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# Two Chelan men arrested in burglary at Chelan Fruit

SUBMITTED BY CHELAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

CHELAN - Sheriff Mike Morrison reports on February 7 deputies with the Chelan County Sheriff's Office received a report of a burglary at Chelan Fruit located off Howser Rd. in Chelan. Upon arrival, deputies discovered two males had broken into the location and stole an estimated \$6,900 in assorted items.

Security camera footage combined with an extensive investigation, led to the arrest of two Chelan men, 24-year-old Alan Larumbe, and 23-year-old Santiago Alexis Jimenez. Deputies were also able to recover and return most of the items taken. Additional evidence was also recovered possibly linking both males to other burglaries in the area. They were booked into the Chelan County Regional Jail and charged with two counts of Burglary 2nd Degree and Theft 1st Degree.

#### It's time to start watching for weight restrictions on county roads

Signs will be placed on impacted roadways

By JILL FITZSIMMONS, CHELAN COUNTY PIO

CHELAN COUNTY - It's that time of the year again, when the warming temps may bring temporary weight restrictions on county roads. While we don't have any restrictions yet, freight haulers should be paying attention; notice typically goes out 24 hours in advance of weight restrictions being placed on a roadway.

Seasonal snowmelt and runoff can soften roadways, potentially leading to costly damages. Temporary weight restrictions are put in place annually to protect the roadways from such damage. Only emergency vehicles, school buses or vehicles possessing a special permit issued by the County Engineer are exempt. New this year, vehicles that have a gross weight of 34,000 pounds or less do not need a special permit. We do ask to stay off road shoulders.

The seasonal weight restrictions apply to county roads; they do not impact load-rated bridges. Haulers will still need to verify if any of their proposed routes include a load-

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and February. They will reopen on March 1. They will be open by

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Free at home Covid-19 Tests: **Feb. 15** 

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information call 509-687-3222. They also have handouts on Covid

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exposure and what to do if you test positive for Covid-19.

MANSON - Manson Fire District #5 has free at home Covid-19 tests

CHELAN - The Chelan Museum will be closed the months of January

corner of Woodin Avenue and Emerson Street.

LAKE CHELAN - Lake Chelan Health Emergency Services is partner-

restricted bridge and then adhere to the specific restrictions of that structure. Read more about Chelan County's weight-restricted bridges on our County Bridges webpage.

How will you know if weight restrictions have been put in place on a county road? Though we can't tell you exactly when the temporary weight restrictions are coming, we do know they are inevitable. We alert the public in a variety

· Temporary weight restriction signs will be placed on impacted county roadways.

· We update the public via our Public Works emails. Sign up online.

· We will post the information, with frequent updates, on our Traffic Alerts and Restrictions webpage and our Facebook page.

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# Knowlton seeks more help for victims, more accountability for offenders

Testifies at legislative hearing

By Mike Maltais STAFF WRITER

OLYMPIA - For the first time in more than six years since she lost her husband, Gary, to a drunk driver, Deana Knowlton testified before lawmakers in support of a bill to provide more counseling to traumatized victims like herself.

House Bill 1501 introduced by 12th District State Representative Mike Steele would authorize additional counseling services for immediate family members of homicide victims.

HB1501 is among a group of bills legislators have put forward in response to the alarming spike in statewide traffic deaths.

Knowlton wants to see more professional counseling for homicide victims.

"They feel that 12 visits is a magic number that you're going to be cured from any homicide trauma," Knowlton said citing her own experience



Courtesy Deana Knowlton

Deana Knowlton and daughter, Kari, stand on the steps of the Washington State House of Representatives holding a copy of a House Resolution adopted in January 2018 honoring the life of Gary Knowlton.

as an example of what more is needed.

"In my first three years I had 273 counseling sessions," said Knowlton who continues with the therapy.

"This is the first time I have testified," said Knowlton "because all the previous bills were shot down."

What appears to be different now is last year's increase in traffic-related deaths when accidents claimed nearly 750 people, the most in more than 30 years, The legislative response has been a number of bills including HB 1501 that Knowlton supports aimed at addressing traffic fatalities and surviving victims. Some examples:

• SB 1582 bans right turns at red lights within a thousand feet of schools, hospitals, and playgrounds.

• SB 5002 reduces the breath or blood alcohol content (BAC) for drivers from 0.08 to 0.05.

• HB 1513 shifts the emphasis of police traffic stops from low-risk or non-moving stops to those like speeding, reckless or impaired driving,

• SB 5272 authorizes speed limit cameras in highway

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# Point in Time Count records decrease in homelessness for one-day event

Count also shows increase in number of people living in shelters, temporary housing

SUBMITTED BY JILL FITZSIMMONS, CHELAN COUNTY PIO

NCW - The recent Point in Time Count showed the number of people experiencing homelessness on the one-day event is slightly down from last year, a result the Chelan County Housing Program coordinator is attributing in part to efforts by local partners working with the unhoused.

On January 26, outreach teams surveyed 121 people experiencing homelessness in Chelan and Douglas counties. Of the 121 people interviewed or observed, 105 people were unsheltered, meaning they were living out of doors or in a vehicle or RV, an abandoned building, or a tent or other outdoor area not meant for habitation. This is down from 123 unsheltered people counted last year.

"I am really proud of the work everyone involved in the event and its planning put in," said Sasha Sleiman, Chelan County Housing Program coordinator. "This year's count is truly a reflection of the dedication over the last year shown by the staff at all our local nonprofits who work with the unhoused. They have developed relationships with people, they know where those folks spend their time and they have built trust with people experiencing homelessness over time. These relationships and building of trust are what



PHOTO: Photo by Scott Johnson/Wenatchee Rescue Mission. Outreach teams surveyed Chelan and Douglas counties on January 26, interviewing or observing people living in unsheltered situations, including tents or outdoor areas not meant for habitation. The photo was taken during the Point in Time event of such an area in Malaga.

allow us to get reliable information and data."

While the results of the event show a decrease in the number of people living unsheltered in the area, they also show an increase over last year in the number of people living in shelters or temporary housing.

Also recorded on Jan. 26 were 368 people staying in emergency shelters, including the city of Wenatchee's RV Safe Parks, transitional housing programs or in a hotel through an emergency hotel/ motel voucher program. This is an increase of 91 people, or a total of 275 in 2022. Shelter data is obtained through the statewide database programs used to track client information, not from the surveys conducted during the PIT outreach and event.

In addition, the Chelan County Regional Justice Center reported 36 people – 30 men and six women – in jail

at the time of the count who would. if released that day, describe themselves as homeless. Similarly, the Center for Alcohol and Drug Treatment in Wenatchee reported five people who were in its inpatient treatment program the night of the PIT Count but, if exited from treatment, would be unhoused in Chelan or Douglas counties.

More details of the information gathered at the event include:

• Of the 105 people counted as unsheltered, they reported living:

- 44 adults and 2 minors live out of doors (street, tent, abandoned building, park, etc.)

- 39 adults and 1 minor live in a vehicle (not in a city Safe Park)

- 19 adults refused to say where they slept

• The locations where the 105 unsheltered people indicated they were sleeping on the night of the PIT count

- Wenatchee: 46 (44 adults and 2 minors)

- East Wenatchee: 15 - Chelan: 15 (14 adults and

1 minor)

- Leavenworth: 4 - Cashmere: 1

- Unincorporated Chelan County: 15

- Unincorporated Douglas County: 8

- Refused to answer: 1

· Surveyors also asked where a person's last permanent residence was. Ninetyfour of the 105 unsheltered people answered the question:

- 6 people said their last known permanent home was from out of state.

- 23 people said their last known permanent home was from out of the two-county area (but from other locations in Washington).

- 65 people said their last known permanent home was from a city/town in Chelan or Douglas counties: Wenatchee (20), Chelan: (15),

East Wenatchee (14), Leavenworth (5), Cashmere, Entiat, Dryden (2 each), and Peshastin, Waterville, Bridgeport, Malaga: (1 each).

Sleiman emphasized that it is important to remember the information collected during the Point in Time Count is truly a snapshot in time. "It is capturing people who are unsheltered or staying in an emergency or temporary housing situations on this day, at this point in time," she said. "There are others who are hard to find because they are staying with friends and family or housed for the time being, even if that housing isn't stable. This means we have far

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# Washington Legislature continues its focus on housing

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impacts. To compound

matters, we live in a

beautiful district with

year-round recreation.

The frequent purchases

of second homes - espe-

cially in Leavenworth

and Chelan – along with

the COVID trend of con-

BY SEN. BRAD HAWKINS, 12th District

OLYMPIA - Access to affordable housing continues to be a challenge in the 12th District and throughout Washington state, impacting families and employers. The needs for housing are different in different regions. Some areas of our state struggle with major homelessness issues. This is most apparent in the metropolitan region in western Washington, including the Seattle area, although all communities struggle with homelessness at some level. In the 12th District, our challenges vary based on the vast geographic size. We're the only legislative district that crosses over the Cascade Mountains. Some of the needs in the western portion of the 12th District differ from the needs of the east. However, one of the commonalities across the district involves workforce housing.

Some areas of our district have seen home prices triple over the past several years, including communities like

Leavenworth and Chelan. Rapidly increasing housing prices are a significant challenge, creating ripple effects in many regions as stable housing is fundamental to successful careers, communities, and families. When it comes to state policies, Wash- Sen. Brad ington has a number of programs focused on homelessness and low-

income housing, some of which have been only marginally successful. Fewer programs exist for improving access to housing for low-to-middle range income

#### "Workforce" struggling to find affordable homes

Due to the service nature of much of the economy in Central Washington – including many health care, agricultural, education, and hospitality workers - people who earn 60 percent to 120 percent of the area's average income struggle to live in the communities where they work. This leads to a variety of other issues, including longer com-



**Hawkins** 

verting second homes to primary homes across the district has greatly increased housing prices, pushing out essential workers. With every passing month, some of our tourism-based communities are gradually losing their sense of community due to high-cost

#### Thanks for supporting my Senate Bill 5868 last session

housing.

I'm grateful to local leaders who stepped up alongside me last legislative session to enact a bipartisan solution to improve workforce housing options. With their help, we successfully passed my Senate Bill 5868 to provide counties with more flexibility to utilize an existing tax stream (known as the ".09 dollars") for housing infrastructure. This bill didn't authorize a new tax but broadened the permissible uses of an existing revenue source, providing county commissioners more options. Just weeks after the bill was signed by the governor and enacted into law. Chelan County commissioners awarded over \$823,000 in local grants, through their Cascade Public Infrastructure Fund, to housing authorities throughout Chelan County. This action is perhaps the first step among many of the commissioners will advance under this new authority.

Passing any bill through the Legislature is a difficult process. Less than 10 percent of the bills introduced each session become law, and housing proposals have struggled more than most, but we successfully passed ours on the first attempt. I'd like to thank Chelan County Commissioner Kevin Overbay, Leavenworth Mayor Carl Florea, and all Senate Bill 5868 stakeholders for their active participation throughout an intense legislative process. It is gratifying to see the combination of everyone's hard work results in tangible benefits distributed to worthy organizations that will leverage these funds for greater good. We can be proud of what we accomplished together.

#### **Governor Inslee's housing** proposal

Governor Jay Inslee has proposed issuing \$4 billion in housing bonds to be invested over the next six years. Much of his proposal increases programs aimed at improving housing options, including expansion of the Housing Trust Fund. Since the Washington State Constitution limits special indebtedness (Article VIII, Section 3) and the governor's proposal would exceed the state's debt limit, any law eventually approved by the Legislature would need to advance to the people for a statewide vote. While I want to stay open-minded about all issues before me, my initial reaction on this proposal is quite mixed. I certainly acknowledge the need to increase housing supplies throughout our state but

believe the programs already implemented for homelessness have largely been expensive and unsuccessful.

It is disappointing to me that our state has allowed housing and homelessness challenges to continue to progress all the while having revenue surpluses for the past decade. Even this session - when additional revenue is still anticipated - the proposal suggests that we need to greatly expand state debt to produce meaningful housing results. Further, discussions about the proposal have not focused on other regulatory policies - many approved in recent years - that are contributing to the increased costs of homebuilding and home ownership. If lawmakers are going to ask voters to make a huge investment in housing, the state must ensure that revenues are shared in all regions with plenty of local flexibility for housing investments. We must also make sure to reform the burdensome regulations and land use policies driving up our housing costs.

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more people in our community who can experience homelessness at any moment after the count is complete who won't be captured, including people in jail, hospitals, an inpatient facility or living in other programs that are not considered long-term or stable."

The number of people surveyed on Jan. 26 was a combination of people who came to the planned outreach events at the YWCA in Wenatchee, Chelan Valley HOPE in Chelan and the Community Cupboard in Leavenworth as well as people who were approached by outreach teams in Chelan and Douglas counties. Surveys conducted by outreach teams aimed to not only connect people with resources and services but also to collect a variety of demographic information, including how long someone has been without a permanent home, where they reside, where they are from,

and whether or not they had been denied access to a shelter or would go to a shelter if available. Demographic questions included age, race, gender, veteran status, children under 18 in the household and disability status.

Community Partners included Action Health Partners, Aging & Adult Care,

Café, Catholic Charities, Chelan County Regional Justice Center, Chelan County Veteran's Service Office, Chelan **Douglas Community Action** Council,, Chelan Douglas Volunteer Attorney Services, Chelan Valley HOPE, City of East Wenatchee, City of Wenatchee, Columbia Legal Services, Community Action

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work zones.

- SB 5560 reduces older driver safety by increasing their license renewal frequency.
- SB 5032 extends the felony timeframe for fourth DUI from 10 to 15 years.
- · SB 5430 creates a scholarship fund for low-income driver education.

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• HB 1319 requires license re-examination for a driver who causes substantial bodily harm in a collision.

Knowlton has been diagnosed with post traumatic stress disorder (PTSD).

"I thought PTSD was only associated with the military," said Knowlton. "I never thought I would experience what I have."

The trauma caused her to suppress some memories like many of those associated with the court trial. Others she imagines like her husband's accident scene that she was unable to visit the day it happened because police blocked access. The sight of bicyclists wearing yellow shirts are trigger flashbacks.

"Gary always wore yellow coming home on his bike," Knowlton said.

Working through the trauma has been a challenging journey.

"I'm not where I was six years ago," said Knowlton of her recovery curve. "I'm bet-

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ter, but I'm not quite there."

Knowlton's nightmare began on July 16, 2016, when Gary, a schoolteacher and lifeguard, was struck and killed outside Chelan while bicycling home to Brewster from Manson Bay where he served as a lifeguard every summer since 2008.

The driver of the Nissan pickup that struck 50-year-old Gary Knowlton was 22-yearold Bridgeport resident Jovany Lopez-Maciel, He threw the broken bicycle into his pickup and fled the scene. After hiding out with help from his father, Maciel was arrested the following September and charged with vehicular homicide and felony hit and run.

It was not the first time Maciel was in trouble with the law. The Felony Judgement and Sentence document issued by the Chelan County Superior Court disclosed juvenile convictions for third degree rape in September 2011 and residential burglary

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in December 2011.

Maciel's convictions for second degree manslaughter and second degree malicious mischief resulted in a threeyear, five-month (41-month) prison sentence imposed in June 2017 and served at Coyote Ridge Corrections Center in Connell. That would make his release date around November 2020. An additional 18 months of supervision was mandated following his release.

In January 2018 the state House of Representatives approved a resolution sponsored by Mike Steele (R-Chelan) and Cary Condotta (R-Wenatchee) honoring the life of Gary Knowlton. Steele had a personal as well as professional connection to the issue.

"I worked with Gary as a lifeguard at Manson," said Steele. "That was during my high school years and all through college."

The Chelan County Prosecutor's Office contacted Knowlton in December 2018 to advise her that Maciel was scheduled for early release in mid-January 2019. Counting the nine months of time served prior to his sentencing, Maciel spent about 28 of the 41 months behind bars. The 18-month supervision was waived because Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) was deporting Maciel back to Mexico after his release.

During the intervening years since the tragedy Knowlton has waged a dedicated campaign for stiffer penalties for offenders and more support for victims of crime. Yet, last month was the first opportunity she had to actually testify for a piece of legislation that actually made it this far in the legislative process. Fast forward to the pres-

ent day and Maciel is back in

Council, Douglas County, HopeSource, Lighthouse Ministries, Molina Healthcare, People's Foundation, SAGE, Salvation Army, The Center for Alcohol & Drug Treatment, Upper Valley MEND, Veteran's Affairs, Wenatchee Rescue Mission, Women's Resource Center, and YWCA.



Mike Maltais/QCH

A mural of Gary Knowlton at the Manson Bay Park pool was unveiled at a public memorial in his honor on July 28,

Washington state. Knowlton even knows his address in the Tri-Cities area. He was cited by the Washington State Patrol for a moving violation on Sept. 16, 2020 and went to court. That's how Knowlton learned of his return. She passed the information to her contact at ICE but state RCW 10.93.160 regarding law enforcement restrictions relative to immigration and citizenship status bars any further action from those quarters. Knowlton said she feels powerless in the face of legalities that stand in the way of further accountability by the man who killed her husband.

"I understand that criminals have the upper hand, and that everybody is for criminals," said Knowlton. "I get that."

She said she gets frustrated with the system and the feeling that nobody is listening.

"I can understand why victims don't step up, through my own experience," said Knowlton, "because I am

one." Knowlton's two daughters, Kari, now 32 and married, and Krysta, 29, have endured their share of victim trauma but move forward in appreciation of their father's memory. Kari is a schoolteacher in Mossyrock, and Krysta works for a health company in Spokane.

"I'm going to keep fighting," said Knowlton. "I tell my girls that if the roles were reversed Gary would do the same thing, If I can help one family to cope and get through with some tools, that is my goal."

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# Tsillan Cellars wines win Best of Class honors in California

By Dr. Bob Jankelson, TSILLAN CELLARS

CHELAN - Tsillan Cellars again established the ability of Lake Chelan Southshore vineyards to produce worldclass wines that compete with the best in the world. With 1,000 wineries and 5,500 wines entered in the recent San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition, Tsillan Cellars 2020 Estate Malbec and the 2020 Estate Dolcetto both won Best of Class honors.

Owner, Bob Jankelson, credits his former winemaker Ray Sandidge for convincing him that Dolcetto, an Italian grape varietal from the Northwestern area of Italy, had great promise if planted

on his south shore vineyards. The first Dolcetto vineyard planted in the Lake Chelan AVA only six years later produced the 2020 Tsillan Cellars' Estate Dolcetto honored as the Best Dolcetto in the prestigious 2023 San Francisco Competition.

Dolcetto means "little sweet one" in Italian. It is known as a soft, fruity wine that can be enjoyed shortly after bot-

Mike Dunne, noted wine critic commenting upon the Tsillan Cellars Best of Class Dolcetto: "...this is an exceptionally charming interpretation of the variety-sweet, light hearted fruit suggestive of plums and cherries, a thread of caramel, electricity enough to light up a small town, and surprisingly perky acidity for a grape not exactly known to possess alot."

Bob acknowledges that Ray must have been convinced of the success of Dolcetto on this site since he talked Bob into planting an additional Dolcetto vineyard after seeing the promise of the initial planting. Lots of "little sweet ones" in the future for Tsillan Cellars and those enjoying Tsillan Cellars wines.

While the Best of Class honor for the Dolcetto was a first for Tsillan Cellars and the Lake Chelan AVA, the Best of Class honor for Tsillan Cellars 2020 Estate Malbec was no surprise. In the past 15 years, Tsillan Cellars Estate grown



Malbec is almost expected to win Best of Class honors in the most prestigious national and international wine competitions. Winning the Best Malbec Award in the 2013 San Francisco International Wine Competition was followed by eight more Best of Class awards in international competitions.

The Lake Chelan AVA and Tsillan Cellars continue to shower honors on Lake Chelan wine.

Courtesy Tsillan Cellars Tsillan Cellars 2020 Estate Malbec and the 2020 Estate Dolcetto both won Best of Class honors at the recent San Francisco Chronicle Wine Competition.

# Chelan PUD, Puget Sound Energy announce long-term Clean Energy Contract

Agreement provides valuable carbon-free energy to Northwest electric customers

SUBMITTED BY RACHEL HANSEN, CHELAN COUNTY PUD PIO

BELLEVUE/WENATCHEE, - Puget Sound Energy (PSE) and Chelan County Public Utility District (PUD) today executed a contract for renewable hydropower from the PUD's two projects on the Columbia River. The 20-year contract increases Puget's carbon-free resources toward its future renewable energy goals, as well as contributes flexible capacity to identified needs in Washington.

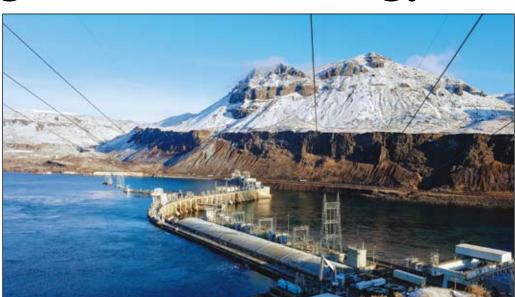
The competitively priced contract provides Puget Sound Energy with 25% of the output from the PUD's Rock Island and Rocky Reach hydropower projects from 2031 to 2051. PSE's current contracts with Chelan PUD, expiring in 2026 and 2031, provide a portion of the output from the two

Columbia River projects.

"We have 70 years of partnership selling a share of our hydropower output to Puget Sound Energy," said PUD General Manager Kirk Hudson. "Along the way, these energy contracts become even better for our customer-owners by recognizing the increasing value of hydropower, while providing financial stability and predictability."

Chelan PUD offers a mix of short-term market-based and long-term cost-based products. Both types of contracts are based on selling a "slice" of Chelan's hydropower output. The value of hydropower has increased as a carbonfree renewable source of energy. Those environmental attributes are in demand as companies look to satisfy new regulatory requirements through the Climate Commitment Act and Clean Energy Transformation Act.

"We are pleased to continue our partnership with Chelan PUD to provide clean, reliable and affordable hydropower to our customers," said Ron Roberts, PSE's vice president of energy supply. "It's another



Courtesy Chelan County PUD

Rock Island Hydro Project on the Columbia River in Central Washington. The competitively priced contract provides Puget Sound Energy with 25% of the output from the PUD's Rock Island and Rocky Reach hydropower projects from 2031 to 2051.

important step on our way to serving customers with 100% carbon neutral resources by 2030 and 100% clean electricity by 2045. In addition to clean energy and capacity, PSE's 25% share will continue to provide a reliable source of resource adequacy and the ability to integrate renewable resources

for our customers."

The contract was negotiated over the past 18 months and includes both carbon-free energy attributes provided by hydropower as well as flexible capacity to help PSE meet peak energy needs during high customer usage times.

"We build a diverse portfolio

by offering a mix of different contracts in order to reduce risk, create value, and provide financial stability for decades to come," said Chief Financial Officer Kelly Boyd. "That balance allows Chelan PUD to support stable and predictable rates for customer-owners, as well as support for parks and

broadband services." **About Chelan PUD** 

Chelan Public Utility District was created by a vote of the people in 1936 and delivered its first power in 1947. The PUD is governed by a locally

elected five-member Board of Commissioners. The general manager uses the policies and guiding principles set by the commission to generate and deliver electricity from our three dams to utilities that serve customers across the Pacific Northwest as well as to more than 51,000 retail customers in the county. The PUD also provides water, sewer and

wholesale telecommunications services. **About Puget Sound Energy** 

Puget Sound Energy is proud to serve our neighbors and communities in 10 Washington counties. We're the state's largest utility, supporting approximately 1.2 million electric customers and 900,000 natural gas customers. We aspire to be a beyond net zero carbon energy company by 2045.

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# NAMI Chelan/ Douglas seeks to expand into Okanogan, Grant counties

SUBMITTED BY SUMMER STARR, DEPUTY DIRECTOR NAMI Washington

NCW- Local NAMI affiliate NAMI Chelan/Douglas is seeking to expand their service area to Okanogan and Grant counties to become NAMI North Central Washington. The expansion effort is being supported by Beacon Health Options. "Beacon Health Options is thrilled to partner with NAMI Washington to support the expansion of the North Central NAMI Affiliate to include Grant and Okanogan

counties," says Brian Rebar, NCWA Community Engagement Coordinator for Beacon Health Options. "This work is laying the foundation to establish a stronger presence and leadership structure in the North Central region as well as bringing much needed peer programming and resources to our communities.'

NAMI (or the National Alliance on Mental Illness) is a national non-profit organization with state and local affiliates in Washington State. NAMI Chelan/Douglas provides mental health support,

# Chelan/Douglas with a relative with a new onset of mental illness, and we had no idea where to turn. My

education, and advocacy for the greater Wenatchee Valley area through online and in-person support group meetings as well as multi-session educational courses on mental illness.

Locals can attest to the positive impact that NAMI Chelan/ Douglas has had on the area so far. "NAMI helped me navigate the horrible mental healthcare system in the state of Washington. Without the support of NAMICD, I'd have many

doubts and guilt on how things turned out for my son. NAMI was the only organization that helped me through my tragedy," writes Janice Daines of Wenatchee.

Nancy Bartholomew of Leavenworth found help through NAMI as well, writing "I had been in health care in Washington as a RN and Nurse Practitioner about 40 years before I heard about NAMI. Our family was having difficulty dealing

husband and I took [a] series of classes, and found them to be very informative, reassuring and enlightening. We did not feel alone any longer."

In order to expand to new counties, NAMI Chelan/Douglas is actively looking to recruit regional representatives for their Board of Directors. Board Members play an important role in the growth and support of the organization. "We are looking for leaders in the region who want to see commu-

with a relative with a new nity-driven mental health support grow strategically," said Summer Starr of NAMI Washington, the state organization supporting affiliate growth. Regional board members are expected to serve an average of 4-16 hours per month. Individuals from Chelan, Douglas, Okanogan, and Grant Counties are all welcome to apply. If you're interested in learning more about board positions, volunteer opportunities, resources, programs, or about NAMI in general, please contact Summer Starr at sstarr@namiwa. org or visit namicd.org.

# NCW Hispanic Empowerment Fund partners with WVC Foundation to award scholarships

SUBMITTED BY LIBBY SIEBENS, WENATCHEE VALLEY COLLEGE

WENATCHEE/OMAK North Central Washington Hispanic Empowerment Fund has partnered with the Wenatchee Valley College Foundation to award Empowerment Fund scholarships. The fund has established the **NCW Hispanic Empowerment** Fund Scholarship with an initial investment of \$8,000 to the WVC Foundation.

The NCW Hispanic Empowerment Fund Scholarship will provide financial assistance to WVC students enrolled in WVC support service programs, including Area Health Education Center (AHEC), College Assistance Migrant Program (CAMP), Math Engineering Science Achievement (MESA) program and TRIO

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Student Support Services (TRIO SSS). Each of these programs works to improve the diversity and achievement of historically underrepresented populations.

From 2017-2019, the fund awarded 43 students a total of \$33,000. Major donors to the fund included Columbia Valley Community Health (CVCH), Moss Adams, Dr. Jim Richardson, Numerica Credit Union, Weinstein Beverage, and the NCW Hispanic Cham-

ber of Commerce. "The North Central Washington Empowerment Fund is excited to partner with the WVC Foundation to support local students," said Jessi Mendoza, Empowerment Fund president. "The Empowerment Fund is committed to supporting students in North Central Washington pursuing their higher education. When the board of directors began exploring how to continue awarding scholarships, we found that the WVC Foundation aligned with our values

and goals."

Donations to the NCW Hispanic Empowerment Fund Scholarship from the community are welcome and can be made online at wvc.edu/ Give.





Non Food Items needed: Baby Wipes • Diapers • Toilet Paper Travel Size Toiletries
 Shampoo

• Conditioners • Dish Soap • Laundry Soap



- Canned fruit Cereal
   Condiments
- Canned veggies Jam • Chili
  - Soup other than tomato
  - Boxed entrees
  - Canned meats



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Regional Community News & **Events** 

Any non-profit 501(c)-(3) group, person(s).

**%** Must provide: full name, city, phone number.

 $\red$  Items pertaining to local events that are free or minimum charge.

Want to place Your Community News Online? Go to NCWMARKET.COM 24/7 Sarage and Yard Sale Ads are paid events, please email those to mirrorads@lakechelanmirror.com or NCWMARKET.COM For more info call: Lake Chelan Mirror at 509-682-2213 Email to: ruthk@lakechelanmirror.com

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#### Chelan Fire & Rescue: Feb. 15

CHELAN - The Chelan Fire & Rescue Board of Commissioners will conduct the meeting in person at the fire station, 232 E. Wapato Avenue on Wednesday, Feb. 15, 3 p.m. The public is welcome to join them by following this link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87284665516 Meeting ID: 872 8466 5516 or dial +1 253-215-8782.

#### SAIL Exercise Classes: Feb.15-16, 20-21

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 Linda Hollier. 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.

#### Household hazardous waste drop off: Feb. 15-17

#### Latex paint now accepted - Drop off Saturday, March 4

WENATCHEE - Drop-off Saturday is March 4 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: Feb. 15-22

CHELAN - The Chelan Senior Center at 534 E. Trow Avenue, hosts Senior Meals Monday-Friday. Suggested donation for seniors over 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

#### **OBITUARIES**

## David A. **Koenig**

David A. Koenig died February 1, 2023, at his home in Wenatchee, Washington. He was born on October 12, 1939 in Brooten, Minnesota, the son of Walter and Ann Koenig.

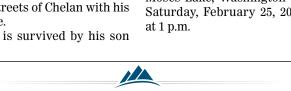
David moved with his family from Minnesota to Washington in 1955 and graduated in 1957 from Moses Lake High School. He then entered the U.S. Navy and was trained as an electronic specialist. After leaving the Navy, he married Janet Minatani in 1962. They moved to Chelan, Washington where he worked for Douglas County PUD at the Wells Dam project and retired in 1997. He was known for walking the streets of Chelan with his

He is survived by his son



Douglas and grandson Zacharv, brothers James, Richard and Robert. He was proceeded in death by his wife of 52 years, parents and older brother, Walter Jr.

Internment will be at Pioneer Memorial Gardens in Moses Lake, Washington on Saturday, February 25, 2023







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98840. Menu: Feb. 15: Hot Turkey Sandwich, Mashed Potatoes/ Gravy, Green Beans, Tossed Salad, Cranberry Salad, Dessert; Feb. 16: Beef Taco Pie, Baja Veggie Blend, Mexi Style Slaw, Spiced Applesauce, Dessert; Feb. 17: Lemon Baked Fish, Pesto Pasta, Steamed Broccoli, Pea Salad, Orange Quarters, Dessert; Feb. 20: CLOSED/President's Day; Feb. 21: Beef Stew, Spinach Salad, Banana, Biscuit, Cereal Bars; Feb. 22: Honey Dijon Chicken, Garden Rice, Cauliflower & Chives, Mixed Greens Salad, Pineapple, WW Roll, Dessert.

#### Chelan Valley Hope: **Feb. 15-16, 20-23** Coat drives continues until Feb. 28

CHELAN - February is Black History Month. We at Chelan Valley Hope want to wish you a meaningful Black History Month as we celebrate Black lives and also grieve continued inequities and violence against people of Color. We invite you to celebrate with us, visit CVH Monday thru Thursday 9 a.m.-3 p.m. (closed Noon to 1 p.m.) and browse our Black author book collection. At CVH we have books for all ages and these books are available as a short term loan. A few of our staff & volunteers favorites include; So, You Want to Talk About Race, The Color of Law, and Charlie Makes a Splash. Call 509-888-2114 for more information or to schedule an appointment. Or visit our website and follow us on Facebook and Instagram to get the latest CVH news and updates chelanvalleyhope.org, @ChelanValleyHope.

Thrive Teen Center: Feb. 16, 21, 23
CHELAN - The Thrive Teen Center is open at the Lake Chelan United Methodist Church, corner of Johnson Avenue and Emerson Street, every Tuesday and Thursday from 3-5:30 p.m. Email stefani@thrivechelanvalley.com if you have any

#### Lions Club: Feb. 16

MANSON - The Lake Chelan Lions Club have moved their bimonthly meetings to the Manson Parks Building at 142 Pedoi St. in Manson. Meetings will be held the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month at 9 a.m.

#### Chronic Disease Support Group:

#### Feb. 16

CHELAN - With the support of Aging and Adults and Tender Loving Care for Seniors, an Alzheimer's Support Group for Chelan/Manson area has restarted. They have opened this meeting to family caregivers of people who have any serious chronic conditions: cardiac, pulmonary, neurologic (post stroke, Parkinson's Disease, MS) and others. Meetings will be the third Thursday of the month, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. at Chelan Valley Hope, 417 S. Bradley Street. Aging and Adults is providing the facilitator, Bob Poindexter, who has great experience in leading support groups. Please join them to be encouraged by spending time sharing with others who are on this journey. For more details please call Claudia Swenson, Manager, TLC for Seniors, 360-561-6090.

VFW #6853 Post Coffee/Donuts: Feb. 10 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.

#### **DEATH NOTICES**

# Ellener Van Epps

Ellener Van Epps, 88, of Chelan, Washington, passed away on

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

### David A. Eichhorn

David A. Eichhorn, 80, of Chelan, Washington, passed away on February 7, 2023.

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

# Consuelo Galvan

Consuelo Galvan, 60, of Chelan, Washington, passed away on

February 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.

#### Food Bank food distribution: Feb. 18, 21, 25

CHELAN - The Lake Chelan Food Bank food giveaway is on Saturday and Tuesday, 9-10 a.m. Distribution is drive-thru. They are located at 417 S. Bradley Street. Beginning this week families will be limited to one box per week. Nonperishable food donations can be dropped of at the Lake Chelan Mirror office, 131 S. Apple Blossom Drive, Ste. 109 (Chelan Business Center.)

# Glass recycle: Feb. 18 Winter Hours: 10 a.m.-Noon

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:

#### Feb. 20

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

#### Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper: Feb. 21

CHELAN - St. Andrew's Parish, 120 East Woodin Avenue, will roll out the pancakes at the traditional feast-day supper before the start of Lent on Ash Wednesday. Planned from 5-7 p.m. on Feb. 21, in the parish hall, the Shrove Tuesday Pancake dinner is a long-time event at the historic log church at in Chelan. Pancake suppers are priced at \$5 for adults, \$3 for children and only \$10 for families. There will be fresh-made pancakes, blueberry pancakes, ham, applesauce and beverages. Early arrival is recommended, as the event has experienced high demand in previous years.

## A Matter of Balance classes:

#### Start Feb. 22, March Class size limited - Register now

CHELAN - Aging and Adult Care of Central Washington, Healthy Aging, Tender Loving Care for Seniors and Lake Chelan Senior Center are offering "A Matter of Balance": managing concerns about falls, an award-winning workshop designed to increase the activity levels of older adults who have concerns about falling. During the eight class sessions (2 sessions per week), you will learn to: Promote exercise to increase strength and balance; Set realistic goals for increasing activity; Improve the home environment to reduce fall risk factors; and View falls and fear of falling as controllable. This workshop is free of charge and all materials will be provided. The first session starts on Wednesday, February 22, 3-5 p.m. at the Chelan Senior Center, 534 E. Trow Avenue in Chelan. The following seven sessions are each Monday and Wednesday: Feb 27, March 1; March 6, March 8; March 13, March 15 and ending Monday, March 20. Class size is limited to 12 people so register today. For further information or to register please call Matter of Balance instructors: Sandy Zimchek at 509-699-9042 or Claudia Swenson at 360-561-6090.

#### Manson Grange: Feb. 28

MANSON - The Manson Grange #796 will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 24, 7 p.m., at the grange hall located at 157 E. Wapato Way.

#### Cancer Support Group: March 9

CHELAN - The women surviving/thriving cancer support group will meet Thursday, March 9, 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.

#### Mobile Food Pantry: March 9

MANSON - The Mobile Food Pantry will be at North Shore Bible Church on Thursday, Feb. 9, noon- 2 p.m. All are welcome. It is a walk thru format and guests pick their own food. This is a regular stop every second Thursday of the month.

#### Survivors of Suicide Loss Support Group: March 14

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

# **Obituary & Memorial Policies**

NCW Media, Inc.: Leavenworth Echo, Cashmere Valley Record, Lake Chelan Mirror, Quad City Herald: An Obituary is a way for family member(s) to commemorate a loved one's life and to notify the community of the passing of the loved one. Obituaries are also used for historical and ancestral data. Memorials are another way to let the community know about the life and memories of the person who has passed. A Memorial is different from an Obituary. An Obituary is usually current, while a Memorial can be written later. Obituaries and Memorials need to be typed and emailed as a Word Document. They can be placed in one or more papers - all publish weekly on Wednesday. Obituaries are priced by the number of words and include one color photo and go online at no extra charge Memorials are priced per column inch.

Please call for cost. \*Payment is due at the time of placement. \*Exception: Chapels, funeral homes who have an account, can be billed. There is no charge for a Death Notice - information is limited. Deadline is 4 p.m. on Friday - some exceptions may apply. Please call 682-2213 or 689-2507 for more information Or email ruthk@lakechelanmirror.com

# **CHURCH GUIDE**

New to the area? On Vacation? These churches welcome you!



#### CHELAN

#### CHELAN CHRISTIAN CHURCH Morning Worship 10 am 509-682-2025 • 210 E. Wapato Ave.

Pastor Mark Wilton

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Sunday School 10 am Worship 11 am & 6 pm

# 509-682-5135 • Sanders St. & Okanogan Ave.

Youth Group - Friday 7 pm for 13-18 years of age

LAKE CHELAN LUTHERAN CHURCH Please join us for Sunday Worship In Person or via Conference Call at 9:30 am. Dial 339-209-6617. Follow prompts. 509-682-9063 • 216 W. Nixon Ave.

#### CHELAN

LAKE CHELAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Worship 10 am 509-682-2241

Corner of Johnson & Emerson

LIVING STONE CHURCH Please join us as we gather each Sunday at 10 am 216 N. Emerson St. (Upper Room/Chelan Library) Office location: 105 N. Emerson St., Suite 204 www.LscChelan.org (509) 682-5953

#### CHELAN

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church Worship 10 am

Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, Feb. 21, 5-7 p.m., in the Parish Hall 120 E. Woodin Ave., PO Box 1226, Chelan, WA 98816 509-682-2851 • www.standrews-chelan.org standrewschelan@gmail.com

#### MANSON

#### MANSON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 10:00 am Worship,

Holy Communion the first Sunday of the month "Come as vou are, all are welcome" 687-3311, at the corner of Green and Boetzkes Sermon-by-Phone 509-423-7514 to hear our own Pastor Mike O'Neal deliver his weekly sermonn "With men this is impossible; but with God all things are possible."

- Matthew 19:26

TO PLACE YOUR CHURCH IN THIS GUIDE: RUTH 509-682-2213 • ruthk@lakechelanmirror.com

#### **CHELAN HIGH SCHOOL SPORT RECAPS**

#### Chelan wins in overtime, 79-69, Boyd *scores* 1,000 career point

By Coach Anthony Callero, Chelan HIGH SCHOOL Basketball

#### February 11

CHELAN - In a loser out playoff game, Chelan came back from a 10 point deficit with two minutes to play to force overtime. The Goats then eliminated Cashmere with a 10 point overtime victory 79-69.

Chelan trailed by 9 points with 1:50 left in regulation. Dylan Jay then took over. He hit a three pointer in the corner and then after a Cashmere missed free throw. Jay hit a two pointer. After Cashmere made one of two free throws, Jay hit another three in transition and the Goats quickly fouled. After

another Cashmere missed free throw, Isaac Wilson then dribbled through the Cashmere defense and hit a lay-up with just three seconds left.

in overtime by scoring the first 8 During the game, senior Braiden

Chelan ran away from the Bulldogs

Boyd scored his 1,000 career point as a Chelan Goat. Boyd finished with 17 points and 15 rebounds.

Dylan Jay led all scorers with 34 and sealed the win with an emphatic dunk to push the Goats up by 10 with under 30 seconds to go. Jay scored 13 in the overtime period and 11 in the fourth

Head coach Tony Callero was impressed with the team's resiliency and singled out senior Tate Sandoval's emotional support on the bench as a key to the team's never say die attitude.

"With all the illness we have been facing, it would have been easy to look for excuses to quit but this team

showed a ton of grit tonight."

The Goats were without three players all suffering from a flu like illness and two players returned to practice on Thursday after being ill for the previous four days.

Head coach Tony Callero said, "Those two guys who had been so sick (Ryan Rainville and Boyd) were just warriors tonight who battled through their fatigue and willed this team to

With the win, the Goats improved to 1-0 in the play-offs and traveled to Quincy on Tuesday, February 14 for another loser out battle.

The winner of that game will be playing for a birth into the state tournament against the second place NEA team.

The second place seed from the NEA will be determined on Wednesday and will be the loser of the District 7 Championship game between Freeman and Lakeside.

#### Lady Goats over *Quincy* 41,33

By COACH NICK LONGMIRE, CHELAN HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS

#### February 11

CHELAN - The Chelan Mountain Goats and the Quincy Jackrabbits faced off tonight in a three vs. four match up in Chelan in what was a loser out game.

The league saw this same layout last year with Cashmere taking the #1 seed and Omak the #2. Chelan and Quincy were third and fourth respectively. History demonstrated this year how it repeats itself as Cashmere defeated the Omak Pioneers Friday night to move onto the crossover game.

The Goats jumped out to an early lead putting 16 first quarter points and only one point in the first quarter for Jackrabbits. The Goats were outscored however in the second quarter 12 to seven which included a steal and quick three point buzzer beater by Joslynn Simmons going into the half.

The Goats outscored the Jackrabbits 8-6 in the third quarter but pressure was put on them in the final quarter with Quincy's 14 points to Chelan's 10 mostly

The final score of the game was Chelan 41 - Quincy 33.

coming from the free throw line.

All scores were led by Junior Arabelle Finch with 20 points. Kira Sandoval added eight points. Others contributing to the game were Reinhart five, Joslynn Simmons four, Perez two, Williams two.

The Goats faced the Omak Pioneers on Tuesday, February 14 in Omak for a loser out game winner to the crossovers in Spokane.

> **Mountain Goat Wrestling** Feb. 18 at Tacoma Dome State Wrestling Mat Classic XXXIV

#### **CHELAN MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLLS**

#### **CHELAN HIGH SCHOOL** Semester 1 2022-2023

#### The following students earned a 4.0 grade-point average:

Hudson Bangart, Macie Cowan, MaKenzie Griggs, Ben Ho, Jose Hurtado-Sanchez, Michaela Moody, Arden Paglia, Tania Pales tino Carmona, Juliana Perez-Llamas, Jason Pritchard, Mariana Sanchez-Mendoza, Olivia Strandberg, Samantha Wallace, Lauren Ware. Skyler Zavala

Juniors: Madilyn Barker, Benjamin Brownfield. Angel Garcia, Penelope Harden, Lily Hill, Natalie Islas, George Neff, Kyle Rynd, Cray Silva, Kiana Sinkiewicz

Sophomores: Kenzie R. Avery, Caleb Bertomeu, Nojey Owen Toledo

Freshmen: Joseline Bueno Dominguez, Carson Clinton, Conrad Green, Brynn Hughbanks, Evelyn LeFebre, Abigail Ludwig, Luis Munguia, Sean Rynd, Jonah Simmons,

#### The following students earned a 3.5 to 3.99 grade-point average:

Seniors: Juan Angeles, Angel Arteaga Ro man, George Benson, Malie Benson, Rylan Cody, Zuleima Davila-Rubalcaba, Candice Ducrocq, Olga Filipovic, Jennifer Flores-Becerril, Grant Gogal, Marilyn Gonzalez Aguilar, Piper Grossberg, Gideon Kelling, Austin Kenney, Elizabeth Knight, Pablo Mendez, Winston Mutter, Kimberly Pineda-Torres, Celia Polley, Kira Sandoval, Tate Sandoval, Luke Simmons, Emberlee Taylor, Kaitlyn Torres. Valentin Velazquez-Madrueno Jr. Benjamin Williams

Juniors: Peyton Bodle, Malachi Chavez, Maya Cowan, Danika Dietrich, Josie Garfoot, Elizabeth Harrington, Hailey Helm, Ronald

Hooten, Aleiandra Jimenez, Signe Lillie, Devanira Lopez, Eva Marron Andrade, Catherine Martinez-Bautista, Maleigha Peterson, Caleb Sanderson, Carlos Saucedo-Nunez, Ester Trimble, Alexandra Vazquez-Rocha, Braden Vincent, Isaac Wilson

Sophomores: Peyton Baker, Eli Becerril, Maria Garcia Luz, Keira Gjerde, Caden Griggs, Gabriel Guerrero, Ava Haase, David Kelly John Ludwig, Olivia Nelson, Jasmine Padilla Michal Richardson, Erik Rodriguez Sanchez, Tristan Sanderson, Tristyn Tilbury, Nhorman Untalan Jr., Calin Williams

Freshmen: Leonardo Aguilar-Luna, Holden Alteio, Avari Barker, Finley Brandt, Jayleer Castillo-Basulto, Emanuel Cazarez-Rubalcava, Sebastian Cisneros Cervantes, Keely Collins, Grant Coonrod, Katherine Eickmeyer, Ashlynn Espana, Leilani Fernandez-Avila, Estee Flynn, Cheyanne Gogal, Julian Guzman Ramirez, Luke Hefley, Maria Hernandez-Poblete, Siaunna Hixson, Zimri Kelling, Cassidy McCarey, Leslie Mendez Pineda, Jimena Oregon Ayala, Alexa Padilla, Cesar Padilla Rodriguez, Reagan Puryear, Yahir Ramirez, Wade Sanderson, Jayci Simmons, Olympia Sizemore, Logan Watson,

#### The following students earned a 3.0 to 3.49 grade-point average:

Seniors: Miguel Barajas, Braiden Boyd, Donovan Casal, Tiernan Davis, Lukas Gogal, Oscar Gonzalez, Irene Hernandez, Linzay Jaime Barrios, Jorge Lopez, Yajaira Magallon-Galvan, Giselle Martinez-Salazar Austin McCardle, Kenia Sanchez Blanco, Joslynn Simmons, Silas Tilbury, Leslie

Juniors: Kayla Alcazar, Luiz Arellano-Jimenez, Anahi Barajas-Oseguera, Juan Benavides, Rubi Chavez-Alcala, Kalob DeMotts, Ian Garfoot, Lance Gogal, Dylan Jay, Sawyer Jeffries, Miguel Lopez-Solis, Troy Melton,

Joshua Moreno, Duke Nordby, Antonio Padilla-Montalvo, Juan Perez Avila, Ryan Rainville, Jailvn Reinhart, Emily Rivera Merica Rivera, Natalya Rodriguez, Dominick Solorza, Kaydan Welsh

Sophomores: Jacob Allen, Damian Armenta, Rachel Benson, Shantell Bissell, Luis Bravo, Avden Cantrell, Chloe Desgroseillier, Brynn Fielding, Diego Garcia Rosas, Noe Garibay-Galvan Jr., Gabriel Gilpin, Lauren Hiatt, Briceida Lopez Paz, Amy McElvaney, Jose Mendoza-Guzman, Selene Montalvo, Guillermo Mora Arceo, Clara Nordstrom-Domser, Kyla Otom, Lydia Petersen, Lexie Torres, Evan Wallace

Freshmen: Elizabeth Andrade, Jacob Atenco, Shandaya Avila, Salvador Bailon Yanez, Gabrielle Benson, Joslyn Bobadilla Chavarria, Brianna Carlos Farias, Elly Dromeshauser, James Fehr, Easton Fox, Josseline Galvan-Garibay, Avril Garcia, Brenner Gavin, David Harrington, Evan Hooten, Owen Mack, Lily Manjares, Betsy McLemore, Hailey Mullins, Lucero Oropeza, Arnold Paz, Jayden Simmons, Madelyn Wallace

#### CHELAN MIDDLE SCHOOL Semester 1 2022-2023

#### The following students earned a 4.0 grade-point average:

Eighth Grade: Brooklyn Foyle, Johannes Lund, Bryce Ware, Caleb Wood Seventh Grade: Nolan Harris, Bradely Hernandez Armenta, Ximena Mercado Bolanos, Leo Paglia, Owen Sanderson, Anthony Torres Sixth Grade: Sarah Burdick, Anthony Cruz-Montijo, Faryn Huewe, Jayzee Hughbanks, Mac Paglia, Tucker Reed

The following students earned a 3.5 to 3.99 grade-point average: Eighth Grade: Josie Bekel, Omar Castaneda

ton, Caleb Dalgas, Brock Didra, Cash Eygabroad, Hailey Fogelson, Eleazar Garcia Angulo, Lylah Guerrero, Ruby Harberd, Alison Horner, Joanna Hurtado-Mendez, Omar Jimenez Guzman, Maria Jimenez-Mendoza, Makenna Martin, Kole Nelson, Rocco Nordstrom-Domser, Hyuan Otom. Holden Pollard, Gracelyn Roberts, Jayla Schmidt, Maddison Stewart, Alan Torres-Gauna, Ellarae Uttech, Hayden Waag Seventh Grade: Diego Barrera Hernandez, Braxton Boyd, Grant Cook, Denali Cor-

Uvalle, Madeline Cowan, Brooklinn Cump-

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# THE WASHINGTON OUTDOORS REPORT

#### The ethics of wildlife watching

By John Kruse, The Washington Outdoor Report

There is a healthy body of literature surrounding ethical fishing and hunting practices that promote respect for both sports and the fish and game pursued for consumptive use. However, very little has been written about the ethics of nonconsumptive interactions with wildlife, despite the fact all of us as humans can have a positive or negative impact on birds and animals.

That's why I was pleasantly surprised to see a lengthy blog on the Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife website about ethical wildlife photography practices. Here are a few highlights from that blog post: Respect the wildlife.

 The welfare of the animal you are photographing comes first. Shortcuts to get the perfect shot can cloud judgement animal, intentionally flush it, or interrupt its natural behaviors.

· Keep a safe distance away from animals. Follow the "rule of thumb:" Hold up your thumb in a hitchhiker fashion. Hold out your arm in front of you and place your thumb in line with vour vision over the animal vou are watching. If the pad of your thumb covers the animal, you are at a safe viewing distance. If not, back away until you are at a safer distance. If the animal still seems disturbed and is altering its natural behaviors, continue



Courtesy John Kruse A bighorn ram in Chelan County.

to distance yourself from the animal.

· Use a telephoto lens to give wildlife their space. Viewing blinds make for great safe spaces for you and wildlife to overlap without disturbance.

• If wearing camouflage, be aware of hunting seasons and when you need to wear hunter orange or pink for safety.

· Avoid using a flash that causes an animal to become disturbed. Infrared lighting is best for night or low-light photography.

• Remain quiet and give wildlife a comfortable place to be. When animals feel comfortable, they may engage in behaviors photographers are attempting

to capture on camera, such as grooming or preening, singing, hunting, etc. Do not imitate wildlife, and never throw objects to make wildlife move or to gain their attention. Wildlife should be captured in their environments performing their natural behaviors to prevent them from being stressed or forced to move from their habitats.

• If bringing a pet, ensure that the pet is leashed and is not harassing wildlife by barking or chasing. Stressed wildlife may flee, make eye contact, or demonstrate aggression. Remember, pets must be leashed in all WDFW Wildlife Areas unless engaging in hunting activities.

· Keep wildlife safe by avoiding "geotagging" specific sites where you took photographs. General locations are acceptable, but pinning the specific locations of nesting sites, endangered species, or other special sightings may endanger the wildlife. For example, if you spotted and photographed a rare small mammal in Rainier National Park, "tag" the park, but refrain from listing a specific trail or site tag.

• Continue spreading the hobby of photography and the contribution it has on conservation. Be honest with how you captured a photo and encourage others to also be ethical photographers. Sharing your photos about the magnificence of wildlife and their habitats.

On a related note, this is also the time of year when bucks and bull elk begin dropping their antlers and shed hunters will soon be hitting the hills looking for these trophies. Some shed hunters sell the antlers they find while others use them to make art or display them in their homes.

It is important to note this has not been an easy winter for wildlife in Central and Eastern Washington. Deer and elk are stressed and have little energy or reserves available to make it until spring when grasses sprout and these animals can begin to build up fat reserves again. That's why it's critical to not chase, harass or get close to these animals while searching for shed antlers. In fact, in Western Wyoming you are not even allowed to gather shed the herds that live in this region. It's something ethical shed hunters should consider doing here as well. Finally, whether you are pho-

antlers until May 1 to protect

tographing wildlife or looking for shed antlers, be respectful of private lands. First get permission to access these lands and then be careful not to damage them with your vehicles at a time where roads and land is soft and muddy. Leaving no trace of your presence and packing out any trash you take in goes without saying. Make it a point to thank any landowner who is kind enough to let you access their land and consider a gift of some sort to show your appreciation. I have personally found smoked salmon works

quite well in that regard. If you want to learn more about ethical wildlife photography practices check out the WDFW blog at https://wdfw. medium.com/ethical-wildlife-photography-practices-7e3ce6a65259

John Kruse - www.northwesternoutdoors.com and www. america out doors radio.com

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**Chelan EMS** 

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22:06 Stroke, 420 Lakefront Dr., Orondo

#### **Manson Fire District**

07:24 Medical Alarm, 905 Sunrise Dr., Manson 15:21 Breathing Problem, 71 Roy Ln., Manson

**Entiat Fire District** 08:23 Injury Accident, US Hwy. 97A MP 218, Entiat

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Chelan Fire District #7

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02:39 Sick Person, 505 E. Highland Ave., Heritage Heights, Chelan 10:43 Stroke, 100 Lake Chelan

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**CITY OF CHELAN** NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing will be held before the City of Chelan Hearing Examiner at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, March 7th, 2023 in the Council Chambers at 135 East Johnson. Chelan, WA on the following application:

Application: SUB2021-01, SEPA2021-04 (Hiland Farms) Project Description: proposal is a subdivision to create 27 detached single-family lots and related tracts for stormwater and recreation. The development will include open space areas and all associated infrastructure within the City of Chelan in Chelan County. The applicant also proposes a Title 25 Variance

regarding road design. Project Location: The site addressed is as 905 No-See-Um Road, Chelan, Washington 98816.

It includes Chelan County real tax parcel no 272212310100. **Project Applicant:** Chelan Highlands LLC, Charley Underwood, PO Box 119,

Wenatchee, WA. 98807 **Environmental Review:** March 2, 2022 the City of Chelan issued a SEPA Determination of Nonsignificance (DNS) under WAC 197-11-340(2) comment period through March 16, 2022. A copy of the

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appear and provide testimony at the public hearing and receive a copy of the Hearing Examiner's decision / recommendation once made. A copy of the application, all documents and evidence relied upon by the applicant and applicable criteria are available for inspection at no cost and copies will be provided at the requestor's cost. A copy of the staff report will be available for inspection at no cost at least ten calendar days prior to the hearing and copies will be provided at the requestor's cost. Written comments may be submitted prior to the hearing. Please address any specific and factual comments about the project to: John Ajax, City of Chelan, P. O. Box 1669, Chelan, WA 98816 or by email to jajax@cityofchelan.us. Published in the Lake Chelan Mirror February 15, 2023. #5314

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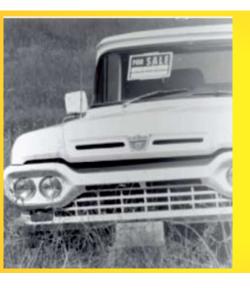
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TAKE NOTICE: That Sanfords, Inc. of Chelan, Washington, on September 15,

Application No. S4-32800 applied appropriate public waters, Lake Chelan at a rate of 0.02 cubic feet per second. .5 af/vr for the purpose of domestic supply. The application was assigned to Randall B. Bickle on February 10,2020.

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That the proposed source is located within SW1/4NW1/4 of Section 28, Township 28N., R. 21 E.W.M., Chelan County, Washington.

That the proposed place of use is lot 58 of Joshua Greens located within the SW1/4 NW1/4 of Section 28, Township 28N., R.21 E.W.M. Chelan County, Washington.

Protests or objections to approval of this application must include a detailed

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RCW 11.40.030 representative personal 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 subject to existing rights, from 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 provided 11.40.020(1)(c); or (2) 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 Cash shall not be accepted. Fees to claims against both the decedent's probate nonprobate assets. Date of First Publication: February 1, 2023. Personal Representative: Dana C. Beebe

for

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/s/ Dated: January 24, 2023

February 1, 8, 15, 2023. #5208

#### **Chelan County Sheriff's**

01:33 Traffic Offense, 800 block W. Manson Rd., Manson 04:03 Suspicious Circumstance,

66 SR 150, A&J Mini Storage, Chelan

04:11 911-call, 423 Azwell Rd., Bldg. Houses, Chelan

04:48 Alarm, 107 SR 150, Wilbur

Ellis, Chelan 13:33 Non-injury Accident, SR 150

14:16 Burglary, 209 E. Eli Ln.,

14:49 Public Assist, 540 Boyd

Loop Rd., Chelan 15:32 Welfare Check, 78 Apple

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14565 US Hwy. 97A, Entiat 6:47 Non-injury Accident, 407 E.

Lake Rd., Manson 22:01 Traffic Offense, W. Gibson

#### Jan. 28

09:52 Property, 310 W. Manson Rd., Chelan IGA Market, Chelan

10:56 Non-injury Accident, 7900 block Entiat River Rd., Entiat 11:47 Miscellaneous, 106 W. Manson Rd., Safeway, Chelan

13:05 Alarm, 2115 Wapato Lake Rd., Manson

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Ln., Chelan 18:31 Traffic Offense, SR 150 and

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21:23 Weapons Violation, Beebe Bridge wildlife preservation,

Lake Rd., Manson

#### Jan. 29

03:46 Suspicious Circumstance, 322 W. Woosin Ave., Chelan 05:46 Domestic Disturbance, 51 Howard Flats Rd. NE, Chelan 18:22 Diversion, 309 E. Gibson

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06:35 Burglary, 1050 Bear Mountain Ranch Rd., Chelan 10:04 Diversion, SR 150 MP 1,

Ave., Manson

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11:40 Fraud/ Forgery, 1917 W.

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Emerson St., Chelan

14:10 Property, 25 Wapato Point

14:47 Welfare Check, 518 N. Sanders St., Chelan

17:45 Non-injury Accident, 484

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04:02 Parking/ Abandoned Vehicle, 100 block N. Sanders St., Chelan

Johnson Ave., Chelan

#### CHELAN COUNTY SHERIFF/FIRE/EMS 08:06 Malicious Mischief, 313 E. 13:03 Fraud/Forgery, 455 Wapato

Manson

Jan. 27

MP 4. Manson

Chelan

16:34 Non-injury Accident, 70 Wapato Way, Manson 16:37 Attempt to Locate/ Contact.

Woodin Ave., Morgen Owings Elementary School, Chelan 18:32 Vehicle Prowl, 1083 Wapato

Ave. and N. Columbia St., Chelan

14:30 Civil Dispute, 418 E. Woodin

14:56 Suspicious Circumstance.

15:16 Disturbance, 649 Bill Rules Address for Mailing or Service:

Ariel Ln., Manson

SR 150, Chelan 19:41 Suicide Threat, 13535 Ha-

23:16 Public Assist, 67 Wapato

Ave., Chelan 21:53 Property, 455 Wapato Lake

Manson 10:17 Welfare Check, 447 Loop

11:30 Theft, 852 Greens Landing

13:12 Harassment/Threat, 207 N.

14:02 Theft, 108 N. Apple Blossom Dr., Walmart, Chelan

Parkway, Manson

16:04 Civil Dispute, 207 N. Emerson St., Chelan

Boyd Rd., Chelan 18:00 Assault, 1000 Totem Pole

21:04 Extra Patrol, 409 N. Cedar

#### Jan. 31

the Beast'

space agency

16. Thought

12:22 Breathing Problem, 127 E. Raymond St., Chelan

07:02 Malicious Mischief, 135 E.

#### shore Rd., Pat n' Mike's, Chel-Ave., Chelan

14:05 Harassment/ Threat, 339 and Riviera Dr., Chelan 14:29 Trespassing, 53 S. Lake-Apple Acres Rd., Chelan 15:41 Property, 215 W. Webster

16:29 Property, 201 Manson Blvd., Manson

Woodin Ave., Chelan

Chelan Ave., Chelan

Albin Dr., Entiat

08:14 Malicious Mischief, 106 E.

11:23 Domestic Disturbance, 2331

Lake Rd., Manson 16:34 Property, 485 W. Manson Rd., Don Morse Park, Chelan

16:29 Malicious Mischief, 988 Dry

18:10 Public Assist, 300 block W. Gibson Ave., Chelan 18:56 Agency Assist, 10004 Numeral Pointe Pl., Entiat

19:34 Burglary, 137 Manzana Ranch Ln., Manson 20:56 Domestic Disturbance, 339

21:38 Domestic Disturbance,

88 Minneapolis Beach Rd.,

Chelan 23:09 Domestic Disturbance, 323 E. Wapato Ave., Chelan

Apple Acres Rd., Chelan

#### Feb. 1

07:52 Non-injury Accident, 1025 S. Bradley St., Chelan 08:06 Diversion, 16722 S. Lake-

shore Rd., Chelan 08:08 Civil Dispute, 11700 Entiat River Rd., Entiat

11:04 Public Assist, 145 Downie Canyon Rd., Chelan 13:24 Harassment/Threat, 519 N.

Sanders St., Chelan 16:26 Civil Dispute, 26 SR 150,

Chelan 17:49 Animal Problem, SR 150 and Riviera Dr., Chelan

18:34 Domestic Disturbance, 14903 Golden Delicious St., 21:51 911-call, 526 Boyd Loop

#### Feb. 2

Rd., Chelan

00:10 Domestic Disturbance, 8400 Entiat River Rd.

01:03 Domestic Disturbance, 8400 Entiat River Rd. 06:27 Domestic Disturbance, 250

Whitetail Way, Chelan 08:30 Theft, 250 2nd St., Chelan Falls

09:34 Theft, 430 Wyoming St., Chelan Falls 10:26 Diversion, 416 N. Cedar

St., Chelan 11:15 CPS/ APS Referral, 8400 Entiat River Rd., Entiat 11:20 CPS/ APS Referral, 16722 S.

Lakeshore Rd., Chelan 12:13 Parking/ Abandoned Vehicle, 1292 Riverview Cemetery

Rd., Chelan 13:11 Trespassing, 14579 US Hwy. 97A, BJ's Entiat, Entiat 13:33 Suspicious Circumstance, 132 E. Woodin Ave., Chelan

14:37 Warrant Arrest, 815 N. Bradley St., Chelan 17:08 Assault, 108 N. Apple Blossom Dr., Walmart, Chelan

17:31 Traffic Offense, Rocky Point area. Manson 18:07 Hazard, SR 150 and Wapato

Lake Rd., Manson 21:00 Disturbance, 309 E. Gibson Ave., Chelan

#### Feb. 4

10:21 Agency Assist, Oklahoma Gulch, Chelan 11:43 Diversion, 339 Apple Acres

Rd., Chelan 12:45 Diversion, 108 N. Apple Blossom Dr., Walmart, Chelan 16:26 Alarm, 750 Lakeshore Dr.,

Manson 19:51 Theft, 106 W. Manson Rd., Safeway, Chelan

#### Feb. 5

02:20 Traffic Offense, 215 W. Webster Ave., Chelan

08:06 Hazard, First Creek Rd. and Chickadee St., Chelan

11:00 Drugs, 455 Wapato Lake Rd., 12 Tribes Casino, Manson 12:17 Suspicious Circumstance, 207 N. Emerson St., Chelan

#### 62. High school club 63. Clinton \_\_\_\_ Rod Rodham 64. Hitler's Deputy DOWN

2. Sound of bells \_\_, soldier."

7. Two of the same 8. \*The only President who was a 51, Nevada

10. Law school entry requirement, acr. 13. Edith Piaf's hit 11. Bear's room 14. Meat of coconut 19. Digital tome 23. \*One of three Presidents to win a

25. Remember this battle 26. \*First to serve coast to coast 27. Indo-Aryan, as in languages 28. Did not smell good

36. \*a.k.a. Silent Cal 38. Loosen ropes 44. Hawaii's number

46. Mob offensive 48. High-pitched laugh sound, in print 49. Like Bananas Foster 50. "All's well that ends

53. Type of gin 54. Cross to bear 55. Midday slumbers

56. Chill, with 'out'

14:46 Harassment/ Threat, 2429 Entiat Way, Entiat 15:45 Domestic Disturbance, 51 Kohn Dr., Manson

Lake Rd., 12 Tribes Casino,

14:17 Domestic Disturbance, 317

14:24 Non-injury Accident, SR 150

Quatas St., Manson

18:43 Traffic Offense, N Sanders St. and E. Johnson Ave., Chelan

19:32 Parking/ Abandoned Vehicle, 1649 Howard Flats Rd., Chelan

20:42 Welfare Check, Chelan area 20:53 Civil Dispute, 661 Wapato

Lake Rd., Manson 23:34 Disturbance, 1 Wapato Point Parkway, Manson

02:52 Drugs, 455 Wapato Lake Rd., 12 Tribes Casino, Manson 08:34 Property, 329 E. Woodin Ave., Cashmere Valley Bank, Chelan

09:03 Juvenile Problem, 250 Whitetail Way, Chelan 11:35 Theft, 2429 Entiat Way, Entiat

11:40 Malicious Mischief, 276 Apple Ave., Chelan 12:54 Civil Dispute, 50 Barkley

Rd., Manson 13:31 Fraud/ Forgery, 35 Black Walnut Ln., Chelan

16:26 Harassment/Threat, 14907 US Hwy. 97A, Entiat 16:35 Attempt to Locate/ Contact. Moore Point trail, Stehekin

16:46 Public Assist, 233 E. Wapato Ave., Chelan 16:50 Malicous Mischief, 725 E.

Wapato Ave., Chelan 16:51 911-call, 214 Barkley Rd., Manson 17:14 Hazard, 700 block E. John-

son AVe., Chelan

17:41 Missing Person, 14565 US Hwy. 97A, Entiat 19:54 Malicious Mischief, 14425 Olin St., Entiat

21:52 Burglary, 15 Chelan Butte Rd., Chelan 22:48 Public Assist, 117 Bluebell Ln., Chelan

#### Feb. 7

01:46 Traffic Offense, E. Johnson Ave. and N. Bradley St., Chelan 08:59 Burglary, 8 Howser Rd.,

Chelan Fruit, Chelan 09:20 Traffic Offense, Rocky Point, Manson 09:48 Disturbance, 2038 Entiat

tiat 10:41 Agency Assist, US Hwy. 97A MP 213, Entiat 10:49 Burglary, 6685 Bear Moun-

Way, Entiat Food Center, En-

tain Ranch Rd., Chelan 12:46 Burglary, 322 W. Woodin Ave., Grandview on the Lake,

17:13 Agency Assist, 104 Lookout

Way, Chelan 17:54 Harassment/Threat, 215 W. Webster Ave., Chelan 21:15 Hazard, 100 block Apple

#### 23:05 Vehicle Prowl. 988 Dry Lake Rd., Manson

Acres Rd., Chelan

Feb. 8 07:59 Fraud/ Forgery, 644 Union Valley Rd., Chelan

10:12 Suspicious Circumstance, 1000 block E. Woodin Ave., Chelan

11:02 Civil Dispute, 726 US Hwy. 97A, Chelan 11:10 Civil Dispute, 234 Wapato

Way, Manson 11:18 Civil Dispute, 3225 US Hwy. 97A, Chelan 11:26 911-call, 214 Barkley Rd.,

Manson 15:53 Theft, 105 Beebe Bridge Rd., U-Haul, Chelan 18:18 Suspicious Circumstance,

Walmart, Chelan 18:25 Non-injury Accident, US Hwy. 97A MP 216, Entiat 19:05 Domestic Disturbance, 2331

108 N. Apple Blossom Dr.,

Albin Dr., Entiat 22:13 Civil Dispute, 840 Wapato Way, Manson

SR 150 and Golf Course Rd., Chelan 10:28 Civil Dispute, 2957 Hedding St., Entiat 11:24 911-call, 322 W. Woodin

Ave., Grandview on the Lake, Chelan 13:22 Traffic Offense, 700 block N. Cedar St., Chelan

3rd St., Chelan Falls 14:07 Burglary, 610 2nd St., Chelan Falls 14:50 Domestic Disturbance, 35

13:58 Domestic Disturbance, 543

15:11 Miscellaneous, 108 N. Apple Blossom Dr., Walmart, Chelan 16:12 Weapons Violation, 1000 Totem Pole Rd., Manson

din Ave., Bear Foods, Chelan 18:44 Domestic Disturbance, 2441 21:52911-call, 309 E. Gibson Ave., Chelan

23:34 Public Assist, 418 E. Woodin Ave., Chelan

#### Fire/ EMS

#### Jan. 27

**Chelan EMS** 10:09 Breathing Problem, 318 E.

Johnson Ave., Chelan 10:30 Unconscious Person-1, 219 E. Johnson Ave.

17:16 Injury Accident, US Hwy. 97 MP 230. Orondo

#### 19:50 Fall-1, 229 E. Chelan Ave., Chelan

Chelan Fire District #7 10:09 Breathing Problem, 318 E. Johnson Ave., Chelan

10:30 Unconscious Person-1, 219 E. Johnson Ave. 10:33 Commercial Alarm, 104 W. Woodin Ave., Campbell's

Resort, Chelan 19:50 Fall-1, 229 E. Chelan Ave., Chelan

#### Jan. 28

No report available.

#### Jan. 29 Entiat Fire District

09:05 Stroke, 2150 Entiat Way, Entiat Jan. 30

#### 05:12 Unconscious Person-2, 101

W. Marine View Dr., Orondo **Manson Fire District** 

**Chelan EMS** 

# Totem Pole Rd., Manson

Chelan Fire District #7 05:37 Commercial Alarm, 302 E. Woodin Ave., Union 76,

12:47 Commercial Alarm, 215 W. Webster Ave., Chelan

# 12:22 Breathing Problem, 127 E.

11:23 Traumatic Injury-1, 2331

**Chelan EMS** 

Albin Dr., Entiat 18:56 Cardiac, 10004 Numeral Pointe Pl., Entiat

Ave., Chelan 08:06 Breathing Problem, 16722 S. Lakeshore Rd., Chelan

#### View Dr., Chelan

**Chelan EMS** 01:20 Sick Person, 72 Wapato

01:49 Fall-1, 925 E. Okanogan Ave., Chelan 08:06 Breathing Problem, 16722 S. Lakeshore Rd., Chelan

#### 12:24 Medical Alarm, 111 Orchard View Dr., Chelan

12:05 Sick Person, 2003 McCord Pl., Entiat

#### 14:30 Transfer, 105 S. Apple Blossom Dr., CVCH

**Entiat Fire District** 22:25 Breathing Problem, 14532

# Feb. 4

Chelan Chelan EMS

#### 17:47 Choking, 455 Wapato Lake Rd., 12 Tribes Casino, Manson

**Entiat Fire District** 09:57 Personal Assist, 14126 Hyland Ave., Entiat

#### 01:06 Traumatic Injury-2, 3794 US Hwy. 97A, Chelan 17:29 Sick Person, 11155 S. Lake-

Chelan EMS 01:06 Traumatic Injury-2, 3794 US Hwy. 97A, Chelan 04:47 Fall-1, 1000 SR 150, Man-

#### 17:29 Sick Person, 11155 S. Lakeshore Rd., Chelan

18:11 Traumatic Injury-1, 8534 Entiat River Rd., Entiat

#### Feb. 6

#### Chelan Fire District #7 17:03 Sick Person, 285 Folsom Hollow Ln., Chelan

Chelan **Chelan EMS** 07:24 Medical Alarm, 905 Sun-

Roy Ln., Manson 17:03 Sick Person, 285 Folsom

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14. The Beast's problem in "Beauty and

15. \*Pres. Eisenhower established this

17. Body of water 18. \*#22 and #24 20. First-rate, slangily 21. Terminate, as in mission 22. Lingerie staple

23. Public speaker

26. Ivory tickler 30. "Fresh Prince of 31. Most likely to win 34. Pot contribution 35. By surprise

37. Indian restaurant staple

38. Lacking justification

39. Office communique

40. Greece and Bulgaria peninsula 42. Overnight stop 43. Indifferently 45. Sturdily built 47. English course abbreviation

' it easy'

59. Poem at a funeral

61. Arnold Lobel's "Mouse

60. German title

50. Oliver Twist, e.g. 52. \*University of Virginia founder 57. \*Second most-popular Presidential birth state, after Virginia 58. Arm bone

1. Update a FitBit 3. "At 4. Modern tie forerunner 6. Beside, archaic 5. Aromatic lumber

22. Trash container, e.g. Grammy 24. James Dean's famous role

29. Like yellow polka dot bikini 32. June 6, 1944 33. Salt in cocina 40. Deli acronym

51. Away from wind 52. \*Second most common Presidential first name, after James

Feb. 9 00:37 Suspicious Circumstance,

Paramount Ridge Ln., Manson

16:20 Welfare Check, 125 E. Woo-SR 150, Manson

21:48 Court Order Violation, 309 E. Gibson Ave., Chelan

14:18 Commercial Alarm, 950

Chelan 12:22 Breathing Problem, 127 E. Raymond St., Chelan

#### Raymond St., Chelan **Entiat Fire District**

Chelan Fire District #7 01:49 Fall-1, 925 E. Okanogan

#### 12:24 Medical Alarm, 111 Orchard

Way, Manson

**Entiat Fire District** 

#### Feb. 2 Chelan EMS

#### Vradenburg St., Entiat

Chelan Fire District #7 14:45 Fall-2, 1091 Sunset Ln.,

#### 14:45 Fall-2, 1091 Sunset Ln., Chelan

Feb. 5 Chelan Fire District #7

#### shore Rd., Chelan

**Entiat Fire District** 

19:48 Unconscious Person-2, 543 3rd St., Chelan Falls 22:05 Fall-2, 323 E. Wapato Ave.,

rise Dr., Manson 15:21 Breathing Problem, 71

#### **Douglas County PUD**

By Meaghan Vibbert, DOUGLAS COUNTY PUD PIO

EAST WENATCHEE -Douglas County PUD Commissioners Ronald E. Skagen, Aaron J. Viebrock and Molly Simpson executed the following actions during the January 23, Commission meeting held at the District's East Wenatchee office:

Authorized a call for bids under bid document 23-05-W, 2023 heavy equipment and construction services for the Wells Hydroelectric Project. To maintain efficient and safe operations of the Wells Hydroelectric Project, the District periodically requires

heavy equipment and construction services to perform emergency and maintenance work at various locations.

Approved a call for bids under bid document 23-08-D, Rapids to Valhalla rebuild and reconductor. Necessary to rebuild and reconductor a 115 kV line between Rapids Switchyard and Valhalla Switchyard.

Authorized a call for bids under bid document 23-09-W, hatchery water well and pump maintenance. The District has a need for certain scheduled and unscheduled maintenance and refurbishment work on the wells and landscaping, beach and acpumps located at its hatchery mitigation facilities.

Approved land use permit 77-03, Cascade Holdings Group LP. The permit is for use of Project lands for existing dock, water access and landscaping.

Authorized land use permit 143-01, Charles Fitzgerald. The permit is for use of Project lands for existing access path, irrigation pump, road, ag crops and hay storage. (23-015)

Approved land use permit 311A-04, Michael and Lauray Foley. The permit is for use of Project lands for existing cess path.

Authorized amendment No. 3 to the professional service agreement with Perteet for the design and construction management of the Rapids to Columbia transmission line. The amendment will increase the contract by \$350,000 due to additional construction time necessary due to material delays and limits to working hours for wildlife protection.

Approved execution of an agreement with the US Department of Energy, Bonneville Power Administration. Necessary to upgrade transformers and disconnect switches at the Valhalla Switchyard to accommodate the Districts' transmission line re-conductoring project.

Authorized the bill of sale for the Baker Flats facility water infrastructure to the East Wenatchee Water District. As part of the agreement to provide fire protection water to the hydrogen facility, the District is conveying the recently installed infrastructure connecting the two agencies' systems and providing a two-vear maintenance bond.

Authorized the City of Brewster 2023 Operations and Maintenance budget for recreation facilities. The District's portion is \$81.688 and is required by the Wells Project license.

Approved the City of Pateros 2023 Operations and Maintenance budget for recreation facilities. The District's portion is \$81,688 and is required by the Wells Project license.

Heard a report on the **Douglas County Community** Network. The network currently has 7,611 end users.

The next regular meeting of the Commission is scheduled for 1:30 p.m. February 27, at the District's East Wenatchee

# Domestic sheep, goats prohibited in select areas of WDFW-managed lands to protect bighorn sheep

By Washington State Dept. OF FISH & WILDLIFE

OLYMPIA - The Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) this week adopted a new rule intended to reduce the risk of Mycoplasma ovipneumoniae (Movi) transmission from domestic sheep and goats to bighorn

The adopted rule prohibits visitors bringing domestic sheep or goats onto wildlife area units where bighorn sheep may be located. The rule applies to select units of the Asotin Creek, Chelan, Chief Joseph, Colockum, Columbia Basin, L.T. Murray, Oak Creek, Scotch Creek, Sinlahekin, Wells, Wenas, and W.T. Wooten wildlife areas,

and goes into effect in February 2023.

Pneumonia caused by the Movi bacteria can be lethal to bighorn sheep and reduces lamb survival rates for many years after an initial outbreak. There is no treatment or preventative vaccine.

Past pneumonia outbreaks among bighorn sheep in Washington and other parts of the western United States have been linked to contact between wild sheep and domestic sheep or goats, which can carry the bacteria.

"We're increasing Movi sheep herds in critical areas of Washington," said Anis Aoude, WDFW game division manager. "We have taken a targeted approach by ensuring

**Public comments sought on Environmental Assessment for** 

Popular COVID-19 treatment program returns

hunters and other visitors may continue bringing domestic sheep and goats, including pack goats, to other areas of WDFW-managed lands without bighorn sheep.

The adopted rule culminates a months-long process to develop and refine the rule, including a public comment period, public hearing, and a state environmental review. The rule's adoption this month followed the Department Director's approval in early December 2022.

To reference the full rule, visit WDFW's website.

WDFW works to preserve, protect and perpetuate fish, wildlife and ecosystems while providing sustainable fish and wildlife recreational and commercial opportunities.

## WDFW seeks public input on draft co-manager hatchery policy

By Washington State Dept. OF FISH & WILDLIFE

OLYMPIA - The Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW) is seeking public comment on a draft policy to guide management of hatcheries in cooperation with tribal co-managers.

The Washington Fish and Wildlife Commission adopted an updated Anadromous Salmon and Steelhead Hatchery Policy in April 2021. As part of that policy, the Commission instructed WDFW "to begin development of a joint policy agreement on salmon and steelhead hatchery programs with tribal co-managers," which would supplement and supersede the existing Commission policy when appropriate.

After more than a year of collaborative work with technical staff under the direction of a subset of commissioners and tribal policymakers, a final draft

ber 2022 and presented to the full Commission in December 2022 and January 2023.

Key values of the policy include a commitment to work as co-managers to develop and implement hatchery management plans on a regional or watershed-specific basis, while conserving natural-spawning populations of fish and mitigating the effects of habitat loss and other environmental impacts. The draft policy outlines six guiding principles to support these values.

The public is invited to provide comment on the draft policy through March 1. The full draft policy is available online, and comments may be submitted at WDFW's website or at https://publicinput.com/ ComanagerHatcheryPolicy.

The policy will also undergo an additional State Environmental Protection Act (SEPA) public comment period before being considered for adoption

# prevention tactics for wild

backcountry camp modifications in North Cascades National Park-SUBMITTED BY DENISE M. SHULTZ,

NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

SEDRO WOOLLEY - The public is invited to comment on an Environmental Assessment (EA) that proposes two projects in North Cascades National Park. The first project consists of rerouting a 2.400-foot section of the Brush Creek Trail and the relocation of the Graybeal Hiker and Stock Camps. The second project consists of the construction of additional backcountry camp accommodations at Six

Mile Camp and Bridge Creek Camp primarily for Pacific Crest National Scenic Trail (PCT) long-distance permit holders. Considering recent environmental and visitor use changes, the purpose of this action is to maintain existing, and create new, overnight backcountry camping opportunities while preserving wilderness character and conserving the natural and cultural resources in North Cascades National Park Service Complex. Specific atten-

tion is given to minimizing and managing the impacts associated with backcountry recreation (hiking, backpacking, and stock packing).

An EA analyzes the environmental impacts of the proposed project and a no action alternative to help determine whether the National Park Service should carry out the proposed action.

All comments on the EA are welcome, particularly substantive comments that identify ways to lessen the impacts of the proposed action or address if the document provides enough evaluation of the effects on the environ-

To review the EA and provide electronic comments, go to https://parkplanning.nps. gov/BCCampMods2023EA

Comments will be accepted now through March 8, 2023.

Hardcopy comments can be mailed to: Superintendent, Backcountry Camp EA, 810 State Route 20, Sedro Woolley,

# Free telehealth

appointments expand access to oral antivirals

SUBMITTED BY WASHINGTON

OLYMPIA - The Washington State Department of Health (DOH) has relaunched its popular free telehealth program to increase access to potentially life-saving medication to treat COVID-19. The program expands the federal government's Test to Treat initiative and gives people at risk of severe disease another way to quickly access treatment.

DOH's telehealth program is an easy way to see if COVID-19 oral antivirals, such as Paxlovid, are right for you. Oral antivirals, which are COVID-19 treatment pills taken by mouth, are available by prescription only and must be started within five days of the first symptoms

to be effective. Telehealth allows patients to connect with a clinician without having to go to a health care facility in person. This reduces barriers to access, especially in rural and underserved urban areas, and allows patients to stay at home for assessment and treatment, reducing the potential spread of

"Equity, innovation, and engagement are the cornerstone values that have informed DOH throughout our COVID-19 response," said Umair A. Shah, MD, MPH, Secretary of Health. "Ensuring that we continue this important program that connects communities with needed therapeutics is an essential step in continuing our mission of reducing unnecessary deaths from this disease."

Between July 28 and Dec. 31, 2022, DOH's telehealth pro-

• Served 6,329 patients from over 400 zip codes throughout Washington state.

• Provided over 4,200 pre-

scriptions to patients with positive COVID-19 tests.

• Served over 975 patients that live in high Equitable Distribution Index (EDI) areas.

DOH encourages people who test positive for COVID-19 to discuss treatment options with their primary health care provider. In situations where this might not be possible, free telehealth consultations can make it easier to access treatments. People who test positive for COVID-19, including with a self-test, can consult with a health care provider using a smartphone or computer with a high-speed internet connection. If treatment is appropriate, they can receive a free prescription for oral antivirals for pick-up from over 1,000 pharmacies throughout the state that has the medication available. They can also choose to have the medication delivered

Visit DOH's new telehealth webpage to set up a telehealth appointment or call the DOH COVID-19 call center at 1-800525-0127 if you have any questions. If the information provided indicates treatment may be appropriate, the patient will be connected virtually with a health care provider for a consultation. Telehealth appointments are currently available every day from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. PST in 240 languages via DOH's collaboration partner Color Health.

"Restarting DOH's telehealth program ensures that patients at high risk for severe disease have equitable access to lifesaving COVID-19 treatments," said Tao Sheng Kwan-Gett, MD, MPH, Chief Science Officer. "This service is free for everyone so that even those without insurance can access antiviral medications. Offering free telehealth consultations in multiple languages also increases access for non-English speakers."

DOH will reassess the program in June to determine if it should continue in light of future needs.

# DOH launches Influenza Vaccination Dashboard

SUBMITTED BY WASHINGTON STATE DEPT. OF HEALTH

OLYMPIA – Washington State Department of Health's (DOH) new Influenza (Flu) Vaccinated Dashboard makes it easier to track flu vaccination rates across the state. This is the first time that state-provided data have been used to surveil flu vaccinations. The dashboard displays the number of flu vaccines administered in Washington facilities, as well as the percentage of Washingtonians who have received at least one flu vaccine. Dashboard users can also make vaccination rate comparisons between the current and previous flu seasons. The dashboard will be updated weekly between Sept. 1 and April 30.

Only data reported to the Washington State Immunization Information System are included on the dashboard. Although most providers and major health care systems in Washington report vaccinations to this system, not all do. As a result, actual flu vaccination coverage and doses administered may be higher than what is displayed on the dashboard.

Flu vaccination coverage has been trending lower over the last three years. Getting a flu vaccine is one of the best ways to prevent flu and flu-related complications, in addition to reducing disease transmission in the community. Everyone

six months and older who is eligible to receive a flu vaccine should do so. The vaccine is widely available in provider offices, community clinics, and pharmacies. Flu vaccines can be administered at the same time as COVID-19 vaccines. Please visit vaccines.gov to find a flu vaccine provider closest to you.

The DOH website is your source for a healthy dose of information. Find us on Facebook and follow us on Twitter.



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 office, 215-14th Street, Leavenworth, WA 98826 or Lake Chelan Mirror office 131 S. Apple Blossom Dr. Suite #109, Chelan, WA. 98816

