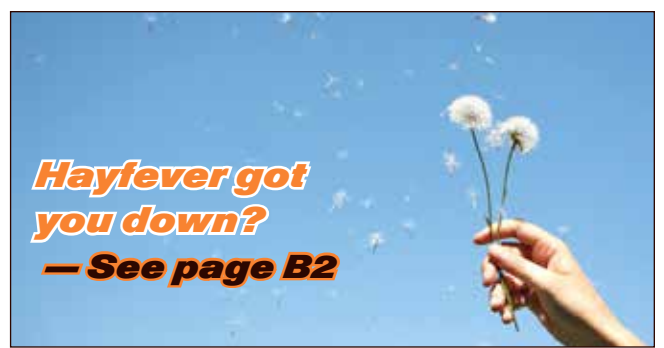


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9/11 Memorial Nears Completion



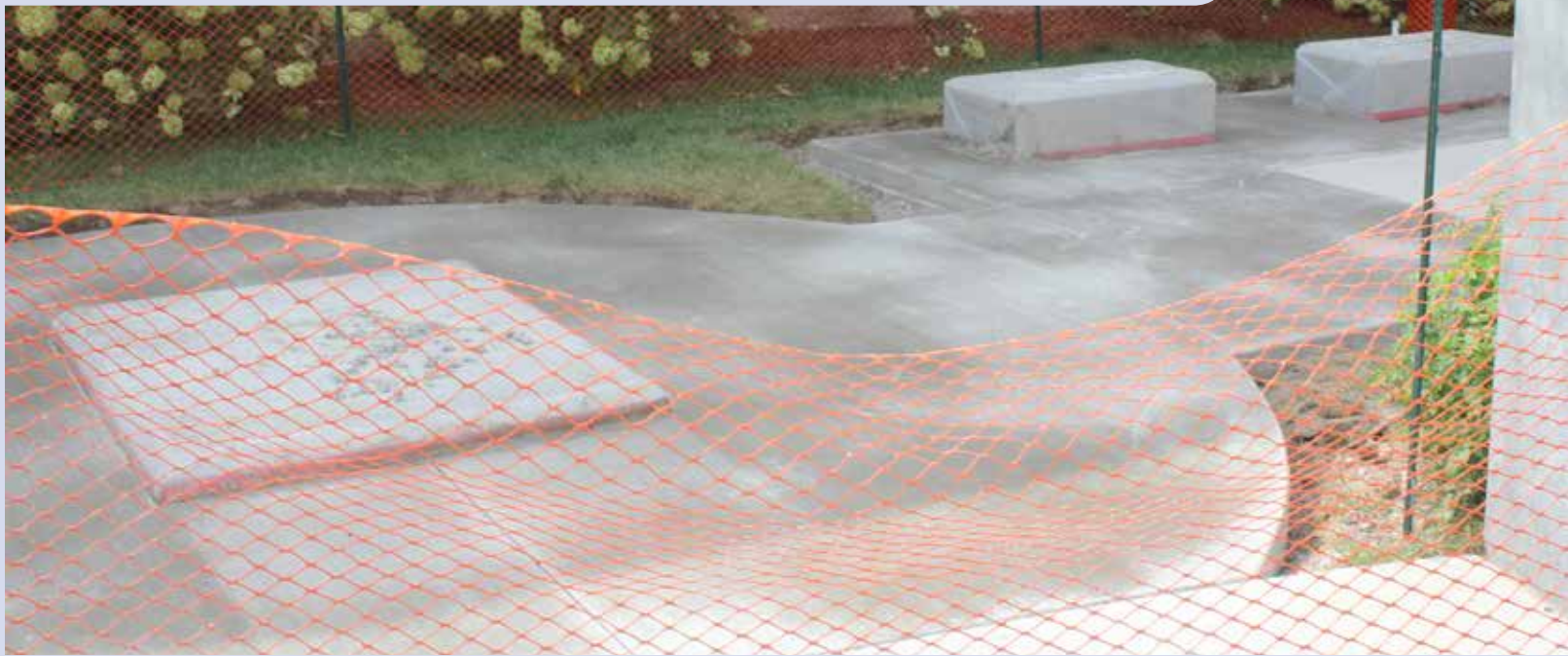
By BRANDI CHARLES

The 9/11 memorial has been a labor of love for those involved with its installation since 2015. Everyone involved has either donated their time or services to bring this project to fruition. The granite slabs will be installed on Thursday, September 5 for anyone in the community would like to be watch. As we all know, September 11, 2001 was a day that touched all Americans, young and old, so visiting the memorial in Cashmere will connect with the whole family. Located at 201 Riverside Dr., the pouring of the concrete should start at 8 a.m. (weather permitting), every

casualty and first responder's name who was tragically lost on that day is listed on the monument. Though it is a somber occasion, it is also a time to see how the community can band together and do something memorable to commemorate our fellow citizens who unfortunately passed on that fateful day.

Thomas Green is a volunteer who has been connected to the memorial since its inception, Green says how great it has been to have so many companies and individuals donate their time and/or materials to make it all come together. While the Granite slabs cost \$47,000, Marson & Marson Lumber in Leavenworth will be donating

the wood, Quiring Monuments in Seattle will be supervising the installation of two nearly 11 foot tall granite slabs that are in scale with the twin towers and two other monuments commemorating those lost on flight 77 at the Pentagon and flight 93 near Shanksville, Pennsylvania. "The towers are stunning and we believe they will be a huge draw to the memorial" says Green, "while working on the site these past six weeks, it is exciting to see so many tourists and locals who came to the memorial." The annual 9/11 ceremony will take place on September 11 at 11 a.m. at which time the new monuments will be dedicated.



The Cashmere 911 Memorial awaits arrival of the new elements to be installed next week.

PHOTOS BY BRANDI CHARLES.

City Council Raises Concerns Over Water Rate Hikes

By BRANDI CHARLES

The Cashmere City council had their twice-monthly city council meeting on Monday August 12 at city hall. After the pledge of allegiance the floor was opened up for public comment for items not on the agenda. After the agenda for the day was approved the minutes of the previous council meeting were read, then it was on to business. One of the agenda items the council addressed was the water rate study that detailed proposed water rate increase options. Of all four business items on the agenda the water rate was by far the item that was most hotly debated. At issue was the estimate of items such as the cost for 2-inch pipes as opposed to 10 inch pipes, and how the rates were calculated. The council had a hard time trying to reconcile the proposed increases in comparison to other rates in the area. According to Cashmere director of operations Steve Croci "people in Cashmere are paying about \$150 a month for water and sewer. It's painful to pay these prices." While the council didn't end up agreeing with the pricing, they did agree to accept the numbers as presented for further study at a later date.

All together the council had four business items on the agenda including: the city's agreement with the Standard Pallet Company for grinding material at the city mulching center, ordinance number 1278 amending the 2019 budget, the surplus equipment list and the water rate study. Another issue the council dealt with was the selling off of surplus equipment. "The city has too much stuff," declared mayor Jim Fletcher "time to do a little housekeeping and get rid of stuff." This was an issue that was easily settled, with all the council members agreeing that surplus material is an unnecessary hindrance on the town and it will benefit from selling off the old equipment. Items on this part of the agenda included things such as the old street sweeper which will be replaced by a newer model that would be more efficient and include a vacuum as well.

Beacon electrical repairs require temporary signage on US 2/97 between Monitor, Dryden

CASHMERE - Beginning Monday, Aug. 26, a contractor for the Washington State Department of Transportation will begin work to repair and upgrade wiring to the flashing beacons at intersections of US 2/97 between Monitor and Dryden.

During the work, the "Prepare to Stop When Flashing" signs with flashing beacons that correspond with the change of intersection signal lights from green to red, will be covered. A temporary sign without any lights will inform travelers to "Be Prepared to Stop" while the contractor performs necessary repairs to ensure these flashing lights continue to work properly.

Five intersections between Monitor and Dryden will have the beacons shut off for repairs in the following weeks. These include:

- US 2/97 and E. Main St. / Easy St.

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Icicle Fund Awards Grants to Non-Profits Impacting the Area

By BRANDI CHARLES

The Icicle Fund recently granted \$134,696 to 13 non-profits in the area through its Initiative Grants and Strategic Project Grants programs. "The Fund values projects and initiatives that foster a collaborative atmosphere, connect people to place, and are aligned with the Icicle Fund mission to support art, environment and history in North Central Washington. The fund believes that strong connections to the land and the communities in

which we live are nurtured through artistic expression and imagination, and understanding of our past, and experience in and love for our natural landscape and wildlife."

The Icicle Fund was started twenty years ago by Harriet Bullitt and has awarded \$40 million to more than 100 non-profit organizations. In 2019 Ms. Bullitt transferred her ownership of the Sleeping Lady Mountain Resort to the Icicle Fund so patronage of the resort would be able to grant even more money to organizations in the community.

Initiative grants are single-year awards for up to \$7,500 and all grants are awarded for projects in the area of arts, environment and history in North Central Washington.

The non-profits that were recognized this year were: Stage Kids, Washington Association of Land Trusts, Classroom in Bloom, Upper Valley Connection, Team Naturaleza, Cascade School District, Hawkwatch, The Merc Playhouse Society, Methow Valley Chamber Music Festival, Cascades Carnivore Project, Methow Recycles and the

Upper Valley Historical Society.

Christine Morgan, executive director of the Icicle Fund states, "In recent years, I have seen a remarkable increase in the quality of the applications and strategic abilities of the organizations that connect with the fund. North Central Washington's non-profit organizations are very impressive and together they build community and truly enhance the quality of life in our region." To learn more about the Icicle fund visit www.iciclefund.com.

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Somebody's got to say it

The Democrat Party has sold itself as the "Big Tent" party for decades. Somewhere along the way, they have lost their sense of what it means to be American.

I am sure there are some good Americans who still call themselves Democrats. Many of them are clinging to the myth that the Democrat Party is the party of the working people. The party whose purpose is to protect the common people from the rich and powerful.

While there may have been some truth to that view at one time, it is clear today's Democrat Party has morphed into a party that has forgotten the basic vision of the American system.

Let's examine a few of the "planks" of what now appear to drive their political agenda.

Medicare for All - Essentially this is just another push for single payer health care. Proponents claim that it will lower the cost of health care. Seems we have been promised that before. Obama care is a horrible failure. The Democrats will deny that but it did not lower costs by \$2500 per household and we



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still have millions uninsured. Medicare for all will cause many rural hospitals to close and it will make all health care workers government employees. There is nothing in the Constitution about Health Care being a right. More importantly, requiring all health care workers to become employees of the Federal Government and ultimately members of a government union is a violation of their individual freedom of choice.

Abolish the Electoral College - You might as well tear up the Constitution while you are at it. Politicians who would support a proposal like this are already in violation of their oath of office to "...support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies foreign and domestic." We can excuse uninformed voters for not understanding the role and purpose of the Electoral College, but any person who actually is holding a political office that supports such a policy should immediately be disqualified and removed from

office for violation of their oath.

Gun Control - Firmly guaranteed in the second amendment to the Constitution, Democrats continue to call for regulation of private citizens Constitutional right to own guns. This is ostensibly to reduce the amount of gun violence in the country. The problem is gun laws have failed everywhere they have been tried. Gun laws only regulate the honest, law abiding citizens. They have little to no effect on the criminal element. More importantly as Archbishop Charles Chaput speaking on the events in El Paso and Dayton said:

"The people using the guns in these loathsome incidents are moral agents with twisted hearts. And the twisting is done by the culture of sexual anarchy, personal excess, political hatreds, intellectual dishonesty, and perverted freedoms that we've systematically created over the past half-century."

Free Speech - The Constitution guarantees us the right to free speech, but increasingly that right is under attack. The first thing most Democrats do when confronted with speech they don't like is describe the



speaker as a racist, sexist or homophobic. It is easier than actually addressing the issues being raised and it shuts down not just the speaker but anyone who supports the speaker's position if they can accuse them of "hate speech." There are undoubtedly some racists among us. There are undoubtedly some who are intolerant of other life styles but the vast majority of the citizens of this country are not racists or bigots. To treat them all as if they were is limiting our public discourse. Individuals running for

office who cannot understand the American System as expressed in our Constitution need to be rejected. So far, based on the candidates the Democrat Party is supporting in the 2020 election, they need to be roundly rejected.

After all, it is the government of the people, by the people and for the people. It is not the government of the Democrat Party, by the Democrat Party and for the Democrat Party.

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CDCAC finds a region composed of 'haves and have nots' looming

SUBMITTED BY THE COMMUNITY ACTION COUNCIL

WENATCHEE - The likelihood of Chelan and Douglas counties being composed of sizable numbers of "have and have-not" residents in the future is real if current economic trends continue, according to a Community Needs Assessment released this week by the Chelan-Douglas Community Action Council.

Over the past few years, the two counties have lagged behind the state in income levels, poverty rates, educational attainments, employment rates, and health statistics. Indeed, the gap between the two counties and state in these areas - including for youth - is either climbing or has remained static over several decades.

At the same time today, the region is growing and attracting new residents and businesses thanks to technological advances and quality-of-life considerations.

"Our area is growing, recording record homes sales and job creation, our challenge is how do we as a community support our residents, reduce barriers to success and access

and create opportunities for all," said Alan Walker, executive director of the Chelan-Douglas Community Action Council (CDCAC).

The Community Needs Assessment is meant to determine strengths and gaps in the local social-services network. It is required by federal law every three years.

Walker said his organization will take the findings and information



from the Community Needs Assessment and identify ways to break down barriers, mobilize efforts to address poverty, and strengthen and solidify partnerships and resources. That work, in the form of a strategic plan, should be done by November.

CDCAC spent about five months collecting information for the Community Needs Assessment report. The information gathering utilized 48 statistical indicators, a community survey

completed by 411 residents, six focus groups attended by 70 community leaders, interviews of 10 stakeholders, and a public forum attended by about 25 residents.

The Community Needs Assessment Report is 150 pages long and includes an executive summary outlining the main findings, along with summaries from each information-gathering tool. For an online copy, visit cdcac.org/community-needs-assessment-annual-report.html. Or simply go to: cdcac.org and click on the Community Needs Assessment tab.

The report found housing is residents' highest priority community resource today, followed by health care, education, employment and mental health services. However, each of those resources is marked by their own deficiencies, CDCAC found.

The assessment identified what it described as "red flags" - threats to the region's well-being. Those include a continuing housing crisis; rising youth poverty and obesity rates; 30 percent of survey respondents saying they and/or a family member

have gone without a meal due to finances; Hispanics expressing fear about sharing information; one-third of the two-county region's being on Medicaid; abundant drug use within families and neighborhoods; and the lack of affordable and available early childhood learning programs. Walker said the large number of people skipping a meal due to finances reinforces the need for food pantries that are open for more than 2 or 3 hours a week.

President Trump hits China with more tariffs

By ROBERT ROMANO

President Donald Trump stepped up the pressure on China last week by leveling sanctions against Beijing for its role in shipping tons of fentanyl to the U.S. that has killed more Americans than the Lusitania and Sept. 11, 2001 combined, plus a new round of tariffs to keep the pressure on Beijing to come to the table on trade

To top it all off, Trump threatened broader economic sanctions on China and urged U.S. companies to leave, citing authority under the International Emergency Economic Powers Act to block transactions upon declaration of an emergency.

It marks a steep escalation in the dispute with China, and with these powers, the President can prohibit "any transactions in foreign exchange," "transfers of credit or payments," "the importing or exporting of currency or securities," and "any acquisition, holding, withholding, use, transfer, withdrawal, transportation, importation or exportation of, or dealing in, or exercising any right, power, or privilege with respect to, or transactions involving, any property in which any foreign country or a national thereof has any

interest by any person, or with respect to any property, subject to the jurisdiction of the United States."

With that, Trump could cut off all commerce with China with the stroke of a pen or bar it from treasuries markets. And yes, he can do that. Congress has the power under Article I to regulate foreign commerce and to enact laws deemed necessary and proper to bring them into execution, which is precisely what Trump is doing here. Similar sanctions are used against countries like Iran and North Korea.

On China's opium war with the U.S., almost 29,000 Americans were killed by fentanyl overdoses in 2017 alone. That is up from 3,000 deaths in 2013, and a good chunk of that is coming from China. Now, President Trump is taking decisive action with the latest round of sanctions.

According to a White House press release, "the Department of the Treasury announced it is identifying two Chinese nationals and a China-based Drug Trafficking Organization as significant foreign narcotics traffickers pursuant to the Foreign Narcotics Kingpin Designation Act (Kingpin Act) and designated one associate and a China-based entity for

being owned or controlled by one of the Chinese nationals."

On Twitter on Aug. 23, Trump urged UPS, Fedex and the U.S. Postal Service to do its part in enforcing the sanctions: "I am ordering all carriers, including Fed Ex, Amazon, UPS and the Post Office, to SEARCH FOR & REFUSE... all deliveries of Fentanyl from China (or anywhere else!)... President Xi said this would stop - it didn't."

China responded to the sanctions tit for tat by leveling another \$75 billion of tariffs on U.S. goods that otherwise appeared unprompted after President Trump had postponed the latest 10 percent round of tariffs on the remaining \$300 billion of goods until December. The U.S. already has 25 percent tariffs on \$250 billion of goods.

With China's new tariffs, Trump immediately raised the American tariffs to 30 percent on the \$250 billion of Chinese goods starting on Oct. 1, and up to 15 percent on the \$300 billion of goods, which are no longer delayed and will go into effect on Sept. 1.

Trump wrote on Twitter announcing the move, "For many years China (and many other countries) has been taking advantage of the United States on Trade, Intellectual Property Theft,

and much more. Our Country has been losing HUNDREDS OF BILLIONS OF DOLLARS a year to China, with no end in sight... Sadly, past Administrations have allowed China to get so far ahead of Fair and Balanced Trade that it has become a great burden to the American Taxpayer. As President, I can no longer allow this to happen!"

Americans for Limited Government President Rick Manning praised the move in a statement, saying, "Chinese and U.S. negotiators are scheduled to meet next week and President Trump will be meeting with other leaders at the G7 about China. Hopefully they will find a basic common ground that accomplishes three things: ending China's opium war against the U.S. using fentanyl, protecting intellectual property and ending competitive currency devaluations by China. In the past, Chinese and U.S. negotiators have agreed on all three of these points. Let's hope Beijing will finally sign off so the world can begin to embrace fair and reciprocal free trade and the scourge of fentanyl can be shelved forever, saving tens of thousands American lives every year."

It's about time. The difference between Trump and his predecessors is that he actually fighting, which is what he promised to

do in 2016. Getting tough with China has meant addressing the North Korean nuclear threat, arming Taiwan and Trump has also spoken out in solidarity with the people of Hong Kong who are marching for their freedom. In the meantime, Trump is seeking out alternatives to China, for example, with a new trade deal with Japan just announced at the G7 in France on Aug. 25.

Dialogue, of course, is preferred. Chinese officials keep saying that too but they also don't appear to keep any of their promises when they are made. This is all coming to a head, and right now, Beijing appears more interested in inflicting damage on the U.S. economy than talking ahead of the 2020 election in the hopes the American people elect a more acquiescent candidate. We'll see, but history teaches it's usually not a good idea to bet against America.

The strategy appears to be to back Trump into a corner, who has responded by coming out with guns blazing. Whatever he intended to accomplish vis a vis trade, China and globalization, this is Trump's moment and he intends to see it through.

And it could have a lasting impact. With these new sanctions, the likelihood is that Trump has already permanently shifted America's footing to take a harder line on China, a policy his successor whether in 2021 or 2024 will be compelled to continue. For better or for worse, that is Trump's legacy.

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Wednesday

Rotary Club, Noon, Cashmere Presbyterian Church, 303 Maple St. Call President, Melissa Grimm, 860-1535.
Cashmere Food Bank, 2:30-4 p.m., Cashmere food distribution center, 109 "C" Railroad Ave. Call Jim, 509-741-7551. (2nd & 4th Wed. & Sat.)
Cashmere Park and Recreation Committee, 6:30 p.m., City Hall. Call 782-3513. (last Wed., each month.)
The Underground Youth Group, 6th-8th graders. 6:30-8 p.m. Christ Center, 206 Vine Street. Call Steffanie, 782-2825.

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. (2nd & 4th Thurs.)
Free weekly community meal, 5-7 p.m. Cashmere United Methodist Church Gym, 213 S. Division Street. Call 782-3811.
Cashmere Sportsmen's Gun Club, 6:30-10 p.m. Shooting range on Turkey Shoot Road. Call Brian, 782-3099.
Cashmere American Legion Post 64, 7 p.m., American Legion Hall, 401 Sunset Highway. Commander Ken Komro, 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, 679-0243. (1st Thurs. of every month, August -June).

Friday

Evergreen Baptist Church Youth Group (ages 13-20), 6:30-8 p.m., 5837 Evergreen Drive. Call 782-1662.
Monitor Homemaker Club, Noon, location varies. (3rd Fri.).

Saturday

Bingo, 6 p.m., American Legion Hall, 401 Sunset Highway. Call Wiley Collins, 888-1904.
Cashmere Food Bank, 2:30-4 p.m., Cashmere food distribution Center, 109 "C" Railroad Avenue, for more information, call Jim, 741-7551. (2nd & 4th Sat. following Wed. of the same week, subject to change).

Sunday

CHURCH: See the church page for local service times and events. The Underground, youth group for high schoolers. 6 p.m., Christ Center. 206 Vine Street. Call Steffanie, 782-2825.

Monday

Cashmere Wacoka Kiwanis Club, 6:30 p.m., American Legion Hall, lower level. (2nd & 4th Mon.)
Tillicum Riders: 7 p.m. Chelan County Fairgrounds. Call Cindy, 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).
Cashmere Fire Department, Business management, 7 p.m., above City Hall. Call Chief Matt Brunner, 782-3513. (3rd Mon.)
Cashmere Fire Department, meeting, 8 p.m., above City Hall. Call Chief Matt Brunner, 782-3513. (3rd Mon.)
Cashmere School Board, 6:30 p.m., School District Office. Call 782-3355. (4th Mon.)

Tuesday

I.P.I.D. meeting, 8 a.m., on Wescott Dr., Cashmere. Call Anthony Jantzer, 782-2561. (2nd Tues.)
Ministerial Association, 8 a.m., Epledalen lunchroom. Call 782-7600. (2nd Tues.)
Cashmere Chamber of Commerce. Noon, everyone is invited to attend as a guest. Call Executive Director, Gina, for meeting location, 782-7404. (3rd Tues.)
Buns, Books and Tea, Peshastin Book Club, Peshastin Library. Call Kathy, 509-433-1345. (3rd Tues.).

Ongoing events

Cashmere Public Library: 782-3314
Call for other information if not listed.
 Mon., Tues., Wed., and Fri. 9 a.m.- 6 p.m.
 Thurs., 11 a.m.- 8 p.m.
 Sat., 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Sun., Closed.

Events:

Tues. & Wed., 10-10:30 a.m. **Story time Pre-K & up**
 Wed., **Preschool Story time**, 10-10:30 a.m.
 Wed., **Bilingual Story time**, 4:30-5 p.m. (last Wed. of every month)
 Fri., **Baby/Toddler Story time**, 10:30-11 a.m.

Cashmere Museum and Pioneer Village

Sat., 10 a.m.-4 p.m., and Sun., Noon- 4 p.m.
Chelan County Historical Society Board meets, 7 p.m., Cashmere Museum, 600 Cotlets Way. Call 782-3230. (3rd Thurs.)

Note: Some meetings or events may be rescheduled due to holidays or other closures. Please call and check with that organization listed.

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Cashmere School District Hosts Child Find Screenings

The Cashmere School District is seeking individuals ages birth to 21, who are not enrolled in a public school and may need special education services. Any family whose child resides within the district and qualifies for special education is eligible to receive services. North Central ESD provides a variety of services related to early childhood, call 664-3781. Free Child Find screenings are scheduled for

Thursday, August 29 at Vale Elementary. Translation services will be available for Spanish speaking families. To make an appointment or information call 782-2710. (r35)

Leavenworth

Looking for Volunteers

The Wenatchee River Salmon Festival is seeking fun Volunteers to help with festival preparations and outdoor activities. Salmon Fest runs from Sept. 19-21. Please call 509-548-6662 ext. 226 or send a note to Director@Salmonfest.org (er34,35).

Cascade Medical Foundation Home and Garden Tour

Cascade Medical Foundation is offering it's annual Home and Garden Tour on Saturday, September 14, from noon to 5 p.m. There are 5 beautiful homes located in Plain with lovely settings with wine tasting at Plain Cellars and the ever popular Glassybabies at one home. The tickets are \$20 dollars with the proceeds going towards the purchase of new 3D Mammography equipment at Cascade Medical. To purchase tickets or if you have any questions email foundation@cascaedmedical.org or visit

cascaedmedicalfoundation.org/fundraisers/home-garden-show

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The Wenatchee Area Genealogical Society

Meet at 2 p.m., Monday, September 9, Douglas County PUD Auditorium, 1151 Valley Mall Parkway, East Wenatchee. WAGS member Diane Gundersen will facilitate the discussion, "A Time for Vacations and a Time for Sharing." For information, 782-4046. Free and open to the public. (er 35).

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August 16	Binder Rd.
14:45 Lewd conduct , 300 Woodring St.	August 19
17:46 Court order violation , 3717 Bridge St., Monitor.	No report
20:51 Suspicious , 6050 Kimber Rd.	August 20
August 17	01:36 Alarm , 3887 Pioneer Way.
06:27 Trespass , 700 Cotlets Way.	03:11 Agency assist , 817 Pioneer Ave.
08:57 Disturbance 7532 Scheble Rd., Dryden.	04:49 Malicious mischief , 201 Riverside Dr.
14:41 Civil , 225 S Division St.	14:22 Parking/abandoned vehicle , 7804 Stine Hill Rd., Dryden.
18:57 Traffic offense , Nahahum Canyon Rd. MP 2.	20:59 Traffic offense , 329 Tigner Rd.
19:17 Liquor violation , 312 River St.	August 21
August 18	09:14 Weapons violation , 4296 Mission Creek Rd.
03:30 Agency assist , US Hwy. 2 MP 115 EB, Monitor.	23:09 Domestic disturbance , 322 Chapel St.
09:12 Property , 130 Titchenal Way.	23:47 Disturbance , 201 Riverside Dr.
16:46 Theft , 6500 Turkey Shoot Rd.	23:55 Suicide threat , 7900 Stine Hill Rd.
16:48 911 , 4724 Mission Creek Rd.	August 22
17:17 Agency assist , 5600 Airport Rd.	13:26 Vehicle theft , 25806 Bridge Ln.
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 For the week of August 26, the contractor will be working at the US 2/97 intersections of Dryden Ave./ Johnson Rd. at Dryden and Hay Canyon/ Goodwin Rd. at Cashmere. Future updates on this project will be available on the North Central region construction and travel advisory webpage. This work will not affect signal timing at these intersections, but the change of warning signage will mean that drivers will not have the flashing beacons to indicate that an intersection signal is changing from green to red. With a speed of 60 mph on this section of the highway, it is imperative that travelers on this section of road are attentive and use caution when approaching these intersections during the project.

SENIOR CENTER EVENTS

Leavenworth Senior Center, 423 Evans St., Leavenworth Events Calendar
 Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 10:00 a.m., Gentle Exercise
 Tuesday, 9:00 a.m., Leavenworth Area Seniors' Council Board meeting
 Tuesday, 1:00-3:00 p.m., Crafts
 Thursday, 1:00-3:00 p.m., Square Dancing
 Thursday, 6:30-7:30 p.m., Bavarian Dancing
 Friday, 6:00 p.m., Bingo
 Saturday 6:30-9:00 p.m., Music, Public Welcome, No cover charge

AA MEETING SCHEDULE

Information numbers for AA:
 509-548-1627, 548-4522, 664-6469, 425-773-7527, 206-719-3379
Sunday, 9 a.m., Leavenworth Senior Center, 423 Evans St.
Sunday, 7 p.m., Leavenworth Senior Center, 423 Evans St.,
Tuesday, noon, First Baptist Church, 429 Evans St.
Tuesday, 7 p.m., Light in the Valley, 8455 Main Street, Peshastin
Wednesday, 7 p.m., Leavenworth Senior Center, 423 Evans St.
Thursday, noon, First Baptist Church, 429 Evans
Friday, 7:30 p.m., Plain Community Church, 12565 Chapel Dr., Plain
Information number for Alanon: 509-548-7939
Alanon Meeting Schedule
Monday, 7 p.m., United Methodist Church, 418 Evans St.

SENIOR CENTER MENUS

Leavenworth Senior Center, 423 Evans St., Leavenworth Events Calendar
 No lunch on Tuesdays and Thursdays
August 29, Thursday: No Lunch
August 30, Friday: Tacos, Spanish rice, Mexican style slaw, mixed fruit, dessert.
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Singleness a Gift to the Church

SUBMITTED BY PASTOR JOHN SMITH

There is a group of people within every church that is often misunderstood. Viewed as strange and awkward, they are treated as almost pariahs within the congregation. If ever mentioned within the church, it is always to gather them together and put them in uncomfortable social situations all in the hopes of changing their unpleasant life situation.

Who are these poor unfortunate souls? Singles.

Church is awkward for single people. Often you attend church alone and have to sit through a sermon series about marriage. Also, church functions can be weird because you have well-meaning saints who want to play matchmaker.

Then to top it off, as you look around at all the families that surround you, you begin to doubt yourself and wonder if there is something wrong with you because God has yet to send you the "Boaz" of your dreams. I mean, after all, he did with Ruth, and according to the sweet blue-haired lady that sits in front of you during morning service, you are in just of a desperate situation as Ruth was.

As a pastor, I empathize with your struggle.

I know church can be awkward for many reasons (yet at the same time, wonderful and miraculous) and for single people it can be increasingly difficult to feel a part of the church community.

But I want to say, Singles are a gift to the church.

As Paul says in 1 Corinthians 7:7, he wishes all were single like him because then they can fully devote themselves to Jesus, freeing themselves from worldly anxieties and be anxious about the things of the Lord (1 Cor. 7:32).

What singleness provides, as opposed to marriage, are unique opportunities to serve the Lord which aren't practical for married couples. In marriage, you have to provide for another person and are tied down to the home. For instance, I can't up and leave to spend an indefinite amount of time preaching the gospel on a dangerous foreign field. Why? Because I have a family to take care of.

Yet for the single person, nothing is stopping them from packing up and heading out

to reach the lost for Christ. Nothing is hindering them from radically giving their lives for the sake of the gospel. It is the freedom that is afforded by singleness that can be (and has been) used as a dynamic force in Christian missions.

However, before we get swept away in naively aggrandizing being single, we have to remind ourselves that singleness is not for everyone. Certain people are gifted with singleness, while others not so much.

Going back to our passage in 1 Corinthians, Paul writes, "If they [widows] cannot exercise self-control, they should marry. For it is better to marry than to burn with passion" (1 Cor. 7:8). What 1 Corinthians 7 touches on is a struggle for those who are single: sexual purity.

Loneliness, boredom, isolation, are but some of the factors that can lead a single person astray and right into the clutches of sexual impurity. It is heartbreaking to hear but many single men and women who attend church regularly, struggle with pornography. Besides, the whole concept of the "dating culture" has led many Christian singles to forgo the Bible's definition of abstinence and fall right in line with the world's values on sexual relations.

So, the pastoral advice from the Apostle Paul is instead of falling victim to temptation and committing sexual sin (like fornication), find a spouse and enjoy that level of intimacy in a God-honoring relationship.

How long a person is to remain single, I have no idea. Yet, what I do know is that for however long you are single and up until the point when or if God graciously gives you a spouse, you should not waste your singleness.

Maximize every missionary opportunity you have. Take risks for Jesus and experience every adventure that Christ has for you during this season.

Lastly, in loneliness, press into prayer and devotion. Some of the most profound and meaningful times I have ever experienced as a Christian have been those moments where I was alone with Christ.

Singleness is not easy. It is full of numerous difficulties and pitfalls. Yet your singleness is not a curse rather it is a chance to demonstrate how radically one can live for Christ.

Back to school: Red Cross offers safety tips

School bells will be calling students back to the classroom soon and the American Red Cross wants to make sure every student is safe as they head back to school for the upcoming academic year.

"While safety is a top priority for all students, there are special steps for parents of younger kids and those headed to school for the first time," said Alex Dieffenbach, CEO, Northwest Region. "Make sure each child knows their phone number, address, how to get in touch with their parents at work, how to get in touch with another trusted adult and how to dial 9-1-1. Teach children not to talk to strangers or accept rides from someone they don't know."

SCHOOL BUS SAFETY

- If children ride a bus to school, they should plan to get to their bus stop early and stand away from the curb while waiting for the bus to arrive. Cross the street at the corner, obey traffic signals and stay in the crosswalk.
- Never dart out into the street or cross between parked cars.

- Teach your student to board the bus only after it has come to a complete stop and the driver or attendant has instructed them to get on.
- Kids should board their bus only, never an alternate one.

- Make sure your student always stays in clear view of the bus driver and never walks behind the bus.

GETTING TO SCHOOL BY CAR, BIKE, ON FOOT

- If children go to school in a car, they should always wear a seat belt. Younger children should use car seats or booster

seats until the lap-shoulder belt fits properly (typically for children ages 8-12 and over 4'9"), and ride in the back seat until they are at least 13 years old.

- If a teenager is going to drive to school, parents should mandate that they use seat belts. Drivers should not text or make calls, use their cell phone and should avoid eating or drinking while driving.

- Some students ride their bike to school. They should always wear a helmet and ride on the right in the same direction as the traffic is going.

- When children are walking to school, they should only cross the street at an intersection, and use a route along which the school has placed crossing guards. Parents should walk young children to school, along with children taking new routes or attending new schools, at least for the first week to ensure they know how to get there safely. Arrange for the kids to walk to school with a friend or classmate.

DRIVERS, SLOW DOWN!

Drivers should be aware that children are out walking or biking to school and slow down, especially in residential areas and school zones. Motorists should know what the yellow and red bus signals mean. Yellow flashing lights indicate the bus is getting ready to stop and motorists should slow down and be prepared to stop. Red flashing lights and an extended stop sign indicate the bus is stopped and children

DEATH NOTICE Erlan John Miller

March 16, 1934 - August 12, 2019
Erlan John Miller, 85, of Cashmere, died on Monday, August 12, 2019. Erlan

was born in Wenatchee, Washington. Service were held at Cashmere Cemetery on Thursday, August 22, 2019.

are getting on or off.

Motorists must stop when they are behind a bus, meeting the bus or approaching an intersection where a bus is stopped. Motorists following or traveling alongside a school bus must also stop until the red lights have stopped flashing, the stop arm is withdrawn, and all children have reached safety. This includes two and four-lane highways. If physical barriers such as grassy medians, guide rails or concrete median barriers separate oncoming traffic from the bus, motorists in the opposing lanes may proceed without stopping. Do not proceed until all the children have reached a place of safety.

PREPARE FOR EMERGENCIES

Know what the emergency plan is at your child's school in case a disaster or an unforeseen event occurs. Develop a family emergency plan so everyone will know who to contact and where to

go if something happens while children are at school and parents are at work. Details are available at redcross.org/ prepare.

TAKE A FIRST AID CLASS

The Red Cross First Aid App provides instant access to information on handling the most common first aid emergencies whether it be before, during or after school. Download the app for free by searching for 'American Red Cross' in your app store or at redcross.org/apps. Learn and practice First Aid and CPR/AED skills by taking a course (redcross.org/takeaclass) so you can help save a life.

About the American Red Cross:

The American Red Cross 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.



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DOWN'S LAKE WILL LIFT YOUR SPIRITS

By JOHN KRUSE

Suffering from a case of the summertime blues? Is life's fast and frantic pace stressing you out? There's a tonic for that and you'll find it at the most unlikely of named destinations, Downs Lake.

That's where I went a few weeks ago after loading my kayak into the back of my pick-up, placing a couple of fishing rods in the cab, and bringing a digital camera for good measure. Located in Spokane County, this 425-acre lake is easily accessible from Interstate 90 (Exit 245) and the small town of Sprague. The lake itself sits in a region known as the channeled scablands, a rural area of lakes, ponds and coulees surrounded by basalt

rock formations, all formed by the Great Missoula Flood some 14,000 years ago.

Downs Lake is a peaceful place – you won't find jet skis or water skiers here. The only public access and boat launch available is at Downs Lake Resort, a rustic but pleasant place to pitch a tent or park an RV if you want to stay the night. Pay a small boat launch fee then hit the water. During the summer, huge rafts of lily pads cover much of the lake and other portions are unfishable because of weed growth. However, if you paddle your way through a channel cut through the pads, you'll be able to access about 75 acres of water on the other side of the lake where the water is deeper and the fishing is good.

During my day on the water I fished along the edge of the lily pads and cast small jigs tipped with worms. I was rewarded with lots of six-inch perch, a nice 10-inch crappie and an 11-inch rainbow trout. I also hooked and lost quite a few others to include a nice largemouth bass. Other fish found in Downs Lake include uncommon species such as tench and grass pickerel.

The weather was perfect: Sunny with temperatures in the mid 80's coupled with a soft breeze that blew over the water throughout the day. Better still was the wildlife. From turtles in the water to birds of the air, there was much to see. In fact, I found out I was far from the only angler on the lake. There are two resident bald eagles

that perch in a tall Ponderosa near the shoreline, osprey that soar above the water looking for their next meal, and flocks of small Bonaparte's gulls that flew all around my kayak. The gulls would call to each other with a "Keh...Keh" sound as they flapped their wings a few yards above the water before stopping, hovering for a moment and then diving to the surface to catch small fish.

Experiencing all of this from a quiet platform like a kayak, immersing my hands into the water or paddling alongside the lily pads, was an intimate experience that proved to be a very effective way to decompress. Better still, there are no side effects to this sort of therapy except for good

memories and a desire to repeat the experience again.

Downs Lake is open for fishing from March 1st through September 30th. Check the WDFW regulations for details about catch limits.

OTHER PLACES TO KAYAK, FISH AND WATCH WILDLIFE:

DECEPTION PASS STATE PARK – Cast for Coho and pink salmon during the next couple of weeks from the beach in this popular state park at the north end of Whidbey Island near Deception Pass; then go on a 90-minute guided kayak tour with Anacortes Kayak Tours out of Bowman Bay at the north end of the park. Keep your eyes peeled for seals, porpoise and maybe even a whale. www.anacorteskayaktours.com

COLUMBIA HILLS STATE

PARK - Horsethief Lake in the Columbia River Gorge is an 85-acre lake bordering the Columbia River. Enjoy the views of the scenic gorge and nearby Horsethief Butte while fishing for trout and bass. Raptors to include various hawks, bald eagles and osprey are common and don't forget to check out the Native American pictographs at the park.

SINLAHEKIN WILDLIFE AREA – Blue Lake is a 205-acre body of water within the Sinlahekin Wildlife Area north of Conconully in Okanogan County. Sightings of deer along the shoreline and a variety of different birds in and around the lake go hand in hand with good spring and fall fishing for nice sized rainbow and the occasional brown trout. Selective regulations rules (single barbless hooks and no bait) are in effect here.



PHOTO BY JOHN KRUSE.
Typical Downs Lake Perch



PHOTO BY JOHN KRUSE.
Painted Turtles

Marine patrols to target paddleboarders

LABOR DAY WEEKEND

OLYMPIA – Marine law enforcement agencies on Washington state's marine and fresh waterways will conduct safety emphasis patrols over Labor Day weekend — specifically targeting stand up paddleboarders. The goal is to educate them about laws and safe practices.

"Stand up paddleboarders need to know that as soon as their board leaves a designated swim area or goes beyond the surf, it is considered a vessel and therefore subject to recreational boating laws," said Rob Sendak, State Parks boating law administrator.

What are the laws? Every vessel, no matter the size — including kayaks, canoes and stand up paddleboards — is required by federal and Washington state laws to carry the following:

- Life jackets –
- People 13 years of age or

older must carry a U.S. Coast Guard-approved life jacket in good condition. The life jacket must be the right size and type for the person wearing it.

• All children 12 years of age or younger must always wear their life jacket while on board.

• Inflatable life jackets are authorized only for people 16 years of age or older.

• Sounding device – horn, whistle or bell.

• White all-around navigation light – during low visibility such as dusk to dawn, fog or heavy rain.

• Visual distress signals (such as flares) – required only on federal waterways.

"The law requires people to carry a life jacket. We strongly recommend people choose to always wear one, along with a leash, for maximum safety on the water," Sendak added.

The penalty for failing to carry the proper safety equipment is a civil infraction punishable by a fine of \$99 for

each violation. For example, a stand up paddleboarder without an appropriate life jacket and sounding device could be charged with two violations for a possible fine totaling \$198.

For more information about paddlesport safety, visit: paddlesafewa.org.

About the Washington State Parks Boating Program

The Washington State Parks and Recreation Commission administers the state's Boating Program, which provides leadership in recreational boating safety and environmental education and outreach. The goal of the program is to reduce accidents and fatalities, increase stewardship of Washington waterways, and keep recreational boating a safe, accessible and enjoyable pastime. For more information on the Boating Program, visit parks.wa.gov/boating.



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The Science and Art of Wildlife Tracking with Wenatchee River Institute and Marcus Reynerson

SUBMITTED BY WENATCHEE RIVER INSTITUTE

Have you ever stepped over an animal track, noticed a pile of scat or scratches on a tree and wondered, who made it? Learn about the fundamentals of wildlife tracking by joining Wenatchee River Institute (WRI) and professional wildlife tracker and educator Marcus Reynerson of Wilderness Awareness School, Duvall, WA for a 2-day course, Saturday and Sunday, September 21-22, from 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. each day.

Through a combination of class and field time, course participants will become grounded in the context of wildlife tracking –how it is relevant to a variety of people from wildlife scientists to conservationists, as well as to those who simply want to be more connected to the natural world. Wildlife tracking offers a holistic, ecological window into the activities of the living world surrounding us. By becoming aware of the wildlife living in our backyards, the world becomes a richer place as new sights and sounds are recognized and enjoyed.

"Tracking with Marcus is an amazing experience because it is so much more than walking around and

looking for tracks on the ground. Marcus knows how to look at a forest with the awareness of a tracker, knowing exactly where the animals have gone and the certain behaviors one might see. Watching him work will inspire anyone to become a wildlife tracker, to learn about the natural world in a unique way," said Rachel Bishop, WRI Community Education Lead, who has worked with Reynerson prior during a field course, tracking a cougar up the Icicle Canyon.

"We wandered through the trees following signs such as tracks and scrapes, and what the cougar seemed to be following, a snowshoe hare. There is more activity in our backyards than we realize!" added Bishop.

In this course, you will gain the skill-set to explore the vast and exciting world of wildlife tracking:

- Natural history, taxonomy, and regional wildlife
 - Basic wildlife foot morphology
 - Clear print identification
 - Behavior and wildlife sign interpretation
 - Track aging
 - How wildlife interacts with varying landscapes
 - The fundamentals of following animal trails
 - The art of inquiry and engaging curiosity
- Every tracking experience

is unique and so the course will follow the curiosity of the participants, as well as the animal tracks and trails encountered along the way. Whether you are an experienced tracker or a beginner, course participants will learn to look at the ground in a new way, with the tools to develop as connected naturalists, reading stories left behind by the wildlife all around us.

Reynerson is a naturalist, educator, and photographer. He has worked in wilderness education, outdoor leadership, and conservation for numerous organizations and communities across North America and Europe. He engages in telling stories about the complexity of humans living in the 21st century. Reynerson is the lead instructor for an internationally renowned environmental leadership

immersion program for adults at the Wilderness Awareness School, and an evaluator with Cybertracker Conservation, an organization dedicated to providing leading edge assessment and certification across the globe in the art and science of wildlife tracking.

2-Day Course Cost: \$150 WRI Members, \$175 Non-Members, with course size limited to 16 participants. Please dress for changing weather, and pack

water, lunch and snacks. Meet by 9 a.m. at the WRI campus, 347 Division Street in Leavenworth, to travel via WRI Otter Van and carpool. Direct any questions to Rachel Bishop, rbishop@wenatcheeriverinstitute.org or call (509)548-0181 x5. To register, visit our website: www.wenatcheeriverinstitute.org | Community Experiences | Workshops and Field Courses



Marcus Reynerson



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Can you identify the creature that made these tracks?

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Cashmere School District Welcomes New Employees



Left to Right: Jon Shelby, Kaci Pipkin Weeks, Kiersten Moholy, Deleiny Marron, Kealani Paton Yamamoto, Michelle Carlson, Mayra Capi, Roxanne Baldwin, Colton Loomis, Dylan Boyd, Julianna Edwardson

By BRANDI CHARLES

The Cashmere School district is gearing up for the new school year with a new batch of teachers and district employees to serve our students. Their enthusiasm was evident from the smiles on their faces at the school district's new employee orientation on Monday August 19. Carmen George hails from Mexico and is an ELL paraprofessional. Dylan Boyd teaches 7th and 8th

grade math and science, a local man, he is motivated to help as many kids as possible. Colton Loomis teaches 5th grade humanities and is from the area. Mayra Capi teaches preschool, kindergarten and first grades. Originally from Mexico, Myra enjoys helping others and making a difference. Julianna Edwardson teaches 5th grade humanities and comes from a small rural school district. Roxanne Harrison teaches grades 5th through

8th and is a Wenatchee native. Kiersten Moholy is an occupational therapist who always wanted to be school-based, she grew up in Colorado. Kea Yamamoto teaches 1st grade, this is her first job and loves working with children. Kea states that she has great mentors and an awesome team backing her. Michelle Carlson teaches 2nd grade. She is new in the district, but has 30 years of teaching experience. Delainy Ledsma was born

and raised in the area and says "Vale is all about the kids," and is very happy to be working in the district. Kacie Weeks was born and raised in the area and this is her second year teaching. Jon Shelby is the newly appointed assistant principal at Cashmere Middle School. Originally from Gig Harbor, says he loves the area for the rivers, the mountains and community and he has the best interest of the children at heart.

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Yesterday morning I woke up feeling under the weather. Stuffy nose? Check. Runny nose? Check. Sinus pressure? Check. Sneezing? Check. Is it August? Check. Aaah, it must be ragweed season again!

I have allergic rhinitis, which is inflammation of my nose from exposure to something I'm allergic to. Airborne pollens can stick to the inside of your nose and throat and trigger an allergic reaction, which used to be called hay fever because doctors associated it with plant pollens like hay.

Allergic rhinitis can be either seasonal or perennial (year-round). Seasonal allergic rhinitis is usually triggered by plant-based pollens, which are identified by the time of year that your symptoms flare up, while perennial symptoms are often from molds and pet dander.

Grasses and trees like birch, oak, elm, and maple release their pollens in the spring and early summer, while weeds like ragweed produce their pollen in late summer and early fall. Ragweed is related to marigolds, chrysanthemums, and daisies, and is one of the most common seasonal allergies, creating a fine powdery pollen that can be carried for hundreds of miles on the wind.

To treat my ragweed allergy, what I take for it depends on which symptoms are making me miserable. Sometimes my eyes itch and water, but usually my nose is both running constantly, called rhinorrhea, and also is congested. This year I have sneezing, nasal congestion, rhinorrhea and sinus pressure.

Allergic rhinitis is triggered by a chemical called histamine. Your body stores histamine in special cells called mast cells, and when it recognizes pollen or cat dander as something you are allergic to, the mast cells in your nose open up and release

histamine, creating the misery of your allergic reaction.

Medicines called mast cell stabilizers can BLOCK this chain reaction from starting by keeping histamine safely locked up inside your mast cells. If my eyes get itchy and are watering, my favorite remedy is prescription-strength over the counter (OTC) ketotifen eye drops. Ketotifen works not only as a mast cell stabilizer but is an antihistamine, too, making it able to both prevent and relieve allergic reactions. Once sold as the prescription drug Zatorid®, ketotifen is available as a generic and Alaway® eye drops.

Steroid nose sprays decrease inflammation and are the most effective way to treat allergic symptoms, especially those that involve the nose, like sneezing, sniffing and stuffiness. There are several agents available without a prescription.

Oral antihistamines can be used either with or without eye drops or steroid nasal sprays, and can relieve all of your allergic rhinitis symptoms. Diphenhydramine (Benadryl®) is one of the most effective antihistamines available OTC,

but has to be taken every 6 hours and causes drowsiness. If you need a medicine that won't cause drowsiness, try loratadine (Claritin®) or cetirizine (Zyrtec®), which last all day.

Because my nose is often both running and congested at the same time, I prefer an older combination of antihistamine and decongestant called Actifed®. Actifed® contains triprolidine plus pseudoephedrine (the original formulation of Sudafed®) and is available as a generic. Triprolidine dries up my watery eyes and runny nose without causing drowsiness, and the pseudoephedrine eases my stuffy nose.

5 Tips on Taking Allergy Medicine:

1. The most effective OTC medication for allergic rhinitis is steroid nose spray.

For a runny nose, stuffy nose and sneezing, try a steroid nasal spray like Nasacort Allergy 24-Hr® (triamcinolone), Flonase Allergy Relief® (fluticasone), and Rhinocort® (budesonide). Be patient, though; it may take several days to get full relief. Until then, take an oral



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2. Ketotifen eye drops work well for itchy or watery eyes.

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3. If you have a runny nose, avoid using an oral decongestant.

A decongestant relieves a stuffy nose but often makes a runny nose even worse. Try an antihistamine instead, or a combination antihistamine/decongestant purchased from the pharmacy counter.

4. Don't waste your money on phenylephrine (Sudafed PE®).

Phenylephrine's side effects limit the dose allowed by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) to one that's only 1/3 as effective as pseudoephedrine. Purchase pseudoephedrine from the pharmacy counter, either alone or with an antihistamine.

5. Limit your use of decongestant sprays.

Avoid using any decongestant nasal sprays for more than 2-3 days at a time to avoid triggering rebound (worsening of your stuffy nose) symptoms.

Dr. Louise Achey, Doctor of Pharmacy is a 40-year veteran of pharmacology and author of *Why Dogs Can't Eat Chocolate: How Medicines Work and How YOU Can Take Them Safely*. Check out her NEW website *Medication Insider.com* for daily tips on how to take your medicine safely. ©2019 Louise Achey



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SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR CHELAN COUNTY
In the Matter of the Trust Estate of **KENNETH A. MCELROY, Deceased.**
No. 19-4-00259-04
NONPROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS
RCW 11.42.030

The notice agent named below has elected to give notice to creditors of the above-named decedent. As of the date of the filing of a copy of this notice with the court, the notice agent has no knowledge of any other person acting as notice agent or of the appointment of a personal representative of the decedent's estate in the State of Washington. According to the records of the court as are available on the date of the filing of this notice with the court, a cause number regarding the decedent has not been issued to any other notice agent and a personal representative of the decedent's estate has not been appointed. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.42.070 by serving on or mailing to the notice agent or the notice agent's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the court in which the notice agent's declaration and oath were filed. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) Thirty days after the notice agent served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.42.020(2)(c); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.42.050 and 11.42.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets.

DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION: August 21, 2019
The notice agent declares under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington on 21st day of August, 2019, at Wenatchee, Washington, that the foregoing is true and correct.
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SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR CHELAN COUNTY
In the Matter of the Estate of **JENNIFER KATHRYN SIFUENTES, Deceased.**
No. 19-4-00261-04
PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS
(RCW 11.40.030)

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/s/ Rebecca J. McDaniel
Rebecca J. McDaniel
Personal Representative

Attorney for the Personal Representative:
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WSBA No. 48049

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WHATCOM
In Re the Estate of **JOY H. ELLIS, Deceased.**
NO. 19-4-00469-37
NON-PROBATE NOTICE TO CREDITORS
RCW 11.42.030
JUDGE: LEE GROCHMAL

The notice agent named below has elected to give notice to creditors of the above-named decedent. As of the date of the filing of a copy of this notice with the court, the notice agent has no knowledge of any other person acting as notice agent or of the appointment of a personal representative of the decedent's estate in the state of Washington. According to the records of the court as are available on the date of the filing of this notice with the court, a cause number regarding the decedent has not been issued to any other notice agent and a personal representative of the decedent's estate has not been appointed. Any person having a claim against the decedent must, before the time the claim would be barred by any otherwise applicable statute of limitations, present the claim in the manner as provided in RCW 11.42.070 by serving on or mailing to the no-

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tice agent or the notice agent's attorney at the address stated below a copy of the claim and filing the original of the claim with the court in which the notice agent's declaration and oath were filed. The claim must be presented within the later of: (1) Thirty days after the notice agent served or mailed the notice to the creditor as provided under RCW 11.42.020(2)(c); or (2) four months after the date of first publication of the notice. If the claim is not presented within this time frame, the claim is forever barred, except as otherwise provided in RCW 11.42.050 and 11.42.060. This bar is effective as to claims against both the decedent's probate and nonprobate assets.
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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-18-834026-SH** Title Order No.: **8740312** Reference Number of Deed of Trust: **Instrument No. 2392110** Parcel Number(s): **22 20 22 832 150, 57820** Grantor(s) for Recording Purposes under RCW 65.04.015: **JOSHUA COZART AND ARIANNA COZART, HUSBAND AND WIFE** Current Beneficiary of the Deed of Trust and Grantee (for Recording Purposes under RCW 65.04.015): **Freedom Mortgage Corporation** Current Trustee of the Deed of Trust: **Quality Loan Service Corporation of Washington** Current Loan Mortgage Servicer of the Deed of Trust: **Freedom Mortgage I, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, the undersigned Trustee, will on **9/6/2019, at 10:00 AM At main entrance Chelan County Courthouse, 350 Orondo St, Wenatchee, WA** 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 15, PLAT OF SADDLE ROCK RANCH, CHELAN COUNTY, WASHINGTON, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN VOLUME 31 OF PLATS 102 THROUGH 104, A.P.N.: 22 20 22 832 150** More commonly known as: **2057 SILVER LANE, WENATCHEE, WA 98801**

Subject to that certain Deed of Trust dated **10/25/2013**, recorded **10/29/2013**, under **Instrument No. 2392110** records of **CHELAN County, Washington**, from **JOSHUA COZART AND ARIANNA COZART, HUSBAND AND WIFE**, 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 PINNACLE CAPITAL MORTGAGE CORPORATION, A CALIFORNIA CORPORATION ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS**, as original beneficiary, the beneficial interest in which was subsequently assigned to **Freedom Mortgage Corporation**, the Beneficiary, under an assignment recorded under Auditors File Number **2481748 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: **\$25,044.03**. IV. The sum owing on the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust is: The principal sum of **\$200,353.04**, together with interest as provided in the Note from **2/1/2018** on, and such other costs and fees as are provided by statute. V. The above-described real property will be sold to satisfy the expense of sale and the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust as provided by statute. Said sale will be made without warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession or encumbrances on **9/6/2019**. The defaults referred to in Paragraph III must be cured by **8/26/2019** (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 **8/26/2019** (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 **8/26/2019** (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 **3/8/2019**. VII. The Trustee whose name and address are set forth below will provide in writing to anyone requesting it, a statement of all costs and fees due at any time prior to the sale. VIII. The effect of the sale will be to deprive the Grantor and all those who hold by, through or under the Grantor of all their interest in the above-described property. IX. Anyone having any objections to this sale on any grounds whatsoever will be afforded an opportunity to be heard as to those objections if they bring a lawsuit to restrain the sale pursuant to RCW 61.24.130. Failure to bring such a lawsuit may result in a waiver of any proper grounds for invalidating the Trustee's sale. X. **NOTICE TO OCCUPANTS OR TENANTS** - The purchaser at the Trustee's Sale is entitled to possession of the property on the 20th day following the sale, as against the Grantor under the deed of trust (the owner) and anyone having an interest junior to the deed of trust, including occupants who are not tenants. After the 20th day following the sale the purchaser has the right to evict occupants who are not tenants by summary proceedings under Chapter 59.12 RCW. For tenant-occupied property, the purchaser shall provide a tenant with written notice in accordance with RCW 61.24.060. **THIS NOTICE IS THE FINAL STEP BEFORE THE FORECLOSURE SALE OF YOUR HOME.** You have only **20 DAYS** from the recording date of this notice to pursue mediation. **DO NOT DELAY. CONTACT A HOUSING COUNSELOR OR AN ATTORNEY LICENSED IN WASHINGTON NOW** to assess your situation and refer you to mediation if you are eligible and it may help you save your home. See below for safe sources of help. **SEEKING ASSISTANCE** Housing counselors and legal assistance may be available at little or no cost to you. If you would like assistance in determining your rights and opportunities to keep your house, you may contact the following: The statewide foreclosure hotline for assistance and referral to housing counselors recommended by the Housing Finance Commission: Toll-free: **1-877-894-HOME (1-877-894-4663)** or Web site: http://www.dfi.wa.gov/consumers/homeownership/post_purchase_counselors_foreclosure.htm The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development: Toll-free: **1-800-569-4287** or National Web Site: <http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD> or for Local counseling agencies in Washington: <http://www.hud.gov/offices/hsg/sfh/hcc/fo/index.cfm?webListAction=search&searchstate=WA&filterSvc=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 noteholder's rights against the real property only. The Trustee's Sale Number is **WA-19-850978-BB**. Dated: **4/29/2019** Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington, as Trustee By: Patrick Lynch, Assistant Secretary Trustee's Address: Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington 108 1st Ave South, Suite 202, Seattle, WA 98104 For questions call toll-free: (866) 925-0241 Trustee Sale Number: **WA-19-850978-BB** Sale Line: **800-280-2832** or Login to: <http://wa.qualityloan.com> IDSPub #0152635 8/7/2019 8/28/2019 Published in The Cashmere Valley Record/ Leavenworth Echo on August 28, 2019. #85110



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