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William "Bill" Forhan

March 20, 1947 - November 21, 2021
 Leavenworth, Washington

William "Bill" Edward Forhan, age 74, passed away suddenly at his home in Leavenworth, WA. on Sunday, November 21, 2021.

Born on March 20, 1947, in Butte, Mont. to Rudi and Alice (Mehrens) Forhan. He attended and graduated in 1965 from Butte High School where he met his wife, Carol, as a freshman. Graduated from the University of Montana, Missoula, in 1969 with a degree in Business Administration. Bill served in the Army ROTC in college, then was stationed at the Field Artillery Training Command at Fort Sill, Okla. where he earned the rank of First Lieutenant. He was then deployed to West Germany as a battery commander with the 4th Missile Battalion, 41st Artillery Regiment during the Vietnam era.

After serving overseas, Bill became an Army Reserve Commissioned Officer at Fort Carson, Colo., while working as a CPA in Denver, Colo. From Colorado the family moved to Davenport, Iowa where he worked as Controller for ITT Company and Carlon Plastics. He then accepted a job as the controller for The Billings Gazette in Billings, Mont. In 1992, Bill became the controller for the Antelope Valley Press in Palmdale, Calif. In 2000, he and Carol became the owners of Prairie Media - NCW Media, Inc. which currently publishes The Leavenworth Echo, Cashmere Valley Record, Lake Chelan Mirror, Wenatchee Business Journal, Quad City Herald, The Sonnenschein auf Leavenworth, and The Lake Chelan Visitor Guides

Also, previously owned and published the Okanogan Valley Gazette Tribune. Bill authored his first book, The Contract: Unveiling the Healing Power of Forgiveness, in 2021, a Christian fiction story about three families and their intertwined journeys. He had begun writing a second book before his sudden passing.

Bill was an active member of his community and volunteered with numerous local organizations including Leavenworth Rotary, former president; Leavenworth Chamber of Commerce, former president; Leavenworth Christmas Lighting Festival as the character St. Nicholas; Washington State Autumn Leaf Festival Assoc., former president and former First Gentleman with Carol as the Royal Lady of The Autumn Leaves in 2016; The Washington Newspaper Publishers Assoc., former president; St. James Episcopal Church, member and lead musician;



Bill Forhan

and the Cashmere Chamber of Commerce as a current board member. Bill was a vocal and passionate conservative, he loved God and was a man of deep faith. He taught friends and family countless card games, including his favorite game, Bridge. He shared his love for camping, fishing, hunting, and golfing with his children and grandchildren. Bill will be remembered for many things, but our favorite memories include his appreciation of good coffee, red wine, the Denver Broncos, and his famous afternoon power naps.

Bill is survived by his wife of 54 years, Carol (Johnson) Forhan; their sons David (Britney Nielson) Forhan of Olympia, Wash., and Michael (Amber) Forhan of Bremerton, Wash; his sister Gayle (Dale) Schendzielos of Casa Grande, Ariz., his sister Diane Forhan DuBose of Murfreesboro, Tenn., and brother Ed (Cami) Forhan of Clayton, Calif.; grandchildren Myla, Ronan, Lorelai, Aydin, and Zynnica, and many cousins, nieces and nephews. Bill was preceded in death by his father Rudi and his mother Alice.

There will be a memorial service at a date to be determined in Cashmere, Wash. A private family interment is being planned for next summer. You are invited to view Bill's online tribute at www.HeritageMemorialChapel.com to share memories or leave condolences. Memorial contributions or donations in Bill's honor are welcome at St. James Episcopal Church in Cashmere, Wash., or to The Rotary International Foundation

Special thanks to the entire NCW Media staff and the many volunteers who have done a remarkable job taking care of the newspapers in Bill's absence. Thank you to everyone at St. James Episcopal Church, Cascade Medical EMTs, the Chelan County Sheriff's Office, and the Leavenworth Rotary. Thank you to Rev. Robert Gohl, Joel Walinski, Matt Melton, Chaplain Gary

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Santa Claus helps kick off the holiday season

Santa and Mrs. Claus, along with their reindeer and a one man band came to the valley on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 26 and 27, to kick off Small Town Holidays in the Lake Chelan Wine Valley. CLOCKWISE FROM RIGHT: Santa visited with children in Chelan on Friday evening, after the tree lighting; a One-Man Band entertained those waiting the arrival of Santa on Friday afternoon in Chelan; Mrs. Claus gave out candy canes, many came downtown Friday afternoon to see the beautifully lite in Chelan, and children await the arrival of Santa during his first neighborhood visit. On Saturday Santa and Mrs. Claus visited with children in Manson. Santa visits, fireworks and more continue this weekend. Schedule info at smalltownholidays.com

More photos at lakechelanmirror.com



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McCardle resigns as executive director of Historic Downtown Chelan Association

SUBMITTED BY ALLISON FLATEN, HDCA BOARD PRESIDENT

CHELAN - The Historic Downtown Chelan Association announces that Erin McCardle has officially resigned as Executive Director, effective December 31. In addition to holding the Executive Director role for the past four years, McCardle has owned and operated her own small business since 2016, The Barn Fitness Center.

Kicking off 2022, McCardle will be solely focused on con-

tinuing to build a healthier, more active community in Lake Chelan. McCardle said she is tremendously proud of the positive impact the organization has had over the past year, including diversifying its financial stability, guiding the downtown through the COVID shutdown without losing a single business, and developing critical partnerships that had not previously existed. "We've accomplished a lot over four years. I'm most proud of how this organization along with our strategic

partners have truly delivered on the mission of shaping the future while preserving the past of historic downtown. It's been such a fun ride to help elevate the strategic efforts of this organization. I am excited to watch the organization continue to flourish under new leadership."

Anyone interested in joining the efforts in shaping the future and preserving the past of historic downtown Chelan, please contact Board President Allison Flaten at countylinechelan@gmail.com.

Interested applicants for the Executive Director should contact the HDCA at hdc@nwi.net or 509-682-4322.

The HDCA is a non-profit nationally accredited Washington State Main Street organization. Utilizing the Main Street Four-Point Approach®, the HDCA is dedicated to shaping the future while preserving the past of historic downtown Chelan. For more information about the HDCA, please visit HistoricChelan.org.

With the COVID-19 restrictions relaxed, take time to visit our local businesses for Shopping, Dining and Events

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Lake Chelan Valley Events, Things to do, Meetings

CVHT fundraiser: Now thru Dec. 31

Frame the Future of Our Valley

CHELAN - This holiday season, give back to the place you love. Make the dream of home ownership a reality for Chelan Valley wage earners. Chelan Valley Housing Trust is participating in Give NCW, and 100% of your donation goes directly to support their work. Their next project is 40 single family homes in Chelan, so working people can live here, build equity, and be a part of the community. Emerson Village, a small townhouse community in the heart of downtown Chelan was CVHT first project. Donate today at GiveNCW.org

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Joysong Victorian Carolers : Dec. 5

MANSON - The community is invited to join North Shore Bible Church (NSBC) for the performance of the Joysong Victorian Carolers both in-person at NSBC and on our Facebook page for Facebook live on Sunday, December 5, 9:30 a.m. This performance will be free and about 45 minutes in length and will be in place of their regular Sunday Service. Childcare for ages infancy through fifth grade will be provided. Come hear and sing the classic Christmas carols that we all know and love.

Greater Wenatchee Mended Hearts: Dec. 6

VIA ZOOM - Greater Wenatchee Mended Hearts is inviting heart patients and their families in Chelan, Douglas, Grant and Okanogan Counties to attend the Greater Wenatchee Mended Hearts Holiday Celebration being held by Zoom on Monday, December 6, 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Come dressed in holiday attire along with your favorite beverage and join in the holiday fun. The Chapter's Mended Heart of the Year recipient will also be announced. To attend, email: atthehelmsters@hotmail.com for access to the meeting.

FORHAN

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Beck, and all the friends and neighbors who have come to support Bill's beloved wife Carol. Your kindness and sympathy have helped to

make an incredibly difficult time a bit more bearable, words will never be able to express our gratitude to you all. Bill loved Irish music and this one he sang to his wife Carol at their 50th Wedding Anniversary and shared with others.

The Voyage, a song by Christy Moore
I am a sailor, you're my first mate
We signed on together, we coupled our fate
Hauled up our anchor, determined not to fail
For the heart's treasure, together we set sail

With no maps to guide us we steered our own course
Rode out the storms when the winds were gale force
Sat out the doldrums in patience and hope
Working together we learned how to cope

Life is an ocean and love is a boat
In troubled waters that keeps us afloat
When we started the voyage, there was just me and you
Now gathered 'round us, we have our own crew

Together we're in this relationship
We've built it with care to last the whole trip
Our true destination's not marked on any charts
We're navigating to the shores of the heart

Life is an ocean and love is a boat
In troubled waters that keeps us afloat
When we started the voyage, there was just me and you
Now gathered 'round us, we have our own crew

Chelan Friends of the Library: Dec. 7

CHELAN - Chelan Friends of the Public Library will have their monthly meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 7, 4 p.m. at the Chelan Public Library meeting room. Come help ensure valuable community resource. For information, Pat LaPorte, 682-1172.

Blood Drive: Dec. 15

CHELAN - There will be an American Red Cross Blood drive on Wednesday, Dec. 15, 1-6 p.m. at the Lake Chelan United Methodist Church, at the corner of Johnson and Emerson. To donate, simply download the American Red Cross Blood Donor App, visit RedCrossBlood.org, call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or enable the Blood Donor Skill on any Alexa Echo device to make an appointment or for more information. All blood types are needed to ensure a reliable supply for patients. A blood donor card or driver's license or two other forms of identification are required at check-in. Individuals who are 17 years of age in most states (16 with parental consent where allowed by state law), weigh at least 110 pounds and are in generally good health may be eligible to donate blood. Blood and platelet donors can save time at their next donation by using RapidPass® to complete their pre-donation reading and health history questionnaire online, on the day of their donation, before arriving at the blood drive. To get started, follow the instructions at RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass or use the Blood Donor App.



Bill and Carol Forhan

Frazier Strutzel presents his new book 'Anna Mehelich'

Read the story of Slovenian women pioneering their way through 19th century America

MEGAN SOKOL
STAFF WRITER

Frazier Strutzel is typing away on his keyboard in the middle of the night. All of a sudden, it feels as if a warm hand is tenderly placed on his shoulder. He smiles knowing that his grandmother is watching him give her story life again.

"I wanted to tell her story,"

Strutzel said. "She accomplished so much." For over 13 years, Strutzel has been writing and rewriting the story of his Slovenian grandmother Anna Mehelich (originally spelled Mihelich) and her sisters as they trek across the American west.

"She was held in high

esteem by her daughter-in-laws and the rest of the community of Monitor in the 40s. I remember a lot of people had a lot of respect for her in Monitor and Wenatchee, and Cashmere." The Mehelich family first arrived in New York before subsequently leaving for Northern Minnesota, moving to Butte, Montana in 1890, and then settled in Monitor, Washington in 1907.

"All immigrants I think, no matter what area of the world they come here from, probably can associate with a lot of what went on in 1880s-90s, early 1900s, to become a part of what is now America."

His book also captures the early history of Minnesota iron-mining and Wenatchee orchard businesses in the early 20th century, with a particular focus on the Strutzel Orchard.

"Even though she was limited with her English, she ended up being the largest apple orchard owner from 1929-1939," Strutzel remarked. "The old saying was 'the men who won the west,' but in my opinion it was the women who won the west. They're the ones who did the work, the work that counted for the civilization."

Integrated Resource Plan & Clean Energy Implementation Plan

Chelan County PUD is reviewing its 2021 draft Integrated Resource Plan (IRP) and Clean Energy Implementation Plan (CEIP) as required by state laws. The 10-year IRP outlines the sources of power needed to supply PUD customers. A new IRP must be developed every four years and updated every two years. The CEIP is a new requirement under Washington's Clean Energy Transformation Act (CETA). A CEIP is intended to identify a utility's plans over the following four years to meet CETA's 2030 greenhouse gas neutral standard and 2045 100% clean electricity standard.

Schedule for the 2021 IRP and CEIP:
Dec. 6 CEIP hearing; Final draft IRP to Commission
Dec. 20 IRP hearing

The first two presentations for each will be made during regular PUD commission study sessions that begin at 10 a.m. in the boardroom at 327 N. Wenatchee Ave. The hearings will be at 1 p.m. during a commission business meeting at the same location.

Visit chelanpud.org, "Integrated Resource Plan" and "Clean Energy Implementation Plan," to comment and for more information.



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Celebrate Christmas with the Leavenworth Village Voices

Performances
Dec. 5, 10, 12, 15, 17

SUBMITTED BY ALLISON M. BERGSTROM

LEAVENWORTH - A Leavenworth Village Voices' (LVV) Christmas concert must top your itinerary this Christmas season, whether you are a long-time local or visiting Leavenworth for that quintessential Christmas experience. The 2021 concert series is even more meaningful after the cancellations of live performances and Christmas festivities last year due to COVID-19. The community choir is back, strong, and eager to perform!

LVV made excellent use of its performing hiatus last year to renew, refresh, and rebuild. New director Mindy Wall has added to the excitement of getting back together to sing this past summer. Wall is director of Cascade School District's high school and middle school programs and is an accomplished musician and mezzo-soprano. She brings fresh vision and dynamism to the group.

"Mindy is raising the bar beyond where we thought we could go," says LVV President Richard Tabbutt. "She is fine-tuning our performance so we have a tighter, more polished,

more professional sound." Her goal, Wall says, is to work hard in rehearsals so that choir members can have just as much fun as the audience during performances.

Wall has placed a priority on performing with only live accompaniments, a challenge accepted by LVV alto and pianist Susan Butruille. Wall and Butruille work brilliantly together, having collaborated in the school district's music program. Wall has also challenged the choir by including a cappella arrangements in this year's program.

LVV gained several new members from the community in its year off, and launched a new website with the help of the City of Leavenworth's Tourism and Hospitality Grant. The website has all the information you need about purchasing tickets, joining the choir, sponsoring the group, or applying to its student scholarship. Check it out at LeavenworthVillageVoices.org.

As if 2021 hasn't been exciting enough for the group, LVV had a rare opportunity this summer to sing in a recording session for Grammy Award-winning songwriter and producer Ryan Lewis, of Macklemore & Ryan Lewis fame. The choir contributed to about a dozen songs for a



Courtesy Swoboda Photography

The Leavenworth Village Voices.

variety of artists and genres, including Macklemore, Kesha, and a true crime podcast. LVV can be heard singing back-up on the chorus of Macklemore's new single, "Next Year."

This Christmas season there are even more opportunities to catch an LVV concert. The choir added two additional concert dates to its busy performance schedule, including a Sunday matinee at the Snowy Owl Theater, Icicle Creek Center for the Arts on December 5, and a weeknight performance at Cascade High School on December 15—aimed at locals who prefer to not fight the weekend traffic. Three concerts will take place at the Leavenworth Church of the Nazarene, on December 10, 12, and 17.

In addition to its choral pieces, LVV concerts feature talented local artists, including the Bavarian Brass, Steve Morton on piano, and the LVV Women's Ensemble. An audience favorite is the tradition of closing each concert with a sing-along of Handel's "Hallelujah" chorus from "Messiah."

Like other performing arts organizations, the pandemic has had a significant impact on LVV and its members have been working tirelessly to come back stronger than before. The choir is reaching out to sponsors and applying for grants to ensure the nonprofit organization is financially healthy and positioned to thrive for years to come. Next year, LVV will celebrate 40 years of perform-

ing: an important milestone they want to reach so future generations of singers and listeners can experience the joy of music and Christmas in Leavenworth.

This season's concert series will be festive as well as safe. All performers are vaccinated and like other indoor venues, the audience will be required to wear masks. Based on the current numbers of COVID cases in the area and guidance from healthcare authorities, choir members likely will have to be masked for performances. Maintaining the health and safety of everyone is the group's highest priority. Even if the audience can't see smiling faces, one can "hear" when a singer is smiling: and these singers will be!

LVV has been a local institution for contributing to Leavenworth's Christmas magic and will once again perform in the gazebo on the final Sunday of the Village of Lights Festival. You will also see groups of LVV carolers downtown on festival weekends to spread the Christmas spirit to one and all.

If you've never attended a Leavenworth Village Voices concert, don't miss out this year. The performance is guaranteed to inspire and spread the joy of the season.

Concert dates are December 5, 10, 12, 15, and 17. Visit LeavenworthVillageVoices.org for details and to purchase tickets, or get your tickets at the door.

Allison Bergstrom has been a member of the Leavenworth Village Voices since 2014.

OVOC to perform Winter Concert in person Dec. 11

SUBMITTED BY OKANOGAN VALLEY ORCHESTRA AND CHORUS

OMAK - The Okanogan Valley Orchestra and Chorus will perform their Christmas Concert at the Omak PAC, Saturday December 11, at 2 p.m. The doors will open at

1:30 p.m. The Omak Twilight Parade will follow at 4:30 pm in downtown Omak.

The OVOC performance will be the first concert to be held at the Omak PAC other than for school performances since Covid-19 restrictions have

been in place. December 1, is the opening date for outside performances at the PAC since being closes to those groups due to Covid restrictions.

School requirements due to Covid restrictions will require that temperatures be taken

at the door. Masks must be worn at all times by everyone that is in the school including performers and the audience. Even the trumpets, tuba and other instruments will be wearing a covering. These are requirements specified by the Washington State school system.

Students from Paschal Sherman will be singing "The Okanogan Song". The Waterfall Immersion school students

will sing "The Little Drummer Boy" in their native Salish language.

The orchestra directed by Matt Brown will be playing "A Christmas Festival" and "Sleigh Ride" by Leroy Anderson and "An Outdoor Overture" by Aaron Copland.

"Because it's Christmas" arranged by Ed Lojeski, and "Bells of Joy" arranged by Larry Clark and Rae Moses will be sung by the OVOC

chorus. A Gaelic folk song, "Einini", and 'Hine Ma Tov', a Hebrew folk song will also be sung by the OVOC chorus. The chorus is directed by Derek Pulsifer.

The cost for the OVOC performance is \$12 for adults and \$10 for senior citizens. Youth 15 years and younger are free for the concert. The concert will also be live streamed. For more information contact 509-846-4773.

Give NCW: Your one-stop-shop for year end giving

By DENISE SOROM, DIRECTOR OF PHILANTHROPY, COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF NORTH CENTRAL WASHINGTON

NCW - It's that time of year. Time for giving thanks for what you have and helping those less fortunate. The Community Foundation of North Central Washington makes this fun and easy through Give NCW - our online crowdfunding campaign where you can support dozens of nonprofits throughout North Central Washington. This year we have over 60 participating organizations on the site - so you will be able to find all the causes you care about in one place, making your end of year charitable giving as easy as one-stop-shopping.

Where to go, visit www.GiveNCW.org through December 31 to donate to local nonprofits.

How to give: Give NCW accepts all major credit cards and issues you an automatic tax-receipt so you can keep track of your charitable donations. CFNCW takes care of all the credit card fees so



Denise Sorom, Director of Philanthropy, Community Foundation of North Central Washington

100% of your gift goes to the nonprofits you choose. Don't like to donate with credit cards? That's ok. We accept checks - just tell us how you want the donation distributed and make sure they arrive before December 31. You can also give through your IRA or with a gift of stock. Just give us a call at 509-663-7716 and we will guide you through it.

Fun and games: Charitable giving doesn't have to be serious, just serious fun. Mon-

days are fun-days during Give NCW: With every gift you make on a Monday, your name will be entered to win \$1,000 to donate to any of the participating charities on Give NCW. And on Wednesdays, we will match the first \$5,000 in gifts up to \$100.

Give to All If you love this community and want to do something to support the entire region, we recommend donating to the "Give to All" portion of the campaign. Your donation will be divided equally among all the participating nonprofits and the Community Foundation's Board of Trustees will match your gift up to \$50,000. Double your impact and give to all.

Be part of the community of givers that has made Give NCW a success.

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OBITUARIES

Benjamin Charles Higgins

February 7, 1947 - November 18, 2021

Benjamin Charles Higgins passed away on Thursday, November 18, 2021 at his home in Chelan with his family near his side. Ben died from IPF (Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis). Ben was born on February 7, 1947 to Lyle Beecher and Hazel Lucille (Nichols) Higgins in Wenatchee, Washington.

Ben grew up and attended school in Chelan, graduating from Chelan High School in 1965. He told many unforgettable tales about his school days and escapades.

Ben attended Yakima Valley



College from 1965-1967, where he met his future wife, transferring to Western Washington

University from 1967-1969, then to the University of Washington graduating in August 1970 with a Bachelor of Fine Arts Degree.

He married Jo Ann Richartz in Yakima, Washington on March 21, 1970. They lived in Seattle and Bellevue, Washington.

Ben began his Real Estate career in Bellevue, working for Shannon O'Neil in Newport Hills. In 1972, his grandfather C.O. Nichols, called him and told him that Kenny Kingman was thinking of selling his Real Estate business, so Ben came back to Chelan, bought the business from Kenny and Chelan Realty became his lifetime career in the Chelan Valley.

Ben was one of the pioneers in establishing the Chelan Co-Brokers Association under the guidance of the Wenatchee

Board of Realtors. He was active in the Chelan Chamber of Commerce, was a Chelan City Councilman, a member of the Chelan Snowmobile Club and a member of the Lake Chelan Golf Club. He was an avid hunter and fisherman and a member of Ducks Unlimited, which he promoted in the Chelan Valley.

Ben was an artist at heart and had an amazing talent at carving and painting duck decoys from a block of wood. He also enjoyed purchasing houses and remodeling or fixing them up to become rentals or homes to resale.

He was active in real estate in the Lake Chelan valley until 2021 when he sold Chelan Realty to two of his children, Jon Higgins and Laura Clinton. They are carrying on where he left off.

Family was extremely important to him. Ben and Jo never missed a Goat game, home or away, for their children (football, volleyball, basketball, baseball, softball, track and field). They continued to travel and support athletics with their grandchildren.

Ben's biggest love and passion was his wife and family. Ben and Jo were together for 55 years and married for 51 years.

Ben is survived by his wife, Jo Ann, their four children. Son, Pat (Lani) Madden of Gig Harbor, Washington; son, Jonathan Higgins; daughters, Jenifer (Rob) Rainville; and Laura (John) Clinton all of Chelan, Washington. He has 10 grandchildren, Cole (Celina) Madden, Aaron Madden, Aislinn Pai, Alike Pai, Tyler Higgins, Miles Higgins, Katie Ra-

inville, Ryan Rainville, Carson Clinton, Hallie Jo Clinton, and one great-grand daughter, Elsie Madden. He is also survived by his brother, James (Suzanne) Higgins; his two sisters, Kay (Buck) Frymier and Toni (Ron) Berry. Many nieces, nephews and many, many friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Lyle B. and Hazel Higgins; his grandparents, Charles O. and Mamie Nichols; William R. and Etta Higgins.

A Celebration of Life will be held on December 4, 2021 at Campbell's Resort from 1-3 p.m. in the Centennial Ballroom. A private family ceremony will be held in Stehekin in Spring 2022.

Services are entrusted to Precht Rose Chelan. Please leave your thoughts and memories of Ben at www.prechtrose.com

Mervin Lee Elmer

May 26, 1936 - November 16, 2021

Mervin Lee Elmer passed away November 16, 2021.

Merv was born in Wenatchee on May 26, 1936 to Estel and Eletha (Storme) Elmer.

During his childhood in Wenatchee he loved riding his bicycle, hunting, swimming and



spending time with his grandparents Morris and Pansie Storme at their orchard.

He was active in Boy Scouts of America earning the Eagle Scout Award and later as a troop leader.

Music was also a part of his life playing the viola in school orchestra and as an adult sing-

ing with the Apollo Club.

After graduating from Wenatchee High School, Merv joined the Marine Corp and married his high school sweetheart Adeline Toland.

While working and raising their five children he also worked on the family orchard in East Wenatchee.

Merv moved to Chelan where he married Rochelle Jacobsen and enjoyed many years working at Trout-Blue Chelan Inc.

Merv will be missed by his children Roxann (Jack) Roy, Scott (Terry) Elmer, Trina (Jim) Rice, Paula (Dewey) McGowan, and Valerie Elmer,

his nine grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and cousins.

His brother Elden and wife Marty live in Tennessee.

He was preceded in death by his first wife Addie, his second wife Rochelle, his father and mother, and his sister Karren Johnson.

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Red Cross pledges financial help to Okanogan, Whitman County recovery groups

\$1.2 million in grant money

By MIKE MALTAIS
STAFF WRITER

PATEROS – The Okanogan County Long Term Recovery Group (OCLTRG) that began as the Carlton Complex Long Term Recovery Group in 2015 has been selected to receive a portion of \$1.2 million in grant funds from the American Red Cross. In an announcement Nov. 24, the Red Cross said the grant will go to Okanogan and Whitman counties to help recovery efforts following the 2020 wildfires.

“More than one year after the 2020 Labor Day wildfires sparked throughout

Washington State, scorching thousands of acres and destroying homes in Whitman and Okanogan Counties, the American Red Cross continues to help people recover,” the media release said.

The Red Cross said it is supporting community-based recovery efforts through the grants being awarded to a pair of recovery organizations in each county.

“In Okanogan County, the Carlton Complex Long Term Recovery group will receive up to \$500,000 in grant funding and in Whitman County the Pine Creek Community Restoration group (via Innovia Foundation) will receive an additional grant up to \$750,000,” the Red Cross explained.

The CCLTRG was formed

in 2015 following the 2014 Carlton Complex wildfire, at that time the state’s largest. The following

year the even larger 2015 Okanogan Complex wildfire prompted the evolution of CCLTRG to evolve into the Okanogan County Long Term Recovery Group expanding the recovery efforts to include the greater Okanogan County community and neighboring counties. Pateros mayor Carlene Anders, Executive Director of the original CCLTRG is filling the same role for OCLTRG.

Since 2014, OCLTRG with the help of volunteers, donors, partner organizations



and former staff members, has replaced 27 homes and worked on over 1,200 cases between the two fire seasons. To learn more about the group visit okanogancountyrecovery.com online.

“The American Red Cross is proud to partner with the Carlton Complex and Pine Creek Recovery groups to support community recovery from the devastating wildfires of 2020,” said Alex Dieffenbach, Northwest Region CEO. “No one organization can possibly meet the multitude of needs created by the impact of such destructive

disasters. This investment will help put some of the families displaced back into homes of their own. We thank both the Carlton Complex and Pine Creek Recovery groups for working tirelessly to provide support and leadership to the collective wildfire recovery effort over these many months. We are grateful for their continued work and for helping to forward our mission of alleviating human suffering in the face of emergencies.”

The Red Cross announcement to support recovery through locally established organizations reflects mutually established recovery priorities such as housing, relocation assistance, community development, health and wellness, and disaster

preparedness. Through this partnership funding can be maximized, coordinated, and jointly focused on the greatest needs.

The American Red Cross is a United Way agency that shelters, feeds and provides emotional support to victims of disasters; supplies about 40 percent of the nation’s blood; teaches skills that save lives; provides international humanitarian aid; and supports military members and their families. The Red Cross is a not-for-profit organization that depends on volunteers and the generosity of the American public to perform its mission. For more information, please visit redcross.org or cruzrojaamericana.org, or Twitter at @RedCross.

State supreme court will decide new district maps after missed deadline

MEGAN SOKOL
STAFF WRITER

OLYMPIA - The Washington redistricting commission failed to submit revised Legislative and Congressional District maps on their Nov. 15 deadline. Ultimately, the final decision will be up to the State Supreme Court on April 30, 2022.

The Bipartisan Redistricting Commission meets once every 10 years to redraw district boundaries ever since the 1990 census. They are to approve boundary lines for 10 congressional districts and 49 legislative districts. The commission consists of two democratic members and two republican members to ensure a bipartisan map. This is the first time that a Washington State nonpartisan board has missed the Nov. 15 deadline and was sent to the court.

According to the Spokesman Review, the Commission seemed to have initially made a vote on the maps before the midnight deadline. However, a statement was released on Nov. 16 that they had missed the deadline, legally requiring them to hand over the decision to the State Supreme Court. The Monday meeting was also held in private, which may have violated the Open Public

Meetings Act.

Aside from these issues, the Commission was also met with hefty criticisms from both Democratic and Republican stakeholders, who find that the proposed map unnecessarily divides Chelan, Okanogan, and Douglas counties.

12th District Senator Brad Hawkins (R) feels uncertain about the process going.

“No one really knows because this is kind of the first time that our bipartisan redistricting commission process went kinda sideways.”

Hawkins claimed that the 2020 census found that Western Washington had increased in population and Eastern Washington had “underperformed,” resulting in the need to balance the districts.

“Some of the legislative districts east of the 12th districts needed to grow geographically and expand, pick up population,” Sen. Hawkins explained. “That had the effect of nudging over a district like the 12th that is on the border of the Cascade mountains.”

Sen. Hawkins was left disappointed by the proposed Legislative District Map, which will now be split away from Okanogan and Douglas regions. The district will be combined with western regions spanning all the way to Monroe and upper



Sen. Brad Hawkins

valley regions just below the Methow river.

“Traditionally, the 12th district has always been a north central Washington-based district. Chelan County, Douglas County, and part of Okanogan and some of Grant,” Sen. Hawkins explained. “Well now this shifts it over but the map that’s proposed includes all of Chelan County and a good portion of East Wenatchee, but the remaining amounts of Douglas County are proposed to be in another district.”

Many organizations such as the Chelan-Douglas Transportation Council, the Wenatchee Valley Chamber of Commerce, the Methow Valley Citizens Council Action Fund, and Chelan County Board of Commissioners have voiced their own



Adrienne Moore, 2020 Democratic candidate for 12th District State Rep.

concerns to the Redistricting Commission regarding possible separation from Chelan and Douglas regions.

“The map doesn’t in any way reflect what the commission received in public comment and that’s disappointing,” Sen. Hawkins said. “North Central Washington has a long, proud history of cooperative work across the two counties.”

2020 Democratic candidate for 12th District State Representative Adrienne Moore shares Sen. Hawkins disappointment over the proposed maps.

“I know it makes the district slightly more competitive, but I think at the loss of keeping the communities together,”

Moore said.

Moore notes her own disappointment for how divided the map looks politically, especially in a supposedly nonpartisan redistricting process.

“I think one of the most disappointing things I heard in the press conference following the release of the maps was that there’s basically been a trade where Republicans got to draw Eastern Washington and the democratic commissioners got to draw Western Washington,” Moore said.

“I think that really violates the spirit of a bipartisan commission in which politics should stay out of electoral politics, that we should stay out of districting/redistricting process.”

One of the goals of the Commission was to keep the Yakama Nation intact and to retain what they call a minority/majority district in Yakima. The Commission hopes to elevate the voting representation of People of Color (POC) in each district by drawing regions that are balanced in POC populace.

According to Crosscut, many have criticized this decision as inconsistent with the Voting Rights Act, failing to figure in the population of the voting-age latino population rather than the total latino population

in Yakima. Republicans also raised questions as to whether racially-motivated districting decisions violate the Equal Protection Act.

Moore feels that the new map does agree with the Commission’s own goals. “It didn’t seem like it met those criteria and some of the information that has come out afterwards around the Yakima valley region seems to point to not meeting both the recommendations or the hope of having, districts of minority/majority districts and building better cohesion for tribal communities.”

Moore added that the Colville Confederated tribe had advocated for their districts not to change and that they were okay with the split.

The State Supreme Court has three options. They can either approve the final map that redistricting commissioners tried to finalize; make adjustment to that proposed map; or open the process up for public comments and start all over again.

“I think not being able to develop communities that were in the best interest of the people rather than in the best interests of the parties is a loss for all of us,” Moore concluded. “I think we could and should do better.”

THE WASHINGTON OUTDOORS REPORT

Long Lake trout fishing

By JOHN KRUSE, THE
WASHINGTON OUTDOOR REPORT

I received a unique invitation last week to go trout fishing at a lake that doesn’t get a whole lot of press. The body of water in question is Long Lake, also known as Spokane Lake, an 18-mile reservoir northwest of Spokane bordered by Long Lake Dam and Nine Mile Falls Dam.

The crew at Mack’s Lure extended this invite to me and going on the trip was the President and CEO himself, Bob Schmidt. Our guide was going to be Steve Morris, the owner of SJM Guide Service. Also coming along was Mack’s Pro-Staffer Eric Magnuson, who hails from Spokane and Justin Wolff, a fellow outdoors media professional who is the host and producer of Angler West TV.

We all met at the boat ramp at the south end of the reservoir at 8 AM on a morning that greeted us with a mix of snow and rain. Morris explained we’d be traveling ten miles up lake in his open boat to get to where the majority of the trout are located at this time of year and I was very glad I was wearing a thick jacket and sweater underneath my rain gear.

The lower part of the reservoir was lined with a mix of full-time residential homes and summer cabins

but opened up to a more pastoral and wooded setting as we reached the fishing grounds. Morris explained the trout we were after were fast growing, sterile triploid rainbow trout that had been planted in the lake. Morris further explained we would be fishing close to the surface and he expected the fishing to be fast and furious, even with just three rods out.

Morris had two rods on downriggers on each side of the boat and the third was in the back of the boat going a little deeper with lead core line. Morris maintained a trolling speed of 1.8 to 2.2 MPH.

Our guide’s prediction of hot fishing on this cold morning was spot on. The lures were being bit within minutes of being put into the water and several strikes occurred before we could even get the rods into the rod holders. Within 90 minutes we had 18 healthy rainbow trout in the boat and had probably ten more fish on that came off before we could net them. The fish were all bright and measured 13 to 17 inches.

We were exclusively using lures and tackle from Mack’s Lure. The hot color? According to Morris, any color at all works this time of year here as long as its orange. Everything we used caught trout but what worked best was an orange Pee Wee Wiggle Hoochie with a plastic bill that gave it great action similar to a crankbait. This lure

was fished behind a 4.4-inch dodger on a short two-foot leader. hooks were modified on the lure for a shorter strike distance and tipped with orange died shoe peg corn. A Mack’s Lure Flashlight Troll, consisting of two large mylar blades and beads, was used as a lightweight attractor. This set up on the lead core line not only caught lots of trout but also the biggest trout of the day.

I was definitely impressed by the quality of this little-known trout fishery. Morris told me he’ll be guiding on Long Lake into mid-December, at which point dropping water levels will prevent anyone from using the boat launches on the reservoir. After that SJM Guide Service will be offering winter trips for trout and kokanee on nearby Lake Roosevelt, that huge impoundment of the Columbia River known for the large size and quantity of both species caught during the winter months.

If you would like to book a trip with SJM Guide service you can do so by contacting Steve Morris through his Facebook page or through his website at www.sjmguideservice.com. If you want to find out more about the lures that worked so well go to www.macks lure.com. A television show about this trip will also air in the near future on Angler West TV on the CW Channel in Western Washington and Northwest Oregon as



The day’s catch – Guide Steve Morris, Bob Schmidt, Justin Wolff and Eric Magnuson (kneeling).

well as on the Angler West TV YouTube channel.

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Lake Chelan Valley Veterans honored



ABOVE/BELOW/RIGHT: Morgen Owings Elementary (K-5th) in Chelan honored veterans on Nov. 10 in the covered area on the east end of the school. Veterans were honored with songs, poems and roses.



RuthEdna Keys/LCM



ABOVE/RIGHT: The Veterans' Day Parade, put on by VFW Post 6853 was held on Thursday, Nov. 11, at 11 a.m. (11th hour/11th Day/11th month). Many showed up with flags, large and small, to honor veterans and to show their patriotism. The parade is sponsored by the Lake Chelan Lions Club. After the parade Chelan District 7 Firefighters Association and Chelan Firefighters Local 4816 prepared and served free hamburgers and hotdogs to all veterans, currently serving military personnel and their immediate families, and first responders. The public was also invited. Proceeds were donated to Chelan VFW Post #6853.



BELOW/RIGHT: Children at Kid Haven Early Learning Center in Manson made cards for local veterans. The stars on the flag has the children's names on it.



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Three Rivers Hospital is seeking an OR Circulator Nurse. Current WA State RN license. Two years' experience as a full-time circulator. BLS and ACLS certifications. Basic computer skills. Monday-Friday, 8-hour shifts. No call time. Sign-on bonus: \$5,000. Interested Candidates may apply in person or by mailing their resume to: Three Rivers Hospital Human Resources Dept. PO Box 577 Brewster, WA 98812 (509) 689-2517 www.threerivershospital.net/opportunity@trhospital.net EOE

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SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. 2021-1590 of the City of Chelan, Washington On the 23rd day of November, 2021, the City Council of the City of Chelan, Washington, passed Ordinance No. 2021-1590. A summary of the content of said Ordinance provides as follows: AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF CHELAN, WASHINGTON A GENERAL PROPERTY TAX LEVY FOR THE 2022 TAX YEAR The full text of the Ordinance will be mailed upon request. DATED this 24th day of November, 2021. Peri S. Gallucci City Clerk Published in the Lake Chelan Mirror on December 1, 2021 #3135

Public Notices

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the assessment roll of the ISENHART IRRIGATION DISTRICT is now in the hands of its directors, and that said Board of Directors will meet via telephone conference at 8:30 AM on December 8, 2021 and sit as a Board of Equalization to hear and determine objections to said assessment roll as may come before it. The number to call to join the conference meeting is: 857-799-9593. No access code is required. Isenhart Irrigation District Ruth Van Wechel Secretary Published in the Lake Chelan Mirror November 17, 24 and December 1, 2021 #3082

Public Notices

City of Chelan 135 E. Johnson Avenue Chelan, WA 98816 ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the City of Chelan for construction of the Columbia to Sanders Water and Sewer Main Replacement project. Work to be performed includes water, sewer, and storm main improvements in the alley between Woodin Ave and Johnson Ave, spanning from N. Columbia Street to N. Sanders Street in Chelan. Bid proposals will be received by the City Clerk at the City of Chelan, 135 E. Johnson Avenue, Chelan, WA, 98816 until 10:00:00AM on Wednesday, December 8, 2021, at which time they will be opened, read, and tabulated publicly. Proposals received after the time fixed for opening will not be considered. The Engineer's estimate of probable cost is \$1,300,000 including Washington State Sales Tax. All work performed on the project will be subject to state prevailing wage rates. Contract documents may be purchased on www.questcdn.com for \$15.00, nonrefundable, under project #8066762. Addenda will be published only through the online bidding service. Bidders that do not purchase a bid set will not automatically be notified of addenda and will need to periodically check the on-line plan room for addenda. An informational copy of the contract documents is on file for inspection at the City of Chelan. The City of Chelan hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively ensure that in any contract entered into, pursuant to this advertisement, minority and women's business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to the invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, national origin, or sex in consideration for an award. The City of Chelan is an equal opportunity and affirmative action employer. Each bid proposal shall be accompanied by a bid proposal deposit in cash, certified check, cashier's check, postal money order, or surety bond in an amount equal to at least 5 percent of the amount of such bid proposal. Checks shall be made payable to the City of Chelan. Should the successful bidder fail to enter into such contract and furnish satisfactory performance and payment bond within the time stated in the Specifications, the bid proposal deposit shall be forfeited to the City of Chelan. The City of Chelan reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive irregularities in the bid or in the bidding. No bidder may withdraw his proposal after the hours set for the opening thereof, or before award of contract, unless said award is delayed for a period exceeding 60 calendar days. Published in the Lake Chelan Mirror November 24, December 1, 2021 #3098

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON COUNTY OF CHELAN CHIWAWA COMMUNITIES ASSOCIATION, a Washington public benefit corporation, Plaintiff, vs. KEVAN ARTHURS, a Washington state citizen and resident; BEAVER VALLEY ELECTRICAL LLC, a Washington limited liability company, Defendants. NO. 21-2-00467-04 SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION (20 DAYS) To the Defendants KEVAN ARTHURS, and BEAVER VALLEY ELECTRICAL LLC: A lawsuit has been started against you in the above-entitled court by CHIWAWA COMMUNITIES ASSOCIATION a Washington public benefit corporation, Plaintiff. Plaintiffs' claim is stated in the written Complaint, a copy of which is served upon you with this Summons. In order to defend against this lawsuit, you must respond to the Complaint by stating your defense in writing, and serving a copy upon the person signing this Summons within twenty (20) days after the service of this Summons, excluding the day of service, or a default judgment may be entered against you without notice. A default judgment is one in which the plaintiff is awarded what has been requested in the Complaint because of the Defendants failure to respond. If you serve a notice of appearance on the undersigned person, you are entitled to notice before a default judgment may be entered. You may demand that the Plaintiff file this lawsuit with the court. If you do so, the demand must be in writing and must be served upon the person signing this Summons. Within fourteen (14) days after you serve the demand, the Plaintiff must file this lawsuit with the Court, or the service on you of this Summons and Complaint will be void. If you wish to seek the advice of an attorney in this matter, you should do so promptly so that your written response, if any, may be served on time. This Summons is issued pursuant to Rule 4 of the Superior Court Civil Rules of the State of Washington. DATED this 21st day of September, 2021. JEFFERS, DANIELSON, SONN & AYLWARD, P.S. By H. LEE LEWIS, WSBA # 46478 Attorneys for Plaintiff PO Box 1688 Wenatchee, WA 98807-1688 (509) 662-3685 (509) 662-2452 Published in the Lake Chelan Mirror, Leavenworth Echo & Cashmere Valley Record November 17, 24, December 1, 8, 15, 22, 2021 #3059 NCW MARKET.COM CLASSIFIED ADS

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LEGAL NOTICE CHELAN RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT OFFICE: 144 E. WOODIN AVENUE P.O. BOX 1837 CHELAN, WASHINGTON 98816 All property owners and legal qualified voters of the Chelan River Irrigation District are legally notified as follows: ITEM ONE The Budget and Assessment Rolls for the District for the year 2022 are open for inspection at any time by any qualified person at the office of the District. ITEM TWO The BOARD OF DIRECTORS will set as a board of EQUALIZATION BUDGET HEARING and review of the ASSESSMENT ROLLS on Wednesday, December 8, 2021 starting at 4:00 P.M. The meeting will be held at the City of Chelan Public Works break room at 50 Chelan Falls Hwy, Chelan, WA. ITEM THREE The annual election for one Director of the District will be on Wednesday, December 8, 2021. The polls will be open at the office of the District from 8:00 A.M. until 5:00 P.M. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that CERTIFICATION OF QUALIFICATION will be furnished to any qualified elector who makes a written request prior to November 30, 2021 on application forms, which will be supplied by the District's secretary. Any candidate who wishes to declare their candidacy as a director shall do so by November 30, 2021. Certification for an ABSENTEE ballot can be secured at the office of the District. For any additional information regarding any of the items above, please contact the secretary of the District at their office. CHELAN RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT Ruth Van Wechel, Secretary Published in the Lake Chelan Mirror November 17, 24 and December 1, 2021 #3081 Upgrading your 'ride'? we can help you sell your old one • Place your ad 24/7 at ncwmarket.com • Email: mirrorads@lakechelanmirror.com • Call 682-2213

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