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Chelan Valley Feral Cat Project transforms lives of local cats

By KATIE LINDERT

Ward Media Staff Reporter

CHELAN - Chelan and Manson area feral cats are given a new life through the efforts of the Chelan Valley Feral Cat Project (CVFCP), an effort coordinated by Chelan resident and CVFCP director April Leaf. Leaf, through an initiative to trap, seek healthcare for, and release local feral cats, advocates for the wellness and sustained life of area cats with profound dedication.

She has devoted effort to this initiative since the 1980's, but has been helping cats all her life. She was first inspired to work with feral cats when she lived on the island of Hawaii. Leaf worked to find mistreated animals and help restore them to health and safety.

She recently began a similar project in the Lake Chelan Valley; the CVFCP has been a coordinated effort since April. The program seeks to locate, humanely trap, provide healthcare, and release feral cats back to their established colonies and neighborhoods. In tandem with area volunteers, the Wenatchee Humane Society, Okanogan Animal Rescue,

and The Village Veterinarian in Chelan, the effort has served over 60 cats, with more to serve with every passing week.

Barbara L. Fehr, DVM of The Village Veterinarian in Chelan, primarily meets the cats' health needs. A devoted care provider for area animals, Barbara provides various health services to these cats as needed before their release. The care extends from spay/neuter services to providing shots, deworming, demitting, teeth extraction, and uterus removal-often whatever it is that each cat needs to be successful in their reintegration into the valley. Leaf asserts, "Without her extremely generous support, we couldn't do this."

Currently, Leaf and area volunteers are working to humanely trap roughly 40 cats near the Lake Chelan Airport in the Apple Acres area, a large population of animals needing primary care. This effort will cost nearly \$8,000, but with the generous donations of area residents, only \$600-\$1,000 is currently needed to support this project. Although

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Dena Ramirez-Halle of Wenatchee (left), and Sara Nagel of Whidbey Island (right) hold Buffy (Buff), one of the kittens being taken care of by April Leaf of Chelan Valley Feral Cat Project, at the Chelan Farmers Market on September 7.

Manson Chamber of Commerce seeks volunteers

By KATIE LINDERT Ward Media Staff Reporter

MANSON - The Manson Chamber of Commerce (MCC) is seeking volunteers to staff their Manson office and participate in local seasonal events throughout the year. The Chamber has operated successfully with ten volunteers actively serving in 2023; however, an increase in area events requires a need for additional support.

The MCC recently relocated to 17 Hale Street in Manson. The new location offers a more prominent presence in the community, garnering a need for more active volunteers. New Executive Director Tom Tochterman is the only paid

employee at the Chamber. the features and amenities With a background in nongovernmental development and business management, Tochterman has a strong vision for the community of Manson, which aligns with the 2023 Manson Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors.

What was formerly the Manson Business Association, the MCC excitedly looks toward the valley's future. Their 2023 Membership Application states their purpose, "To support and assist our community members to successfully grow both now and in the future. The Manson Chamber of Commerce is a non-profit organization organized to bring greater awareness and focus to Manson and

we offer. From our beautiful wineries and agriculture to our breathtaking landscape and our growing recognition as a destination for dining, entertainment, and accommodations, we strive to bring attention to all of our assets. We believe that ALL businesses benefit by working together for mutual success.

For more information about volunteer engagement and ways to sign up, visit www. moretomanson.com or contact community volunteer Norm Manly directly through the Manson Chamber of Commerce office.

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The Manson Chamber of Commerce is now located at 17 Hale Street in Manson and invites those visiting the area to take a photo in their giant beach chair in front of the office.

Habitat for Humanity undertakes ambitious housing initiative in Chelan

By KATIE LINDERT

Ward Media Staff Reporter

CHELAN - Lake Chelan Valley Habitat for Humanity is actively engaged in constructing eight homes for eligible community members on the 600 block of Wapato Avenue in Chelan. This new development, known as Pumpkin Lane, is a cul-de-sac addition. The site consists of two parcels of land generously donated to Lake Chelan Valley Habitat for Humanity. Construction is currently underway, with plans to further divide the land. This division will facilitate the construction of a second duplex; one duplex has already been completed and is presently accommodating two families. Additionally, four standalone homes will be added to the complex.

Historically, Lake Chelan Valley Habitat for Humanity has typically been able to

complete one housing unit per year, adhering to the minimum requirements set by Habitat for Humanity International. However, the current project represents a departure from their past endeavors, largely attributable to the availability of these particular land

Lake Chelan Valley Habitat for Humanity is a 501(c)(3) non-profit affiliate of Habitat for Humanity International, an organization dedicated to increasing access to housing worldwide. Michelle Fanton, the Executive Director of Lake Chelan Valley HFH, discusses the criteria used for selecting beneficiaries, stating, "Habitat has three key criteria that we use to assess eligibility, and one of them is need. When we refer to 'need,' it's important to note that, in our community, most individuals have some degree of need. However, when Habitat as-



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Lake Chelan Valley Habitat for Humanity is constructing eight homes for eligible community members. This new development, known as Pumpkin Lane, is a cul-de-sac addition located in the 600 block of Wapato Avenue.

sesses need, we are referring to a significant need. This includes not only a need for affordable housing but often signifies substandard living conditions. We are referring

to situations where residents may lack drinkable water, face accessibility challenges due to disabilities, experience overcrowding in their homes, or endure inadequate living

conditions. When we evaluate applications, we focus on factors such as the condition of the applicant's home or rental property. We consider aspects such as exposed wiring, lead

paint, water quality, and heating availability. Sometimes people may not fully grasp the extent of need in our community.'

Lake Chelan Valley Habitat for Humanity, Chelan Valley Hope, and Chelan Valley Housing Trust have initiated monthly meetings with the goal of involving more housing organizations in the assessment of community housing needs and resources. This collaborative effort may enhance the eligibility of individual organizations for grants and reduce redundant initiatives.

Nonetheless, rising material and labor costs, difficulties in securing consistent contractors and subcontractors, and evolving climate conditions affecting the provision of no or $\,$ low-interest mortgages have significantly impacted the pace of housing projects. Fan-

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THINGS

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THIS

WEEK

Get your event in the spotlight with Ward Media! If you have an exciting event to share, email Reporter Quinn Propst at quinn@ward.media. We'll showcase the five most captivating events of the week, giving your event the recognition it deserves. Even if your event isn't among the top five, it will still be added to our events calendar and featured online. Don't miss this chance to make your event shine!

Hope Hoedown

Saturday Sept., 16, from 4-8 p.m. The Chelan Valley Hope Hoedown is a western-themed event for the whole family at Chelan Valley Farms on Saturday, Sept., 16, from 4-8 p.m..

The event includes live music from Miler Campbell a Kid's Korral area with games, face painting, corn hole, and an interactive photo booth. Food trucks Dooley Dogs and Taqueria Mazatlan will be on site and a variety of beverages will be available to purchase. There will be a raffle for several big-ticket items, with separate baskets for those under 21.

"A local artist will be doing live painting, creating a customizable scenery picture, and the lucky raffle winner will receive this unique piece," he event page states. "Other activities include a "Jail & Bail" game, where participants can be "arrested" and "bailed" out for a donation to Hope.'

Proceeds benefit Chelan Valley Hope. For more information visit www.chelanvalleyhope.org

Third Thursdays

Historic Downtown Chelan is hosting Third Thursday on Thursday Sept., 21 from 3-7 p.m.

"Wander the sidewalks, enjoy live

music at the Riverwalk Pavilion and special activities provided by local downtown businesses,' the event page states. "There's something for the whole family on Third

Thursdays. Enjoy activities in historic downtown Chelan from 3-5 pm and music in the Park from 5-7 p.m.."

The band Whisky Trail, a classic rock cover band, will be perform-

For more information visit www. historicchelan.org

Comedy in the Garden

Ohme Gardens is hosting comedian Andrew Rivers on Friday, Sept., 15 from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m.

"Having toured North America and Europe as an opener for some of the comedy greats. Andrew's comedic prowess is guaranteed to leave you in stitches in this evening of hilarity and entertainment," the event page

Event is for ages 21 plus. Must bring valid ID.

For more information visit www. ohmegardens.org.

Live Music and Food

North Cascades Bank is hosting a grand opening on Friday Sept., 15 at 4 p.m. at 223 E. Johnson Ave., Chelan.

"Join them for tours of the building, meet the team, enjoy food and drinks, the Kevin Jones Band, and an official ribbon cutting with the Lake Chelan Chamber of Commerce," the event page states

For more information visit www. northcascadesbank.com

Live Music at Chelan Ridge Winery

Chelan Ridge Winery is hosting a performance by Washington state musician Gina Belliveau on Sunday, Sept., 17 from 4-7 p.m.

"Gina is a Tacoma based musician who plays looped, percussive acoustic folk with an achilles heel for ridiculous pop cover tunes," the event page states. "Her ever expanding repertoire runs the gamut from Billie Holiday to Billie Jean."

For more information visit www. chelanridgewinery.com.



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April Leaf of Chelan Valley Feral Cat Project is taking care of. left to right, Moon Pie, Blossom, Fluffy, and Buffy (Buff).

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the program exists primarily due to private donations, Leaf provides food and litter for all cats gathered with the Feral Cat Program. Community members may contribute to the CVFCP by donating directly to The Village Veterinarian or to

Leaf at the Chelan Farmer's Market.

Moving forward, Leaf hopes to begin aiding in rehoming cats and is currently caring for eight cats. It is the intention of CVFCP to become a formal not-forprofit organization.

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The vital lifeline: Why supporting local journalism matters

In an age dominated by headlines from around the world and a seemingly endless stream of information at our fingertips, it's easy to overlook the profound impact local journalism has on our lives and communities. Today, I want to remind you why it's crucial to support local journalism, not just as a publisher but as an engaged citizen deeply committed to the well-being of our society.

Local journalism is the heartbeat of our communities. It is the trusted source that brings us stories about our neighbors, schools, local businesses, and city councils. It's the lens through which we

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From the Publisher

gain insights into the issues that directly affect our lives. Here are some compelling reasons why supporting local journalism is more important now than ever:

Accountability and Transparency: Local journalism holds those in power accountable. It serves as a watchdog over local governments, ensuring they remain transparent and answerable to the people they serve. Without the diligent reporting of local journalists, corruption and mismanagement can thrive unchecked.

Community Connection: Local journalism strengthens the bonds within our communities. It tells the stories of our friends and neighbors, celebrates our successes, and addresses our challenges. It provides a platform for go unheard.

Timely Information: In times of crisis or emergency, local journalism is often the quickest source of accurate information. Whether it's a natural disaster, a public health crisis, or a community event, local journalists are on the frontlines, delivering real-time updates to keep us informed and safe.

Economic Impact: Supporting local journalism means supporting local businesses. Small businesses rely on local news outlets to connect with customers and advertise their services. When local journalism thrives, so does the local economy.

Education and Awareness: Local journalism educates us about issues that voices that might otherwise affect our lives, from school

board decisions to zoning changes. It empowers us to make informed choices and actively participate in our

Diverse Perspectives: Local journalists understand the nuances of our communities and are more likely to provide a balanced and nuanced view of local issues. This diversity of perspectives is crucial for a healthy democracy.

Quality of Life: A vibrant local journalism ecosystem enhances our quality of life. It fosters civic engagement, encourages dialogue, and inspires positive change. It's not just about what's happening; it's about how we can collectively make our communities better.

However, the landscape of journalism has been shifting dramatically. Local newsrooms are struggling to survive in an era where advertising dollars increasingly flow to tech giants, and news consumption habits are evolving. As a result, many local news outlets are forced to cut staff or close their doors, leaving communities without a critical source of information.

So, what can we do to support local journalism? Here are a few steps:

Subscribe: Consider subscribing to your local newspaper. Your subscription helps fund the journalists who work tirelessly to keep you informed.

Engage and Share: Read, share, and engage with local news stories on social media. Spread the word about the importance of local journalism to your friends and family.

Advertise Locally: If you're a business owner, consider advertising in local media. It's a win-win, as you promote your business while supporting journalism.

Advocate: Advocate for policies that support local journalism, such as tax incentives for local news out-

Local journalism is an invaluable pillar of our communities. It's the voice that tells our stories, uncovers the truth, and empowers us to make informed decisions. By supporting local journalism, we invest in the health and well-being of our communities and safeguard the principles of democracy. Let us come together to ensure that this vital lifeline remains strong and resilient for future generations.

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ton elaborates, "This has become a significant challenge for anyone involved in home construction or renovation, both individuals and organizations. Lake Chelan Valley HFH is currently focused on establishing relationships and devising an efficient and dependable building plan. An economy of scale is real-

ized through collaboration with established builders who oversee multiple projects, as opposed to acting as our own contractor. This approach provides us with improved, more reliable, and cost-effective access to subcontractors, labor, and materials, ideally minimizing delays."

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The Lake Chelan Valley Habitat for Humanity development, known as Pumpkin Lane in the 600 block of Wapato Avenue, will include curbs and sidewalks.



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CHELAN COUNTY SHERIFF/FIRE/EMS

Chelan County Sheriff

06:59 Burglary, 15029 US Hwy. 97A, Entiat

07:10 Marine, 10248 S. Lakeshore Rd., Chelan

08:37 CPS/ APS Referral, 14425 Olin St., Entiat

10:56 Marine, 10230 S. Lakeshore Rd., Chelan 16:13 Disturbance, 471 N. Mad-

eline Rd., Manson

19:20 Agency Assist, SR 150 and Boyd Rd., Chelan 21:31 Public Assist, 200 block

Lord Acres Rd., Chelan 22:48 Non-injury Accident, SR 150 and Dietrich Rd., Chelan

23:55 Property, 108 S. Emerson St., Chelan

Sept. 2

01:34 Noise Complaint, 300 block E. Wapato Ave., Chelan

01:51 Noise Complaint, 88 Minneapolis Beach Rd., Chelan

02:24 DUI Arrest, US Hwy. 97A MP 208, Entiat

07:55 Trespassing, 23661 US

Hwy. 97A, Chelan 10:23 Theft, 128 E. Woodin Ave., Kelly's ACE Hardware, Chelan

12:05 Hazard, Old Chelan Bridge, Chelan 12:59 Agency Assist, 478 Murdock

Canyon Rd., Entiat 13:09 Traffic Offense, 4000 block

E. Nixon Ave., Chelan 13:18 Marine, 3519 SR 150 area, Manson

13:25 Animal Problem, 485 W. Manson Rd., Don Morse Park, Chelan

13:54 Agency Assist, 291 Green Ave., Manson

14:41 Traffic Offense, SR 150 and Waters Edge Ln., Manson

15:20 Animal Problem, 455 Wapato Lake Rd., 12 Tribes Casino, Manson

15:59 Marine, 165 Willow Point Rd., Willow Point Park, Man-

16:33 Traffic Offense, SR 150 MP

6, Chelan 16:37 Trespassing, 1210 W. Woodin Ave., Chelan

17:05 Hazard, US Hwy. 97A mP 231. Chelan

17:49 Traffic Offense, SR 150 and

wartout Rd., Ma 18:14 Harassment/Threat, 525 N.

Markeson St., Chelan 19:27 Harassment/Threat, 137 E.

Woodin Ave., Westside Pizza, Chelan

21:14 DUI Arrest, SR 150 and Bighorn Way, Chelan

21:16 Harassment/ Threat, 455 Wapato Lake Rd., 12 Tribes

Casino, Manson 22:01 Noise Complaint, 522 E. Trow Ave., Chelan 22:24 Agency Assist, US Hwy. 97A

MP 214, Entiat 22:42 Welfare Check, 2216 W.

Prospect St., Chelan 22:54 911-call, 168 Wapato Ct., Manson

Canyon Rd., Chelan 00:56 Noise Complaint, 110 W.

Sept. 3

00:49 Noise Complaint, 30 Downie

Woodin Ave., Campbell's Resort. Chelan

01:21 Noise Complaint, 100 block Brimstone Ln., Chelan

01:35 Traffic Offense, Mill Bay Boat Launch, Manson

10:36 Theft, 829 E. Wapato Ave., Mini Storage, Chelan

11:55 Property, 207 N. Emerson St., Chelan

14:05 Public Assist, Cooley Rd. and Winesap Ave., Manson

16:33 Marine, Lake Chelan 16:57 Vehicle Theft, 315 E. Wapato Ave., Chelan

17:18 Marine, 370 SR 150 area,

17:55 Juvenile Problem, 323 W. Manson Rd., Lakeview Drive-In. Chelan

18:46 Theft, 310 W. Manson Rd., Chelan IGA Market 19:56 Weapons Violation, 787 3rd

St., Chelan Falls 20:39 Diversion, 22 Dietrich Rd., Chelan

22:01 Noise Complaint, 108 Apple Ave., Chelan

22:39 DUI Arrest, W. Woodin and W. Webster Avenues, Chelan 23:01 Weapons Violation, 3519 SR 150, Lake Chelan Winery,

23:36 Burglary, 133 North Shore Dr., Chelan

Sept. 4

Manson

00:03 Disturbance, 77 Wapato Way, My Buddy's Place, Man-00:28 Traffic Offense, 409 W. Man-

son Rd., Chelan 01:02 DUI Arrest, 133 North Shore

Dr., Chelan 04:16 Noise Complaint, 400 block

S. 1st St., Chelan 08:16 Marine, 35 Black Walnut Ln., Chelan

11:16 Property, 485 W. Manson Rd., Don Morse Park, Chelan 13:48 Agency Assist, 509 E. Gib-

son Ave., Chelan 15:57 Fraud/ Forgery, 25 Wapato Point Pkwy., Mountain View

Lodge, Manson 16:32 Warrant Arrest, Manson Blvd. and Lakeshore Dr., Man-

16:34 Public Assist, SR 150 MP 2 Manson

17:03 Non-injury Accident, 102 Waterslide Dr., Slidewaters

18:18 Trespassing, 146 Columbia View Rd., Chelan

19:08 Public Assist, 139 Lord Acres Rd., Chelan 20:17 Fraud/ Forgery, 246 W.

Manson Rd., Chelan

20:41 Suspicious Circumstance, SR 150 and Bighorn Way, Chelan 20:47 Noise Complaint, Ston-

eridge St. and Voss Pl., Entiat 20:57 Theft, 108 N. Apple Blossom Dr., Walmart, Chelan

Sept. 5

08:35 Alarm, 220 E. Johnson Ave., Chelan

10:59 Warrant Arrest, SR 150 MP 3, Manson

11:03 Theft, 610 SR 150, Manson Red Apple Market, Manson 13:27 Traffic Offense, E. Eli Ln. and N. Sanders St., Chelan

14:15 Civil Dispute, 696 Green

Ave., Manson

15:27 Welfare Check, 2003 Mc-Cord Pl., Entiat

15:32 Theft, 53 S. Lakeshore Rd., Pat n' Mike's, Chelan 16:07 Traffic Offense, Manson

Blvd. and Boetzkes Ave., Man-18:06 Non-injury Accident, 913 S.

Bradley St., Chelan 20:08 Theft, 108 N. Apple Blossom Dr., Walmart, Chelan

21:06 Animal Problem, 309 Wash-

ington St., Manson 01:24 Theft, 302 E. Woodin Ave., Union 76 Station

Sept. 6

01:24 Theft, 302 E. Woodin Ave.. Union 76 station, Chelan

04:01 Drugs, 10 block Howser Rd., Chelan

11:15 Civil Dispute, 960 Klate Rd., Manson

11:19 Miscellaneous, 100 Little Butte Ranch Rd., Chelan

11:24 Traffic Offense, W. Woodin and N. East Central Avenues, Chelan

11:26 Civil Dispute, 34 Leisure Ln., Manson

11:35 Civil Dispute, 1110 Wapato Lake Rd., Manson 11:40 Civil Dispute, 1800 Cooper

Gulch Rd., Chelan 11:47 Miscellaneous, 740 Chelan

Trails Rd., Chelan 11:50 Fraud/Forgery, 55 Washing-

ton Creek Rd., Chelan 11:53 Civil Dispute, 266 Kinsey Rd., Manson

12:03 Non-injury Accident, 53 S. Lakeshore Rd., Pat n' Mike's, 12:49 Civil Dispute, 10354 S.

Lakeshore Rd., Chelan 14:10 Harassment/ Threat, 3053

Katya Ln., Chelan 15:14 Traffic Offense, SR 150 and

Crystal Dr., Chelan 16:27 Theft, 204 N. Navarre St.. Chelan 17:22 Runaway, 315 Chase Ave.,

17:58 Domestic Disturbance, 555 Roses Ave., Manson 18:49 Weapons Violation, 218

Arden Rd., Ardenvoir 18:56 Theft, 14579 US Hwy. 97A, BJ's Shell station, Entiat

21:31 Disturbance, 2331 Albin

Dr., Entiat 22:25 DUI Arrest, Albin Dr. and Entiat Way, Entiat

Manson

Sept. 7 00:00 Extra patrols, 200 Green

Ave., Manson 05:15 Trespassing, 106 W. Manson Rd., Safeway, Chelan 06:59 Traffic Offense, No See Um

Roundabout, Chelan 07:19 Property, E. Woodin Ave. and N. Columbia St., Chelan 08:03 Alarm, 15249 N. Lakeshore Dr. Entiat

10:11 Domestic Disturbance, 399 Lakeshore Dr., Manson 10:27 Parking/ Abandoned Ve-

hicle, E. Okanogan Ave. and S. Sanders St., Chelan 12:13 Civil Dispute, 45 Wapato Way, Manson 15:32 Vehicle Prowl, 2740 S. Lake-

15:46 Theft, 2955 Manson Blvd.,

shore Rd., Chelan

Manson Rd., Safeway, Chelan 18:40 Harassment/ Threat, 6220 Entiat River Rd., Entiat

Walnut St., Chelan Falls

Ave., Manson 19:38 Traffic Offense, Wapato Lake

MP 229, Chelan 20:36 Noise Complaint, 270 Upper Joe Creek Rd., Tildio Winery,

Manson 23:56 Traffic Offense, SR 150 and Shop Ave., Chelan

Sept. 1

09:10 Stroke, 117 Orchard View

09:52 Breathing Problem, 219 E. Johnson Ave., Lake Chelan

Shore Dr., Chelan

19:45 Illegal Burn, Entiat River Rd. MP 16, Entiat

Sept. 2

Chelan Fire District #7 and EMS:

12:23 Sick Person, 106 W. Manson

17:36 Malicious Mischief, 106 W.

19:08 Domestic Disturbance, 212 19:25 Suicide Threat, 315 Chase

Rd. and SR 150, Manson 19:39 Traffic Offense, 787 3rd St., Chelan Falls

20:23 Agency Assist, US Hwy. 97A

Fire/ EMS

Chelan Fire District #7 and EMS:

Dr., Chelan

18:21 Medical Alarm, 125 North

Entiat Fire District

Entiat Fire District 12:34 Fall-1, 2003 McCord Pl.,

Rd., Safeway, Chelan

15:30 Convulsions, 201 Manson Blvd., Manson Bay 16:33 Drowning, 409 W. Man-

son Rd., Lakeshore Marina, Chelan 18:03 Fall-2, 1 Wapato Point

Pkwy., Wapato Point Resort, Manson 19:56 Weapons Violation, 787 3rd

St., Chelan Falls 19:56 Traumatic Injury-1, 840 3rd St., Chelan Falls

20:39 Psychiatric, 22 Dietrich Rd., Chelan 21:13 Heart Problem, 77 Hutton

Ln., Manson 23:04 Breathing Problem, 330 E. Sayles St., Chelan

Manson Fire District 18:03 Manson Fire District. Fall-2.

1 Wapato Point Pkwy., Wapato

Entiat Fire District 22:50 Fall-1, 2003 McCord Pl.,

Point Resort, Manson

Sept. 4

Manson

Chelan Fire District #7 and EMS:

13:48 Cardiac, 509 E. Gibson Ave., Chelan

Manson Fire District 19:16 Brush Fire, 960 Klate Rd.,

Sept. 5

Chelan Fire District #7

and EMS: 08:50 Chest Pain, 1 Wapato Point Pkwy., Manson

10:06 Unconscious Person-1, 459 Loop Ave., Manson 10:51 Hemorrhage-2, 619 W.

Manson Rd., Chelan 20:02 Breathing Problem, 108 N.

Apple Blossom Dr., Walmart, **Manson Fire District**

10:06 Unconscious Person-1, 459 Loop Ave., Manson

16:01 Brush Fire, 55 Dry Lake Rd., Manson

Sept. 6 Chelan Fire District #7

and EMS: 07:17 Fall-2, 595 Division St.,

Manson 15:48 Fall-1, 320 McNeil Canyon

Rd., Orondo 17:58 Traumatic Injury-1, 555 Roses Ave., Manson

Manson Fire District 07:17 Fall-2, 595 Division St.,

Manson 19:59 Illegal Burn, 100 block Sum-

mer Breeze Rd., Manson **Entiat Fire District**

21:01 Breathing Problem, 15041 US Hwy. 97A, Entiat

Sept. 7

Chelan Fire District #7 and EMS:

10:23 Breathing Problem, 219 E.

Johnson Ave., Lake Chelan

Health 11:18 Chest Pain, 105 S. Apple Blossom Dr., CVCH

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Lake Chelan Valley Events, Things to do, Meetings

Outdoor Gallery/Murals, sculptures CHELAN - Follow the Lake Chelan Arts Council Outdoor Gallery map, available at the Lake Chelan and Manson Chambers of Commerce to discover and enjoy over 40 murals and sculptures located throughout Chelan and Manson. For information about the Arts Council, local art events and artists, with links to local and international art museums and other resources, go to artinchelan.com.

SAIL Exercise Classes:

September 13, 14, 15

CHELAN - SAIL (Stay Active & Independent for Life) fitness classes are offered at Chelan Senior Center on Monday and Wednesday at 1 p.m. and are taught by Beth Shaw and Jocelyn Rich, Occupational Therapist and Pelvic Floor Health Specialist. Evening SAIL classes are Monday and Thursday evenings at 5:30 p.m., also at the Chelan Senior Center and are taught by Ann Cooper. A SAIL class is offered to residents of Heritage Heights Assisted Living in Chelan on Mondays and Fridays at 2 p.m. taught by Gaylen Willett and Steve Davis.

Manson Farmers Market: September 13, 16

MANSON - Manson Farmers Market is held every Saturday and Wednesday thru September 30. Bell rings at 8:30 a.m. Lots of produce and crafts for sale. Want to be a vendor? Contact Gordon Lester by email

at s lester2001@yahoo.com or phone 509-687-3158.

Household hazardous waste drop off: September 13-15

Latex paint now accepted - Drop off Saturday, Oct. 7 WENATCHEE - Drop-off Saturday is October at the Chelan County Moderate Risk Waste Facility on Highway 97A. The facility is open the first Saturday of the month, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Every week, they are open Tuesday through Friday the same hours. Drop off your household hazardous wastes and latex paint. This is a free service to Chelan County residents. For a full list of items that the facility does and does not accept, go to the facility's website: https://www.co.chelan.wa.us/ solid-waste-management/pages/household-hazardous-wastes.

Chelan Senior Meals: September 13-16, 18-20 CHELAN - The Chelan Senior Center at 534 E. Trow Avenue, hosts Senior Meals Monday-Friday. Suggested donation for seniors over

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Condiments

Canned veggies

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age 60 is \$4. Fee for persons under age 60 is \$10. Please call 509-888-4440 to reserve meals 24 hours in advance. For information about Home Delivered Meals call 509-470-0522. You can visit their website at www.octn.org and follow them on Facebook. Donations can be mailed to: OCTN P.O. Box 471 Okanogan, WA 98840. Menu: September 13: Teriyaki Beef over Rice, Oriental Vegetables, Asian Coleslaw, Mandarin Oranges, Garlic Bread, Dessert; September 14: Salmon with Dill Sauce, Rosemary Potatoes, Spring Salad, Tropical Fruit, WW Roll, Dessert; September 15: Ham Sandwich, Corn Chowder, Pea Salad, Waldorf Salad, Dessert; Sept. 18: Chicken Pot Pie, Cottage Cheese, Garden Salad, Fruit Tray, WW Roll, Dessert; Sept. 19: Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Mixed Vegetables, Caesar Salad, Apple Crisp; Sept. 20: Pizza Supreme, Veggie Tray, Apple Wedges, Garlic Bread, Dessert.

Chelan Valley Hope: September 13-14, 18-21 Hoedown Fundraiser September 16

CHELAN - Last chance to pre-purchase your tickets to the Hope Hoedown. Kick up your boots and join us on Saturday, September 16, at Chelan Valley Farms 4-8 p.m. There will be live music from Miller Campbell band, a fun, western-themed interactive photo booth, and a Kid's Korral area with games, face painting, and coloring. Dooley Dogs and Taqueria Mazatlan, as well as Kettle Corn, and a no-host bar, including beer, wine, and mocktails, will be available. A raffle will feature hundreds of local items, gift cards, certificates, and more. A local artist will do live painting, creating a customizable scenery picture, which will go with several other big-ticket items in the silent auction. Other activities include a "Jail & Bail" game, where participants can be "arrested" and "bailed out" for a donation to Hope. To learn more and to purchase tickets, visit ChelanValleyHope.org/hh or HopeHH. Eventbrite.com.

Chelan Museum: September 13-16, 19-23

CHELAN - The Chelan Museum is open Tuesday thru Saturday 11 a.m.-4 p.m. The museum is located at the corner of Woodin Avenue and Emerson Street. For more information: 509-682-5644.

Cancer Support Group: September 14

CHELAN - The women surviving/thriving cancer support group will meet Thursday, September 14, 1 p.m., at the Chelan Library on Emerson Street. Whether you are newly diagnosed, going through treatments, a support to someone who is, or been thriving for years, please join them for this casual gathering. They will be meeting the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Anne Brooks, 509-682-8718.

Zumba Fitness **September 14, 19, 21**

MANSON - Zumba Fitness Class, every Tuesday and Thursday morning (excluding holidays), through October, 8:30-9:30 a.m. Join Zumba instructor, Brenda, for some Zumba fitness fun. Donation is \$5 per class. All ages welcome. It's for everyone and is so much fun. This event is a partnership between the Manson Grange and the Manson Parks and Recreation Department. Donation is \$5 per class. All donations help fund the Manson Grange building maintenance program.

Thursday Farmers Market: September 14

CHELAN - Chelan Evening Farmers Market runs May through October 26 every Thursday from 2-6 p.m. in Riverwalk Park and Emerson Street. Enjoy numerous vendors carrying fresh fruit, veggies, flowers, crafts, food trucks, live music and so much more. Each week is something a little different. www.chelanfarmersmarket.org/

VFW #6853 Post Coffee/Donuts:

September 15

CHELAN - Every Friday VFW Post #6853, located at 427 S. Bradley Street is open 9-11 a.m. for donuts and coffee and conversation. Veterans are invited to join them every Friday.

Chelan Saturday Farmers Market:

September 16

CHELAN - Chelan Saturday Farmers Market is held every Saturday now until October 28, 8 a.m.-1 p.m. in the Johnson Avenue Parking lot, 102 E. Johnson Avenue, next to Kelly Allen Insurance.

DEATH NOTICES

Patty Armbruster

Patty Armbruster, 93, of Chelan, Washington, passed away

Saturday, September 2, 2023. Please leave any thoughts and memories for the family at Prechtrose.com. Services are under the direction of Precht Rose Chapel of Chelan.

Frances McCullough

Frances McCullough, of Chelan, Washington, passed away Monday, September 4, 2023. Arrangements by Chapel of the Valley, East Wenatchee.

Food Bank food distribution:

September 16, 19, 23

CHELAN - The Lake Chelan Food Bank food giveaway takes place each Saturday and Tuesday, 9 - 10 a.m. Distribution is drive-thru. They are located at 417 S. Bradley Street. Families are limited to one box per week. In June an average of 146 families with 497 individuals were served each week. A total of 25,200 pounds of food was distributed. The need is great: Donations may be made online at lakechelanfoodbank.org or sent to PO Box 2684, Chelan, 98816. Non perishable food donations may be dropped off at the Lake Chelan Mirror office, 131 Apple Blossom Drive, Suite 109 (Chelan Business Center).

Glass recycle: September 16

CHELAN - Rotary of Lake Chelan 911 Glass Rescue is open on Saturday mornings from 10 a.m.-noon, at 23235 Highway 97A across from Walmart. They are charging a small fee per pound for glass drop-off. Buckets of the materials produced, sand and aggregate, will be available for purchase at \$5 per 5-gallon bucket. City of Chelan residents are asked not to put glass into their blue recycle bins, but to bring it out on Saturday mornings. Their all-volunteer team relies on support from members of the community to make the operation run smoothly every week. They have tasks suitable for all ages and abilities. To volunteer go to www.911glassrescue.org, and click on the volunteer tab on the home page.

Family and friends Support Group:

September 18

WENATCHEE - Family and friends Support Group meets the 3rd Monday of every month, 7-8:30 p.m., at Grace Lutheran Church, 1408 Washington Street, Wenatchee. For information, call 509-860-3620 or visit their website at: tcfwenatcheevalley.org

Grange Youth Fairs Program: September 18

MANSON - The Manson Grange "Youth Fairs" program provide an opportunity for young Grange members to participate in an educational setting, designed to increase confidence, strengthen character, learn invaluable life skills and teach the importance of self-discipline. They meet the third Monday of every month at 6 p.m. The next meeting is September 18 at the Manson Grange Hall. The program encourages learning opportunities for the members. The Grange "Youth Fairs" program offers young members, age 5-19 the opportunity to exhibit at county fairs and expositions. This program works alongside other nationally recognized programs such as 4-H and FFA. For more information: Norm Manly, 509-293-0225.

Senior Health Fair: September 20

CHELAN - September is Fall Prevention Month. Mark your calendar for the Senior Health Fair and Fall Prevention event on Wednesday, September 20, 1:30-4:30 p.m. at the Chelan Senior Center. Theme: "Finding our Balance: Prevent Slips, Trips and Stumbles". Local experts will share how health care, medications, nutrition and diet, home safety and exercise/balance workouts can improve fall prevention. Vision, EMS, Fire Dept., dietitian, occupational therapy, pharmacist, nurses will share information with you as well as community partners: Chelan Senior Center, Heritage Heights and Chelan Valley Hope. Local businesses and nonprofits are providing wonderful gift baskets and prizes for our raffle winners.

Lions Club: September 21

MANSON - The Lake Chelan Lions Club hold bi-monthly meetings at the Manson Parks Building at 142 Pedoi St. in Manson. Meetings are held the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month at 9 a.m.

Manson Grange: September 25

MANSON - The Manson Grange #796 will meet on Tuesday, September 25, 7 p.m., at the grange hall located at 157 E. Wapato Way. For more information: Norm Manly, 509-293-0225.

Lake Chelan Health board meeting:

September 26

CHELAN - The board of commissioners of Lake Chelan Health Hospital will meet in person on Tuesday, September 26, at 1:30 p.m., in the board room at Lake Chelan Health, 110 S. Apple Blossom Drive. Those interested in attending may do so in person or via the internet. For agenda and login information to to lakechelanhealth.org

Survivors of Suicide Loss Support Group:

October 10

WENATCHEE - Survivors of Suicide Loss Support Group meets the 2nd Tuesday of every month, 7-8:30 p.m., at Grace Lutheran Church, 1408 Washington Street, Wenatchee. For information, call 509-860-3620 or visit their website at: tcfwenatcheevalley.org

Red Cross Blood Drives: October 18

MANSON/CHELAN - An American Red Cross Blood Drive will be held Oct. 18, 1-6 p.m. at North Shore Bible Church; and Nov. 15, 9 a.m.-2 p.m., at Chelan High School, 315 Webster Avenue. To schedule an appointment to donate, download the Red Cross Blood Donor App. visit RedCrossBlood.org or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

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- Matthew 19:26

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Rally the Globe Alaska-to-Mexico Marathon passes through Washington

Peking to Paris and all points world

By MIKE MALTAIS Ward Media Staff Reporter

BREWSTER - The bumperto-bumper vintage Bentleys that slowly motored past rural mailboxes along the off-grid gravel road last Thursday, Sept. 7, was reason enough to warrant a second look. One does not see many Bentleys – let alone Roaring Twenties-era models – driving the Colville Reservation roads these days.

It was the red and blue plate reading "Alaska to Mexico Marathon" adorning the grilles that piqued curiosities and prompted further investigation into the caravan of mad globetrotters who waved to passersby as they proceeded on their merry way.

The trail of vintage rides paused for lunch at Lone Point Cellars in Brewster just long enough for the tag-team drivers to regroup, repair and recharge. They brushed off the dust and breathed in the vista overlooking the Columbia River before proceeding to the next stop at Leavenworth, 84 miles distant. After 11 days and some 2,250 miles the caravan still had 19 days and 2,300-plus miles remaining to reach its destination in

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No. 10 co-driver Tony Brooks waves from the 1937 Cadillac he and partner Jim Gately navigate along a rough gravel road.

Cabo San Lucas, Baja, California. The line of travel routed through Dawson Creek, British Columbia, and will take in Moab, Utah, and Tucson, Arizona, before it's done. In the process the trip will visit three countries and cross 38 lines of latitude.

The marathons are organized by Rally the Globe (rallytheglobe.com) a not-forprofit vintage and classic car club that sees the world as so many distant points connected by anything from paved roads to primitive cow paths. The club's motto: Epic Ventures and Everlasting Memories appears to exemplify truth in

> Jim Gately calls Lake Tahoe, Nevada, home when he's not bouncing along some outback byway with Tony Brooks, his British co-driver of 15 years.

advertising.

'I'm one of the founding members," said Jim of the half-decade-old club. "We do 7,400-miles in old cars."

Gately said he hooked up

"Every corner of the world is represented in this group," Gatley said.

As he closed the hood on his current classic, a 1937, 4-door Cadillac convertible, Gately said the 86-year-old road veteran already has three marathons under its hood.

"The longest we did, Peking to Paris, was a very interesting one," said Gately of the 2019 trip. "We did 12 different border crossings; Russia twice.

Fifty cars signed up for the Alaska endurance event. They are supported by an expert team of sweep mechanics who were busy assisting tire and engine issues with many of the vehicles parked in the Lone Pine staging area. An on-call doctor or paramedic is always close by.

Keith Ashworth, a veteran of 50 marathons, is also an original RTG founder and hails from Shropshire, England. He and co-driver Norah Ashworth pilot a 1926 Bentley and said their next event will be in Southeast Asia.

"These two cars and that one," said Ashworth, pointing to a third 1924 Bentley parked nearby, "after Cabo will be shipped to Ho Chi

with RTG through rallying,

Cadillac.



Jim Gately, an RTG original founder, checks his 1937

MIKE MALTAIS/WARD MEDIA A mechanical support staff is part of the marathon team.

MIKE MALTAIS/WARD MEDIA

Minh City, Vietnam,"

The trio of British classics will be loaded aboard shipping containers and freighted to their next ad-

venture. 'We'll meet up with the cars at the end of January," Ashworth said.

RTG is planning many more excursions for 2023 and

beyond including marathons from Mexico to Panama, Cartagena to Cape Horn (Pan America in three parts), Seoul, South Korea to Sapporo, Japan, and London to Cape Town, South Africa.

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A 1926 Bentley, left, and a 1925 model park side-by-side at the Lone Point Cellers lot in Brewster and proudly display their road grime after 11 days and some 2,250 miles of travel from Anchorage.



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This 1938 Chevrolet gets Chris and Kathy Grace from start to finish.



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Aviso del Proceso de **Child Find**

schedule an appointment.

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El proceso de localizar y evaluar a los niños con retrasos en el desarrollo u otras discapacidades se conoce como "Child Find". La Ley de

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No. 22-4-00540-04 PROBATE NOTICE TO **CREDITORS** RCW 11.40.030

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

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Judith E. Luther-Shiflett.

Cause No. 22-4-00540-04 Published in the Lake Chelan Mirror September 13, 20, 27, 2023, #6243

Public Notices

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON **COUNTY OF CHELAN** In the matter of the estate of JOHN H. FREDERICK, Deceased.

And In the matter of the estate of VIVIAN FREDERICK, Deceased NO. 23-4-00306-04 PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS

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influenza? The influenza virus fre-

quently mutates, making

It's time for your flu shot

Q: When is the best time to get a flu shot?

The CDC recommends those aged 65 and older get vaccinated in September or October rather than earlier. There is no "late" cutoff; you can be vaccinated anytime during flu season.

Young children aged 6 months through 8 years getting the flu vaccine for the first time should get 2 doses. Their first dose should be given as soon as the vaccine is available, and the second one 4 weeks later.

Q: How long does it take to be protected against the flu after vaccination?

It takes about 2 weeks for a flu shot to become fully

effective. Q: Will a flu shot last you

the entire flu season? Your best protection from the influenza vaccine lasts for about 6 months. Usually, it decreases to 50% of your original protection by 12 months. One vaccination protects the entire flu season if you are young and

Q: Why do we need yearly vaccinations against

Louise your antibodies against in-

fluenza less effective.

As the influenza virus reproduces itself, it occasionally makes mistakes. Sometimes, the influenza virus will combine with another flu strain, creating a new one. If the new strain changes enough, we become more susceptible to it.

Q: Is this year's flu vaccine the same as last

No. Most human influenza is caused by one of two main types: an A strain or a B strain. Influenza A strains are associated with pandemics and cause more severe symptoms and deaths than B strains.

The World Health Organization (WHO) keeps track of influenza patterns worldwide with facilities in Tokyo, Beijing, Melbourne, London, and Atlanta. They meet each February to decide on the 4 strains best suited for the next influenza vaccine, choosing two A and two B strains.

All influenza vaccines available in the United States

ing two "A" and two "B" strains.

Last year's flu vaccine replaced one A strain and one B strain to more closely resemble what people were exposed to. One A strain was updated in the 2023-24 flu formulation.

Q: My pharmacy is advertising the "high dose" flu shot. Should I get it?

Older adults have weaker immune systems and may get only half of the protection of influenza vaccines compared to younger people. This year, there is another option for flu vaccine for older adults.

The FDA approved three influenza vaccine formulations for people 65 years and older. Recent evidence shows that older adults vaccinated with one of these formulas are less likely to be hospitalized from complications from influenza than standard influenza vaccine formulations. These over 65 influenza vaccines boost effectiveness by 24%-36% compared to vaccination with other common influenza vaccines.

Fluzone HD, the "high dose" vaccine, is the most common over-65 flu vaccine available. It contains 4 times the concentration of the standard formulas. Fluad®, a second vaccine option for older adults, includes a usual vaccine dose plus an additive designed to trigger a more robust immune response called an adjuvant.

The CDC included a third flu vaccine option for people over 65 for the 2023-24 flu season. Flublok® uses recombinant technology instead of egg cultures or mammalian cells to grow flu vaccine. Flublok® is faster to produce than vaccines using egg culture and is safe for those with severe

egg or chicken allergies. If interested, check for the availability of Flublok® at your pharmacy.

Q: What about the "nose spray" flu vaccine?

FluMist® is a nasal influenza vaccine approved for people from 2 to 49 years old. FluMist® contains a live influenza virus and should be AVOIDED by pregnant women, people taking immunosuppressant medication, and anyone taking an antiviral drug within the previous 48 hours.

Q: Can I get other vaccines with flu vaccine at the same time?

Yes, with three exceptions. The nasal spray vaccine Flumist® contains live virus, so you should wait 2 weeks between getting COVID and Flumist® vaccinations.

Some COVID-19 vaccines and one of the new adult RSV vaccines contain an adiuvant. It is unclear whether there is an increased risk of side effects when receiving more than one vaccine containing adjuvants at a time, such as Fluad®, Shingrix®, or the RSV vaccine Arexvy®.

Q: What if you are pregnant?

Pregnancy causes changes in your immune system and other organs in the body, making you more likely to suffer severe illness from having influenza. Vaccination against flu can reduce the risk of a pregnant woman being hospitalized with flu by about 40 percent.

Dr. Louise Achey, Doctor of Pharmacy, is a 43-year veteran of pharmacology and author of Why Dogs Can't Eat Chocolate: How Medicines Work and How YOU Can Take Them Safely. Get clear answers to your medication questions at her website and $blog, \ The Medication Insider. com.$ ©2023 Louise Achey



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- 24. RC or Jolt
- 25. Tax pro 28. Lowest brass instrument
- 30. *Alfresco meal 35. Kaa's warning
- 37. This and that
- 39. Extended family member
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- 46. H. H. Munro's pseudonym
- 47. Snaky swimmers 48. Geisha's garb
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- 53. Display displeasure 55. Blunder 57. *S'more cooker
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- 49. Not their
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Confluence Health announces new vice president of philanthropy

By ADAM MAC DONALD Press Release Confluence Health

WENATCHEE - Confluence Health announced today that Suzanne Carté-Cocroft will soon be joining the organization as the new vice president of philanthropy. While a new title, this new vice president position replaces the role previously held by the foundation executive trustee, a position that works to lead and guide the Confluence Health Foun-

A native Alaskan, Carté-Cocroft most recently served as the foundation president and region chief philanthropy officer for the Providence Alaska Foundation based in Anchorage, Alaska. An experienced

leader with over 25 years in working with nonprofit organizations on board oversight, team building, strategic planning, and fund development, she brings a wealth of experience to the position, including previous work in the telecommunications industry and serving on the boards of the Alaska Children's Alliance, Alaska Children's Trust, and The Foraker Group operations

"The Foundation is looking forward to Suzanne joining the organization and bringing with her years of experience in developing lasting relationships with donors and empowering her team to support local health systems and communities," commented Steven Neher, president of the



COURTESY OF CONFLUENCE HEALTH

Suzanne Carté-Cocroft will soon be joining Confluence Health as the new vice president of philanthropy.

Confluence Health Foundation board of trustees.

In her new position, Carté-Cocroft will be leading the

Confluence Health Foundation. The Foundation is the philanthropic arm of Confluence Health and works to benefit the activities of the not-for-profit healthcare system. A 501(c)(3) charitable organization established in 1978, the Foundation has been a crucial component in Confluence Health's efforts to support the health and well-being of the North Central Washington community for over 45 years, helping keep superior healthcare close to home.

Carté-Cocroft will be stepping into the position held previously by Abel Noah, foundation executive trustee for Confluence Health, who will be retiring in January 2024 after nearly 20 years of service to Confluence Health. zanne continue to carry on and build upon all the Foundation has accomplished over the years and am confident that she will do great things in this new position," remarked Dr. Andrew Jones, CEO of Confluence Health. "We look forward to the leadership and vision Suzanne will bring in this important role, helping us to enhance and support Confluence Health's ability to provide local care by and for our community close to home."

For more information, contact Adam MacDonald, Corporate Communications Program Manager adam.macdonald@ ConfluenceHealth.org

Thank you for participating in my 7th annual "Listening Tour"

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By SENATOR **BRAD HAWKINS** State Senator, 12th Legislative District

After my election to the Senate seven years ago, I started an annual "listening tour" to help me hear directly from constituents on issues important to their communities. I recently completed this year's listening tour throughout the district. Hosting my discussions in communities each fall help prepare me for legislative sessions each winter. This year's listening tour included discussions on business, rec-

reation, wildfire, healthcare,

education, transportation

issues and more. The tour also included a preview of the upcoming legislative session, which begins in January.

As a result of recent redistricting, I divided this year's listening tour

between the traditional areas of the 12th District and the new areas. The first portion of the tour was dedicated to Chelan County and Douglas



Senator Brad Hawkins

Central Washington. Many of these areas are no longer within the 12th District boundaries, which is why this year's stops included many of the new communities in the district.

The new 12th District boundaries now include East Wenatchee, Chelan County, and portions of Snohomish County and King County. The new communities include portions of North Bend, Carnation, Sultan, and Monroe and many unincorporated King and Snohomish County residents. A major feature of the new 12th District is the Cascade Mountain Range, although the inclusion of the Cascade Mountains doesn't actually add much population to the district. I have worked hard in recent months to outreach to all communities in the district and have enjoyed learning about the issues in these new areas.

Recent ideas shared during past listening tours have turned into successful legislative action. A proposal by Leavenworth officials to dispose of brush and yard clippings resulted in new law to help the community. A funding request for the Saddle Rock trail became a reality when later included in the budget. A biochar demonstration project to reduce wildfire risk was also funded as well as significant improvements to Wenatchee's Community Center used by Pinnacles Prep Charter School. A land purchase for the Wenatchee Valley YMCA was also re-

cently supported. All ideas were discussed during past listening tours.

During my recent listening tour, I also heard comments that helped prepare me to better represent you in Olympia. I hope you had the opportunity to participate in this year's tour. Whether you were able to participate or not, please know that my position exists to serve you. Please feel free to reach out to me and my office anytime through my website at senatorbradhawkins.org.

Brad Hawkins serves as State Senator for the 12th Legislative District.

1889 Washington Constitution displayed at Olympia's Legislative Building

OLYMPIA — In a tribute to U.S. Constitution Week, Secretary of State Steve Hobbs will unveil an extraordinary historical exhibition, the original 1889 Washington Constitution, at Olympia's Legislative Building. The

event, scheduled for Thursday, September 14, is being presented by the Washington State Archives, a division of the Office of Secretary of

From 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. on September 14, the public will have a unique opportunity to view the remarkably wellpreserved 1889 Washington Constitution in a secure display case within the Office of the Secretary of State. State Archives experts will attend to provide insights and

answer questions about this venerable document, ensuring its protection through the presence of the Washington State Patrol.

Secretary of State Steve Hobbs expressed his profound pride in hosting this

event, stating, "I am proud to be able to bring the foundational document of Washington's government out from the Archives into full public view to recognize Constitution Week. For more than 134 years, this constitution has guided every aspect of how our state is run. It's our history and so much more as well. It's an honor to host this opportunity for all Washingtonians to see what our state government is built on."





Nobel Prize winning author Gabriel García Márquez was quoted as saying, "All human beings have three lives, public, private and secret." In our modern world of the Internet search engines and DNA testing,

keeping our private and secret lives separate is increasingly difficult. Sometimes they can come crashing in on our public lives when we least

Father Robert McCarthy is a middle-aged priest who is suddenly and unexpectedly confronted with his secret past. How he deals with the revelation of that past with his family, his congregation and the impacts of that secret life is inspirational. How McCarthy discloses the news of his college indiscretion requires him to take everyone involved on a journey of confession. That journey forces him to deal with issues of homosexuality, judgementalism, divorce and pride.

His pastoring skills and the depth of support from his wife help him bring forgiveness and restoration to many broken relationships.

The bonds of three families are ultimately restored through celebrations of life experiences including fishing, holiday gatherings, the discovery of unknown family connections and a wedding.

Bill's Book is available online through Amazon.com, BarnesandNoble.com and Apple iBook. The paperback is \$16.99 and the ebook is \$8.99. You can also pick up a copy of the book or order the book directly from Carol Forhan at The Leavenworth Echo (509-548-5286), or the Lake Chelan Mirror (509-682-2213), or by emailing your contact information to Carol@leavenworthecho.com. Mail delivery add \$3.00 for postage. There is no extra charge if your order is picked up at the Echo/Record office, call for details, 509-548-5286.

IT'S CRAPPIE TIME!

By JOHN KRUSE Special to Ward Media

Fun to catch and tasty to eat, crappie offers an excellent opportunity for anglers in the late summer and early fall. There are two species of crappie found in Washington State: the white and black crappie. Of the two, the black crappie is more commonly found in the Evergreen State.

At this time of year, crappie bite readily, and there are several ways to catch them. Sometimes, it's as easy as tipping a small jig with a worm and slowly reeling it three feet behind a bobber. Other times, it's not that easy.

One person who targets these fish for a living is Brad Chappell, a full-time guide out of Central Mississippi and the man behind the Crappie Connection channel on YouTube. He has five specific methods he recommends to catch crappie right now anywhere they are found in the country, including:

- · Casting to brush piles and retrieving a very small jig (1/16th or 1/32nd ounce in size). Chappell recommends using a lure called a Bobby Garland Itty Bit jig.
- Fish these same small jigs under a slip bobber in front of crappie to trigger strikes.
- Troll a crankbait (like a 3-inch Bandit 300) over suspended schools of crappie to trigger a reactive bite.
- Vertically jig two 1/16th ounce jigs from the boat for deep water crappie.
- \bullet Power Troll a 1/8th or $^{1\!\!/}_{4}$ ounce jig three feet below a twoounce lead sinker anywhere from 1.2 to 2 miles per hour. You can combine this technique by trolling another rod with a crank bait.

When people think of crappie, many think of them being anywhere from seven to eleven inches in size, but they get a lot bigger than that. Washington State's record white crappie



COURTESY OF PETE FISHER

Pete Fisher shows off his catch of quality crappie at Potholes Reservoir.

was caught out of Burbank Slough in 1988. The angler who caught the 2.8-pound fish was Don Benson. The record black crappie has stood the test of time; a 4.5-pound monster panfish hauled out of Lake Washington by John Smart back in 1956.

One body of water known for big crappie in Eastern Washington is Potholes Reservoir. Crappies must be at least nine inches long to keep here, and 15-inch crappie weighing well over a pound are not uncommon. Pete Fisher at MarDon Resort loves to go after these panfish and has specific advice for anglers targeting crappie this time of year.

Pete suggests trolling a #5 Berkley Flicker Shad to locate a school of crappie. Then, anchor up and use a slip bobber set to a depth matching the school's top. Try Bobby Garland Baby Shads or DS Fry on a 1/32ndounce Moon-Eyed jig under that slip bobber for success.

By the way, one great place to

catch these fish without a boat is right off the docks at MarDon Resort. Normally, you have to be a paying guest to fish at the marina, but from September 15 through the morning of September 17, the annual MarDon Marathon Dock Tournament takes place there. For a \$40 entry fee, you can fish as much as you want for crappie (and nine other species of fish) off the docks, and the anglers reeling in the heaviest two fish from any species (including crappie) will walk away with prize money. You can register for the event at the resort office or through the MarDon Resort website. https://mardonresort. com/events.html Looking for other places to

fish for crappie? Here are some suggestions:

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