will be the HAWK (High-Intensity-Activated-crossWalk) system, which connects the crosswalks to the signal lights. One HAWK will be placed outside city hall, replacing the current flashers. The other HAWK will be at the crosswalk near Gustavs. The flasher removed the crosswalk near city hall will be relocated by the Link Transfer Station.

Funding is through the Pedestrian Bicycle Safety Program, through the Washington State Department of Transportation. Bids will be open for three weeks.

"The final plans have been submitted, but it has not been officially approved. We're trying to do this to expedite it so it goes out to bid when we get the approval. Cost is approximately \$622,453. \$466,100 of State Grant Funding and

\$156,353 of city funds via the Transportation Benefit District," said City Public Works Director Herb Amick, at the May 22 council meeting.

City Administrator Joel Walinski said there are three steps.

"This is the third time the WSDOT has reviewed. Unlike the city, the state gets multiple reviews. We believe we're in a good spot to have that review approved. Then, the next step is the allocate the funding for construction," Walinski said. "There is office the central office that comes in. We're hoping a two or three week period. If it happens prior to that, we'll notify you it is out to bid. It is a three week bid process."

Councilman Elmer Larsen expressed concerns this project would be going out to bid during the construction season, which typically drives up the cost.

"If this was a road project, I would probably suggest you wait until the end of the

year or first part of the year because that's when the road projects are typically bid. This project itself is electrical construction. One of the big expenses is purchasing the equipment," Walinski said.

There are only a few contractors that do this sort of work, Mayor Cheri Kelley Farivar said, which means they can go out to bid soon.

The price is shocking, Larsen said.

"I thought we could do this one (at city hall) for \$35,000. It turned out to be \$135,000," Farivar said.

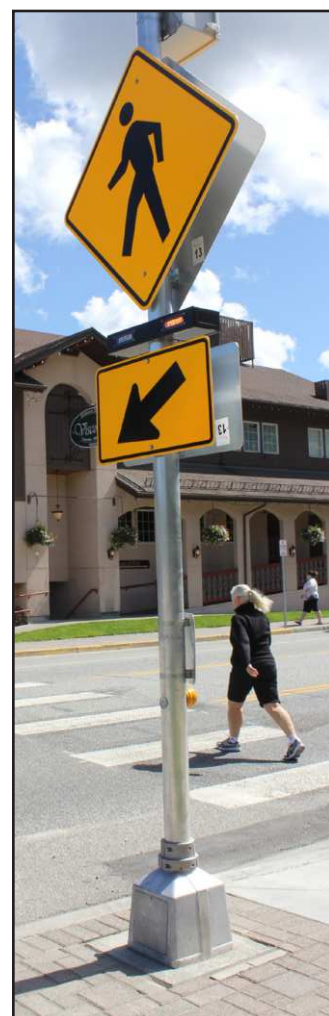
Walinski said to remember, they are doing three crosswalks not just one. The number reason for the cost is the HAWK system is more expensive that the rapid flasher the city has been using.

"Those are almost expensive as a regular traffic signal on a typical corner, because of the type of structure, which does come out onto the road," Walinski said. "The other piece is we are trying to connect to the other signals electronically, so everything is interconnected. That is probably the number one thing that drives the price."

Number two, because this is a state highway, the standard or specifications have to pick up with a lot more traffic.

"You're temporary traffic control is a little more expensive. The fact the demolition of the site, taking down what is out there and replacing it,"

Walinski said. "When you replace what is going in new, that is more expensive."



File photo

The new HAWK crosswalks would be at city hall and outside Gustavs. A flasher crosswalk will be installed at the Link Transit station area.

Another factor is the city is also putting in pedestrian level street lights at each of the intersections.

"You not only have the high-

way light that lights up the road, but also there will be a pedestrian light. It will show people standing there waiting to cross the road. In the fall of the year and winter time, people are coming out of the darkness," Walinski said. "Those are things that really drove the price upwards."

The price is still staggering, costing even more than street projects.

"We're resurfacing Commercial Street and Whitman Street. That project is about \$120,000 less than the three crosswalks," Walinski said.

Local resident Matt Cade said he went back to look and see how the crosswalk lights would coordinate with the WSDOT traffic lights.

"I've tried to figure out how that coordination works. My concern is this new crosswalk is going to have a stop. I'm concerned about people that won't want to wait. The pedestrians are crossing at non-crosswalks, which everyone has done at one time or another," Cade said.

Amick said the HAWK crosswalks will function much light the traffic light crosswalks.

"It is a single light so it will flash yellow first, indicating that traffic is going to stop, then give commands for the pedestrians to cross. That will be synched with the traffic light. The concern was with the flashing beacons, because you can cross on demand," Amick said. "This will make the pedestrians wait until it is coordinated with the light."

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**3 p.m., Design Review Board,** City Hall, Sue Cragun 548-5275 (2nd & 4th Tues.)  
**6:30 p.m., Leavenworth City Council** meeting, City Hall, Joel Walinski 548-5275 (2nd & 4th Tues.)

## AA Meeting Schedule

**Information numbers for AA:**

509-548-1627, 548-4522, 664-6469, 425-773-7527, 206-219-3379

**Sunday, 9 a.m.,** Leavenworth Senior Center, 423 Evans St.

**Sunday, 7 p.m.,** Leavenworth Senior Center, 423 Evans St.

**Tuesday, noon,** First Baptist Church, 429 Evans St.

**Tuesday, 7 p.m.,** United Church of Christ, 8455 Main Street, Peshastin

**Wednesday, 7 p.m.,** Leavenworth Senior Center, 423 Evans St.

**Thursday, noon,** Kristalls Restaurant, 280 US-Hwy.2, Leavenworth

**Friday, 7:30 p.m.,** Plain Community Church, 12565 Chapel Dr., Plain

**Information number for Alanon: 509-548-7939**

**Alanon Meeting Schedule:**

**Monday, 7 p.m.,** United Methodist Church, 418 Evans St.

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**June 07, Thursday:** Mac & cheese with ham or bacon, peas, tossed green salad, strawberries & bananas, bran muffin, & dessert.

**June 08, Friday:** Country fried steak, potatoes & gravy, green beans, garden salad, chilled peaches, WW bread or roll, & dessert.

**June 11, Monday:** Fish, wild rice, trio vegetables, Waldorf salad, chilled peaches, garlic bread, & dessert.

**June 12, Tuesday:** Roast beef, potatoes and gravy, mixed vegetables, tossed veggie salad, WW bread or roll, & fruit cobbler.

**June 13, Wednesday:** Crunchy chicken salad, potato salad, pickled beets, WW roll, strawberry shortcake.

**Events Calendar**

Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 10:30 a.m., **Gentle Exercise**

Tuesday, 9:00 a.m., **Leavenworth Area Seniors' Council Board meeting**

Tuesday, 1:00-3:00 p.m., **Crafts**

Thursday, 1:00-3:00 p.m., **Square Dancing**

Thursday, 6:30-7:30 p.m., **Bavarian Dancing**

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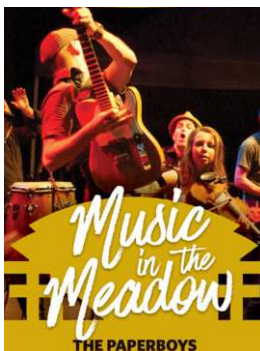
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## Community Calendar

### Wednesday, June 06

**8:30 a.m., Aerobics, 8:30 a.m.,** Plain Community Church, \$1 fee Mon./Wed./Fri. 763-3621.

**8:30 to 10 a.m., Play and Learn Group,** Peshastin Head Start. Cheby Ledesma. 548-7614.

**8:30 a.m., Prostate Cancer Awareness & Support Group** meets at Kristall's. David McIntyre, MD, 206-954-4166 Every second Wed.

**6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m., Children and Youth program,** age 4-12th grade, Leavenworth Church of the Nazarene, 548-5292.

### Thursday, June 07

**8 a.m., Leavenworth Chamber of Commerce,** Kristall's Restaurant, Paula Helse, president. 548-5807. Everyone is invited to attend as a guest.

**6 p.m., Autumn Leaf Festival Board meeting.** Icicle Inn Resort, Lake Wenatchee Room. 505 Hwy. 2. Bill Forhan, president 670-1837.

**6:30 p.m., Leavenworth Lions Club,** Kristall's Restaurant, Joyce Stevens, president (509) 670-7527.

### Friday, June 08

**11:45 a.m., Leavenworth Rotary Club,** Kristall's, John Fishburne, president 509-679-2080.

### Monday, June 011

**8:30 a.m., Aerobics, Plain Community Church,** \$1 fee Mon./Wed./Fri., 763-3621.

**2 p.m., Chumstick Grange Hall,** Helen Kensrud, 782-4086.

**6:30 p.m. The Upper Valley Free Clinic** evaluates urgent health needs; Dental consultation is available the 1st Mon. of the month. Contact Upper Valley MEND for inquiries: 548-0408.

**6:30 p.m. Young Life Club Monday Nights.** All high school age students welcome. TJ Kaapuni 509-679-3247.

**7 p.m. Cascade School board meeting** at the District office board room.

### Tuesday, June 12

**8 a.m., I.P.I.D. Meeting,** Anthony "Toni" Jantzer - 782-2561, Wescott Dr. Cashmere.

**11 a.m., Leavenworth People with Parkinson's Disease Support Group,** Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 10170 Titus Road, 11:00 a.m., contact Katherine Degel (206) 356-4288 or Judi Little (425) 870-2089.

**Noon, Upper Valley Women's Bible Study** at King Ludwig's, Delores Hall, 548-7803.

**1 p.m., Cascade Education Foundation,** Board Room at Cascade District office, Ken West, 670-1729.

**7 p.m. - 8 p.m., Paint 'n' Sip** with Karen Hartman, at Gustav's \$40 includes the tax and all painting supplies. No talent needed for this one!

### Ongoing events

**Leavenworth Public Library, Mon. - Wed., 9 to 6; Thursday 9 to 8, Fri. 9 to 6.** Closed on weekends and Holidays. **Baby story time, Tuesdays 11:30 a.m.** Preschool story time, **Tuesday's 1:30 p.m.** Call 548-7923.

**Peshastin Public Library, Mon. 2 p.m. - 6 p.m., Tues., Thurs., Fri 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.; Wed., 9-2 p.m.** with Story Time **10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.** preschool and toddlers. **548-7821. Tuesdays 2:30 p.m. - 3:15 p.m.** Cuentos en Espanol - Stories and crafts in Spanish and English. Closed weekends.

**Upper Valley Museum, Thurs. - Sat. 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. and Sun. 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.** 347 Division St., 548-0728.

**Leavenworth Fish Hatchery, 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., daily 548-7641.**

### Regional events

**Tue. & Thur. 1 to 4 p.m., SCORE** (small business counseling), Wenatchee Valley Chamber of Commerce, 2 S. Chelan St., Wenatchee call for appointment, 888-2900.

**3:30 p.m., Cascadia Conservation District Board Meeting** in the Upstairs Conference Room at the Wenatchee World Building, 14 N. Mission St., Wenatchee. For more information, call the District at 436-1601. (3rd Thurs. Meeting room changes each month)

**1 to 4 p.m., Master Gardener Clinic,** WSU Chelan/Douglas County Master Gardener Plant Clinic, 1100 N. Western Ave., Wenatchee. 667-6540, 1 - 4 p.m.

**Some meetings or events may be rescheduled. Please check with the organization about the time.**

needed. For more information or scheduling an appointment, call 1-800-Red-Cross (1-800-733-2767). (e21,22,23)

### Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program

Scheduled locally from 9-10 a.m. on June 8 at the Leavenworth Senior Center, 423 Evans St. All voucher distributions are open to seniors 60 and over and is on a first come, first serve basis. Participants must attest that they are age 60 or over, with income at or below 185 percent of the Federal Poverty Level and are current residents of Washington state. Bring in your Washington State Photo Driver's License or your Washington State Photo Identification Card so that we can verify your age and residency. Call 509-886-0700 ext. 235 or by e-mail at [wrightka@dshs.wa.gov](mailto:wrightka@dshs.wa.gov). (e21,22,23)

### Historical Walking Tours of Leavenworth

The Upper Valley Museum will be sponsoring a Downtown Historical Walking Tour on Saturday, June 9. The Tour begins at the Upper Valley Museum, 347 Division St., at 10 a.m. The tour is 1-2 hours on flat ground and is about two miles long. There is a donation fee of \$5. Everyone is encouraged to wear good walking shoes. Call 548-0728 for more information. (e22,23)

### UV M.E.N.D. needs refrigerator

The Community Cupboard in Leavenworth is in need of a refrigerator with no freezer. Please contact Bob Mark,

Upper Valley MEND, Community Cupboard. Call 548-0408 or 548-6727. (e23,24)

### Leavenworth Summer Theater needs specialty piano forte

The Theater has need of two specialty instruments for this summer productions that might be sitting around at your home or attic. For Little Women, the Musical the Theater is in need of a period "Piano Forte" or a square piano. These instruments were popular at the time of "Little Women." LST is also looking for a Victrola for My Fair Lady. It does not have to work, LST just needs the box and horn. If you can help, please give the theater a call at 548-7324. (e23,24)

### Library Collecting Used Books

The pickup truck collecting used books for the Friends of the Leavenworth Library Fall Book Sale will return to the City Hall parking lot during the Farmers' Market on Thursday evenings from 4-8 p.m., starting June 7. Please know we cannot accept encyclopedias, old text books, Reader's Digest condensed books or magazines. Do you need help moving those books? Call Kirsten at 548-7018. (e23,24)

### Boy Scout Father's Day Pancake Breakfast

Boy Scout Troop 28 in Leavenworth is having it's annual Father's Day Pancake Breakfast, Sunday, June 17 at the Lions Club Park next to City Hall in Leavenworth. Hours are 7-11 a.m. We look forward to serving you. (er23,24)

### Leavenworth Lions Club Community Breakfast

The Leavenworth Lions Club is holding a community breakfast this Saturday, June 9, 7:30 to 11 a.m., in the Lions Club Park. All-You-Can-Eat pancakes, eggs cooked to order, sausage, coffee, tea, and milk. Only \$7 for adults, \$3.50 for children 4-10, free for children under 4, free for active military with ID. Come enjoy a hearty breakfast and visit with your local community members. Purchase a Punch Card for \$39 from any Lion member or at the breakfasts. It is good for six adult breakfasts. Free parking for breakfast is next door at the City Hall lot. For more information, Joyce Stevens, 670-7527. (e23)

### Leavenworth community growth mitigation meeting

Leavenworth community growth mitigation meeting is Thursday, June 7 at 6:45 p.m., held at River Bend Park, 11623 River Bend Drive. Public meeting providing community updates on traffic, environment and safety, as well as walking tour of new proposed development plans in field behind Safeway (Willkommen Village). Park at Marsons, and bring lawn chair, sweater, and walking shoes. More information at 509-293-9919. (e23)

### Cashmere

#### American Red Cross Blood Drive

An American Red Cross Blood Drive is scheduled for 12:30 to 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, June 6 at Cashmere United Methodist Church, 213 South Division St. Appointments are encouraged. Call 1-800-733-2767 for an appointment. Sponsored by Wacoka Kiwanis Club of Cashmere. (er23)

### Regional

#### Shake, Rattle and Rebound

Our speaker, Sandi Doughton, is the award-winning science-writer for the Seattle Times and author of Full Rip 9.0: The Next Big Earthquake in the Pacific Northwest. She notes, "Over the past three decades, geologists have re-examined earthquake risk in the Pacific Northwest. Thanks to their work, we now know the region faces more powerful and a greater variety of earthquakes than even quake-prone California. But what are we doing to get ready? Wenatchee Valley Erratics Chapter of the Ice Age Floods Institute will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday, June 12 at the Wenatchee Valley Museum, 127 South Mission. The program is free and open to the public. (er23,24)

#### Wenatchee Area Genealogical Society

The Wenatchee Area Genealogical Society will meet at 2 p.m., Monday, June 11 at the Douglas County PUD Auditorium, 1151 Valley Mall Parkway, East Wenatchee. We will show a webinar recording of nationally-known genetic genealogist Dr. Blaine Bettinger presenting "The first five things to do with new DNA test results." For more information, call 782-4046. Free and open to the public. (er23)

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# Time for the Wenatchee River Bluegrass Festival

SUBMITTED BY CINDY JACKSON

Kick start your bluegrass summer with the 16th Annual Wenatchee River Bluegrass Festival (WRBF), June 15, 16 and 17, featuring superstar bluegrass bands that will put the kick in your bluegrass start. The 16th Annual extraordinary line up goes like this....

Flatt Lonesome, is aptly described as a "bluegrass phenomenon," "tour de force" and "the real deal." This young band, in a seemingly short period of time, has accrued honors, nominations, awards and top charting songs, as well as repeat appearances on the Grand Ole Opry stage. They are, as their third album suggests, a "Runaway Train."

Alan Bibey & Grasstowne, is a band comprised of some of the most diversely talented and highly respected musicians in bluegrass and acoustic music. This makes Alan Bibey & Grasstowne one of the hottest and most energetic bands touring today, combining tradition with hard driving, progressive bluegrass.

The Special Consensus, is a long time, well known, highly respected, award winning bluegrass band. Lead by veteran banjo picker Greg Cahill since 1975, this band stands the test of time. Alumni of Special Consensus reads like a who's who, with some of the biggest names now in music, former members of this dynamic band.

The Kody Norris Show, SPBGMA 2018 nominee, gives a bluegrass fan one of the most solid, entertaining and animated performances they will ever experience. The performances of The Kody Norris

Show are reminiscent of traditional bluegrass artists, yet Kody brings his own special, distinct flair to the music.

Old Growth Quartet, is a regional band that delivers powerful harmony vocals with a repertoire of soulful acoustic music. Their unique vocal connection is the centerpiece of Old Growth Quartet. The band features an eclectic repertoire of traditional and original music with deep roots in bluegrass, country and folk, performed with real firepower.

Rusty Hinges Bluegrass, grew out of the bluegrass jam circles at local festivals. Their music is a blend of traditional and contemporary bluegrass and Americana. Each member is a veteran of the Pacific Northwest bluegrass scene. Their collective experience results in a musical program that is polished and entertaining.

Go ahead, kick start your June, with bluegrass delivered direct to you from the Wenatchee River Bluegrass Festival. Main Stage Shows begin at 4:15 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

For those of you not quite ready for the high speed jam sessions heard all over the grounds, our Slow Jam is the place to practice your chops and learn how to maneuver a jam session and maximize your enjoyment picking with other folks and meeting new bluegrass friends.

Step out and experience what it's like to perform in a band in our fun and relaxed Band Scramble.

To round out the festival experience, we have a team of young performers lead by Jake Monroe, signed on to instruct

our youth instrument workshops, Taylor's Camp. Taylor's Camp is designed to perpetuate the tradition of passing our bluegrass heritage to the next generation. For our Adult Instrument Workshops, learn some new tricks and tips to amuse and amaze even you, from the top notch musicians of our headliner bands.

Wake up Sunday with the Sunday Morning Gospel Show featuring Rusty Hinges Bluegrass, The Kody Norris Show and Special Consensus.

Main Stage Shows begin at 4:15 p.m. Friday and Saturday. We will have food and merchandise vendors available, for when you need some nourishment to keep going or a souvenir to take home with you as a reminder of all the fun and enjoyment.

Camping opens Monday, June 11 and is the best in a bluegrass community experience. Prices can be found on the website: [www.wenatcheeriverbluegrass.com](http://www.wenatcheeriverbluegrass.com). Thursday campers are invited to the Meet and Greet Luau. Just look for the Hawaiian camp.

The Wenatchee River Bluegrass Festival (WRBF) located at the Chelan County Expo Center, 5700 Wescott Ave, Cashmere, WA, is put on by the good folks of the Cashmere Community Concerts. Each year the WRBF brings new folks over the mountains to experience the beauty of our great region. A scenic drive through some of Washington's most breathtaking areas, it encompasses everything an outdoor enthusiast could want, hiking, mountain biking, bird watching, golf (several courses), fly fishing, mountain climbing and river rafting. For information on additional

## 2018 EVENT SCHEDULE

### THURSDAY JUNE 14<sup>th</sup>

3:15 p.m. - Slow Jam (Back Porch Stage)  
5:30 p.m. - Meet & Greet Luau/Potluck (Picnic Shelter in Campground)  
All Day & All Night - Camp Jam (Campground is a "Wristband Area Only")

### FRIDAY JUNE 15<sup>th</sup>

11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. - Taylor's Camp - First Half (Back Porch Stage)  
(Part 1 of a 2 day Instrument Workshop for Kids - Jake Monroe - Instructor)  
12 Noon - Band Scramble Pre-Registration Begins (Camp Registration Canopy)  
2:15 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. - Slow Jam (Back Porch Stage)

### EVENING SHOWS AT THE MARY STARR STAGE

4:15 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Old Growth Quartet  
5:15 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. The Kody Norris Show  
6:15 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Special Consensus  
7:15 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Alan Bibey & Grasstowne  
8:15 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Flatt Lonesome

9:30 p.m. - ??? Jam Time in the Campground (Campground is a "Wristband Area Only")

### SATURDAY JUNE 16<sup>th</sup>

8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. - Taylor's Camp - Final Half (Back Porch Stage)  
(Part 2 of the 2 day Instrument Workshop for Kids - Jake Monroe Instructor)

11:00 a.m. to 12 Noon - Instrument Workshops

12:15 p.m. to 1:15 p.m. - Youth Showcase Performance (Mountain Stage)

1:15 p.m. to 2:15 p.m. - Clawhammer Banjo Workshop w/ Marcus Smith (Flag Gazebo)

2:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. - Band Scramble (Mountain Stage)

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Taylor Camp Kids On Stage & TC Scholarship Awards  
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### SUNDAY JUNE 17<sup>th</sup>

GOSPEL SHOW AT THE MARY STARR STAGE - 10:00 a.m. to 12 Noon

Rusty Hinges  
The Kody Norris Show  
Special Consensus

Festival Closes Until 2019

4:00 p.m. - Campground Closes

~ This Schedule is Subject to Change ~

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## Council agrees to move forward with NNA Pinegrass property

BY IAN DUNN  
EDITOR

The Leavenworth City Council has agreed to move forward with the annexation of some property off Ski Hill Drive called NNA Pinegrass, owned by McDevitt Land Company, which is Jordan and Olivia McDevitt.

"This is the first step toward annexation. It's annexation of a relatively small area in a bigger parcel. The applicant is going through the process of doing a boundary line adjustment to create the lots so we have a clear boundary of the annexation area. It's not completed quite yet," said City Development Manager Nathan Pate, at the May 22 city council meeting. "This is 3.3 acres. This is a brand new road being developed called Pinegrass Street. It is currently zoned residential. The petitioner is asking for the first stage of the process."

Pate said if the council accepts the process for annexation, then stage two would be a public hearing. The first step is not an agreement for annexation, he said.

"The council may not agree this boundary is not acceptable for annexation. If that is acceptable, you move on. The council can also decide to change the zoning. The infrastructure necessary to support this property may be a question. We do talk to the council about making the infrastructure available for development," Pate said.

Right now, Pinegrass is a half-street. The recommendation from staff is to complete the street, he said. Plus, any water rights would be transferred to the city. Then, new city limits would be established.

Councilman Elmer Larsen asked if the development

would mirror those lots on the south side, which are RL6, meaning 6,000 square foot lots.

"They are RL6, 6,000 square foot lots. The Pinegrass subdivision lots varies a little from 6,000 to 7,000, depending on the configuration. I see straight rectangles. A surveyor sees all these lines and none of them match up. Very close to 6,000 square foot lots," Jordan McDevitt said.

Larsen said he was glad the new lots will match, because it makes it more of a neighborhood. Councilwoman Margaret Neighbors asked why the development doesn't extend all the way to Ski Hill. Mayor Cheri Kelley Farivar said there was a pump station in the way.

"That is part of the reason. It is a big site. If it were to be developed all at once, it would be difficult. It's too big for its own good in this small market. It needs to be developed in phases especially by somebody like me, who isn't a traditional developer with access to gobs of capital," McDevitt said. "It needs to go in logical steps. Half a street is a good place to start. Build the other half of the street."

McDevitt said he was fine with the terms of the annexation, noting he was not aware of any water rights on the site.

"This doesn't seem like a big deal, but getting the other half of that street is a big deal. We have places in town where we have half-streets going back to homes. That can happen. I appreciate the completion of that. It will make a neighborhood," Larsen said.

The council unanimously approved moving forward with the annexation.

Ian Dunn can be reached at 548-5286 or [editor@leavenworthecho.com](mailto:editor@leavenworthecho.com).

## Leavenworth Summer Theater Executive Director to retire

SUBMITTED BY DAVE NEIR,  
BOARD PRESIDENT, LEAVENWORTH  
SUMMER THEATER

On the eve of our 25-year celebration, it is with sincere appreciation and gratitude that we announce Susan Huffman will be retiring at the end of this summer from her position as Executive Director. The Board wishes to thank Susan for her 23 years of service first as a Board Member and for the past 21 years as Producer and Executive Director.

Under her direction, more than 20,000 people now experience magical moments at a Leavenworth Summer Theater production every year. Over the past two decades, Leavenworth Summer Theater has grown to become an "Outdoor Destination Theater" offering Professional Quality Family Oriented Musicals.

Her tireless devotion and commitment to the success of our theater family has been unwavering. Hundreds of children from our community have had the opportunity to experience performing live on stage during her tenure and many have blossomed

into professional careers in theater and related genres. Susan's dedication has also been to our thousands of volunteers, performers, musicians and staff who over the years have made every season and performance a joy to experience.

As Susan retires from her Executive Director role we look forward to her rejoining our Board of Directors in the near future with a focus on Donor Relations.



Photo submitted by LST Executive Director Susan Huffman



File photo  
Local judges, from left, John Ressler, Bill Wells and Nancy Smith, look over the entries in the Kids Nutcracker Making Contest.

## Kids Nutcracker Making Contest coming up

SUBMITTED BY DEB WATKINS

The Leavenworth Nutcracker Museum invites students to participate in the second Annual Kids Nutcracker Making Contest. This contest encourages creativity for students to design and build their own instrument to crack a nut.

Judging categories will be grades 1-to-6, 7-to-9, and 10-to-12 counting the school year just ending in June, 2018. This year, there will be three levels of prize money for the winning nutcracker creations for each

grade level; First Place: \$75, Second Place: \$50, Third Place: \$25. Judging will be held on July 7 at 10 a.m.

Kids are to use their own imagination to make an instrument that will crack a nut and enter it in our contest ending on Nutcracker Day, July 7. The entry has to be their own design and work, and it must be able to crack a hazelnut. Go to [www.nutcrackerday.com](http://www.nutcrackerday.com) for contest rules, some great ideas or to complete an online entry form. Call 509-548-4573 for questions.



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## Bicyclists come through Peshastin



Photo submitted by Tom Dark  
Bikers zoomed through Peshastin recently, just one of a number of biking events to come through town over the spring and summer. Last weekend, the Tour de Bloom came through the North Road to Peshastin.



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## PUBLIC NOTICES

## SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR CHELAN COUNTY

In the Matter of the Estate of **Pauline A. Morris**, Deceased.  
No. 18-4-00173-2  
**Nonprobate Notice To Creditors**  
RCW 11.42.030

The notice agent named below has elected to give notice to creditors of the above-named decedent. As of the date of the filing of a copy of this notice with the court, the notice agent has no knowledge of any other person acting as notice agent or of the appointment of a personal representative of the decedent's estate in the State of Washington. According to the records of the court as are available on the date of the filing of this notice with the court, a cause number regarding the decedent has not been issued to any other notice agent and a personal representative of the decedent's estate has not been appointed.

Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.42.070 by serving on or mailing to the notice agent or the notice agent's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the court in which the notice agent's declaration and oath were filed. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) Thirty days after the notice agent served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.42.020(2)(c); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.42.050 and 11.42.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets.

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The notice agent declares under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington on 18th day of May, 2018, at Wenatchee, Washington, that the foregoing is true and correct.

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## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

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## SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON

## FOR CHELAN COUNTY

In the Matter of the Estate of **Allan W. Shank**, Deceased.  
No. 18-4-00174-1  
**Probate Notice To Creditors**  
RCW 11.40.030

The personal representative named below has been appointed as personal representative of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the personal representative or the personal representative's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the Court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) Thirty days after the personal representative served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets.

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## SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR CHELAN COUNTY

In the Matter of the Estate of **Troy G. Johnson**, Deceased.

NO. 18-4-00129-5  
**Probate Notice To Creditors**

The Personal Representative named below has been appointed as Personal Representative of this estate. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.40.070 by serving on or mailing to the Personal Representative or the Personal Representative's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the court in which the probate proceedings were commenced. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) Thirty days after the Personal Representative served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.40.051 and 11.40.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets.

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COURT OF PROBATE PROCEEDINGS AND CAUSE NUMBER: Chelan County Superior Court, No. 18-4-00129-5

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## In The Superior Court Of The State Of Washington County of Chelan

In re a Parcel of Property at Lake Wenatchee, Chelan County Washington by **KAREN M. DICKINSON**, a single woman,

Petitioner,

vs.

ALL OTHER PERSONS OR PARTIES UNKNOWN CLAIMING ANY RIGHT, TITLE, ESTATE, LIEN, OR INTEREST IN THE REAL ESTATE DESCRIBED IN THE COMPLAINT HEREIN

Respondents.

NO. 18-2-00390-8

SUMMONS ON COMPLAINT TO QUIET TITLE (60 DAYS)

The STATE OF WASHINGTON to ALL OTHER PERSONS OR PARTIES UNKNOWN claiming any right, title, estate, lien, or interest in the real estate described in the Complaint herein:

You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty (60) days after the date of this publication of this summons, to wit,

within sixty days after the 9th day of May, 2018, and defend the above entitled action in the above entitled court, and answer the Complaint of Plaintiff Karen Dickinson, and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorneys for Plaintiff Karen M. Dickinson at their office below stated; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the Complaint, which has been filed with the clerk of said court. Plaintiff's claim is stated in the written Complaint for Quiet Title, a copy of which is filed with the clerk of the court. The request to quiet title affects the following real property:

Commencing at the South one quarter corner of Section 18, Township 27 North, Range 17 E.W.M., Chelan County, Washington from which the center of said section bears North 01°20'57" East; thence North 16°37'09" West a distance of 1401.10 feet to an existing 5/8 inch rebar and the True Point of Beginning, said point being an angle point on the South line of the parcel described under Auditor's File Number 2412583 records of Chelan County; thence North 75°26'04" East, along said South line, a distance of 71.97 feet to Southeast corner of said parcel, said corner being the Southwest corner of the property sold by Lester Brown to G.H. Donaldson; thence North 75°26'04" East, along the South line of said Donaldson parcel as shown in the record of survey recorded under Auditor's File Number 2421840, Book 62, page 119 a distance of 212.98 feet more or less to the westerly margin of Brown Road as it now exists; thence South 14°33'56" East, a distance of 47.13 feet to the Northeast corner of the Burgess parcel as shown in the record of survey recorded under Auditor's File Number 2421840; thence South 75°22'54" West, along the North line of said parcel, a distance of 328.50 feet to the Northwest corner of said Burgess parcel; thence North 85°32'00" West, along the North line of a parcel as shown in the record of survey recorded under Auditor's File Number 900563, Book 9, page 32, also known as Short Plat 303 of Chelan County, a distance of 216.61 feet; thence South 89°31'15" West, a distance of 276.41 feet to a 1 inch iron pipe and an angle point on the easterly margin of Brown Road as shown in the Plat of Whispering Pines; thence North 45°41'01" West, along the easterly margin of Brown Road, a distance of 50.78 feet to a 1/2 inch rebar in a monument case and the Southwest corner of the parcel described under Auditor's File Number 2412583 records of Chelan County; thence North 89°18'02" East, along the South line of said parcel, a distance of 558.95 feet to the True Point of Beginning.

If you wish to seek the advice of an attorney in this matter, you should do so promptly so that your written response, if any, may be served on time.

This Summons is issued pursuant to Rule 4 of the Superior Court Civil Rules of the State of Washington and RCW title 4.28.

DATED this 25th day of April, 2018.

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE Pursuant to the Revised Code of Washington 61.24, et seq. TS No.: WA-15-678560-SW APN No.: 23-19-05-220-250 Title Order No.: 150185421-WA-MSO Deed of Trust Grantor(s): ERNEST CLARK HICKS Deed of Trust Grantee(s): MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. MERS IS A SEPARATE CORPORATION THAT IS ACTING SOLELY AS A NOMINEE FOR PEOPLES BANK, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS Deed of Trust Instrument/ Reference No.: 2172968 I. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, the undersigned Trustee, will on 6/15/2018, at 9:00 AM AT the Main Entrance to the Chelan County Courthouse, located at 350 Orondo Street, Wenatchee, WA 98801 sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, payable in the form of credit bid or cash bid in the form of cashier's check or certified checks from federally or State chartered banks, at the time of sale the following described real property, situated in the County of CHELAN, State of Washington, to-wit: PARCEL A: THAT PORTION OF GOVERNMENT LOT 4, IN THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 5, TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 19, EAST OF THE WILLAMETTE MERIDIAN, AND MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS COMMENCING AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 5; THENCE NORTH 87°56' EAST ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SECTION 5, FOR 678.5 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 3°39' WEST; FOR 177.4 FEET; THENCE CONTINUING SOUTH 3°39' WEST FOR 33.0 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 32°45' WEST FOR 245.0 FEET; THENCE NORTH 34°32' WEST FOR 119 FEET TO THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING FOR THIS DESCRIPTION; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 34°32' WEST FOR 89 FEET; THENCE NORTH 39°3 1/2' EAST FOR 41.5 FEET; THENCE NORTH 81°06'30" EAST, 108 FEET; THENCE SOUTHWESTERLY TO THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. PARCEL B: THAT PORTION OF GOVERNMENT LOT 4, IN THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 5, TOWNSHIP 23 NORTH, RANGE 19, EAST OF THE WILLAMETTE MERIDIAN, CHELAN COUNTY, WASHINGTON, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SECTION 4 A DISTANCE OF 678.5 FEET EAST FROM THE NORTHWEST CORNER THEREOF; AND THENCE RUNNING SOUTH 3°39' WEST A DISTANCE OF 177.4 FEET TO THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE SOUTH 3°39' WEST A DISTANCE OF 33 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 32°45' WEST A DISTANCE OF 245 FEET; THENCE NORTH 34°32' WEST A DISTANCE OF 119 FEET; THENCE NORTHEASTERLY TO A POINT WHICH BEARS SOUTH 81°06' WEST 121 FEET FROM THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE NORTH 81°06'30" EAST A DISTANCE OF 121 FEET TO THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING. More commonly known as: 6005 SUNSET HWY., CASHMERE, WA 98815 which is subject to that certain Deed of Trust dated 4/28/2004, recorded 5/7/2004, under Instrument No. 2172968 records of CHELAN County, Washington, from ERNEST CLARK HICKS, AN UNMARRIED INDIVIDUAL, as grantor(s), to PIONEER TITLE COMPANY, as original trustee, to secure an obligation in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC. MERS IS A SEPARATE CORPORATION THAT IS ACTING SOLELY AS A NOMINEE FOR PEOPLES BANK, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, as original beneficiary, the beneficial interest in which was subsequently assigned to BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., the Beneficiary, under an assignment recorded under Auditors File Number 2345268 II. No action commenced by the Beneficiary of the Deed of Trust is now pending to seek satisfaction of the obligation in any Court by reason of the Borrower's or Grantor's default on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust/Mortgage. III. The default(s) for which this foreclosure is made is/are as follows: Failure to pay when due the following amounts which are now in arrears: \$39,905.90. IV. The sum owing on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust is: The principal sum of \$167,969.71, together with interest as provided in the Note from 5/1/2016 on, and such other costs and fees as are provided by statute. V. The above-described real property will be sold to satisfy the expense of sale and the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust as provided by statute. Said sale will be made without warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances on 6/15/2018. The defaults referred to in Paragraph III must be cured by 6/4/2018 (11 days before the sale date), or by other date as permitted in the Note or Deed of Trust, to cause a discontinuance of the sale. The sale will be discontin-

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ued and terminated if at any time before 6/4/2018 (11 days before the sale), or by other date as permitted in the Note or Deed of Trust, the default as set forth in Paragraph III is cured and the Trustee's fees and costs are paid. Payment must be in cash or with cashiers or certified checks from a State or federally chartered bank. The sale may be terminated any time after the 6/4/2018 (11 days before the sale date) and before the sale, by the Borrower or Grantor or the holder of any recorded junior lien or encumbrance by paying the principal and interest, plus costs, fees and advances, if any, made pursuant to the terms of the obligation and/ or Deed of Trust, and curing all other defaults. VI. A written Notice of Default was transmitted by the Beneficiary or Trustee to the Borrower(s) and Grantor(s) by both first class and certified mail, proof of which is in the possession of the Trustee; and the Borrower and Grantor were personally served, if applicable, with said written Notice of Default or the written Notice of Default was posted in a conspicuous place on the real property described in Paragraph I above, and the Trustee has possession of proof of such service or posting. The list of recipients of the Notice of Default is listed within the Notice of Foreclosure provided to the Borrower(s) and Grantor(s). These requirements were completed as of 8/18/2015. VII. The Trustee whose name and address are set forth below will provide in writing to anyone requesting it, a statement of all costs and fees due at any time prior to the sale. VIII. The effect of the sale will be to deprive the Grantor and all those who hold by, through or under the Grantor of all their interest in the above-described property. IX. Anyone having any objections to this sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the sale pursuant to RCW 61.24.130. Failure to bring such a lawsuit may result in a waiver of any proper grounds for invalidating the Trustee's sale. X. NOTICE TO OCCUPANTS OR TENANTS - The purchaser at the Trustee's Sale is entitled to possession of the property on the 20th day following the sale, as against the Grantor under the deed of trust (the owner) and anyone having an interest junior to the deed of trust, including occupants who are not tenants. After the 20th day following the sale the purchaser has the right to evict occupants who are not tenants by summary proceedings under Chapter 59.12 RCW. For tenant-occupied property, the purchaser shall provide a tenant with written notice in accordance with RCW 61.24.060. THIS NOTICE IS THE FINAL STEP BEFORE THE FORECLOSURE SALE OF YOUR HOME. You have only 20 DAYS from the recording date of this notice to pursue mediation. DO NOT DELAY. CONTACT A HOUSING COUNSELOR OR AN ATTORNEY LICENSED IN WASHINGTON NOW to assess your situation and refer you to mediation if you are eligible and it may help you save your home. See below for safe sources of help. SEEKING ASSISTANCE Housing counselors and legal assistance may be available at little or no cost to you. If you would like assistance in determining your rights and opportunities to keep your house, you may contact the following: The statewide foreclosure hotline for assistance and referral to housing counselors recommended by the Housing Finance Commission: Toll-free: 1-877-894-HOME (1-877-894-4663) or Web site: http://www.dfi.wa.gov/consumers/homeownership/post\_purchase\_counselors\_foreclosure.htm. The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development: Toll-free: 1-800-569-4287 or National Web Site: http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD or for Local counseling agencies in Washington: http://www.hud.gov/offices/hsg/sfh/hcc/fo/index.cfm?webListAction=search&searchstate=WA&filterSvc=dfc The statewide civil legal aid hotline for assistance and referrals to other housing counselors and attorneys: Telephone: 1-800-606-4819 or Web site: http://nwjustice.org/what-clear. Additional disclaimers provided by the Trustee: If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the noteholders rights against the real property only. Dated: 2/6/2018 Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, as Trustee By: Briana Newton, Assistant Secretary Trustee's Mailing Address: Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington C/O Quality Loan Service Corp. 411 Ivy Street, San Diego, CA 92101 (866) 645-7711 Trustee's Physical Address: Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington 108 1 st Ave South, Suite 202 Seattle, WA 98104 (866) 925-0241 Sale Line: 800-280-2832 or Login to: http://wa.qualityloan.com Trustee Sale Number: WA-15-678560-SW IDSPub #0137230 5/16/2018 6/6/2018

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Public Notice **Notice Of Meeting by the Commission of Public Utility District Number 1 Of Chelan County On Development Of An Integrated Resource Plan Progress Report Under RCW 19.280** **To Interested Persons** The Board of Commissioners of the Chelan County PUD (Commission) hereby gives notice that it will hold a public meeting to approve the District's 2018 Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) Progress Report. The report, required by RCW 19.280, describes the mix of supply-side generating resources and conservation and efficiency resources that will meet current and projected needs at the lowest reasonable cost and risk to the utility and its ratepayers. Per this notice, the Commission invites public participation in the meeting scheduled for 1:00 p.m. on June 25, 2018 in the Commissioner's Boardroom at 327 N. Wenatchee Ave. Integrated Resource Plan Background In 2006, RCW 19.280 was adopted by the Washington State legislature. The statute requires investor-owned and consumer-owned electric utilities with more than 25,000 customers to develop IRPs and progress reports. Among other things, IRPs must include a range of load forecasts, assessments of commercially-available, utility scale renewable and nonrenewable generating technologies, a comparative evaluation of renewable and nonrenewable generating resources and conservation and efficiency resources and an assessment of methods for integrating renewable resources and addressing overgeneration events, if applicable. The District must hold a public hearing prior to submitting its 2018 IRP Progress Report, which is due to the Department of Commerce by September 1, 2018. Utilities must produce progress reports reflecting changing conditions related to and the progress towards the IRP every two years and an updated IRP must be developed at least every four years. Public Participation Opportunities This will be the Board's final public meeting on the development of the 2018 IRP Progress Report. To learn more or provide comments, please visit Chelan PUD's web site at /www.chelanpud.org/environment/operating-responsibly/integrated-resource-plan Published in the Leavenworth Echo/ Cashmere Valley Record and Lake Chelan Mirror on June 6, 2018. #82106. **NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY DRAFT PROGRAMMATIC ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT FOR THE ICICLE CREEK WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT STRATEGY CHELAN COUNTY, WASHINGTON** The Washington State Department of Ecology (Ecology) Office of Columbia River (OCR) and Chelan County Natural Resource Department (Chelan County) are releasing a draft Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement (PEIS) on May 31, 2018, for the Icicle Creek Water Resource Management Strategy (Icicle Strategy). Ecology and Chelan County are co-lead agencies for this PEIS, prepared in accordance with the State Environmental Policy Act (SEPA). **Description of Proposal:** The Icicle Work Group (IWG) was convened by Ecology OCR and Chelan County to find collaborative solutions for water management within the Icicle Creek drainage. The IWG is made up of a diverse set of stakeholders representing local, state, and federal agencies, tribes, agricultural and municipal water users, and community organizations who are collectively developing the Icicle Strategy. The objectives of the Icicle Strategy are to improve in-stream flows, improve the sustainability of Leavenworth National Fish Hatchery, protect tribal and non-tribal fish harvest, improve domestic supply, improve agricultural reliability, enhance Icicle Creek habitat, and comply with state and federal law, including the Wilderness Acts within the Icicle Creek Subbasin, Chelan County, Washington. Chelan County and Ecology issued a determination of significance on February 9, 2016, and formally initiated the SEPA EIS scoping process. This draft PEIS evaluates a No Action Alternative and five (5) action alternatives, each of which contemplate water management solutions that balance principles of the IWG members and stakeholders. The Alternatives are each comprised of several combinations of projects, including: • Leavenworth National Fish Hatchery (LNFH) conservation and water quality improvements • Improved efficiencies for Icicle Peshastin Irrigation District (IPID) and Cascade Orchards Irrigation Company (COIC) • Domestic conservation projects for the City of Leavenworth and rural Chelan County • Optimization, modernization, and automation of Alpine Lakes reservoirs • Eightmile Lake restoration • Expansion of storage at Eightmile, Snow, and Kionaqua Lakes • Pump exchanges at LNFH, COIC, and IPID • Tribal and non-Tribal fisheries protection • Habitat improvements throughout Icicle Creek and the surrounding watershed • Modernized fish screens for LNFH, IPID, COIC and City of Leavenworth • Water markets • Instream flow rule amendments (WAC 173-545) This draft PEIS was prepared in compliance with the State of Washington Environmental Policy Act (SEPA), Chapter 43.21C RCW, and the SEPA Rules (Chapter 197-11 WAC). **Public Hearing:** A public hearing will be held on the following dates to share information about the proposed project and the draft PEIS: • Wednesday, June 27, 2018, 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Leavenworth Festhalle 1001 Front Street Leavenworth, Washington 98826 Oral comments will be accepted at the public hearing. Additionally, comments may be submitted in writing via mail or email to Chelan County Natural Resource Department (see contact information below), no later than July 30, 2018. **Availability of the PEIS:** The draft PEIS and other information regarding the Icicle Strategy may be accessed online at the following links: https://fortress.wa.gov/ecy/publications/SummaryPages/1812004.html And http://www.co.chelan.wa.us/natural-resources/pages/icicle-work-group?parent=Planning To provide written comment on the draft PEIS, or to request an electronic copy on portable media or a hard copy of the draft PEIS, contact: Mary Jo Sanborn, Chelan County Natural Resource Department By mail to: 411 Washington Street, Suite 201 Wenatchee, WA 98801 By e-mail to: nr.iciclesepa@co.chelan.wa.us, or By phone at: (509) 667-6532 **SEPA Responsible Officials:** Mike Kaputa Director, Natural Resource Department Chelan County G. Thomas Tebb L.Hg., L.E.G. Director, Office of Columbia River Washington State Department of Ecology Published in the Leavenworth Echo/ Cashmere Valley Record on June 6, 2018. #82093.

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Public Notice **WAC 197-11-970 - Determination of Non-significance (DNS)** Date of Notice: May 16, 2018 Lead Agency: Chelan County Public Works Department Project Location: The West Cashmere Bridge is located in Cashmere, WA, approximately 9 miles west of Wenatchee. The bridge extends from Goodwin Road/ Ruby Street and terminates south of US 2. The proposed project is located in Township 24 North, Range 19 East, Section 32. Project Description: The West Cashmere Bridge carries Goodwin Road on the outskirts of the City of Cashmere in Chelan County, WA. Often referred to as the Goodwin Bridge, the 85-year-old, fracture-critical bridge is both functionally obsolete and structurally deficient. It is currently posted for both weight and height restrictions. The proposed project involves the complete demolition of the old bridge, construction of a new bridge in the similar alignment, construction of a new connection between Goodwin Road and Hay Canyon Road using bridge ramps down to Hay Canyon Road with a roundabout, modifications to the existing intersection of Highway 2 and Hay Canyon Road, stormwater and utility improvements, and other safety improvements including striping, guardrail, and signage. The completed bridge will have a roadway section that will consist of two 12-foot lanes, two 5-foot shoulders and a sidewalk on one side for a total width of 42 feet. The project is scheduled for construction in 2020. Mitigation Measures: Mitigation measures have been proposed that reduce impacts to endangered species, wetlands, riparian habitat, spill prevention, stormwater, fish handling and removal, water quality, and other worksite activities. These measures can be found within the Supporting Information referenced below. Supporting Information: Information used to reach this determination is available for public review at Chelan County Public Works office located at 316 Washington Street, Suite, 402, Wenatchee, WA; or limited information on the Chelan County Public Works homepage, under Construction Projects; or by following: http://www.co.chelan.wa.us/public-works/pages/capital-projects Decision: The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of a completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request. There is no comment period for this DNS. This DNS is issued using the optional DNS process in WAC 197-11-355. This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2), the lead agency will not act on this proposal for a minimum of 14 days from the signature date below. Comments must be submitted by June 11, 2018 by 5:00 P.M. Please refer questions/comments relating to this determination or the proposal to: Chelan County Public Works Attn: Jason Detamore, Environmental Manager 316 Washington Street, Suite 402, Wenatchee, WA 98801 (509) 667-6415 Jason.Detamore@co.chelan.wa.us Responsible Official: Eric Pierson, P.E. Position/ Title: Chelan County Public Works, Director/County Engineer, Address: 316 Washington Street, Suite 402, Wenatchee, Washington 98801 Phone: (509) 667-6415 Date: 5/22/18 Signature: /s/ Appeal: Pursuant to RCW 43.21C.075, Chelan County Code section 13.04.200 of Title 13 - State Environmental Policy Act and Chelan County Code section 14.12 of Title 14 - Appeals, decisions of the Responsible Official may be appealed within twenty-one days after the date of issuance of the this decision in superior court. Deadline for filing an appeal is June 11, 2018. Note: The issuance of this Determination of Non-Significance does not constitute project approval. The applicant must comply with all other applicable requirements of Chelan County, federal, and state agencies, and/ or Hearing Examiner prior to commencing work. Published in the Cashmere Valley Record/ Leavenworth Echo on May 30, and June 6, 2018. #82070.

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## Letters to the editor

### Show some respect

As a veteran I was very moved by the recent 150th memorialization of those who have fallen in service to our country. I am 74 years old and am always moved by the stories of the fallen and the survivors. When my wife and I were in government service in Japan, we had the opportunity to visit Viet Nam. It is a beautiful if impoverished country. We had the chance to tour the

Hanoi Hilton, where John McCain was imprisoned for five and a half years. There is little left of the original prison, most was razed to make way for a high rise. What is left is a museum and a grim place. Prisoner cells were comprised of small rooms with sloping concrete floors where prisoners were shackled hand and foot between bouts of interrogation and torture. There was also a guillotine, left over from the French occupation that was mounted on a trailer so it could be taken out to the field for summary executions. A moment of hope was a room dedicated to their most well known prisoner John McCain. It was spare, mostly newspaper pictures and magazine articles about the prisoner. I am pained that a former enemy shows more respect to Senator McCain than some members of our current administration. McCain and I are in different political camps but he is, and will always be, my hero. We must show respect to the fallen, veterans, and current service members whose only job is to preserve our freedom. God bless America and those who believe in liberty.

Larry Price  
Leavenworth

### Setting the record straight

Thanks for the Echo's coverage of City Council's public hearing regarding the annexation request from the prospective owner of land where the Alpine Slide Adventure Park might be located.

I would just like to clarify a quote attributed to me, but unfortunately printed out of context:

"Would it even be likely to be permitted under Chelan County status? Yes, this acreage is within the commercial/recreational zoning of the Urban Growth Area, designated in the 1990s..."

In fact, my statement addressing annexation questioned whether the 11-acre Adventure Park proposal could even operate without city services such as water, sewer, power and other essential infrastructure extended there.

The developer(s) clearly want to make sure those necessities are provided; otherwise they would remain under Chelan County designation.

Thus, the quote - as printed - completely misconstrued my point.

Furthermore, a Traffic Study was allegedly submitted by the prospective developers - in advance of the Annexation approval. I believe this piece of the formal development process should be invalid because it pre-dated annexation. It also showed serious intent on the part of the developers to pursue their project on the corner of Icicle Road and Highway 2. It was therefore disingenuous for the City of Leavenworth to dismiss any public comment on annexation that referenced those who were instigating it.

Betsy Steele  
Leavenworth

### Why does LWFR need 5.5 more acres?

In reference to the Letter to the Editor by Linda Hiteshew published in the May 30 issue of the Echo, we need to respond to some assertions made in that letter:

We have no objection to LWFR replacing the existing Plain fire station buildings with a new, modern facility on their existing property. We think the current 2.5 acre plot is enough, but we are willing to consider a modest increase in that lot size if it can be shown that it is needed. We presented an example design that fits in an approximate 2.5 acre site to LWFR leadership last December. This design, including floorplans, can be seen on our - friendsofruralplain.us/about - website page. It includes a 10-bay fire apparatus garage, meeting/training rooms, sleeping quarters, food preparation facilities, six private offices, a communications center, equipment storage areas and even a gym. This seems to cover most of what Chief Lamar listed in his recent statement. If all this fits in the existing space, what is the additional 5.5 acres for?

The "misinformation" concerning a "jail" came from LWFR leadership in a meeting we had with them last December. They surprised us when they said that the proposed office for the sheriff "would probably include a holding cell or two". Maybe a holding

cell is not a jail, but the idea is the same to most people. In his statement last week, Chief Lamar wrote that "LWFR has not expressed a desire to build a jail...". This is a different position and we will take him at his word. You will hear no more about this from us.

We respect and value the professionalism and dedication of LWFR in protecting all of us. Our only issue with them is to understand what it is that LWFR wants the 5.5 acres for. If it is for open space and playfields, great. If it is for one or two small buildings in well-maintained, landscaped surroundings which blend with the rural nature of the Hill Street neighborhood, great. So far, LWFR has not clearly committed to this. If the space is for a large parking lot or warehouse, or fire truck maintenance buildings, we would be concerned.

There are more than "less than a dozen" people who are expressing concern. Many have signed the petition on our web site., www.friendsofruralplain.us

Don Bottoms  
Friends of Rural Plain

### Thank you Firefighters

To All volunteer Firefighters and their families at Lake Wenatchee Fire and

Rescue, Many thanks for all of the many hours of training you have spent studying and practicing first aid and fire suppression. You are the ones that get up out of your warm beds in the middle of the night or leave the family dinner table just as you are about to eat, to help others. You are the kind and professional people that are always there to help your neighbor in crisis. You are what makes Plain an outstanding place to live because of your selfless readiness to help. Thank you families of our firefighters for sharing your loved ones with our community. God bless and keep you safe.

Mary Morgan  
Plain resident



## I think my medicine is upsetting my stomach. Is there anything I do about that?

I can really relate, as I am taking an antibiotic right now that really bothers my stomach. I took the first two capsules an hour ago, and as I type this I feel queasy and there's a really weird taste in my mouth. The fresh coffee with cream I'm drinking tastes rancid, and I can't look at my food without cringing.

The most commonly reported side effect of medication is "upset stomach", AKA the medical term "gastritis", which is used to describe any of these symptoms: queasiness, stomach pain, stomach cramping, stomach burning, loose stools, and nausea. Every single medicine has been reported to cause stomach upset in at least some people, and some medications are reported to cause more stomach irritation than others.

Antibiotic medications are one of the most common causes of stomach irritation. While some antibiotics are fairly gentle on your gastrointestinal (GI) system, others have reputations for causing significant GI side effects. The antibiotic I'm currently taking is the third one I've been on for the same infection, each one more potent than before and causing more stomach upset and intestinal distress than the previous one.

When my tooth became infected last month, I was prescribed Antibiotic Number 1: penicillin, which caused queasiness for a few hours after each dose. Unfortunately, it didn't help the infection, and one week later I was in the dentist's office getting a root canal. After that procedure I still had pain, so I was given Antibiotic Number 2: a more powerful version of penicillin: amoxicillin plus clavulanate. The clavulanate part of that antibiotic is famous for being irritating to the stomach, and I became nauseated for several

hours after each dose, and it made my food and drink taste funny.

Unfortunately, Antibiotic Number 2 didn't fix the problem, so in a last-ditch attempt to save the tooth I was switched to Antibiotic Number 3, clindamycin. Clindamycin is well known to not play nice with your stomach and intestinal system, which is why it is option number 3 instead of option 1 or 2. It makes my stomach hurt and I'm particularly queasy for the first 3 hours after I take each dose, which is four times a day. Just thinking about food makes my stomach cramp, and just about the time I start to feel just a bit better it's time to take my next dose.

What causes a medicine to make your food taste so bad? Most antibiotics are designed to spread throughout your tissues, and are present in small amounts in your saliva. The bad taste in my mouth is

because I am actually tasting the antibiotic in my saliva.

To minimize stomach upset caused by a medicine, the most important thing is to take the medicine with food. With the exception of some bone building medicines like alendronate (Fosamax®) or risendronate (Actonel®), nearly all medicines can be taken with food. One of the exceptions is thyroid supplements like levothyroxine (Synthroid®, Levothroid®), which are more consistently absorbed when taken without food compared with taking them with food.

Dr. Louise Achey, Doctor of Pharmacy is a 39-year veteran of pharmacology and author of Why Dogs Can't Eat Chocolate: How Medicines Work and How YOU Can Take Them Safely. Your questions and comments are always welcome at www.AskDrLouise.com

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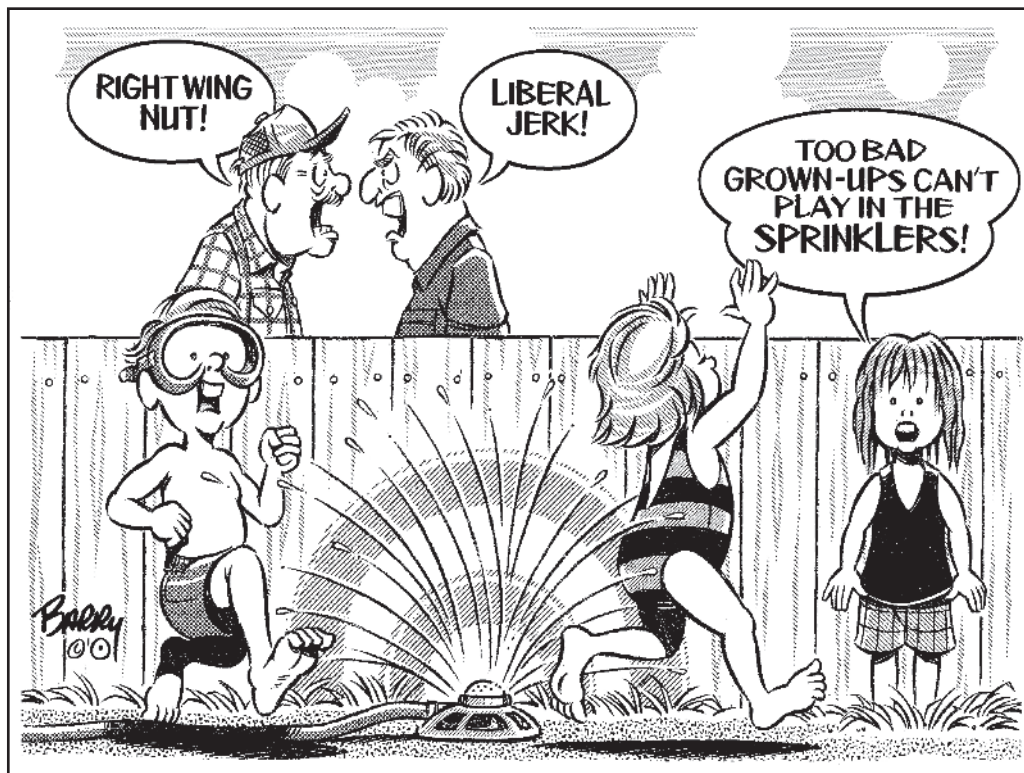
### Here Are 4 Ways to Address Stomach Upset Caused by Your Medicine:

1. Always try to take the offending medicine near the end of your meal, not at the beginning. You'll be able to dilute the effects of the medicine much better if your stomach already has food in it instead of taking your pill with the first few bites of your meal or snack.

2. Take the irritating medicine with a full glass of fluid, either water, juice or milk. Try to avoid washing it down with a carbonated drink like pop or soda, which is very acidic and can aggravate instead of relieve stomach distress triggered by the medicine.

3. If you're taking more than one medicine that causes stomach irritation, avoid taking them together, instead separate them by at least two to three hours.

4. If you end up vomiting after taking your medicine, don't panic. If it's been at least 45 minutes since you swallowed it, most of it has already reached your system and you don't need to re-dose. But if it has been less than 30 minutes, you should try again, making sure you have both food and some fluid in your stomach. If your second dose also results in vomiting, be sure to inform your doctor right away to get another medicine, especially if it is an antibiotic.



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- This and desist

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- \*Dad to J. Lo's twins
- Pitcher
- Like a doily
- Spam destination?
- Anatomical partition
- Military no-show
- "Ziggy Marley's father"
- Liquorice flavor
- Charlie "\_\_\_\_\_ of 'Dark Angel'"
- Jessica \_\_\_\_\_ of "Dark Angel"
- June 6, 1944
- Literary "even"
- Adjust, as in piano
- Perpendicular to the keel
- Coffin alternative
- His buddy was Gilligan
- "Enrique Iglesias' father"
- \_\_\_\_\_ provocateur
- "\_\_\_\_\_ from the past"
- "Isaac's firstborn"
- "Most precious gift?"
- Disfigures
- Follow as a consequence
- One in a gaggle
- It comes to mind
- Loads
- Tedium
- Mark and Shania
- Reverential salutation
- Greek poetry meter
- Bacon piece
- Oar holder
- "Jaden Smith's father"
- Dwarf buffalo
- Hold as a conviction
- Bigfoot, e.g.
- "Si, mi chiamo Mimi," La Bohème
- Greek Hs
- Old booze
- Lake in Provence
- Nurses' org.

## Cooking With Teri

### ROMAINE RECALL

One of the most popular salad lettuces, Romaine has been part of a nationwide recall. The lettuce was grown in Yuma, AZ, and is contaminated with a very bad strain of E.coli. This is not the first recall of Romaine, in 2010 and 2011, 83 cases of E.coli were reported to the CDC. Romine is not particularly prone to bacteria, but by its by nature the way it is produced and sold.

Romine is grown outside in the dirt, and this makes it susceptible to a multitude of bacterial laden inputs. A few examples are fertilizers, tainted water, animal waste and dirty hands. Post harvest handling of romaine is also a risk factors the produce is rinsed, washed, bagged and chopped. This processes can expose the lettuce to tainted water, dirty hoses, sprayers and other implements. All steps of packaging create new opportunities for E.coli and other bacteria to contaminate the lettuce.

But the most crucial factor affecting salad greens ability to give bacterial infections is that it is eaten raw. All leafy greens and sprouts are prone to being hosts for bacteria, as they are typically not well washed by the consumer. While washing will not remove E.coli nor will grilling of the lettuce. So unless you know for sure that the romaine was not from Yuma, do not eat it. Spinach anyone!

My recipe this week is for a delicious salad dressing that is great one most leafy greens. Enjoy!

### CREAMY BALSAMIC DRESSING

- 6 tablespoons olive oil
- 3 tablespoons balsamic vinegar
- 3 tablespoons mayonnaise
- 2 tablespoons water
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 teaspoon Dijon mustard
- Salt and pepper to taste
- Blend all ingredients except salt and pepper in a blender until smooth. Add salt and pepper to taste.

QUOTE: "Safe food, involves everyone in the food chain." -Unknown

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**Samantha L. Adams**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light*



**Natalie A. Akers**

**Parents-** Julie Averill  
**Activities-** Band, volleyball  
**Memorable Moment-** Trip to Anaheim with volleyball team.  
**Plans-** Northwest Nazarene University



**Makena K. Ala'ilima-Daley**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Elia and Kristy Ala'ilima-Daley  
**Activities-** Volleyball, select choir, honor society, FCCLA, basketball  
**Memorable Moment-** Being part of the Kodiak volleyball program and playing in the 2017 state championship volleyball match.  
**Plans-** Attend CSU-Fullerton on a volleyball scholarship.



**Kristian O. Andersen**



**Jessica Avila Marquez**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Antonio and Margarita Avila  
**Activities-** MECHA, Honor Society, Soccer  
**Memorable Moment-** Varsity letter in community service.  
**Plans-** Join nursing program at WVC



**Schyler R. Archer**



**Jacelyn D. Bain**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Brantley and Staci Bain  
**Activities-** Honor Society, Class President, Golf, Basketball, Volleyball, Future Medical Professionals of America.  
**Memorable Moment-** Golfing on the golf team and having fun while doing it.  
**Plans-** University of Washington majoring in Biomedical Engineering, then off to medical school.



**Quinn M. Ashcraft**

**Parents-** Rob and Dina Ashcraft  
**Activities-** Football, YoungLife, Select Choir, Wrestling, Baseball, Basketball, Track, Swim/Dive team  
**Memorable Moment-** Beating Okanagan my Junior Year of football and receiving CTL 1st Team All League Wide Receiver and Defense Line, and making the 2018 All State Choir  
**Plans:** WSU



**Adelaide H. Astell**  
*BTrail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Luke and Stephanie Astell  
**Activities-** Volleyball, track, tennis cross country, soccer, NHS, FCCLA, Key Club  
**Memorable Moment-** Cheering at football games  
**Plans-** WSU

Go  
**Kodiaks**  
2018



**Carter Joey Boyle**

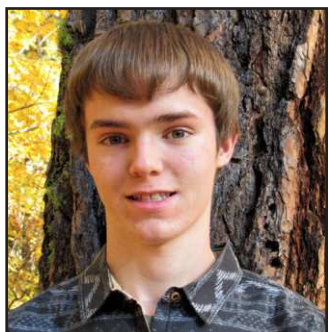
**Parents-** Sarah Boyle  
**Activities-** None  
**Memorable Moment-** Being an automotive technician.  
**Plans-** WSU



**Bailey Lyn Brewer**

**Parents-** James and Stacy Brewer  
**Activities-** Student council, homecoming court, volleyball  
**Memorable moment-** My senior year  
**Plans-** College in Portland, then Louisiana to study elementary education

Success!



**David K. Bryant**



**Taylor R. Burris**

**Parents/Guardians:** Ben and Traci Burris  
**Activities:** Student Government, FCCLA President, DECA, LEO's Club, Publications, Volleyball, Softball, Cross Country.  
**Memorable Moment:** Traveling with DECA to Anaheim for nationals and Arizona for Western Region Conference.  
**Plans:** WWU to major in Business Marketing and Communications.



**Garrett J. Collier**

**Parents-** Travis and Kristin Collier  
**Plans-** Firefighting



**Rebecca Bustos Ortiz**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light*

**Parents-** Maria Gloria and Fidel Bustos  
**Activities-** Band, MECHA, Honor Society, GSA  
**Memorable Moment-** Honor Band, MECHA vice president.  
**Plans-** UW



**Jayme M. Carlson**



**Lauren C. Carlson**

**Parents-** Dave and Lisa Carlson  
**Memorable Moment-** Hanging out with friends.  
**Plans-** WVC



**Daniel J. Claros Rodriguez**

**Parents-** Manuel and Hilaria Claros  
**Activities-** Football, wrestling  
**Memorable Moment-** Three time district champ, regional champ, 8th in state.  
**Plans-** WVC then transfer.



**Leif Raven Dawson**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents/Guardians:** Pierre, Jackie, Nana, and Baba.  
**Activities:** Solid Friend, Snowmo-hokey-bobber, Gymnastics Coach, Wilderness Awareness Teacher, CHS Sports.  
**Memorable Moment:** Sasquatch, Bouldering, Lake Chelan Water Trampolines.  
**Plans:** Concerts, Road trips, Adventures, Carleton College.



**Marie R. Dickinson**

**Parents-** Roy and Chrystal Dickinson, Cheri and Ken Moore  
**Activities-** Tennis  
**Memorable Moment-** Varsity letter for community service.  
**Plans-** WVC



**Lauren T. Cruz**



**Madyson Jade Cunningham**

**Parents-** Brett and Stephanie Fromm  
**Plans-** EWU



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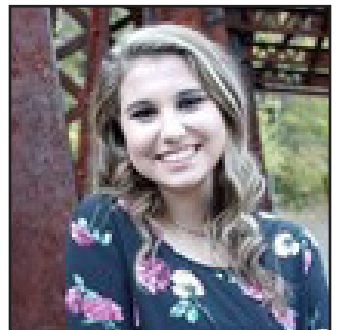
May today's success be the beginning of tomorrow's achievements.

**Stefan Zuckriegel**  
We love you!



**Arthur T. Drake**

**Parent(s)-** April Drake  
**Activities-** Football, wrestling, basketball, tennis  
**Memorable Moment-** State wrestling  
**Plans-** Dakota College-football



**Mikayla E. Dunn**

**Parents-** Todd and Alicia Warman  
**Activities-** Varsity Cheer, Varsity Track  
**Memorable Moment-** Cheering for the football team.  
**Plans-** Grossmont College, San Diego

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**Date and Time: Saturday, June 9, 2018, at 8:00 pm • Place: Peshastin Football Field**  
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**Ryan Everest**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*  
**Parents-** Marvin Everest and Susan Curtis  
**Activities-** Nordic skiing, knowledge bowl  
**Memorable Moment-** Graduating, haha  
**Plans-** Alaska Pacific University.



**Chan J. Ferry**  
**Parents-** Chan Ferry, Sari Keithley  
**Activities-** Football, Track, FFA  
**Memorable Moment-** Playing football with my brothers.  
**Plans-** Live life to the fullest and become the best me possible.



**Emma H. Fischer**  
**Parents-** Bryon and Karan Fischer  
**Plans-** WVC, then WWU.



**Autumn V. Gildersleeve**  
*Torch Light*

**Parents-** Derek Gildersleeve and Anita Johanson  
**Activities-** Volleyball, soccer, football cheer  
**Memorable Moment-** Traveling to Clearwater Beach, Florida for beach soccer  
**Plans-** WVC- nursing



**Citlally Fonseca Lara**  
**Parents-** Luis and Lorena Lara  
**Activities-** AVID  
**Plans-** WVC



**Emily T. Gaines**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Bill Gaines and Susan Thomas  
**Activities-** Soccer, Track, Basketball, Leos Club, Key Club, Honor Society.  
**Memorable Moment-** Cascade soccer, winning state track.  
**Plans-** Montana State University-Billings, soccer scholarship.



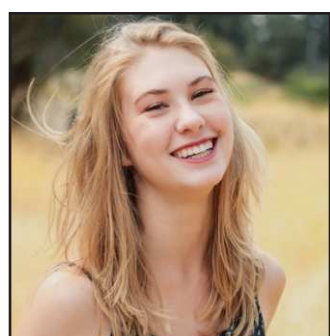
**Daniela Garcia Rivera**



**Maritsa Guerrero Rendon**

**Parents-** Graciela and Asuncian Guerrero  
**Memorable Moment-** Running Start  
**Plans-** CWU

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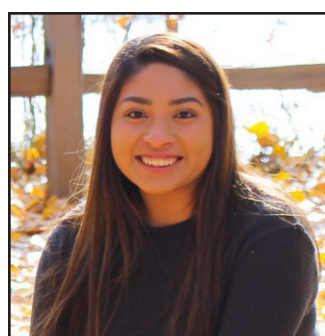
**Halla F. Hafermann**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Maury and Shannon Hafermann  
**Activities-** Knowledge Bowl, Cheer, Tennis, Leos Club  
**Memorable Moment-** Knowledge Bowl bus rides. Taking third at state Knowledge Bowl.  
**Plans-** Dartmouth College.



**Justin J. Hall**

**Parents-** Terry and Valerie Hall  
**Activities-** Football, basketball, baseball  
**Memorable Moment-** Football, winning district championship against Cashmere.  
**Plans-** WVC



**Carmen G. Herrera Bazan**



**Madline M. Hontou**

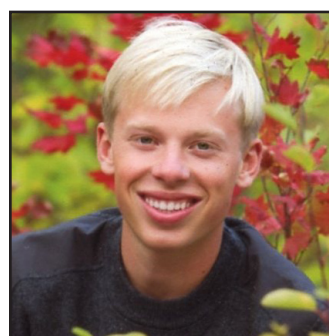
**Parents-** Leslie and Pross Hontou  
**Activities-** Golf  
**Plans-** Finishing AA at Wenatchee in fall.

*"An investment in knowledge always pays the best interest."  
 Benjamin Franklin*

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**Brian James**

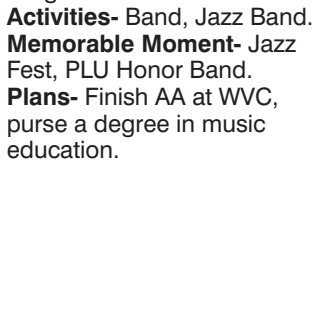


**Finn Bywater Johnson**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Brett Johnson and Nancy Bywater-Johnson  
**Activities-** Tennis, Student Government, Cross Country  
**Memorable Moment-** State Tennis, Evergreen State, all the good times.  
**Plans-** Political Science at Saint Olaf College.



**Liam S. Johnson-Lewis**



**Emily J. Ising**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light*

**Parents-** Trey and Jessica Ising  
**Activities-** Band, Jazz Band.  
**Memorable Moment-** Jazz Fest, PLU Honor Band.  
**Plans-** Finish AA at WVC, pursue a degree in music education.



**Juan Jose Joya Vasquez**



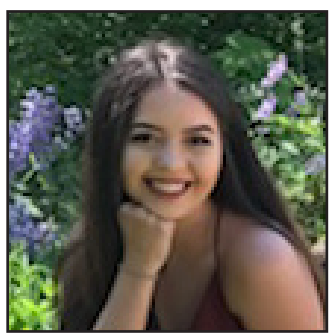
**Rylee J. Jacobson**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Zack and Brandi Jacobson  
**Activities-** Cross country, Knowledge Bowl, Softball, DECA, Honor Society, Science Bowl  
**Memorable Moment-** Finding out I was in the top 20 for International DECA in Anaheim.  
**Plans-** Carroll College in Helena, Montana, academic scholarship, study nursing.



**Simon A. Keyser**

**Parents-** Tony and Jill Keyser  
**Plans-** Wildland Firefighting



**Daniela Ledesma**

**Parents-** Pablo and Teresa Ledesman  
**Memorable Moment-** Becoming friends with Maddie in Kindergarten.  
**Plans-** Bellevue College.



**Samuel T. Keziah**

**Parents-** Tom and Bettina Keziah  
**Activities-** Tennis, XC Skiing, tanning, Select Choir.  
**Memorable Moment-** Mr. Kodiak  
**Plans-** WVC



**Harrison J. Krous**  
*Torch Light*

**Parents-** Ken and Tracy Krous  
**Activities-** Football and track.  
**Memorable Moment-** Going to state for track.  
**Plans-** EWU for computer science.



**Dylan Matthias Kuehni**  
*Foreign Exchange Student Switzerland*

**Parents/Guardians-** Drew and Erika Enloe  
**Activities-** Football, tennis, climbing club  
**Memorable Moment-** Spending student exchange year at Leavenworth, going to state tennis  
**Plans-** Finishing high school back home in Switzerland



**Congratulations Graduates!**

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 Only as far as you seek, can you go.  
 Only as deep as you look, can you see.  
 Only as much as you dream, can you be!

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**David A Lemons**

**Parents-** Glenn and Erin Lemons  
**Activities-** Track  
**Plans-** Work



**Alejandro Lopez Oropeza**



**Giovanni Luchesi**  
*Foreign Exchange Student Italy*



**Devan S. McElravy**

**Parents-** Tim and Pam McElravy  
**Memorable Moment-** Getting a letter for doing what's right and serving my community  
**Plans-** WVC, then EWU.



**Hunter J.L. McQuain**

**Parents-** DeAnne McQuain, Dave McQuain/Guardians: Darren & April Heimmer  
**Activities-** Baseball, basketball  
**Memorable Moment-** Getting accepted to the Air Force  
**Plans-** U.S. Air Force



**Jose Enrique Mendoza Tovar**

*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*  
**Parents-** Miguel and Elvira Mendoza-Tovar  
**Activities-** Football, basketball, soccer  
**Memorable Moment-** Making it to the final four for soccer.  
**Plans-** WSU



**Tyler Miller**

**Parents-** Steve and Lisa Miller  
**Activities-** Baseball  
**Plans-** Air Force



**Juan Mora**

**Parents-** Vicente and Olga Mora  
**Activities-** Volunteer firefighter  
**Memorable Moment-** Employed firefighter with Chelan County FD 3.  
**Plans-** WVC- fire service

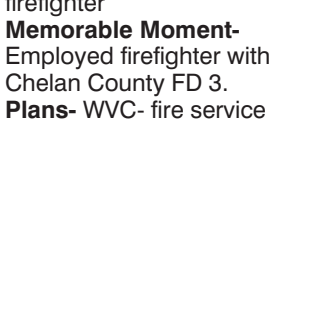
*"Take pride in how far you've come. Have faith in how far you can go. But don't forget to enjoy the journey." Michael Josephson*



**Leonardo J. Murillo Sotelo**



**Amanda G. Muro**



**Magali Jimena Olguin Ramos**

*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*



**Cesar U. Onate**



**Veronica I. Oropeza Bazan**

**Parents-** Barconoda Bullmaro and Erica Oropeza  
**Memorable Moment-** Joining WVC teen program- criminal justice.  
**Plans-** WVC-criminal justice program.



**Christopher Ortiz**



**Gerardo Oyos**  
*Torch Light*



**Tanner W. Parrish**  
*Torch Light*

**Parents-** Gaime Olguin and Josefina Ramos  
**Activities-** Softball, basketball, cross country.  
**Memorable Moment-** Soap Lake- basketball camp.  
**Plans-** WVC, then WSU to major in kinesiology.



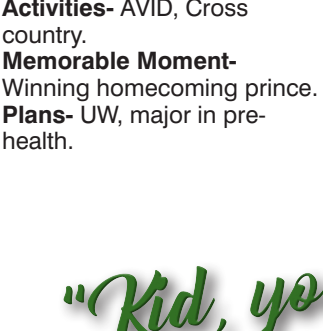
**Ashley R. Parton**

*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*



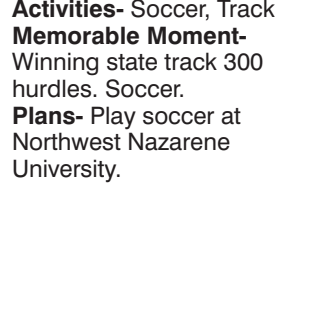
**Caleb J. Payne**

*Honor Cord, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*



**Baelee A. Pearson**

**Parents-** Christy and John Horner  
**Activities-** Volleyball  
**Memorable Moment-** Going to state with my team  
**Plans-** Got to school to become a traveling nurse



**Jack Plimmer**

**Parents-** BT and Sara Parton  
**Activities-** Soccer, Track  
**Memorable Moment-** Winning state track 300 hurdles. Soccer.  
**Plans-** Play soccer at Northwest Nazarene University.

*"Kid, you'll move mountains." Dr. Seuss*



**Juliana M. Plimmer**

**Parent(s)-** Kelly Plimmer  
**Activities-** Cheerleading  
**Plans-** North Idaho College



**Jake I. Pospical**



**Celine Michelle Preusch**  
*Foreign Exchange Student Germany*



**Dillon**  
Congrats now

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Love Mom & Dad



**Rebekah M. Price**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light*

**Parents-** Joyce and Larry Price  
**Activities-** Swimming  
**Memorable Moment-** Moving to CHS junior year  
**Plans-** CWU



**Elias Ramirez Morales**

**Parents-** Elias Ramirez Perez and Patricia Morales Perez  
**Activities-** Soccer  
**Memorable Moment-** Graduating  
**Plans-** WVC

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*Lauren Richardson*

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**Whitworth, here she comes!**



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**Octavio A. Ramirez Bravo**

**Parents-** Maria Bravo and Arturo Ramirez  
**Activities-** Wrestling  
**Memorable Moment-** Chilling with the homies, shoutout angel  
**Plans-** WVC



**Kate M. Ramos**

**Parents-** Juventino Ramos/Kari and Richard Novikoff  
**Activities-** Softball, running start  
**Memorable Moment-** Attending first homecoming  
**Plans-** CWU- business major



**Lauren D. Richardson**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Geoff and Tina Richardson  
**Activities-** Soccer, track, student government, Leos Club, Honor Society  
**Memorable Moment-** Playing for Cascade girls' soccer team and winning state 4x200 relay  
**Plans-** Whitworth, playing soccer



**Alyssa M. Riggs**

**Parents-** Alex and Janet Riggs  
**Plans-** WVC



**Brisa J. Rodriguez**

**Parents-** Elena and Refugo Rodriguez  
**Memorable Moment-** Running start  
**Plans-** CWU



**Uriel Rosario**



**Dillon Alexander Samuel**

**Parents-** Rick and Merry Samuel  
**Activities-** Football, basketball, baseball  
**Memorable Moment-** Playing football in the snow at Newport, crossover game.  
**Plans-** WVC

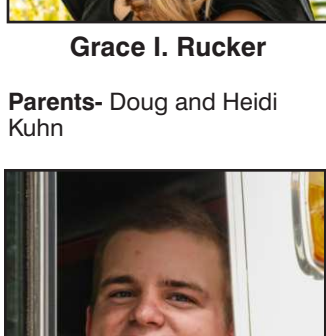


**Matia L. Sax**



**Treat B. Schubert**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Sloane and Nick Schubert  
**Activities-** Cross country, Knowledge bowl, drama, Select Choir  
**Memorable moment-** Getting 90 college credit paid for by the state  
**Plans-** Gap year in Japan as Rotary Exchange student, then UW

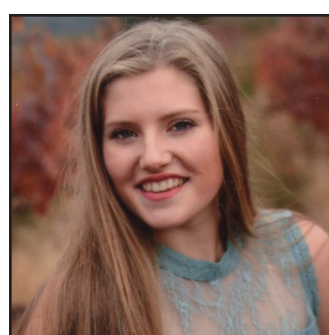


**Dylan J. Smith**

**Parents-** Ellen St. Germain/Jimmy Smith  
**Activities-** Wood shop, metal shop, fire science  
**Plans-WVC-** fire science



**Jacob T. Smith**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light*



**Andrea N. Sorensen**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Rob and Carrie Sorensen  
**Activities-** Cheer, softball, select choir, ASB, dance  
**Memorable Moment-** State solo and ensemble  
**Plans-** Whitwork- music ed major



**Christopher D. Ryals**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light*

**Parents-** John Ryals and Molly Aaseby  
**Activities-** DECA  
**Memorable Moment-** Competing at State DECA  
**Plans-** UW



**Madeline R. Smith**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light*



**Samantha J. Smith**

*"It is absolutely still possible to make a difference."  
 Michelle Obama*



**Jason T. Stine**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light*

**Parents-** Matt and Kim Stine  
**Activities-** Drama, DECA, Speech-Debate, Honor Roll  
**Memorable Moment-** Going to Oregon for a year and getting the Explorer  
**Plans-** Grand Canyon University



**Trinity S. Takacs**



**Angel A. Tapia**



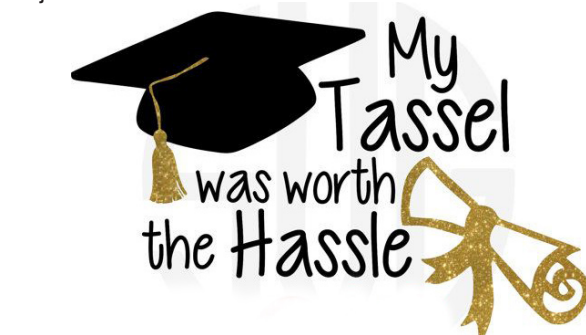
**Oliver C. Thomson**

**Parents-** David and Elizabeth Thomson  
**Activities-** Muddin  
**Memorable Moment-** Hanging with friends.



**Madeleine Vandel**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Tina McKenzie, Jon Vandel, Shelly Vandel  
**Activities-** Soccer, singing, tennis, skiing, riding llamas  
**Memorable Moment-** Second in state soccer twice, 4th in state soccer, 5th in state tennis  
**Plans-** Northwest Nazarene University



**Daniel R. Vizcaino**



**Pedro Vizcaino Villa**



**Rosamaria Varona**  
*Torch Light*

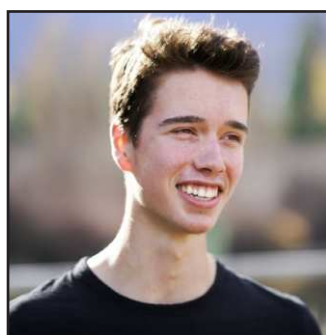
**Parents-** German and Maricruz Varona  
**Activities-** Soccer, MECHA  
**Memorable Moment-** Varsity letter in community service  
**Plans-** WSU



**Analia E. Vasquez**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Erik and Melissa Vasquez  
**Activities-** Softball, volleyball  
**Memorable Moment-** Volleyball state for four years  
**Plans-** CWU- play volleyball

*The Future is Yours*



**Ry D. Ward**

**Parents-** Robert and Von Ward  
**Activities-** Varsity XC, cycling  
**Plans-** Marketing degree, live in a van, bike.



**Timothy Sterling Wells**



**Colby K. West**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Ken and Paula West  
**Activities-** Cross country, basketball, softball, honor society  
**Memorable Moment-** Most inspirational XC, most valuable teammate-basketball, state softball  
**Plans-** University of Idaho-business and finance



**Gabriel Wulfman**  
*Honor Cord, Torch Light, Caribou Trail League Scholar Athletes*

**Parents-** Eric and Trisha Wulfman  
**Activities-** Track, XC, skiing, Knowledge Bowl, Select Choir  
**Memorable Moment-** Winning 4x400 relay at CTL League  
**Plans-** Montana State University- Bozeman



**Alondra Zelaya**

**Parents-** Jose Jacobo and Elda Zelaya  
**Activities-** MECHA, AVID  
**Memorable Moment-** Getting a scholarship and college paid off  
**Plans-** WVC



**Stefan Zucktriegel**

**Parents-** Christina and Richard Zucktriegel  
**Activities-** Golf  
**Memorable Moment-** Winning Mr. Kodiak, State qualifier  
**Plans-** University of Idaho



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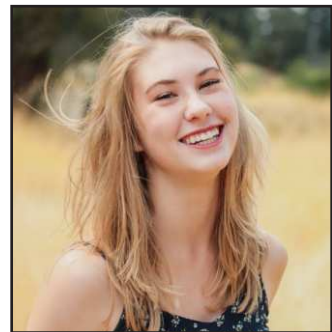
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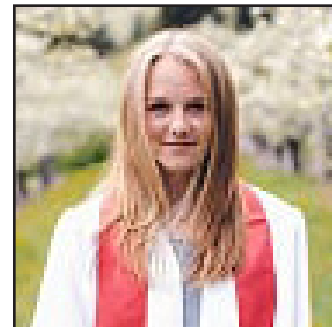
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## Cascade fastpitch softball team falls short at state

By IAN DUNN  
EDITOR

By any measure, it was an outstanding season for the Cascade Kodiak fastpitch softball team. Even though the team lost both games at state, Cascade was still the outright Caribou Trail League champion and District champion. Cascade finishes the season 15-7.

Cascade had a tough match-up in the first round at state against Elma, a team that ended up finishing in second place. Elma pounded out 15 hits and capitalized on four Cascade errors to win 15-3.

It started well for the Kodiaks. After Elma scored a run in the first, Cascade responded by scoring three runs in the bottom of the frame. Colby West had an RBI single and Kaija Lovelady stole home after getting caught in a run-down.

In the second, Cascade committed three errors as Elma scored six runs on three hits. In the fourth, Elma scored eight runs. The game ended on the 10-run rule in the fifth.

"We lost to a very good team

in the first round. Unfortunately, we did not play very well on defense leading to the lopsided score. A highlight of the game was the relief pitching of Truh Merriman," said Head Coach Todd Gilbert.

Sarah Paulson, the Kodiaks' best hurler all season, pitched 3 innings, giving up 7 earned runs on 12 hits with three walks. Truh Merriman pitched 2 innings, giving up no earned runs on 3 hits with 4 strikeouts and 1 walk.

West was 2-for-2 with an RBI. Lovelady was 1-for-3 with a run and an RBI.

In the consolation bracket, Cascade played Bellevue Christian. It was a pitching duel up to the bottom of the fifth when BC took advantage of three walks and a passed ball to score five runs on two hits.

Cascade was not able to rally until the seventh, scoring three runs. Unfortunately, the tying and go-head runs were on base when the game ended. The Kodiaks had four walks in the inning and a hit batter. The only hit was a single by Kayla Bittle.

"Both teams really came

out pitching well and playing good defense in this one. An outstanding catch by Rylee Jacobson in left on a deep drive and a great diving stop at shortstop by Truh Merriman where she got back to her feet and threw the runner out really helped us hang in there in this one," Gilbert said. "The girls showed a lot of grit grinding out at bats in the seventh to score three runs and get the tying and go ahead runs on base. Madeline Schiefelbein put a good swing on a ball and if it happened to be a little more left or right the game would have been tied up."

Paulson pitched 6 innings, giving 5 earned runs on 3 hits with 5 strikeouts and 6 walks. Bittle was 1-for-3 with a run. Paulson was 1-for-4.

"This team really had a very good season and have a lot to be proud of. It was great to see them compete down to the last out. We look forward to building on this experience," Gilbert said.

*Ian Dunn can be reached at 548-5286 or editor@leavenworthecho.com.*



File photo

Cascade's top pitcher, Sarah Paulson, had a rough time in the first game against Elma, but rebounded nicely in the second game. Unfortunately, the Kodiaks lost both games at state.



Photo submitted by Brett Johnson  
Maddie Vandel, left, and Megan Evans finished fifth at the state tennis tournament.

## Cascade doubles teams both place state tennis tournament

By IAN DUNN  
EDITOR

Cascade High School sent two doubles teams to the State 1A/2B/1B Tennis Tournament in Yakima on May 25, 26. The boys doubles team of Finn Johnson and Dylan Kuehni finished eighth at the state tennis tournament.

In the first round of consolation, they faced Owen Bryant and Daniel Gady of Freeman. The Cascade duo rebounded nicely to win 6-3, 6-3. In the next round, they beat John Hanna and Alden Bothamley of Goldendale 6-0, 6-3.

Johnson and Kuehni played Eric Owsley and Eli Holz of Tonasket in the consolation final. The Tonasket duo won the first set 6-2, but Cascade came back and won the second set 6-2. The Tigers then

buckled down to win the final set 6-2 and claim fifth place. Johnson and Kuehni finished in eighth place.

The Cascade girls duo of Maddie Vandel and Megan Evans matched up against Kendra Gay and Gillian Hartman of Lakeside in the first round. Vandel and Evans battled, but lost a tough three setter, 5-7, 6-3, 6-2.

Like the boys, they were pushed into the consolation bracket. They began by beating Simran Kaur and Sitali Cortes of Naches Valley 6-0, 6-0. Next, they played Kaylee Schow and Alley Vestal of Tenino. Cascade won 6-4, 6-0 to earn a spot in the consolation final.

Vandel and Evans met Kaitlyn Roettger and Sophie Blodgett of Granger in the consolation final. Cascade won 6-4, 7-5 to grab fifth place.

Granger fell to eighth place.

"Both got difficult draws and ended up losing their first match. However, they both rebounded well and won the next two matches. Boys teams played great and by winning the next two, it assured them of playing the next day and winning a medal," said Cascade Head Coach Mark Hassinger. "The boys played a tough Tonasket team and lost in three sets. The girls match was actually a difficult match as well but the girls played great to win in three sets. All in all a great tournament and both teams played really well."

The Cascade boys and girls teams each earned enough points to finish in 10th place.

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Photo submitted by Brett Johnson  
Finn Johnson, left, and Dylan Kuehni finished eighth at the state tennis tournament.

## Cascade senior Ashley Parton caps career with 300 hurdles state championship

### Kodiak track and field team shines at state meet

By IAN DUNN  
EDITOR

Cascade senior Ashley Parton was the only member of the track and field team to capture a state title. Parton bested the field in the 1A division with a time of 44.72 in the 300 hurdles finals.

"She had a great start, continued to push through the corner and finished strong. You could see it right from the start that she was going to win. You could watch her determination," said Cascade Head Coach Bill Davies.

Julia Armstrong finished third in the pole vault with a jump of 11-feet. Gianna Pistoresi was fourth with a

jump of 10-foot-6. Hanna Hill of Lakeside won with a jump of 12-foot-6. Pistoresi was also fourth in the high jump.

The 4x200 team of Lauren Richarson, Emily Gaines, Kasia Muscutt and Ashley Parton won seventh place.

"These girls have medals all three years. Very cool. I will miss these girls a lot. They have been the leaders and backbone of the girls team," Davies said. "I am very proud of all the kids who ran hard today."

Freshman Zoe McDevitt, the district 3200 champ, finished 11th at state. Josie Brennan was 15th.

For the boys, freshman Landon Davies finished fourth

in the 3200 with a PR of 9:47.

"The only kids that beat him were seniors. He made several determined moves. It's a hard race and many kids get to tired to move up. He has a really good distance coach that helped him run such an awesome race," Davies said of his son Landon. "I have to credit Eric Wulfman for knowing how to get the best out our distance kids."

Senior Gabe Wulfman had quite the meet as well. He was second in the disabled division 100, 200 and tied for first in the 400.

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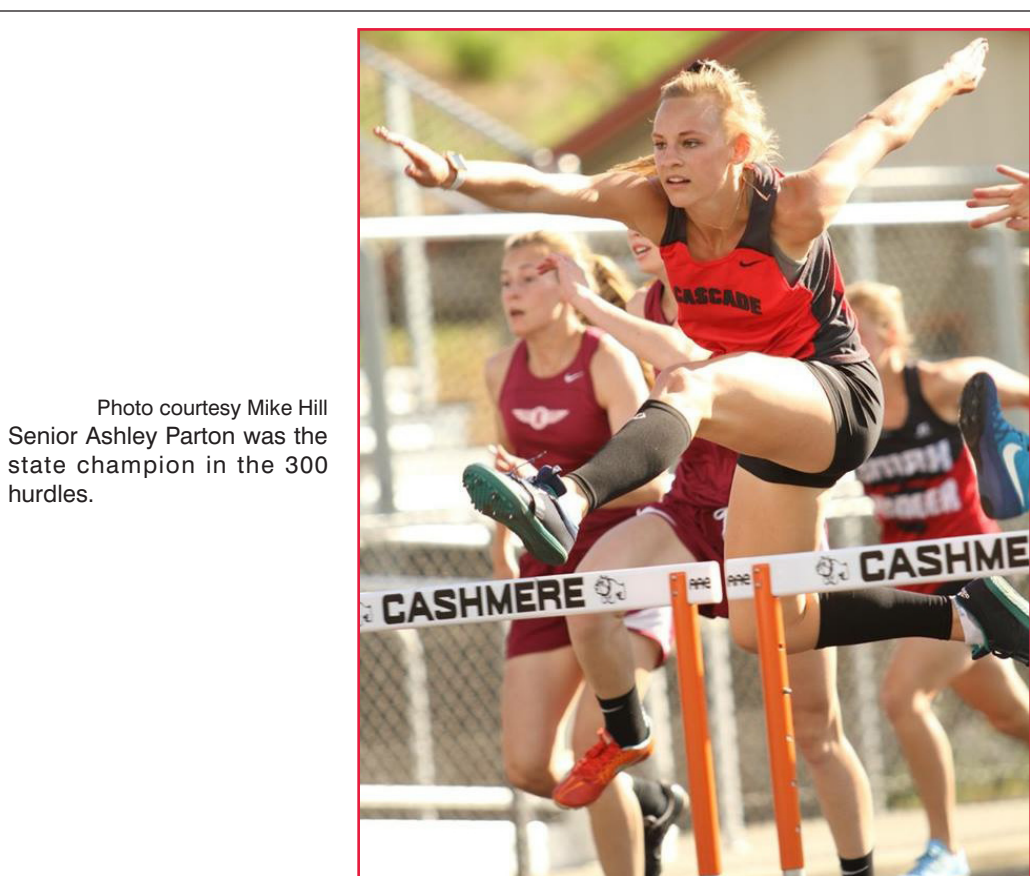


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Senior Ashley Parton was the state champion in the 300 hurdles.

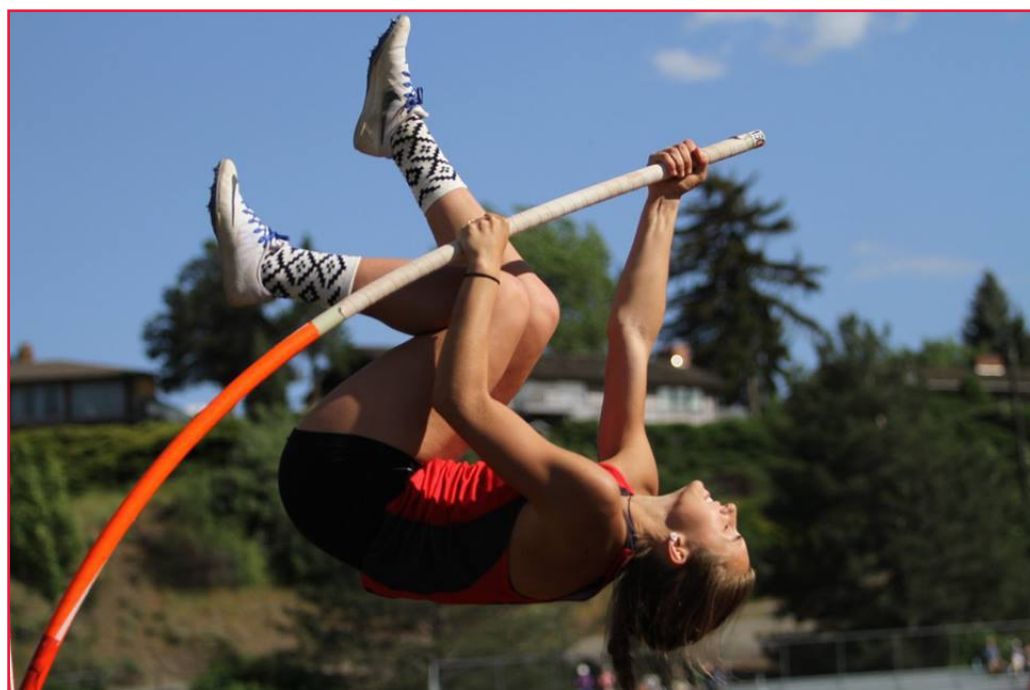


Photo courtesy Mike Hill  
Cascade's Gianna Pistoresi finished fourth in the pole vault at state.



# Fiery Independent Lee Duncan: 'First line of defense against bureaucratic red tape, property rights'

## Marijuana grower seeks seat on Chelan County Commission

By GARY BÉGIN  
NCW MEDIA'S MANAGING EDITOR

Gary Bégin sat down with businessman Lee Duncan recently at Tastebuds Coffee & Wine restaurant in Wenatchee to discuss his candidacy for a seat on the Chelan County Board of Commissioners.

Duncan has announced he is vying for the soon to be vacated seat of Keith Goehner. In an exclusive interview with NCW Media, Duncan said he wants to help "deregulate" the bureaucratic red tape he feels stifles entrepreneurs and private citizens throughout the county. "I consider myself the first line of defense for people, helping them overcome regulatory barricades," Duncan said.

Duncan said he does not want to be known as just the "pot" candidate because "he understands the plight of the small businessman and how best to help them."

Presented here is the Q&A from that interview:

### Echo: Are you running as a Democrat, Republican or Independent?

Lee Duncan: Independent. I feel it is unnecessary to bring political partisanship into a position that needs experience and leadership. To try and use political ideology to elect local leaders is just further dividing our communities and leaves us with the wrong people in charge.

### Echo: What is your political philosophy as compared to the typical Republican commissioners Chelan County has had for many years?

Duncan: I feel there is a fundamental difference in philosophy between what we have seen for many years now and what I believe the County Commission should be. I believe the duty of the Commission is to foster cooperation and compromise. For years the Chelan County Commission has unilaterally increased its authority to regulate and control its citizens rather than assisting them. They ignore the recommendations of their own Planning Commission, ignore the public comments of their citizens and simply pass whatever regulations they want. Their recent amendment to their Title 16 Enforcement and Violations code is a perfect example of this. The amendment allows the County to take legal action against anyone in violation of any county code without having to go through the administrative process first. The code is set up to make sure everyone is in violation of something.

They have become very good at dividing the community, pitting neighbor against neighbor. What they did to the local cannabis industry is the perfect example of that! The Commission should be the agency which brings people together despite their differences rather than exploiting those differences to justify more regulations. It today's world nothing is black and white. There are always pros and cons and each side must understand them in order to come to a compromise. Ev-

everyone should have an equal voice when it comes to our community and we should not be beholden to the few voices the Commissioners seems to listen to.

As Commissioner I would change the adversarial type approach the County takes with its constituents. Reviewing the County Code to reduce bureaucracy and fees, making personal changes, moving code enforcement away from a complaint driven process and reigning in wasteful spending spent on lawsuits is the only way to fundamentally change the current philosophy of Chelan County.

### Echo: Tourism and agriculture are the main economic driving force in the county. Do you have any projects or policies that will benefit that sector?

Duncan: It is important for us to preserve our agricultural roots and economy. Our agriculture is part of what drives our tourism. This area is a recreational destination for people from all over the globe. As Commissioner I would obviously stay engaged with both industries to ensure they have the support they need. I believe making the fundamental changes at the County will ensure both industries continue to thrive.

### Echo: You have a large family, you run more than one business and you have a private life. How will you be able to handle all these hats if you get elected?

Duncan: You are right. I have my farm and Duncan Business Services (DBS) where I provided environmental consulting as well as marketing service geared towards the cannabis industry. Unfortunately, over the last couple of years I have had to focus so much time, money and energy trying to save my farm, as well as 40 other farms, I have not been able to grow DBS like I envisioned. In fact, I don't do anything with it right now. The local cannabis industry has been so decimated I really don't think it is worth putting effort into it. Depending on whether the County will give me a Conditional Use Permit for my farm I may have all the time in the world to focus on the job of Commissioner. The impact of them shutting down the cannabis industry goes well beyond just closing 40 farms. It has affected the ancillary businesses as well. For every farm that must close down there are numerous local businesses that will lose business.

If my farm does somehow survive I will happily hire an additional employee to take over for me. There are a lot of experienced local cannabis farmers looking for a job right now! As far as my private life, I am helping raise five kids. My fiancé and I are both active in the school system. I have and will always wear many hats in my life. Putting the Commissioner hat on is just another way I can ensure my kids have as many opportunities as possible as they grow up.

### Echo: Tell the readers of the WBJ how you will ensure that Chelan County government

### will become more transparent than it has been?

Duncan: Again, I go back to changing the mentality of the County. Transparency will be a natural part of that change. Once we have a fair system of governance transparency will be inherent in that system. We must restore order to the internal structure, get the right people in the right positions. This will allow transparency back.

### Echo: Where did you get your inspiration to run for office in the first place?

Duncan: I worked for Chelan County Natural Resource Department for almost a decade. What inspired me in that job is the same thing that inspires me to run for office, bringing people together to improve our community. I facilitated and managed watershed management committees. I was able to bring together all the different stakeholders of an area from irrigation districts and individual farmers/property owners to environmental

now around 500-600 less job opportunities in a brand new industry in Chelan County. The opportunity for a young person to be part of the innovative local cannabis industry has been taken away by three individuals who likely in no way represent their values. Making sure they know that hopefully will help. Getting ahead in today's world takes thinking outside the box. Limiting people's opportunities to think outside the box goes against what Americans are all about! Younger Americans are not just the community leaders of tomorrow but should and can be the leaders of today. If nothing else they need to realize without their voices being heard their future will be dictated to them.

### Echo: What do you feel is the most important issue facing Chelan County and what do you plan on doing to fix it?

Duncan: The most important issue right now for the County is the lack of leadership. There does not seem to be any forethought in anything it does.



Submitted photo

Lee Duncan

groups and various state and federal agencies. All with their own special interests and agendas. I was always able to find common ground among the different groups and ultimately come to consensus on how to best manage and improve watershed conditions. I am excited about using this skill set to find consensus on the issues facing the county.

### Echo: Are you doing anything special to appeal to younger voters and inspire 18-35-year-olds to gut up and change the status quo?

Duncan: I plan on conducting voter registration drives to inform them of the issues effecting their generation. I would like to think what is going on with national politics would be enough, but my guess is it is not. The reality is the decisions of local government impacts our day to day lives more directly than any national issues. Making sure young voters know that as well as educating them about what the local issues are will hopefully get them motivated. The impact the County has had on the cannabis industry is a perfect example. There are

Everything seems to be a knee jerk reaction. In today's world, not everything can be fixed through increased regulations and zoning. The first thing that needs to be done is getting the right people in certain positions. In the last dozen years there have been six or seven Community Development Directors and Interim Directors! This department is the heart of the County, but they don't seem to be able to find anyone to "lead" it for more than about 24 months. This is probably due to not wanting someone in that position who will question their decisions.

The next thing is to empower certain employees and rein in other ones. As someone who worked for the County for nine years I know exactly what the positions are that need this. I was a Union rep for my department and represented the employees at Union negotiations with the County. I guarantee I will be the only candidate that can say they have already worked for the County AND its employees!

Once the right people are in the right positions and they are actually allowed to do their jobs without having to worry about pleasing the "good Ol'boys club" the

County can start to function once again. It must become pro-active when it comes to topics such as nightly rentals, affordable housing, preserving agriculture and balancing property rights and land use. Trying to figure out solutions to potential problems before they are problems is the role of the Chelan County Commission.

### Echo: What plans do you have to help all Chelan County businesses and residents?

Duncan: I would have a review of the current county code to determine what fees, permits and other red tape can be eliminated. The county code is set up to be used as a deterrent to local business rather than assisting them. A business or individual can spend thousands of dollars just to have a proposed project reviewed plus it takes weeks just to get a pre-application meeting! That is all before you even submit a business application. There are multiple departments that must review business applications and they each have their own process and fees. This is the definition of wasteful government bureaucracy. Streamlining the County Code and process is a must.

Reducing the control the County has over private property must happen as well. Right now, if you own property with any type of stream/waterbody on it the County has the authority to limit what you do on your property. The Commission adopted setbacks for streams from 100 to 300 feet wide. This means if you have a stream like Chumstick Creek on your property you can not build anything within 150-ft on either side. A total of 300-ft by the length of stream on your property is the amount of your property you don't have control over. Having done the stream typing for the county for nine years I am in the unique position to reassess the stream buffers and assign buffers that protect the streams, but allow property owners maximum utilization of their land. Chelan County is made up of 88 percent publicly owned land. For the County to further restrict land from being utilized knowing we are all fighting over 12 percent of the available land is yet another example of government overreach.

Changing the code enforcement process from a complaint driven process to a code compliance process is vital as well. Currently anyone with a grievance can use this process to make their issue the County's, and therefore the taxpayers' issue. If you don't like a business owner or individual all you have to do is call and complain about their smell, noise, parking, fill in the blank. If the County

does not like that person, they simply use the "complaint" as justification to prosecute them. The recent Title 16 amendment gives even more legal jurisdiction to an outdated, corrupt process. The code enforcement officers do not even have the ability to write citations. Everything must be run through the prosecutor's office. So, we forego prosecuting real criminals for prosecuting local farmers for smells.

I would replace this process with a system in which code compliance officers work WITH businesses and individuals to make sure public health and safety concerns are dealt with, which is the intent of the County code. I would give the authority to compliance officers to deal with problems rather than bogging the legal department down with violations for overgrown weeds and parking issues. This authority would include allowing a business or individual to remedy the situation in a reasonable amount of time. If there are no corrective steps taken, then a citation could be issued. This allows for a much more even and fair playing field for everyone. The current system caters to corruption and personal vendettas.

I moved my family here over a dozen years ago to work for Chelan County. For almost a decade I worked in this community to help restore and manage the natural resources of the area which we all rely on in one way or another. I was successful in securing millions of dollars of grant funding for irrigation infrastructure improvements, water storage projects and water quality improvement projects. In an area with so many competing interests for water I was always able to find common ground and compromise among the many stakeholders. I understand the different opinions and interests of farmers, private landowners, special interest groups, businesses and industries when it comes to natural resource management. Everyone's interests must be taken into account. Ultimately it is in everyone's best interest to work with one another and that is what we did. The County must start buying into this philosophy. The arbitrary and capricious nature of how they apply and enforce County code and run our local government must stop! Getting elected will defiantly send a message that the citizens of Chelan County are ready to take their County back. I am what Chelan County needs!

Editor's Note: Keith Goehner is running for the 12th District Legislative seat being vacated by Cary Condotta.

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### Leavenworth

#### Monday, May 28

02:27 Disturbance reported at Icicle Village Resort.  
 12:17 Harass/threats reported at 12069 Chumstick Hwy.  
 16:54 Hazard reported at Icicle Rd. & Shore St.  
 18:31 Attempt to locate person at White River Rd. & Little Wenatchee.  
 19:59 Burglary reported at 24141 White River Rd. Lake Wenatchee.

#### Tuesday, May 29

02:10 DUI reported at US2 and 12 St.  
 07:16 Malicious mischief reported at 9425 Saunders Rd. Peshastin.  
 09:23 Welfare check requested at 1305 Front St.  
 09:40 Civil issue reported at 155 W. Whitman St.  
 10:57 Malicious mischief reported at Hampton Inn.  
 11:04 911 call reported from 12795 Ranger Rd.  
 15:03 Traffic offense reported at Chumstick Hwy, MP3.  
 15:23 911 call reported at Cashmere Valley Bank.  
 16:52 Attempt to locate person reported at Icicle 76.  
 17:58 Traffic offense reported at 7900 Mountain Home Rd.  
 18:16 Suspicious activity reported at 8201 Mountain Home Rd.  
 22:15 Civil issue reported at 155 W. Whitman St.  
 22:38 Runaway reported at 10415 Titus Rd.

#### Wednesday, May 30

00:56 Public assist requested at Squirrel Tree Restaurant.  
 05:12 Non injury accident reported at 9088 Derby Canyon Rd.  
 06:39 Extra patrol requested at US2 & River Bend Dr.  
 10:48 Suspicious activity reported at 8384 Main St. Peshastin.  
 11:47 Welfare check requested at 243 Prospect St.  
 12:04 Fraud/forgery reported at 3300 US97.  
 13:33 Suspicious activity reported at Post Office.

15:24 Burglary reported at 18190 Nason Ridge Rd. Lake Wenatchee.  
 15:33 Assault reported at Union 76.  
 16:07 Animal problem reported at CHS.  
 16:31 Welfare check requested at 3557 Allen Ln. Peshastin.  
 19:07 911 call reported at 19 Winery Ln.  
 19:50 Scam reported at 110 Park Ave.  
 21:57 Traffic offense reported at 800 Front St.

#### Thursday, May 31

12:48 911 call reported at 708 US2.  
 13:03 Burglary reported at 18195 W. Dardenells Rd. Lake Wenatchee.  
 13:41 Harass/threats reported at Safeway.  
 14:33 Hazard reported at 8384 Main St.  
 14:40 Public assist requested at 207 West St.  
 17:05 Parking/abandoned vehicle issue reported at 213 9th St.  
 17:22 Public assist requested at Mountain Home Rd.  
 20:53 Welfare check requested at 1016 Commercial St.

#### Friday, June 1

09:43 Parking/abandoned vehicle issue reported at 9000 Mountain Home Rd.  
 09:48 Parking/abandoned vehicle issue reported at 18554 Karl Rd. Lake Wenatchee.  
 10:22 Civil issue reported at 122126 Appalossa Ln. Plain.  
 11:17 Parking/abandoned vehicle issue reported at Alice Ave. & US2.  
 13:30 Suspicious activity reported at 22708 Saddle St. Plain.  
 14:01 911 call reported at 12795 Shore St.  
 16:18 Burglary reported at 10125 Chumstick Hwy.  
 16:53 Extra patrol requested at 9191 Icicle Rd.  
 17:56 Alarm reported at 17545 Coulter Creek Rd.  
 19:08 Fraud/forgery reported at 11683 Chumstick Hwy.  
 19:37 Welfare check requested at Cashmere Valley Bank.

20:22 Drugs reported at Fairbridge Inn.  
 22:10 Noise reported at 8877 Josephine Ave. Dryden.  
 22:29 Non injury accident reported at Lake Wenatchee Hwy, MP7.  
 22:35 Suspicious activity reported at 8901 Josephine Ave. Dryden.

#### Saturday, June 2

09:21 Suspicious activity reported at Howard Johnson's.  
 14:44 Littering reported at 18550 Karl Rd. Lake Wenatchee.  
 17:19 Parking/abandoned vehicle issue reported at 11632 Freund Canyon Rd.  
 18:23 Vehicle prowling reported at 115 West St.  
 19:26 Welfare check requested at Safeway.  
 19:39 Traffic offense reported at 10001 School St. Peshastin.  
 21:23 Non injury accident reported at 1001 Front St.  
 23:02 Alarm reported at 8040 Old Bridge Rd.  
 23:20 Noise reported at 1500 Alpensee Str.

#### Sunday, June 3

00:05 Noise reported at 2449 Salal Dr.  
 00:24 Runaway reported at 10415 Titus Rd.  
 15:47 Welfare check requested at Alpen Haus Gifts.  
 15:53 Alarm reported at 10781 Lone Pine Dr. Peshastin.  
 16:26 Harass/threats reported at 123 Cherry St.  
 16:29 Civil issue reported at 8901 Josephine Ave. Dryden.  
 16:30 Theft reported at 9th & Front streets.  
 16:33 Harass/threats reported at 6938 Dryden Ave.  
 17:59 Hazard reported at Chumstick Hwy, MP12.  
 19:01 Disturbance reported at 263 Mine St.  
 20:16 Disturbance reported at 8460 Main St. Peshastin.  
 20:47 Domestic disturbance reported at 16059 Cedar Brae Rd. Lake Wenatchee.  
 20:53 Welfare check requested at 8859 Josephine Ave. Dryden.  
 21:46 Suspicious activity reported at 15395 US2.

21:46 Suspicious activity reported at 10330 Motteler Rd.

#### Fire/EMS Responses

##### Monday, May 28

09:11 CC3 responded to a commercial alarm at 7375 Icicle Rd.  
 16:57 CC9 responded to an illegal burn at Camp 12 & Colt roads.

##### Tuesday, May 29

12:35 CC3,CC6 responded to a vehicle fire at US2 & Main St.  
 17:27 CM responded to a psychiatric issue at Icicle 76.

##### Wednesday, May 30

16:30 CM responded to a psychiatric issue at 3557 Allen Ln.

##### Thursday, May 31

14:48 CM,CC3 responded to a fall at 9151 Icicle Rd.  
 20:53 CM responded to a sick person at 1016 Commercial St.

##### Friday, June 1

03:03 CM,CC3 responded to a breathing problem at 105 Winery Ln.  
 11:30 CM,CC3 responded to a fall

at 233 Park Ave.  
 15:06 CM,CC9 responded to traumatic injury at US2, MP78.  
 17:11 CM,CC9 responded to an injury accident at US2, MP87.  
 19:37 CM responded to a welfare check at Cashmere Valley Bank.

##### Saturday, June 2

14:45 CM,CC3 responded to an unconscious person at 12320 Bergstrasse Rd.  
 14:58 CM,CC3 responded to a breathing problem at 375 Ski Hill Dr.  
 16:06 CM,CC3 responded to an unconscious person at 8975 Icicle Rd.  
 17:28 CM,CC3 responded to someone with a breathing problem at 375 Ski Hill Dr.  
 19:39 CM,CC3 responded to a sick person at Safeway.

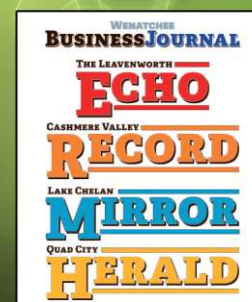
##### Sunday, June 3

13:35 CM,CC3 responded to an unconscious person at 9101 Icicle Rd.



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## Math is Cool teams shine at State



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The Osborn Elementary Math is Cool teams, led by Wendi Merriman and Lisa Gilbert, competed recently in the state math championship at Moses Lake. Due to earlier successes, the Osborn teams were bumped up into a higher division and they rose to the challenge. The fifth grade team placed second in the state - the highest placement ever achieved by a team from Osborn. The school also scored its highest ever individual placement with Caroline Menna grabbing 10th in the state. Pictured, from left, Caroline Menna, Savanna Rowles, Rhone Goodfellow and Caden Peterson.

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