

## Spring Forward

Turn clocks forward **ONE HOUR** THIS SUNDAY, MARCH 13

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## Girls Basketball Team Earns 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in State Championship

By MEGAN SOKOL

The Cashmere girls' basketball team entered the semifinals after defeating Zillah High with a close 50-45 score on March 3. On Friday, March 4, Cashmere lost to Nooksack Valley with a 60-48 score, but were still in the running to earn the 3<sup>rd</sup> place championship title.

Photos were taken during Cashmere's game against Zillah High at the Yakima SunDome on March 3, 2022.



PHOTO BY MEGAN SOKOL  
Cashmere Junior Kaitlyn Bjorklund with Gennevieve Ledesma in the back.



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Cashmere Senior Ella Burts vying for the ball in a crowd of Zillah players with Maddie Hammond in the back.

## WCOG sues the Washington State Redistricting Commission

**WA Redistricting Board Ordered to Pay Over \$137k in Legal Fees and Fines**

SUBMITTED BY GEORGE ERB

WCOG Secretary and Juli Bunting, WCOG Executive Director

The Washington Coalition for Open Government (WashCOG) today agreed to settle its lawsuit with the state of Washington and its Redistricting Commission for violating the state Open Public Meetings Act. The Commission today voted to accept the settlement, as well.

The parties reached an agreement on a consent decree to present to the Thurston County Superior Court for approval. That agreement includes open government principles that ensures future Commissions will not continue to act secretly, which was WashCOG's goal.

Elements of the agreement include: The Open Public Meetings Act (OPMA) applies to the Commission and its Commissioners.

The Commission and its commissioners violated OPMA and the Commission's corresponding rules regarding transparency.

A commitment to implement rules so that commissioners no longer negotiate in private.

A stipulation that all future commissioners and staff shall complete open government training within thirty days of hiring or appointment.

Before the Commission considers any motion to approve a final redistricting plan, the Commission shall make that plan publicly available, including any proposed Congressional or legislative district maps.

The Commission shall open for public comment any motion to approve a final plan prior to voting on the motion.

Penalties of \$500 per commissioner and payment of legal costs and fees for the plaintiffs.

Under the settlement, the Superior Court would deny WashCOG's request to invalidate the redistricting plan and district maps the Commission transmitted to the state Supreme Court on Nov. 16.

The Supreme Court's had already issued an order December 3, 2021, affirming that plan. The Supreme Court's decision said that "the primary purpose of achieving a timely redistricting plan would be impeded, not advanced, by rejecting the Commission's completed work."

Subsequently, the Supreme Courts declined original jurisdiction to hear WashCOG's complaint and the Legislature adopted of the Redistricting Plan as amended on February 8, 2022.

WashCOG President Mike Fancher said, "We concluded the Supreme Court and Legislature had no interest in invalidating the plan and maps so close to the 2022 elections. We took no position on maps, but pursued an outcome that ensures this Commission and future Commission will not repeat the same mistakes. We feel this outcome achieved that aim."

The Commission has agreed to clarify its rules and never again vote on a "framework" rather than a redistricting plan in final form with actual maps in recordable form made public prior to its vote. The Commission agreed to forgo private negotiations and bring its working conversations or deliberations into the public forum moving forward.

"The Commission has taken these matters seriously as shown by their stipulation to individual penalties and covering the costs and attorney's fees incurred in enforcing open government protections," he said.

Washington's Open Public Meetings Act requires "All meetings of the governing body of a public agency shall be open and public and all persons shall be permitted to attend any meeting of the governing of a public agency, except as otherwise provided in this chapter." RCW 42.30.030

The Washington Coalition for Open Government is a nonpartisan, nonprofit organization founded in 2002. We are an independent, broad-based advocate for public records, open meetings and informed citizens.

## Over 17 Vale third-graders win Art.Link Design Contest

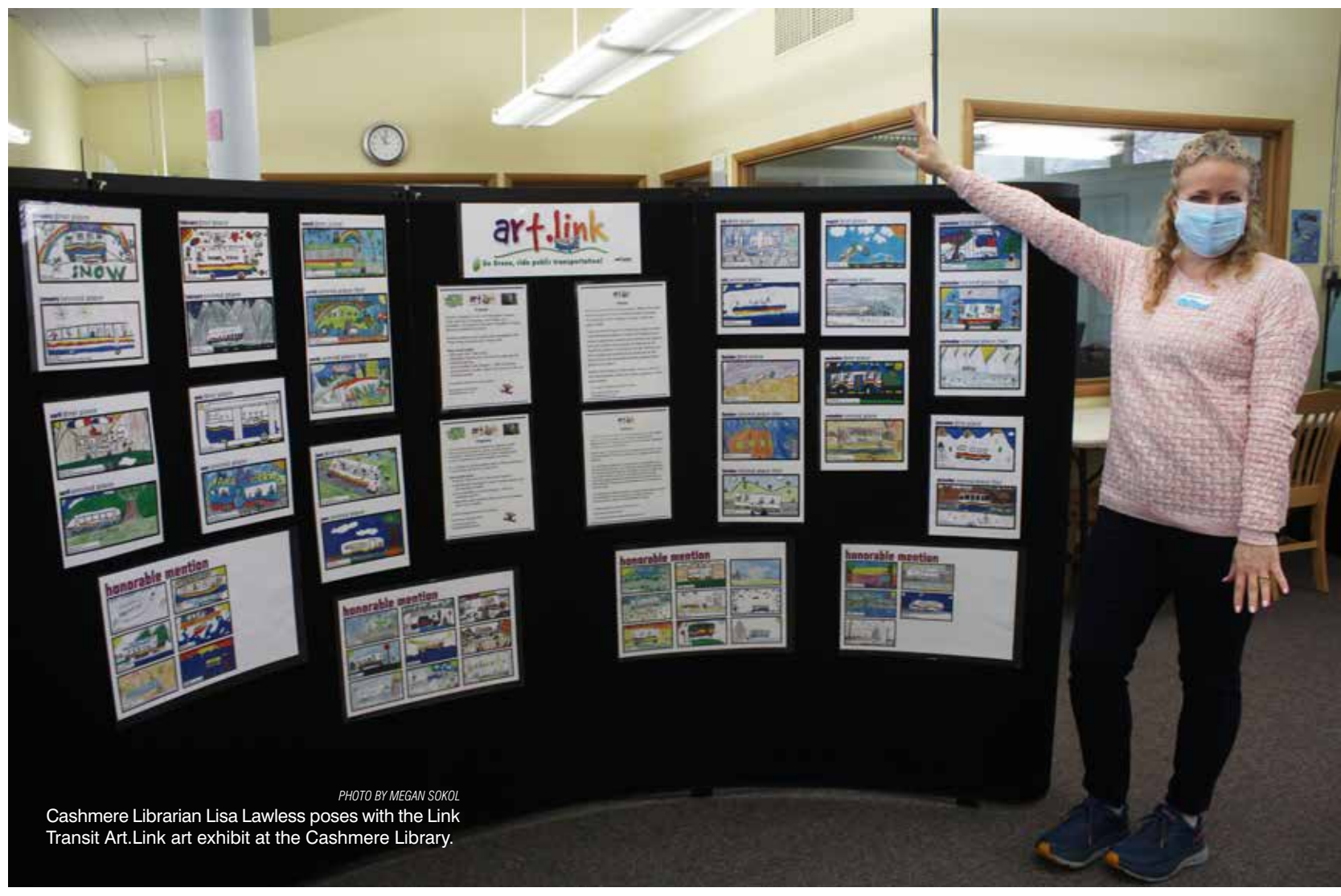


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Cashmere Librarian Lisa Lawless poses with the Link Transit Art.Link art exhibit at the Cashmere Library.

By MEGAN SOKOL  
Staff Writer

The 2021 Art.Link Design Contest was graced with dozens of entries from 3<sup>rd</sup>-graders all over Chelan and Douglas counties. Out of all the cities Link Transit covers, 17 Vale Elementary students reigned supreme with the largest number of winning entries.

"It's extraordinary, more than any other school in our service area and there are a lot of schools," Art. Link coordinator Selina Danko said. "We serve Leavenworth, Waterville,

Wenatchee, East Wenatchee, Entiat, Chelan, and Manson. All of those schools participated and [Vale Elementary] definitely stood out this year."

The students were tasked with illustrating the design of a Link Transit bus during their birth month. For example, if one child had a birthday in October, they may draw a field of pumpkin hills for the bus to drive on.

Danko theorizes that Vale's success with the contest was due to the teachers carving out time within their class schedule to work on the designs.

"The teachers at Vale support the

program with time, and I think that there's probably some classroom conversations about brainstorming ideas on what to include in their artwork, that gives them an edge."

The artwork is part of a traveling exhibit that feature the winning designs from last year's contest. The addition of a traveling exhibit was made due to the removal of bus fees during the pandemic, with the designs originally made to appear on bus passes.

The list of Vale Elementary 3<sup>rd</sup> graders who placed 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, or received an honorable mention

include: Libby Pipkin, Easton Woods, Juan Martinez, Kamila Atchison, Coraline Beck, Elias Fuller, Cornelio, Tyler Cho, Levi Steigmeyer, Maria Cortes, Weston Waters, Raylee Riker, Emily Smith, Thomas Guerin, Leela Shelby, Clara Jones and Oliver Sasseen.

The travelling exhibit is currently on display at the Cashmere Library throughout the month of March. You can visit Cashmere Library at 300 Woodring Street. Link Transit reports that each winner will receive a framed award along with a T-shirt featuring the student's artwork.

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**WRI Events**

On March 10, WRI hosts Mike Ceeka, a Wenatchee Valley local, to discuss his 46-day sailing adventure around Vancouver Island. The last two Red Barn Events of the month feature female authors. March 14, WRI introduces Joan Burton to talk about her book Footprints on Snow, telling stories of seven brave women who shaped the history of the Northwest Mountains. On March 24, WRI welcomes Judy Bentley to talk about her book Hiking Washington's History. A Book for All Seasons will be at these events to sell these books - get them autographed, too. Admission is by donation and helps Red Barn continue and grow with help from local business sponsors. Visit the website find out more details on upcoming Red Barn Events: <https://wenatcheeriverinstitute.org/>. Contact: Rande Zerger [rzgerger@wenatcheeriverinstitute.org](mailto:rzgerger@wenatcheeriverinstitute.org) 509-548-0181 ext. 7.

**Cascadia Conservation**

The District's regular monthly meeting scheduled for Friday, March 18, at 1:30 p.m., has been canceled. For information, please call the District office at 509-436-1601.

**The Wenatchee Area Genealogical Society**

Meets via Zoom at 2:00 p.m., Monday, March 14. Chicago-based educator Thomas MacEntee will present "Are You Ready for the 1950 Census?" Contact [WAGSLibrarian@gmail.com](mailto:WAGSLibrarian@gmail.com) to receive Zoom invitation; call 509-782-4046 for general information. Free and open to the public.

**Numerica PAC Eases Covid-19 Guidelines**

Effective March 2 the Numerica Performing Arts Center has decided to discontinue its recent policy of requiring proof of COVID-19 Vaccinations or a negative test to gain entry to its events. The change of policy, in place since September 1, 2021, during the height of the Delta variant, is a direct response to the easing of restrictions statewide due to the decline in COVID-19 cases. For more information contact J. Wood Lotts, Executive Director at [woodyl@numericapac.org](mailto:woodyl@numericapac.org) or 509-665-9096.

**Year of the Apple High School Student Art Contest**

The Washington Apple Education Foundation (WAEF) invites all current high school students in the following counties to participate in the 20th Annual Year of the Apple Art Contest:

Our (local) counties of: Chelan, Douglas, Okanogan. The Washington apple-themed contest will grant over \$1750 cash in student prizes.

First place will receive \$1,000, 2nd place \$500, and 3rd place \$250. In addition to cash prizes for students, the top three winner's art class/teacher will win a \$150 Amazon gift card for art supplies. Start working on your artwork today! Contest rules and registration forms may be found at [www.waef.org](http://www.waef.org) or by calling (509) 663-7713.

The overall grand prize winner is awarded \$1,000 cash and the opportunity to see his/her artwork reproduced onto a poster-sized calendar. Artwork submitted to: Washington Apple Education Foundation C/O Art Contest, 2900 Euclid Avenue, Wenatchee, WA. 98801. Deadline of May 1, 2022

The Washington Apple Education Foundation (WAEF) is the charity of the tree fruit industry. The organization is best known for its scholarship program. Annually, WAEF awards over \$1 million in scholarship aid to students raised in tree fruit industry communities.

**NCW Library Events**

Offering three virtual reading challenges in March through the Beanstack website and app. Readers across North Central Washington are invited to track their progress, write book reviews, earn digital badges, and discover great books for the whole family. Join one or all three of these challenges:

- Oscar Worthy-Reads: A reading challenge for adults featuring books adapted into Oscar-winning films.

- Women Changemakers: An all ages challenge celebrating women in history (March is Women's History Month).

- Read Across America: An all ages challenge with American landmark-themed virtual badges.

NCW Libraries offers new virtual reading challenges every month to help people get inspired to read more, discover new authors and genres, and to broaden their understanding of people and the world. Join a reading challenge at <https://ncwlibraries.beanstack.org/reader365>.

**COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

**Wednesday**

**Cashmere Rotary Club:** Zoom meetings Noon, Call President Glenn Johnson, 509-782-1922 for more information.

**Cashmere Food Bank,** open 2nd and 4th Wednesday from 3-4 p.m. Cashmere Food Distribution Center, 316 River St., for more information, call Pam, 509-245-6464

**Thursday**

**Caregiver Support Group,** 2-3:30 p.m. For Caregivers of those with Memory Loss. The Henry Building, 120 Cottage Ave. Contact Carmen Gamble, 509-393-0789. (1st & 3rd Thurs.)

**Cashmere Sportsman Assoc. (Cashmere Gun Club),** open to the public for trapshooting 7-10 p.m.. Private rentals by appointment. Call Brian James, 509-782-3099.

**Cashmere American Legion Post 64.** 7 p.m., American Legion Hall, 401 Sunset Highway. Commander Ken Komro, 509-782-4973. (1st Thurs. of every month, August -June).

**Cashmere American Legion Auxiliary #64,** 7 p.m., American Legion Hall, 401 Sunset Highway. President Linda Ingraham, 509-679-0243. (1st Thurs. of every month, August -June).

**Friday no events**

**Saturday**

Bingo, Cashmere American Legion Post 64, 401 Sunset Highway. 1st number called at 6:15 p.m. Contact Wiley Collins, 509-888-1904 to leave a message.

**Sunday**

**CHURCH:** See the church page for local service times and events.

**Monday**

**Cashmere Wacoka Kiwanis Club,** 6:30 p.m., American Legion Hall, lower level. 6:30 p.m. Call Pam Leighton, 509.669.3159. (4th Monday)

**Tillicum Riders:** 7 p.m. Chelan County Fairgrounds. Call Cindy, 509-662-5984. (1st Mon.)

**Cashmere City Council,** 6 p.m., City Hall (2nd & 4th Mon. of each month (unless a holiday, then Tues.))

**Planning Committee Meeting,** 5 p.m. at City Hall (1st Mon. of each month unless a holiday, then Tues.)

**Cashmere Fire Department,** Business management, 7 p.m., above City Hall. Call Chief Cy, 509-782-3513. (3rd Mon.)

**Cashmere Fire Department,** meeting, 8 p.m., above City Hall. Call Chief Cy, 782-3513. (3rd Mon.)

**Cashmere School Board Work Session,** Board work sessions are typically held towards the beginning of the month at 6:30 a.m. with no action taken. For updated info. Visit [www.cashmere.wednet.edu](http://www.cashmere.wednet.edu)

**Cashmere School Regular Board Meetings,** are typically held towards the end of the month at 7 p.m. with action taken. The schedule for meetings is subject to change to accommodate conflicts in schedule or special circumstances. Visit [www.cashmere.wednet.edu](http://www.cashmere.wednet.edu) for the most up to date info.

**Chelan Douglas Republican Women,** Meetings at Red Lion, 1225 N. Wenatchee Ave. Please, RSVP if you want to have lunch. Cost for lunch is \$18; Cost for meeting with beverage only is \$7 (no outside food please). Check-in begins at 11:30 a.m. and the meeting will begin at Noon. Call Ellie: 425-319-9869. (1st Mon.,monthly).

**Tuesday**

**Icicle & Peshastin Irrigation Districts:** Current meeting time 8 a.m. at 5594 Wescott Drive. Call Anthony Jantzer, cell, 509-433-4064, 782-2561 or [tony.iid.pid@nwi.net](mailto:tony.iid.pid@nwi.net), (2nd Tues.)

**Peshastin Water District,** meets at 5:30 p.m. Contact: Steve Keene for meeting location. 509-548-5266. (2nd Tues.)

**Cashmere Chamber of Commerce.** Noon, everyone is invited to attend as a guest. Call Executive Director, Gina, for meeting location, 509-782-7404. (3rd Tues.)

**NCW Libraries**

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**Cashmere Museum and Pioneer Village**

Call for more information 509-782-3230  
**Chelan County Historical Society Board meets,** 7 p.m., Cashmere Museum, 600 Cotlets Way. Call Nicky 509-782-3230. (3rd Thurs.)

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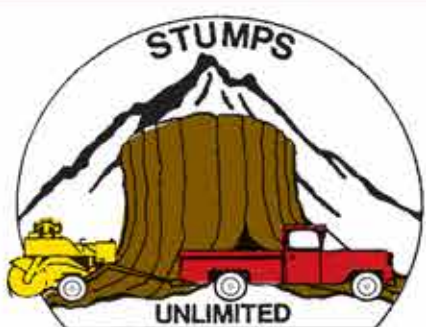


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Wednesday, 7 p.m., Leavenworth Senior Center, 423 Evans St.  
Thursday, 1 p.m., Leavenworth Senior Center, 423 Evans St.  
Friday, 7 p.m., St. James Episcopal Church, 222 Cottage Ave.  
Friday, 7:30 p.m., Plain Community Church, 12565 Chapel Dr., Plain

**Alanon Meetings,** call 509-548-7939

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4. The Cashmere girls basketball team celebrating their win as they delve further into the semifinals.



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GIRLS BASKETBALL	
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March 4:	Cashmere 38, Nooksack Valley 60; Loss
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Cashmere City Council Meeting

SUBMITTED BY KIRK BECKENDORF

A heated and lengthy discussion followed a public comment at the Feb 28th Cashmere City Council meeting. Dean Hills told the Council that he had begun drilling a well but was forced by the city to stop drilling. He stated that an emergency meeting was then held and the Council passed an illegal ordinance that prohibited him from drilling the well. According to Hills he had completed all of the required paper work. He accused the city of acting unlawfully and had no legal right to stop him from drilling the well, that he wanted to use to irrigate his property. Mayor Jim Fletcher responded that the city had thought that there was an ordinance that would prohibit the well, but then they could not find it in the city code. He admitted that there had been communication issues. Council members Jayne Stephenson and Chris Carlson both expressed concern that Hills had originally told the city that he was drilling a hole for a flagpole, Carlson told Hills that it seemed deceitful. Stephenson said to Hills that

seemed like he was being dishonest.

Council member Derrick Pratt argued emphatically that the city had made a mistake and that Hills should be allowed to drill his well. He added that Hills did everything right and that the city did not. Fletcher explained that the topic was not on the agenda and procedurally the Council could not discuss or act on the issue until it was added to the agenda. Pratt made a motion, which was seconded by Carlson to add the topic to the meeting's business items. After some discussion about how best to modify the ordinance to allow Hills to drill the well, John Perry made a motion, seconded by Shela Pistoresi, to table the discussion and seek legal advice. Pistoresi explained that before the Council changes the ordinance to make things right for Hills, legal advice was needed to make sure the changes are best for everyone. After Carlson received clarification that Hills had completed all of the required paper work he expressed his desire to resolve Hills' complaint at the evening's meeting. In a 3 to 2

split vote, the discussion about the ordinance was tabled, with Pratt and Carlson voting against the motion.

However, Pratt continued to argue that the Council still needed to do something to allow Hills to finish drilling his well. He made a motion, seconded by Carlson, that Hills be allowed to finish drilling his well. This motion passed 3 to 2 with Perry and Pistoresi voting against.

The meeting continued with a joint session of the Council and the City Planning Commission. Fletcher started the discussion by explaining that there is little room left inside of the town for additional growth. As a result, future development will primarily need to occur in the Urban Growth Area (UGA), which is mostly to the southwest of the city. He suggested to the two groups that they consider and decide where the UGA should be in 30 years. Rather than the future growth being dictated by the county and by developers, Fletcher said that with a plan, the city can approach the county for how best to manage the UGAs. He added that there is a wide variety of lot sizes within the city and he asked the Councilors and Commissioners to consider what lot sizes should be allowed within the UGA. Director of Operations, Steve Croci, recommended thinking in terms of high, medium and low density.

Director of Operations, Steve Croci, further explained that the city cannot add more UGA until the current areas are developed and he said that the city is not close to doing that. But according to Fletcher growth is happening at a much

faster rate than what has been seen before. Croci asked the members of the Council and Commission to consider options for how to make it easier to infill the UGA.

The expansion of sewer and water into areas being developed is necessary for the city to serve those areas. But lot sizes impact the affordability of extending those lines. Higher density development provides more homeowners to help pay for the expansion. Larger lots results in fewer people paying to be connected to the lines. Christine Wolman, a planning consultant with Pertee, Inc., described a problem with expanding beyond the UGA. She said that the area surrounding the UGA is primarily comprised of small lots with wells and septic systems. According to Wolman those homeowners will unlikely want to pay to be connected to city services.

Based on the discussion, the Cashmere Planning Commission was directed to investigate options for multi-family zones along transportation routes, how to encourage infill and how to best manage lot sizes.

Kay Jones, City Clerk/Treasurer announced that an experienced pool manager is interested in managing the city pool. They are currently get re-certified as a life guard and instructor. Jones said that once the certification is complete the person can be hire and begin working on finding and training life guards.

The Council approved a \$17,143.89 contract with Farmers Electric to install electrical components to monitor water treatment processes.



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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Artist Walter Graham's white horses charging out of the mist on the panels formerly displayed at the Visitor Center/ Rocky Reach Dam were always a draw for visiting family and

friends.  
To me, putting Graham's horses into a PUD high security area privatizes a local public art treasure. Maybe the Tacoma architects didn't know that generations

of Central Washington citizens in school buses or family cars were proud of that display.

I hope our Chelan County PUD commissioners would appeal to the Tacoma

architects to keep those beautiful horses coming out of the mist available for public viewing.

Joe Bissonnette,  
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# The Washington Outdoors Report

## Private Ranch Pheasants

By JOHN KRUSE

As far as I'm concerned, there are few things more enjoyable in life than watching a dog catch the scent of a pheasant, track that bird down and then watching that rooster explode out of the brush into the air in front of you. As for knocking the bird down? That's a big bonus too, though I struggled in that regard during my recent trip to the Cooke Canyon Hunt Club near Ellensburg.

I went to this hunting club at the invitation of member Mike Carey, the man behind Northwest Fishing Reports TV and the NWFR Reel Life magazine. Also with us was well known writer and editor Jason Brooks. He spent the morning following the two of us and Mike's springer spaniel, Duke, with his camera from flush to flush, laughing merrily every time I shot holes into the sky.

The Cooke Canyon Hunt Club is a non-profit club

north of Ellensburg with 1,000 acres to hunt. Doug and Alice Burnett are the affable owners and they are assisted by several friendly employees who will plant pheasant or chukar you pay for in a designated 80 to 100 acre-plot you and your party will exclusively hunt. This is nice because you are not competing with other hunters like you often do hunting on public land or state pheasant release sites. The birds come in packages of either five roosters, seven hens or seven chukar though you can add on to those packages with more birds if you choose too.

A dog is required and many of the hunters here, including Mike, use the hunting club as a way of training their dogs to be better hunters before taking them to places where they'll hunt wild pheasants during the regular season. Steel shot is also required and if you don't have a dog, you can hire a guide with a dog so that you can hone your shooting and hunting skills.

There are real advantages to private ranch pheasant

hunting, especially in Washington State where wild pheasant populations cratered due to habitat loss and changing farming practices. Whereas you might walk several miles with your dog and maybe flush a pheasant on public land, here you are assured of several flushes at close range during a hunt that usually lasts two or three hours. The terrain at Cooke Canyon is good too. It's not a big open flat field. Instead, where we hunted, there was a of different types of brush for the birds to hide in and for you to navigate through as well as a creek and two draws separated by a ridgeline. Much to my surprise, we actually covered close to three miles hunting back and forth behind the dog.

Another big advantage to private ranch hunting in Washington is that you can go after pheasants both before and after the regular hunting season which runs from mid-October thru mid-January in Eastern Washington. At the private hunting preserves, the season starts September 1st

and continues until March 31st. I am happy to report that despite my shooting woes we did end up hitting a couple of birds during our morning hunt. I had to leave after that but Jason and Mike went out for an afternoon shoot after lunch where there was a lot more hitting than missing and several tasty pheasant ended up going home for supper.

If you are looking for a Central or Eastern Washington pheasant hunting opportunity on a private ranch near you here are a few options:

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Private ranch pheasants. Don't turn up your nose at this opportunity. If you enjoy

hunting pheasant this can be a productive training experience for your dog as well as a fun day for you and your friends.

John Kruse - www.northwesternoutdoors.com and www.americaoutdoorsradio.com



Mike Carey and Duke with a pheasant

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# Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month

My first colonoscopy was 11 years ago, at age 55. I was due for another one 10 years later, in early 2021. Due to the COVID pandemic, the clinic doing colonoscopies in my community was forced to cancel all but the most urgent procedures. When I saw my family doctor last month, he mentioned I was overdue for my next colonoscopy.

"They called me last week to schedule it, but I haven't called them back."

He reminded me that by avoiding getting tested, I was gambling with my life.

## March is Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month

Colon and rectal cancers are the second leading cause of death from cancer in the United States, behind lung cancer. According to the National Cancer Institute, nearly 150,000 new colon or rectal cancer cases were discovered last year. That's one out of 23 men and one out of 25 women. Colon and rectal cancers are often lumped together and

called colorectal cancer or CRC. CRC is the cause of 10% of all cancer deaths. Colorectal cancer was rare in 1950 but is now the fourth most commonly diagnosed cancer in the United States. You are more likely to develop CRC if you are older, smoke cigarettes, are obese, get minimal exercise, or eat a diet high in meat and refined carbohydrates and low in fiber.

Colon cancer is more common among women, but rectal cancer is more common in men. The incidence of CRC increases starting at age 40 and peaks between 60 and 75 years of age. 20% of CRC cases are related to genetic factors. Having ulcerative colitis and Crohn's disease increases your risk of developing CRC.

Polyps are clusters of cells that grow on the inside lining of your colon. Colorectal cancer can occur when the tissue clump called a polyp turns normal cells

into cancer. Without polyps to change into cancer cells, there's no colorectal cancer.

When should screening for colorectal cancer start? It depends on estimating your risk of developing this reasonably common cancer. If you have an average chance of getting CRC, screening tests should begin at age 50 and continue until age 75.

What type of screening is best?

A colonoscopy is



considered the "gold standard" for screening for colorectal cancer. If no polyps are found, it should be repeated in 10 years, sooner if you have other characteristics

that increase your risk of developing CRC.

During a colonoscopy, your surgeon looks for polyps by inserting a tiny camera mounted to the end of a long, narrow, flexible tube. This tube snakes through your rectum and up and around your colon and intestines, inspecting the tissues as it goes by. For a successful colonoscopy, enough fecal material must be flushed out so that the lighted scope can see the inside of your intestines clearly. Small and medium-sized polyps are removed during the procedure by the surgeon. Larger polyps can require additional surgery.

Another option for CRC screening is a sigmoidoscopy. Less invasive than a colonoscopy, it checks just the lower part of your colon instead of its entire length.

The third CRC screening option doesn't require a procedure. Called a fecal immunochemical test or FIT test, it involves testing a

sample of your feces for blood.

Since no polyps were found at my last colonoscopy, my doctor said I could do a FIT test at home instead of waiting for another procedure.

"I don't have to chug a gallon of weird-tasting liquid? Count me IN!"

Smiling, I carried home my FIT test packet: a small squeeze bottle with tape wrapped around it. Following the instructions, I dropped off my sample last week. Whoo-hoo!

## Here are 4 Final Facts about Colorectal Cancer Screening:

**1. Don't put it off.**

Despite advances in the treatment of colorectal cancer, the rate of survival and percentage of people cured has remained the same. This is why screening is so essential to detect cancer at the most curable stage.

**2. Watch for bleeding from your rectum.**

Rectal bleeding when going Number 2 is the most common initial symptom of colorectal cancer. Don't assume it's from



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your hemorrhoids.

**3. Chill out.**

Mix up your gallon of colonoscopy preparation fluid the day before, and chill it overnight. Drinking it cold reduces the "soapy" taste reducing the "yuk" factor.

**4. Don't fall behind.**

Keep to the schedule of drinking your liquid colonoscopy preparation. I fell asleep, then tried to catch up by drinking a double dose. If I thought it tasted weird going down, it tasted even worse, coming back up!

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# Washington State Patrol shutting down Wenatchee Communication Center

By MEGAN SOKOL

Staff Writer

The Washington State Patrol will be shutting down their Communication Center site in Wenatchee and consolidating their services to their Spokane site. WSP Director of Communications Chris Loftis cites the cause of their move to be a result of low staffing numbers.

The Communication Center's staffing rates have been steadily declining since 2019, with 83% staffing drastically dropping to 70% the following year. Loftis disclosed that staffing had already dropped near 50% in 2022.

Although residents have not seen a difference in service, Loftis states their operation grew to be more expensive and unsustainable.

"We're paying a lot of overtime for the folks that are there. We're also already farming out calls to the Spokane call center, but from

eight to 12 hours a day, and we overwork a smaller workforce in such a highly-skilled and highly important job."

The District 6 counties that fall under this change include Chelan, Douglas, Grant, Kittitas, and Okanogan counties. This move will not affect the patrolling sector in which WSP Officers John Bryant and Jeremy Weber operate within.

Approximately 16-17 communication officers have been given the choice to relocate near the Spokane site or to neighboring sites such as Yakima or Marysville, all-expense paid by the WSP. Remote work is not an option due to employees needing to operate on high-tech equipment and working with 17 other law enforcement agencies.

"This is highly advanced. You're assisting the public not only through phone with answering 911 calls, but there's computer-aid dispatches as well," Loftis explained. "So,

the overall duty to receive, relay, and dispatch is just not something that can be done effectively from a home-based environment."

Loftis states that they gave notice of the consolidation back on Feb. 8. He states that he understands the community backlash, but unfortunately the decision had to be made.

"It's a hard message to hear, and we also recognize that it is difficult for the local communities because these are friends and neighbors, these are consumers of products, and these are taxpayers and voters," Loftis said. "We're quite aware that it's not a solution that is satisfactory for all concerned, but we've got to have a safe and sustainable system and his move is the best move for that to be safe and sustained."

So far only three have confirmed to relocate to one of these locations. The WSP hope to complete this move by June 30, 2022.

# New Fire Break for Nason Creek

## Wildfire Prevention for Lake Wenatchee

By MEGAN SOKOL

Staff Writer

In the next few weeks, Chelan County will be working on clearing up dry brush and potential brush fuel as they construct a fire break within Nason Creek.

Chelan County Natural Resource Director Mike Kaputa categorizes this particular project as a "shaded fuel break." He states that the Lake Wenatchee area has been

identified as one of the highest at-risk areas for wildfires in the state.

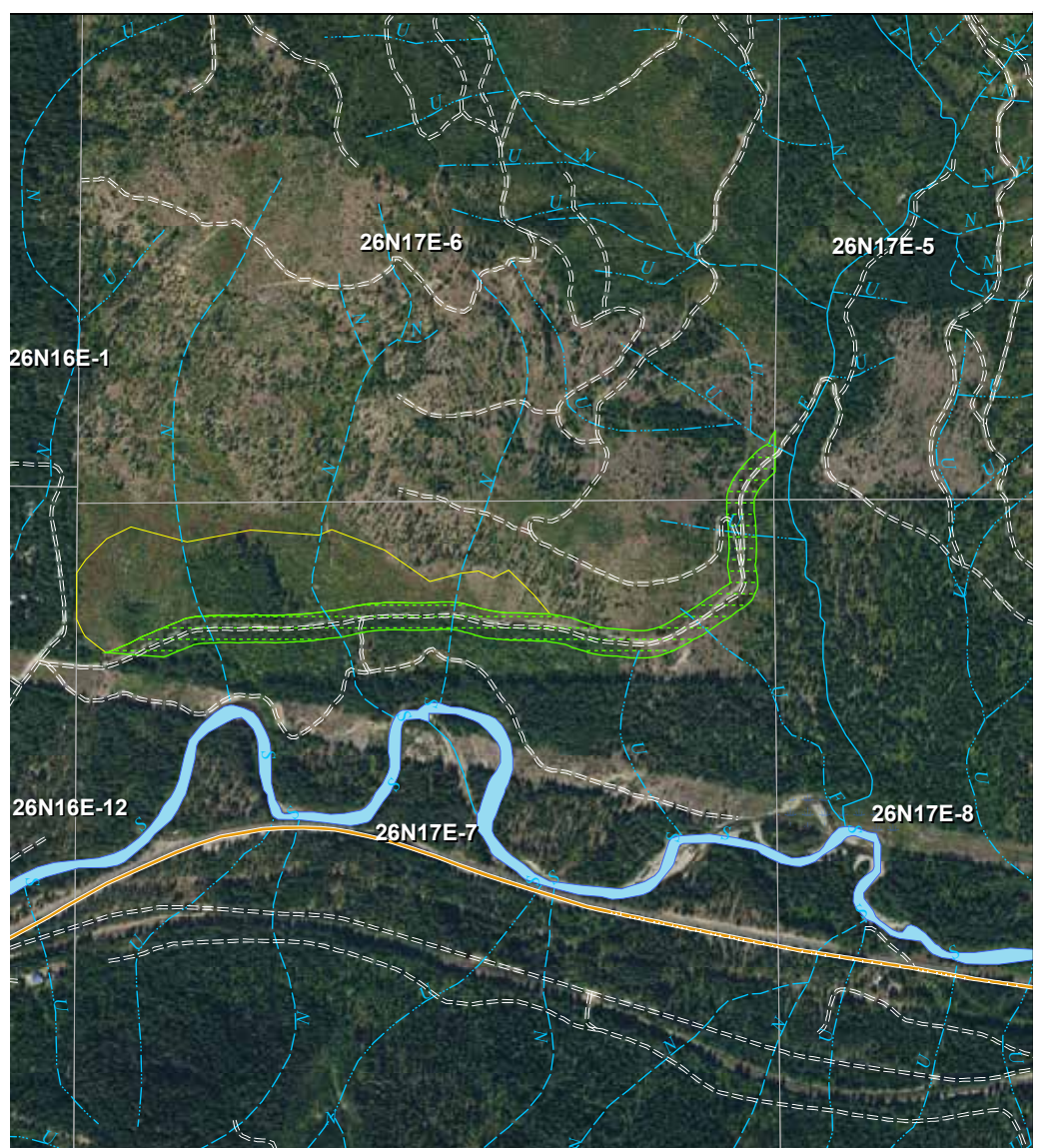
"We're going to remove some of the small trees, some of the underbrush we're gonna leave in the large trees so when fire comes that direction, there won't be as much fuel to burn," Kaputa explained. "The fire will either be slowed down or it will stop."

The county is collaborating with Western Rivers Conservancy, an Oregon-based conservation group that currently owns that area, Kaputa says that it is

wise to take advantage of this opportunity while they still can.

The fire break is approximately 100 ft. wide and would be placed on top of an existing unimproved road on US Hwy. 2 that can access the Western Rivers property. That property will soon be in Chelan County's possession, but the final date on that purchase has not been set.

They hope to start work on this in the next few weeks and be finished by early May, depending on icy or muddy conditions in the area.



Map of the fire break in Nason Creek.

MAP SUBMITTED BY CHELAN COUNTY NATURAL RESOURCE DIRECTOR MIKE KAPUTA.

## CHELAN COUNTY SHERIFF, FIRE & EMS REPORTS

This report is compiled from records provided by the Chelan County Sheriff's Office and RiverCom. The publisher cannot certify the complete accuracy of the information provided.

February 25	February 26	February 27	February 28
<p>Ave., Dryden. 11:49 Suspicious Activity, 107 Riverfront Dr. 12:00 CPS/APS Referral, 250 Corrigan Rd. 13:15 CPS/APS Referral, 7389 Nahahum Canyon Rd. 13:21 CPS/APS Referral, Homeless. 14:21 Hazard, Aplets Way and US Hwy. 2.</p>	<p>14:32 Suspicious Activity, 312 Elberta Ave. 15:54 Welfare Check, 5800Blk Kimber Rd. 22:22 Noise, 203 S. Division St.</p>	<p><b>March 2</b></p> <p>09:32 Traffic Offense, Cotlets Way and Museum St. 17:01 Civil, 817 Pioneer Ave. Rm. 100. 18:00 911 Call, 10Blk Parkhill St. 20:24 Assist Agency, US Hwy. 2 MP 113 W.B. 23:01 Disturbance, 102 Titchenal Way.</p>	<p><b>March 3</b></p> <p>13:00 Parking/Abandon, 100Blk E. Pleasant Ave.</p>



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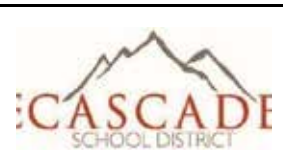
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Three Rivers Hospital is seeking a Certified Coder. This position is responsible for timely, accurate and comprehensive review of services. Abstracts, analyzes, and assigns ICD-10-CM, CPT, HCPCS codes and appropriate modifiers for evaluation and management (E/M), minor procedures, and diagnostic tests by using either computerized or manual systems. Required: Associate degree, bachelor's degree, or equivalent years of experience as coding specialist. Current professional coding credentials such as AAPC, (CPC), (CCA), (COC), PMI, (CMC), or AHIMA (CCS-P), (CCS), (RHIA), (RHIT) or be able to obtain credentials within 6 months of hire. 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](http://www.threerivershospital.net) [opportunity@trhospital.net](mailto:opportunity@trhospital.net) EOE

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The Cascade School District is seeking qualified applicants for the following positions:

Cascade High School/Icicle River Middle School Choral Director

Icicle River Middle School STEM/Honors Math Teacher

Cascade High School Spanish Teacher

Track application process and information can be found on our website at: [www.cascadesed.org](http://www.cascadesed.org) EOE

**The Bridgeport School District is seeking qualified individuals for the following positions for the 2022-23 school year:**

Psychologist  
Speech Language Pathologist  
Elementary Music Teacher  
Secondary Music Teacher  
HS Foreign Language Teacher  
HS CTE/Computer Applications Teacher  
All positions are open until filled. Apply on-line: <https://bridgeportjobs.hrmplus.net/Home.aspx>. For further information, please contact the HR office at 509-686-5656 or email [jobs@bsd75.org](mailto:jobs@bsd75.org). BSD is an equal opportunity employer.

**Bartenders wanted.** Full-time and part-time positions available immediately. Brewster American Legion. Applications available at Post or on our Facebook page: American Legion Columbia Post 97, (under jobs, open jobs click the bartender, click view applicant). Call 509-689-3307 after 1 p.m. Thursday-Friday or call 509-733-2700 after 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday.

**Employment Opportunities City of Chelan Parks & Recreation**

is accepting applications for seasonal employment positions covering General Parks maintenance, night security, parking enforcement and landscaping, RV Park, Marina, and Putting Course attendants, and Golf Course staff. See [www.CityOfChelan.us/employment](http://www.CityOfChelan.us/employment) for job application instructions or pick-up application at the Chelan Parks & Recreation Office at 619 W Manson Hwy, Chelan.

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**Deadline Noon on Friday for the next week's papers**

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Cascade High School Fall and Winter Cheer Coach(es)

Fast Track application process and information can be found on our website at: [www.cascadesed.org](http://www.cascadesed.org) EOE



**LAB TECHNICIAN / TECHNOLOGIST Full-time**

Three Rivers Hospital is seeking a Lab Tech to perform various technical, clerical and information systems related procedures in Chemistry, Hematology, Microbiology, Blood Bank. A.S Degree in Medical Laboratory Technology or related scientific field with a one-year internship or one year of clinical experience. Professional certification as a MLT (ASCP) or equivalent is highly recommended. 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](http://www.threerivershospital.net) [opportunity@trhospital.net](mailto:opportunity@trhospital.net) EOE

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**Help Wanted**



The Cascade School District is seeking qualified applicants for the following position:

Icicle River Middle School  
Bilingual Secretary

Fast Track application process and information can be found on our website at:  
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**Looking for a part-time job?**

The Leavenworth Echo Newspaper is looking for a part-time front office receptionist. Greet customers. Have computer knowledge, math, and phone skills. We will train you on our computer software. Pay depends on experience. Please email a resume to [Carol@leavenworthecho.com](mailto:Carol@leavenworthecho.com) or stop in with a resume 215-14th St. Leavenworth. Monday-Friday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Or call 509-548-5286 for an interview time. Equal Opportunity Employer.




The Cascade School District is seeking qualified applicants for the following position:

Cascade High School  
Day Shift Custodian

Track application process and information can be found on our website at:  
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**PUD No. 1 of Okanogan County is seeking customer service rep.**

The primary purpose of the position is to provide superior customer service to the district's internal and external customers by handling a variety of customer account and billing issues, including answering calls, cashiering duties, and performing account analysis in terms of credit/collections and payment arrangements. Please see [www.okanoganpud.org](http://www.okanoganpud.org) for job description, requirements and submit application with resume. Okanogan PUD is an equal opportunity provider and employer.



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Stop in to see items at The Leavenworth Echo 215-14th St. or call 548-5286 or Carol's cell:670-1723.

**Real Estate**

**Rentals**

Two bedroom apartment at the Chelan Airport area. Includes parking, electricity, laundry, and garbage, \$1,300 month. 509-860-6400.

**IN TOWN LEAVENWORTH**

3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, washer, dryer. No garage, shared patio, and small tool shed, 2 car parking limit. No ATVs, motorcycles, snowmobiles, trailers, etc. No pets, or smoking. Available Mid-February or March 1. \$1600 plus \$100. flat utility fee. References required. \$1000 security deposit. 509-860-4564.

**IN TOWN CASHMERE**

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**Vacation Rentals**

**LAKE CHELAN Sunset Marina**



40 ft. slip B 10 for rent \$600 month. Power, water, clubhouse. **808-298-1031**

**Vacation Property**

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**Legals**

**Public Notices**

**Superior Court of Washington for Chelan County**

In the matter of the estate of **James D. Willems**, Deceased. No. 22-4-00033-04

**Notice To Creditors** (RCW 11.40.030)

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

**Date of First Publication:** March 2, 2022.

**Wesley Jennings**, Personal Representative  
Attorney for the Personal Representative: Joseph C. Brown, Jr., WSBA# 17991  
Address for Mailing or Service: J.C. Brown Law Office, PLLC 200 Aplets Way, P.O. Box 384 Cashmere, WA 98815 (509)782-1111  
Court of probate proceeding and cause number: Chelan County Superior Court, Cause Number: 22-4-00033-04  
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**Public Notices**

**SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR CHELAN COUNTY**

In the Matter of the Estate of **R.J. REILLY**, Deceased. No. 22-4-00104-04

**PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS** RCW 11.40.030

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

**Date of First Publication:** March 2, 2022

Personal Representative: Patrick J. Reilly  
Attorney for the Personal Representative: Russell J. Speidel  
Address for Mailing or Service: Speidel Bentsen LLP 7 North Wenatchee Avenue, Suite 600 P.O. Box 881 Wenatchee, WA 98807-0881  
Court of Probate Proceedings and Cause Number: Chelan County Superior Court Cause No. 22-4-00104-04  
**PATRICK J. REILLY**  
Personal Representative  
Attorneys for Personal Representative: **SPEIDEL BENTSEN LLP**  
By: **RUSSELL J. SPEIDEL**  
WSBA No. 12838  
7 North Wenatchee Avenue, Suite 600 P.O. Box 881 Wenatchee, WA 98807  
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**Public Notices**

**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF GRANT**

No. 22-2-00062-13

**SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION**

FARRAH WARDENAAR (f/k/a FARRAH BROWN), a married woman.

Plaintiff, vs

JOHN R. WERST and VIRGINIA WERST, husband and wife; the UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JOHN R. WERST; the UNKNOWN HEIRS OF VIRGINIA WERST; ALBERT DIEDE and BERNICE DIEDE, husband and wife; the UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ALBERT DIEDE; the UNKNOWN HEIRS OF BERNICE DIEDE; HENRIETTA GRIFFITH, a single woman; KERRY JOHN GRIFFITH and JANE DOE GRIFFITH, husband and wife; LAURIE ANN GRIFFITH, as her separate property; and ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY, Defendants.

THE STATE OF WASHINGTON TO THE SAID DEFENDANTS: UNKNOWN HEIRS OF JOHN R. WERST and VIRGINIA WERST, the UNKNOWN HEIRS OF ALBERT DIEDE AND BERNICE DIEDE, and ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY

You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty (60) days after the date of the first publication of this summons, to wit, within sixty (60) days after the 2nd day of February, 2022, and defend the above-entitled action in the above-entitled court, and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff, FARRAH WARDENAAR (f/k/a FARRAH BROWN), a married woman, and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorneys for Plaintiff, FARRAH WARDENAAR (f/k/a FARRAH BROWN), a married woman, at their office below stated; and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, which has been filed with the clerk of said court.

The object of Plaintiff's action is to quiet title in and to Grant County Parcel No. 15-0956-000, which is more particularly described as follows:


Those portions of the Southwest quarter and the West half of the Southeast quarter of Section 4, Township 17 North, Range 24, E.W.M., Grant County, Washington, not included within the boundaries of Irrigation Block 79, Columbia Basin Project, Grant County, Washington, according to the plat thereof filed April 17, 1956.

DATED this 27th day of January, 2022.

STW LAW, PLLC  
By: Stephen W. Reagan, WSBA #41328 Attorney for Plaintiff  
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**Public Notices**

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE** Pursuant to the Revised Code of Washington 61.24, et seq.108 1st Ave South, Suite 202 Seattle, WA 98104 Trustee Sale No.: WA-19-869580-BB Title Order No.: 191110974-WA-MSW Reference Number of Deed of Trust: Instrument No. 2488741 Parcel Number(s): 222129880125 Grantor(s) for Recording Purposes under RCW 65.04.015: ANDREA C BROOKS AND TRISTAN A BROOKS, WIFE AND HUSBAND, AND CYNTHIA M ST VINCENT, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN, ALL AS JOINT TENANTS WITH RIGHT OF SURVIVORSHIP AND NOT AS TENANTS IN COMMON, AND NOT AS COMMUNITY PROPERTY Current Beneficiary of the Deed of Trust and Grantee (for Recording Purposes under RCW 65.04.015): PENNYMAC LOAN SERVICES, LLC Current Trustee of the Deed of Trust: Quality Loan Service Corporation of Washington Current Loan Mortgage Servicer of the Deed of Trust: PennyMac Loan Services, LLC I. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, the undersigned Trustee, will on 4/8/2022, at 9:00 AM AT THE Main Entrance to the Chelan County Courthouse, located at 350 Orondo Street, Wenatchee, WA 98801 sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, payable in the form of credit bid or cash bid in the form of cashier's check or certified checks from federally or State chartered banks, at the time of sale the following described real property, situated in the County of CHELAN, State of Washington, to-wit: LOT 3, BLOCK 2, THREE LAKES COUNTRY CLUB ESTATES DIVISION NO. 3, CHELAN COUNTY, WASHINGTON, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, RECORDED IN VOLUME 7 OF PLATS, PAGE 23 AND 24 More commonly known as: 3168 Monterey Dr, Malaga, WA 98828-9731 Subject to that certain Deed of Trust dated 11/29/2018, recorded 12/3/2018, under Instrument No. 2488741 records of CHELAN County, Washington, from ANDREA C BROOKS AND TRISTAN A BROOKS, WIFE AND HUSBAND, AND CYNTHIA M ST VINCENT, AN UNMARRIED WOMAN, ALL AS JOINT TENANTS WITH RIGHT OF SURVIVORSHIP AND NOT AS TENANTS IN COMMON, AND NOT AS COMMUNITY PROPERTY, as grantor(s), to CENTRAL WASHINGTON TITLE SERVICES INC., as original trustee, to secure an obligation in favor of MORTGAGE ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS NOMINEE FOR FINANCE OF AMERICA MORTGAGE LLC., ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, as original beneficiary, the beneficial interest in which was subsequently assigned to PENNYMAC LOAN SERVICES, LLC, the Beneficiary, under an assignment recorded under Auditors File Number 2499719 II. No action commenced by the Beneficiary of the Deed of Trust as referenced in RCW 61.21.030(4) is now pending to seek satisfaction of the obligation in any Court by reason of the Borrower's or Grantor's default on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust/Mortgage. III. The default(s) for which this foreclosure is made is/are as follows: Failure to pay when due the following amounts which are now in arrears: \$73,181.01. IV. The sum owing on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust is: The principal sum of \$281,502.21, together with interest as provided in the Note from 1/1/2019 on, and such other costs, fees, and charges as are due under the Note, Deed of Trust, or other instrument secured, and as are provided by statute. V. The above-described real property will be sold to satisfy the expense of sale and the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust as provided by statute. Said sale will be made without warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances on 4/8/2022. The defaults referred to in Paragraph III must be cured by 3/28/2022 (11 days before the sale date), or by other date as permitted in the Note or Deed of Trust, to cause a discontinuance of the sale. The sale will be discontinued and terminated if at any time before 3/28/2022 (11 days before the sale), or by other date as permitted in the Note or Deed of Trust, the default as set forth in Paragraph III is cured and the Trustee's fees and costs are paid. Payment must be in cash or with cashiers or certified checks from a State or federally chartered bank. The sale may be terminated any time after the 3/28/2022 (11 days before the sale date) and before the sale, by the Borrower or Grantor or the holder of any recorded junior lien or encumbrance by paying the principal and interest, plus costs, fees and advances, if any, made pursuant to the terms of the obligation and/or Deed of Trust, and curing all other defaults. VI. A written Notice of Default was transmitted by the Beneficiary or Trustee to the Borrower(s) and Grantor(s) by both first class and certified mail, proof of which is in the possession of the Trustee; and the Borrower and Grantor were personally served, if applicable, with said written Notice of Default or the written Notice of Default was posted in a conspicuous place on the real property described in Paragraph I above, and the Trustee has possession of proof of such service or posting. The list of recipients of the Notice of Default is listed within the Notice of Foreclosure provided to the Borrower(s) and Grantor(s). These requirements were completed as of 10/22/2021. VII. The Trustee whose name and address are set forth below will provide in writing to anyone requesting it, a statement of all costs and fees due at any time prior to the sale. VIII. The effect of the sale will be to deprive the Grantor and all those who hold by, through or under the Grantor of all their interest in the above-described property. IX. Anyone having any objections to this sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the sale pursuant to RCW 61.24.130. Failure to bring such a lawsuit may result in a waiver of any proper grounds for invalidating the Trustee's sale. X. NOTICE TO OCCUPANTS OR TENANTS – The purchaser at the Trustee's Sale is entitled to possession of the property on the 20th day following the sale, as against the Grantor under the deed of trust (the owner) and anyone having an interest junior to the deed of trust, including occupants who are not tenants. After the 20th day following the sale the purchaser has the right to evict occupants who are not tenants by summary proceedings under Chapter 59.12 RCW. For tenant-occupied property, the purchaser shall provide a tenant with written notice in accordance with RCW 61.24.060. THIS NOTICE IS THE FINAL STEP BEFORE THE FORECLOSURE SALE OF YOUR HOME. You may be eligible for mediation. You have only 20 DAYS from the recording date of this notice to pursue mediation. DO NOT DELAY. CONTACT A HOUSING COUNSELOR OR AN ATTORNEY LICENSED IN WASHINGTON NOW to assess your situation and refer you to mediation if you are eligible and it may help you save your home. See below for safe sources of help. SEEKING ASSISTANCE Housing counselors and legal assistance may be available at little or no cost to you. If you would like assistance in determining your rights and opportunities to keep your house, you may contact the following: The statewide foreclosure hotline for assistance and referral to housing counselors recommended by the Housing Finance Commission: Toll-free: 1-877-894-HOME (1-877-894-4663) or Web site: [http://www.dfi.wa.gov/consumers/homeownership/post\\_purchase\\_counselors\\_foreclosure.htm](http://www.dfi.wa.gov/consumers/homeownership/post_purchase_counselors_foreclosure.htm) The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development: Toll-free: 1-800-569-4287 or National Web Site: <http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD> or for Local counseling agencies in Washington: <http://www.hud.gov/offices/hsg/sfh/hcc/ftc/index.cfm?webListAction=se&arch&searchstate=WA&filterSvc=dcf> The statewide civil legal aid hotline for assistance and referrals to other housing counselors and attorneys: Telephone: 1-800-606-4819 or Web site: <http://nwjustice.org/what-clear> Additional information provided by the Trustee: If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the noteholders rights against the real property only. The Trustee's Sale Number is WA-19-869580-BB. Dated: 11/23/2021 Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, as Trustee By: Jeff Stenman, President Trustee's Address: Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington 108 1 st Ave South, Suite 202, Seattle, WA 98104 For questions call toll-free: (866) 925-0241 Trustee Sale Number: WA-19-869580-BB Sale Line: 800-280-2832 or Login to: <http://wa.qualityloan.com IDSPub #0175631> 3/9/2022 3/30/2022  
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