



C.I.A. NEWSLETTER



CIA Goal

~To establish communication between area and community groups, clubs and agencies to inform the public of upcoming activities and to have information available early to avoid scheduling conflicts.

~To enhance the quality of life of all area residents and to lessen the individual burdens of community governmental agencies.

Advertising Information
Information about advertising in the CIA newsletter per issue.

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Mail advertising information and check by the 20th of the month

CIA, PO Box 44,
Princeton, ID 83857
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875-1036
Monday 2-7
Tuesday 3-7
Wednesday 2-7
Thursday 3-7
Friday 10-2



Junction Lumber News

Where Our Complaint Department is at Point Barrow Alaska—Dial 1-800-do-not-care

HAPPY NEW YEAR! 2010 has been an interesting one putting up with unruly customers like Tia McKinney (aka Snow Witch), Audrey Morgan (don't know how Bob puts up with her), Floyd Akins (always looking for something we don't have) and then there's always people like Darrell Bruce that accuse me of being grumpy (talk about calling the kettle black). All in all, it's been a good year, considering the recession and we're still able to pay bills and that wouldn't happen without our customers. We thank you for your support and look forward to serving you throughout 2011. There are a few exceptions! Speaking of Jeff Strong, we hear he acquired a new puppy (ankle grinder) and are happy he finally found a friend.

Fowl Play

We thought we were odd here at the Junction having a store chicken, cutting back on merchandise to make room for more junk (antiques, besides me) and having a German Shepherd for the official greeter. But, I got to tell ya, there's a lady that bought baby chicks from us a while back that puts a capital "O" on the word odd. I have to be careful here because she promised me bodily harm if I were to reveal her name and believe you me, I'm sure she is quite capable of doing it. I'll refer to her as Ms. Cluck beings as I'm too old to be injured. Now, don't take me wrong, she's a very nice lady and a friend, at least until after she sees a copy of this month's CIA. Ms. Cluck moved here from the city, making her a "city slicker" and wanted to raise a herd of chickens and become a wannabe hobby farmer. (I had to inform her in Idaho they're called a flock). Now, Ms. Cluck came in one day with her husband, Mr. Cluck, inquiring about poultry and was thinking about getting some chickens for bug control, cackle berries and miniature land mines around the

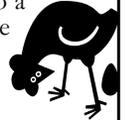
yard. All Mr. Cluck could do was, raise his eyebrows and shrug his shoulders and you could tell he was really excited over this new adventure. Then we have Grandpa Cluck who said, "ABSOLUTELY NO CHICKENS." Grandpa Cluck was soon to learn how determined Ms. Cluck could be and she did eventually sweet talk him in to letting her keep some, which I call fowl play! So that spring she ended up getting twelve baby chicks which she promptly named each and every one. I won't be calling the (as she calls them) "girls" by name, for they too have been changed to protect the innocent, mainly me. Mr.



Cluck built a chicken house for the girls that is nicer than some of the places I've lived in my lifetime that we'll call "Coup Deville." Well, she spent so much time with the girls while they were growing up that Mr. Cluck was beginning to feel neglected but the girls had a good upbringing although confused at times that their mother, Ms. Cluck had no feathers and didn't sleep on the roost with them at night. It's not that she didn't want to, but I heard tell that's where Mr. Cluck drew the line!

Henrietta, one of the girls, was so messed up that she kept chasing the dog off the porch until the pooch had enough and sent poor Henrietta to the great chicken coup in the sky. Ms. Cluck offered the lifeless body to Grandpa Cluck for the stew pot thinking that it would help make amends for getting the birds in the first place, but to her surprise, he gave poor Henrietta a proper burial instead (softie). Anyway, Ms. Cluck was at the Junction one day and seen my wife Carolyn (Ms. Muffin) making our chicken jump to get a piece of cracker and thought that was so cool she went home and taught the remaining girls how to do it. (No comment on either one of them). Wouldn't surprise me a bit if she had them potty-trained or in diapers. According to Ms. Cluck as the girls got older she was finding it difficult to tell them apart so she started

painting finger nail polish on their toes to tell who was who. I'm not so sure that she wasn't trying to make them more attractive to lure the neighbor's rooster over or going back into her second childhood and playing dolls with them. If ever invited to a tea party at the Clucks, be prepared for the whole grain cookies. Rumor has it that during the cold snap we had, she hand knitted them all sweaters to keep them warm. That's what I heard anyway and you all know I would never make something like that up. I do caution you all though, while in the vicinity of Hwy 95 and Freeze Road, keep your eyes peeled. No tellin' what you might see!



The Old Geezer (formally known as Stud Muffin).

P.S. Does anyone know of a good chicken shrink?

Around the community: Jan 4th, Soph. Class Fundraising dinner, pg 3; Jan 8th will be a busy day: Another Flea Market (wonder how much they are getting for fleas); Take down the park lights and Pinochle games start in Harvard. Start the year out right, join a volunteer group and make a difference!

Did you all hear about Del Cones new hearing aid? They placed a magnet in his head for the hearing aid to stick to, which makes him look like a walking cell tower. As it turns out he kept hearing echoes. Come to find out the doctors took too much out and magnet didn't fill the void. You might say he's not all there upstairs...

Brady Allen won the Dewalt Worm drive Circular Saw in our Christmas Drawing! Congratulations!

Quote: *Do not be quickly provoked in your spirit, for anger resides in the laps of fools.*

Ecclesiastes 7:9 NIV

Happy New Year and God Bless from the Crew at Junction Lumber
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POTLATCH CITY PARK TREE LIGHTING

The lights at the Scenic 6 Park were beautiful; the parade fun and quite a sight; the fireworks nothing but spectacular! Unfortunately all good things must come to end! **HELP WANTED: To TAKE DOWN the CHRISTMAS LIGHTS at the SCENIC 6 PARK on SATURDAY, JANUARY 8, 2011.** Tear down will begin at 9:00 a.m. All the help was appreciated with the decorating of the park but now the task of taking it down and putting it away is upon us. An hour or two of your time is appreciated and needed. Lunch will be served to all helpers.

What's Right at Potlatch School District?

It is good for everyone to have a winter break. Students and teachers will come back well rested and ready to wind up the first semester which ends on January 14, 2011. Keep in mind there is no school on January 17 in recognition of civil rights day nor is there school on January 18, 2010, so teachers can prepare for parent teacher conferences. Parent teacher conferences for Junior-Senior High School students **only** will be on January 25 from 4:00-8:00 p.m. There will be no school-wide parent teacher conferences at the elementary school. Please contact your respective building principal or teacher with questions.

Celebrating the accomplishments of our students and staff is an important part of our school community. And while so many outstanding things are being done by our students and teachers I would like to share with you a couple of specifics. High school special education teacher **Mrs. Robin Porter**, and elementary fourth grade teacher **Mrs. Alice Wilcox** were named the local winners of the 2010 VFW Teacher of the Year award. This recognition honors commitment and service to students and these teachers' collaborative work with staff members, parents, and patrons. Our congratulations go out to them both.

Mr. Sherwood at the Junior-Senior High School reports a number of items that have benefitted our students and school community. To begin with, sixteen local veterans attended the recent Veterans Day celebration in the

gymnasium. Each was introduced by name and branch of service and **Mr. Ken Alsterlund**, State Commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, was the guest speaker. The band played a medley of military anthems and hymns and the choir led the students in song. Special thanks to **Mr. Doug Richards** for providing much of the entertainment, and high school ASB officers **Logan Larson, Nick Johnson, Alyssa Miller**, and **Whitney Dixon** for organizing the event. These students, along with class officers from each grade level and Junior High ASB officers escorted our guests into the gym.

The Junior Class held the annual Turkey Feed on November 13 at the elementary school. A fine meal was served by members of the class to 232 people. The class greatly appreciates the support of our patrons in raising just under \$1,600 before all expenses were paid. Our National Honor Society sponsored a blood drive on November 30. Our thanks to **Mrs. Laura Womack**, advisor, and senior **Whitney Dixon**, NHS president, for organizing the event. Finally, a production of "The Royal Bachelor," a musical comedy, took to the stage at the Log Inn on December 3. **Mr. Doug Richards** and his Music Theater class, along with several outside students, worked very hard to provide an enjoyable evening.

Things at the Elementary School have been just as busy. Mr. Haire reports that Veterans Day was celebrated in each of the respective classrooms with a variety of activities from stories, to videos to singing. Activities

continue to be hosted by our VISTA volunteer, **Ida Courier**, the most recent being a visit from Curious George to our primary classrooms. There were also classroom readers that went into the intermediate classrooms, and the Daily News interviewed Ms. Courier about our program and the benefits to school and community. The Artist in Residency Program Mr. Haire reported on last month has been tentatively set for February 14th-26th pending grant acceptance. On Friday, November 19th, **Mr. Kevin Peters**, a park ranger from Nez Perce National Historic Park in Spaulding, Idaho visited the fourth and third grade classes at Potlatch Elementary School. He brought in examples of Nez Perce beading, weaving, and flutes. His visit was arranged by **Mrs. Karen Bizak-Marr**, a student teacher working with **Mrs. Dawes**. Finally **Mrs. Jo Minden** sought and received a \$150 donation from Vern Eide Motors for the Accelerated Reader store.

In closing, I want to thank each patron and parent for your continued support and trust in allowing us to work with your child. We recognize, honor and support the role the family has in the education of your child. We are excited about a school year filled with success and accomplishments and to continue doing "What's Best for Kids".



by **Joseph A. Kren**
Superintendent

Cochrane Family

The family of Duane Cochrane would like to thank everyone for all of the phone calls, food, cards, memorial donations, transportation and anything else that you have done in the last few months. Everything was greatly appreciated.

We have wonderful relatives and friends and it is easy to see why it's a wonderful thing to live in a community like this. We love you all so very much. We want to say a special thanks to the Potlatch Ambulance as your kindness will always be remembered.

Mathilda, Kevin, Sandy, Blair, Brenda and Lamont

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Saturdays
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February 5, 2011
March 5, 2011



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HAPPY NEW YEAR!

"Be always at war with your vices, at peace with your neighbors, and let each New Year find you a better man."

Benjamin Franklin

HAIR FOR YOU

JUDY MARIE PERKINS

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POTLATCH, ID

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COME JOIN US FOR THE 2010-2011

SOPHMORE CLASS FUNDRAISING DINNER & SILENT AUCTION!

TUESDAY, JANUARY 4TH

DINNER WILL BE SERVED DURING
THE BOYS AND GIRLS QUAD
BASKETBALL GAMES FROM
4:00 – 8:30 P.M.

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LET'S GET IT STARTED FUNDRAISER

Thank you to everyone that assisted in the annual fundraising dinner, and silent and live auctions for Let's Get It Started on Saturday, December 4th, 2010. The cause (our kids) is worth every penny and our supporters saw that and stepped up to the plate. The grand total of money earned was \$2262.50 with our expenses being just under \$107.00. LGIS promises another successful year as we have many new activities and programs planned.

Special thanks to all the volunteers who helped with the fundraiser, we could not have done it without you. The overhead cost of this event is at a minimum because of your generosity. Thanks to Gary Lam for the auctioneering, Don Renz for donating potatoes, Gritman Medical Center for donating our fruit, Harvest Foods for donating the punch and bottled water, and Dad's Diner for help with the cookies. Thanks as well to Joe Kren, Kent Sherwood, Pat Amos, Leila Millick, Verlynn Emerson and Howard Swan. The support of these individuals to LGIS through the school has been invaluable. Thank you very much to our youth volunteers for all your help and hard work, we are proud of you and appreciate all of you!

Live Auction contributors: Dennis & Leora Frei, Lonnie & Paul Nicholson, Tom & Heidi Davis, The Shoppe by Susan Renz, Tammy Cochrane with TC Skull Cleaning, and Atlas Sand and Rock & Shane Anderson Trucking/AB Slingers. Silent Auction contributors: Spirit Springs Day Spa, University Inn Best Western, Hash Tree Farms, Potlatch Booster Club, Gayle & Wayne Gallagher, Avon by Cheri Shepherd, Tupperware by Heidi Hawley, Premier Design Jewelry by Heidi Hawley, Daily Double Espresso, Moscow Radio Shack, Fiddlers Ridge Nursery, Harebrained & Happy, Scentsy by Kendra Cochrane, Junction Lumber, NW Pharmacy, PS Espresso, Potlatch Family Dental, Heidi Davis, LMP, Java Bug, Crossroads Nursery, Keri & Leon LeForce & family, Clearview Eye Clinic, Tri-State, and several anonymous donors (hopefully I have not left anyone out, if so, please forgive me). The generosity of everyone involved is what makes LGIS successful. Thank you, thank you, thank you.

See everyone January 17th! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

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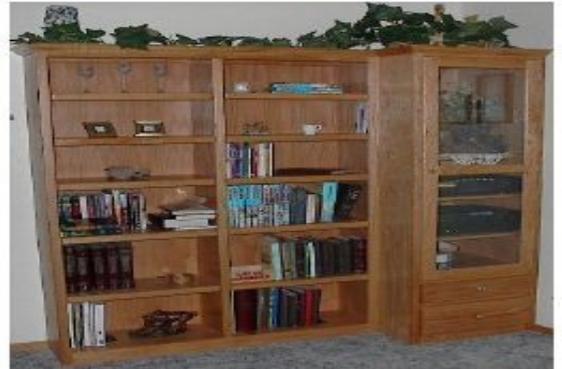
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DAILY SOUP SPECIALS



HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Thanks for your support!



WAYNE HEMMELMAN FAMILY

The family of Wayne Hemmelman would like to thank everyone who supported us during this difficult time. Thanks to all who gave donations of money or food, prayers, support and hugs. We appreciate this great community and all that's done to help each other.

Joanne & family, Ida & Johnnie Wolheter and Janet Jovanovich.

Pinochle Games Start

The Harvard Club pinochle games will start Saturday, January 8th, 7:00 p.m., at the Harvard Hall. Refreshments will be served. Please come and enjoy the evening. The cost is \$3.00 each player.



Mrs. Amos' 4th Grade Class wrote "thankful" letters telling. Those letters will be printed here over the next few months. Enjoy!

I'm thankful for my family because there thoughtful and kind. I'm also thankful for my family because I know they would be there to give advice. If I'm having a hard time. My sister sometimes comes up to me and says if you just believe anything can happen. I wish everybody in the world could have a family like mine.

by Isaac Gottschalk

I am thankful for my family. They all care about me. My family loves me. My family buys me everything I need. Everybody should have a good family. Mom made me lasagna for dinner on my birthday.

I opened the newspaper to the section of "puppies for sale." I scrolled down and saw there was a yellow tab for twenty five dollars, and that's the amount I was allowed to spend. I am thankful for Boulder because he is a good snuggly buddy, and he loves me unconditionally. Boulder meets me every day as I get off the bus and is always eager to play with me. He is one of my best friends!

EMTS
Wow! Did you see that? EMTs help people. I have a person in my neighborhood that needs the EMTs because her blood pressure goes down. The EMTs have to take my neighbor all the way to Moscow. I feel so happy that we have EMTs. What do you think?

December 2010—Little Logger Leaders

Mrs. Amos' Fourth Grade: Alana Sheffler is our Little Logger for December. She is very interested in learning and doing her best. She asks for homework. Alana is quick to smile. She may get frustrated but is doing an excellent job to solve those frustrations. This is an awesome example of positive behavior. She is a great student to have in class.

Mr. Lam's Sixth Grade: Marlin Jones, going above and beyond for self, community and school.

Mrs. Bartosz's Sixth Grade: Our Little Logger Leader is Brookelyn Carpenter. Brookelyn drives to succeed in all subject areas. She is an asset to our class discussions and works hard to comprehend new concepts. Great job Brookelyn!

Mrs. Hargrave's First Grade: Jessica Hogaboam is our Little Logger Leader for December. Jessica is always willing to lend a helping hand to classmates and teachers. She keeps a positive attitude and plans with the end in mind. Jessica works to her full potential and enjoys learning.

Mrs. Krasselt's Fifth Grade: Bailey Clark is our classroom Little Logger Leader for December. Bailey is our 5th grade role model for always having a good attitude and being cooperative, dependable, conscientious, and well-mannered. Bailey also is a model for schoolwork done well and on time.

Mrs. Pfaff's Second Grade: Anneka Hamburg: Anneka is a hard worker in class and consistently puts first things first. She always completes her work without complaint and maintains her positive attitude when it is time to clean up and move to the next activity. I appreciate her hard working and positive attitude.

Mrs. Spellman's Third Grade: I would like to congratulate Brayden Hadaller for being our Little Logger Leader of the month. Brayden is a great role model to his peers. Brayden enjoys having fun, at the same time he turns his work in on time, meets his reading goal, and does his homework. I am glad that his classmates look up to him.

Mrs. Dawes' Third Grade: Kyndal Cessnun is our December Little Logger Leader. Kyndal is a kind, caring, gentle third grader who tries her best in everything she does at school. She always has a smile and a positive outlook. She treats other with respect and practices thinking win-win, knowing that everyone is truly a winner. Great job, Kyndal!

Mrs. Wilcox's Fourth Grade: I have selected Shy Lynas as the LLL for my fourth grade class for December. She is a good leader and demonstrates the qualities of someone who gets her assignments, and then assists others. She has a great attitude and generosity.

Mrs. Montgomery's Second Grade: My Little Logger Leader is Emily Hammond. Emily demonstrates leadership skills by encouraging herself and others to do the best work possible. Emily also volunteers her help in the classroom with both peers and her teacher.

Mrs. Cuellar's Kindergartens: a.m. - Jakob Guernsey always works hard in class, even when the learning may be difficult. He has made a lot of progress this year because of the way he puts first things first. Jakob tries his best every day and is kind to other students. Thank you, Jakob!

p.m. - Corey Heilman is a positive student who always tries to do his best in class. He is proactive and is participating in many things to help him grow as a learner. Corey never complains and seems to truly enjoy being part of our classroom! Thank you, Corey!

Mrs. Myott's First Grade: The December Little Logger Leader for Mrs. Myott's First Grade is Tyson Tucker. Tyson has learned to put first things first. He sets priorities on finishing his daily assignments so that he can spend more time reading, a subject that he thoroughly enjoys. Tyson is serious about learning and is a role model for others in our classroom.

Mrs. Curtis' Fifth Grade: My Little Logger Leader is Rachael Wallen, Rachael shows many signs of a leader. She takes pride in her work and always turns in assignments on time. She is willing to help anyone in need of assistance both academically and on a more personal nature. She works well with others, valuing others talents while still recognizing that she has something to contribute. Rachael sets goals for herself. Presently she has set a reading goal to reach the 100 point club and is well on her way to achieving that goal. My belief is that she will make it!



AWANA UPDATE

It was a great December at Awana. The clubbers worked very hard memorizing verses and doing things to earn shares to spend at the Christmas store. Approximately 120 kids shopped for gifts for their family and friends. Remember that we take donations any time for next years store. Thanks to all the volunteers who helped us out this year. We couldn't do it without you. Awana will resume January 5th.

AmeriCorps/Disability Action Center

We are experiencing challenging times in our country and in turn now have been placed in the situation of turning to our communities to assist in meeting our citizen's needs more than ever. Disability Action Center, AmeriCorps and COAST Transportation are working in Latah County to bring transportation opportunities to your citizens.

Transportation for Seniors, Persons with Disabilities and Others to Medical & Dental Appointments, Social Services, shopping and Recreational Activities are available in Latah County. Contact COAST at 1-800-967-2899 forty-eight hours in advance to get a ride. No fee for services.

The most invaluable aspect of transportation services is the Volunteer Drivers program. Volunteer Drivers provide transportation for individuals who could not access needed services such as medical services and grocery shopping. Volunteer Drivers drive their own vehicles and are reimbursed at 50 cents per mile. For further information, please call **Nancy Hoobler or Keshia McClure, Disability Action Center at 208-883-0523.**

Area Churches (listed alphabetically)

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints
Cedar Street - Potlatch ID 875-0163

Elmore Methodist
Pastor Kathy Kramer - 875-1135; Worship time: 10:00 a.m.

Faith Church
Pastor Lee Nicholson-875-0583;
401 3rd Street, P O Box 208, Onaway ID 83855
Services: Wednesday 6:30 pm - Prayer Meeting
Sunday: 9:30 - Kids Krew; Teen & Adult classes -10:30 - Worship

Family Bible Fellowship
Palouse River Community Center
Princeton ID 83857—Wayne Glassman - 274-2900

Freeze Community Church
Lloyd Knerr - 874-4982 ; Hwy 95 North of Potlatch

Lutheran-Presbyterian
Pastor Larry Veith - 875-0015;
Sunday Combined Services, 10:30 a.m.
601 Oak, Potlatch ID 83855

Princeton Church of the Nazarene
Pastor Robert Lambert-875-1016
P O Box 43, Princeton ID 83857-Worship time: 10:45 a.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church
875-1038, 725 Spruce Street—Worship time: 8:00 a.m.

Wild Rose Mennonite Congregation
Verle Koehn - 875-1480; 1350 Chaney Road, Viola, ID 83872

DON'T DRIVE INTEXTICATED!

Potlatch Jr. Sr. High-- Two members of Potlatch FCCLA want to make a difference. **"We don't want people to drive INTEXTICATED,"** says Jade Webb, an 8th grader in Leadership class. Their top concern is the huge number of accidents people have when driving while texting. **33,963 people have died while texting and driving** last year in the U.S. "We want to make a difference in our part and get as many signatures on our **'Don't Drive Intexticated'** banner as possible." Jade Webb and Brittnee Sharp have presented a talk to about 100 students in FCCLA at the District 2 Conference in Lewiston. Their two banners encourage others to take the **NO PHONE ZONE** pledge from Oprah.com.

This project is part of the FACTS program, Families Acting for Community

Pastor's Association Gives Thanks

The Pastors Association would like to thank everyone who generously donated to the Christmas Holiday Food Baskets. Without your donations of turkeys, canned goods, and money these requests would not have been possible.

Through the generosity of our local communities we were able to provide full turkey or ham dinners with all the fixings and dessert. Children received a toy from Toys for Tots, and a wrapped book from the Potlatch Jr. Miss Committee. Thank you to everyone who helped put the baskets together and for helping deliver the baskets that could not be picked up.

As you begin the new year, know that you helped make a difference for 90 families with 141 children. We are so blessed to live in the Potlatch area. With sincere gratitude, we thank you.

Clanton Family Benefit

I want to thank everyone for coming out and helping get the **Spencer and Stephanie Clanton** benefit put together. Without each and every one of you, it would not have been a success! Janice Todish, Alicia Haskell, Renee Haskell- thank you for ALL your help, you were all amazing! Andy Rogers and Dad (Jim Haskell) thank you for the fun auctioning, I think you boys found your hobby! Debby Fusco- for cooking all the food oh my! Kylie- you can breathe now, you were a great help, thank you! And to all my other help, thank you, thank you all, you mean so much and I appreciate it! And to the community and all the local business' for all the donations thank you! And huge thank you to the Potlatch Lions Club and American Legion for their help in making this happen. And last but not least, thank you to all that came out to support Spencer and Stephanie Clanton, it was a huge success and every last bit of it is greatly appreciated! Mandy Hamburg

4-H MEETINGS

Are you interested in **joining** a 4-H Group? Jr. Farmers 4-H Club meetings are held the third Sunday of each month. They are held at the PRCC in Princeton at 6:30 p.m.

THANK YOU, MAYOR DAVE BROWN!

Once again, the mayor has out-done himself on setting up the park for the Christmas season. He put up many of the lights by himself and continues to be a force to be reckoned with when it comes to promoting the Christmas season in Potlatch with decorations and attitude! Thank you, Mayor Brown and may you have fantastic New Year and blessings all year long!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Dec 31.....New Year's Eve—Are your resolutions ready? Are they reachable?
Set yourself up to succeed, not fail!
- Jan 1..... Happy New Year!
- Jan 4.....Sophomore Class fundraising dinner, 4-8, Potlatch HS
- Jan 5.....Awana—Popcorn Night
- Jan 5.....Lion's Club meeting at 620 Larch St.—7:00 p.m.
- Jan 6..... Princeton Community Ladies meeting held at 1:30 p.m.
- Jan 6.....PRCC meeting at Princeton—7:00 p.m.
- Jan 7.....Kid's Bible Study Regular Meeting
- Jan 8.....**Indoor Fleamarket @ Potlatch Mall call 208-596-8117 (PG. 3)**
- Jan 8.....Scenic 6 take down tree lights @ 9:00 a.m. (lunch provided)
- Jan 8.....Harvard Ladies' Pinochle games start.
- Jan 12.....Awana—Pajama Night
- Jan 13.....Potlatch Post 10300 VFW regular meeting 7:00 p.m.
- Jan 16.....Jr. Farmers 4-H meeting @ PRCC, 6:30 p.m.
- Jan 17.....LGIS / Town Hall Meeting, 6:00 p.m. @ High School Library
- Jan 18.....American Legion Robinson Post 81 meets at 7:00 p.m.
- Jan 19.....Regular Lion's Club meeting at 620 Larch St.—7:00 p.m.
- Jan 19.....Awana—Mom's Night
- Jan 21.....Kid's Bible Study Regular Meeting
- Jan 26.....Awana—Flashlight Nightnew
- Jan 27.....Potlatch Post 10300 VFW regular meeting 7:00 p.m.



Play Bingo on Monday nights starting at 7:00 p.m. at the Palouse River Community Center.

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Marge Lienhard: 208-875-1429

Alcoholics Anonymous meet every Thursday, 7:00 p.m. at the Grace Lutheran Church.

The Mystery Plower!

Thank you to whoever is plowing the walkway at Scenic Six Park. The donations of your time, effort & fuel have not gone unnoticed or unappreciated. Thank you so much from everyone who is enjoying your hard work!

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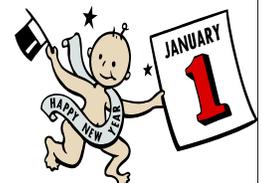
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Junction Lumber News

Where we can be nice, if we wanted to!

I'm going to change the pace a bit this month for a couple of reasons. For one, people are getting to be very cautious of what they say around me, for they're afraid that I might write about them in the CIA Newsletter, so my subject matter is getting scarce. Now you all know that **when I find a victim, it's meant not to be disrespectful** toward that person, but to **add a lighter side of life** at their expense to share within our community. It seems as if there's too much negative in the news media now days and, sadly to say, that's what sells because it's what a lot of the people in our country thrive on. Which in turn puts many Americans in a depressed, negative and unhappy mode. I'm trying to stay on the positive side! Charles Schwab quoted, "Lead the life that will make you kindly and friendly to everyone about you, and you will be surprised what a happy life you will lead." I'm here to tell you, it works, and I know there are many more individuals in our community that are in the same boat. The people I write about are those I care about, which includes just about everyone and if, by chance, I hurt some feelings, I assure you it was not intentional, except of course maybe Ms. Cluck, only because she stated she was going to "hurt" me. Come to think of it, there has been a few that have promised retaliation, but no hate mail yet.

Valentine's Day is



coming up and if you guys forget, it won't be Cupid you'll be dealing with, unless he decides to shoot you with another arrow, in your backside. If you know what I mean! So I suggest you go down to Junction Lumber and buy her a new Skill Saw! Happy Valentine's!



Do you all know who Wayne Glassman is? If not, don't worry about it, for he tends to be on the arrogant side and his attitude is at a different altitude than others. I do have to say he's a good carpenter, reliable and fair. Anyway, a few weeks ago he was getting ready for work and went out to start his pickup, only to find the doors frozen shut. Those of us that know Wayne realize that he can be on the excitable side. Well, he was handling this situation pretty good, being careful not to break the handle or scratch the paint with his wonder bar while trying to pry the door open. After about fifteen minutes or so he decided to revert to the torch, and at this time the family dog was steering clear of him. After a half hour of no success, scratching his head and mumbling under his breath, he happened to notice that the door lock button was down. ?('Nuff said?) The Old Geezer (formally known as stud muffin)

Spring is right around the corner as long as we can keep Tia McKinney from doing her snow chant. Northwest Pharmacy, Idaho Rigging and Junction Lumber will be sponsoring the sunflower contest again this year so stay tuned for details in next month's CIA We will be selling garden seeds again, twice the

seeds at half the cost. Also, it's about time for baby chicks, so let me know what you have in mind. We are now stocking Eagle Pack/Prism dog food in addition to Farm Style, Diamond and Purina Pro Plan.



Tammy Deerkop won Junction's Wall of Shame award this year; I can't print what she did, so you'll have to ask her.

Please support our local businesses. In the long run, **they WILL save you time and money!** Also, to the crew that puts this newsletter out, "Thank You" for all the generous time and dedication you put in to the CIA. It's people like you that keeps a community healthy.

Around the Community: Fleamarket at the Potlatch Shopping Center, pg 3; Check out Andy Sewell's open house on Feb 11-12, pg 5; Winter Children's Matinee Movie Tickets, pg 4; Arctic explorer presentation, Feb. 22nd; Financial Peace, pg 7; and Fit and Fall Proof on Feb 4th, pg 7.

Quote of the month: The quiet words of the wise are more to be heeded than the shouts of a ruler of fools. Ecclesiastes 9:17 NIV

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New Bus Stop



Northwestern Trailways bus line has a new bus stop in Potlatch. Dad's Diner at the Potlatch Y (5597 Hwy 95) is the new stop, replacing the bus stop of Blackbird Station at the old depot in Potlatch. New bus route started Jan 15, 2011.

Tickets may be purchased at Dad's Diner. For more information call 1-800-366-3830 or online at www.northwesterntrailways.com

Scenic 6 Park – Tree Lighting

Special thanks to all who helped take down tree lights at the Scenic 6 Park on January 8th and again, a special thank you to John Taylor with Frontier. Approximately 20 people came to help and when the job was complete, conversation, chili and hot dogs were enjoyed by all. Enough cannot be said about the work involved in putting up and taking down the tree lights, but the results are amazing and I think all would agree worthy of the time involved.



Our park is truly remarkable and something to be proud of, all year around, not just during the Christmas season. Volunteers are necessary to keep our community thriving and attractive to visitors. Please take some time to help our local communities by volunteering and keep up that great community pride and spirit that we have become accustomed to!



What's Right at Potlatch School District?

On Sunday morning, January 9, 2011, I came home from church and had the opportunity to listen to Governor Otter's inauguration address, which he had given the Friday before. As I listened to the Governor, I could not help but think how his words applied to us here in the Potlatch School District. My goal in this month's "What's Right at Potlatch School District" is to try and tie a few sentences together once again illustrating why the Potlatch School District is the right place to be.

During these times of accountability, a question I continually ask the teachers and staff in our District is "What credible evidence do we have to convict ourselves of academic excellence?" I believe we need to be able to demonstrate to our parents and patrons just how well we have been doing. As one can imagine, I hear a variety of compliments and criticism about what happens within our school district. While I believe this type of input is healthy, unchecked criticism and inflammatory negative comments via the coffee table, during athletic competitions or on social network pages (without credible evidence to support these claims) can be detrimental to the hard work that our students, teachers, board and administrators do every day for the betterment of our children.

Below is Potlatch School District's credible evidence.

This chart illustrates where we were at the conclusion of the 2006-2007 school year and where we are now in terms of how our students are doing academically on the Idaho Standards Achievement Test compared to other area school districts. This information is on the State Department of Education website, www.sde.idaho.gov.

District	ISAT Reading (Percent Proficient)	ISAT Math (Percent Proficient)	Graduation Rate	Met Adequate Yearly Progress
GENESEE	97.2%	97.5%	100%	YES
KENDRICK	91.9%	90.7%	100%	YES
LEWISTON	92.6%	88.8%	94.4%	NO
MOSCOW	94.9%	91.6%	93%	NO
POTLATCH	91.8% (73.6% in 2007)	90% (76% in 2007)	100%	YES
STATE OF IDAHO	92.1%	88.8%	91.7%	
TROY	92.7%	89.7%	100%	YES
WHITE PINE	93.2%	83.9%	97.8%	NO

I recognize this is just one measure and so I offer these examples of credible evidence as to the improvements and great opportunities our students, teachers, and staff experience in the classroom on a regular basis: elementary, junior and senior high school students participating in NASA based programs; students taking advanced learning classes through the University of Idaho, Lewis/Clark State College, and College of Southern Idaho; regional and national competition awards in BPA, FCCLA and FFA; regional participation at the elementary level in spelling and geography bees; top scores at the Lionel Hampton Jazz Festival; top scores in a regional high school math competition. On the playing field, our students have excelled as well. We have qualified for the state football playoffs the last two years; multiple runners and wrestlers have qualified for the state tournament; our high school played in the state baseball championship last year.

Governor Otter spoke about the need for "...fiscal caution and the virtue of frugality in government..." He emphasized that during these tough economic times, "...the key is using common sense..." and how important it is to "...make better use of our tax dollars." The Potlatch School District currently has the lowest taxing rate in Latah County. As many of you know, the supplemental levy we run is essential for the continued operation of our district. Information recently received from the Latah County Assessor shows the following tax rates per \$1,000 of assessed value: Potlatch \$3.83; White Pine \$4.93; Moscow \$6.12; Genesee \$6.47; Kendrick \$7.39; Troy \$8.33. These numbers illustrate how the board has worked to maintain a quality educational experience at the most economical rate.

In conclusion, I know I am not alone when I say Potlatch is a great school district. I believe I have illustrated at more than one level the credible evidence necessary to support this belief. I welcome any questions parents and patrons have with regard to what we are doing to provide a quality education for the children of this district. I thank each patron and parent for your continued support and trust in allowing us to work with your child. The Potlatch School District recognizes, honors, and supports the role the family has in the education of each child. We are excited about a school district filled with success and accomplishments and to continue doing "What's Best for Kids".

 by Joseph A. Kren, Superintendent



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January 2010—Little Logger Leaders

Mrs. Dial Speech: Mrs. Dial would like to recognize Sam Barnes as little logger leader for December. He has worked really hard on all of his speech sounds. He is ready to exit speech therapy! Good work Sam. Kindergarten (PM)

Mr. Lam's Sixth Grade: Levi Fisher is my candidate. He works hard to complete all assignments, willing to help others, and willing to participate in class activities.

Mrs. Spellman's Third Grade: Sarah Paige Bahlman is our classroom little logger leader this month. Sarah Paige is very helpful to her teacher, is always looking for something to help me with. She is also very willing to help her peers when they need an extra hand, Thank you Sarah Paige for being such a great role model to others!

Mrs. Wilcox's Fourth Grade: I have selected Leiland Carlson as LLL for my fourth grade. He keeps showing improvement in his class work and tests. He is a positive influence in our class, and does not distract others during work time. He is kind and helpful in our group dynamic. Great performance Leiland.

Mrs. Pfaff's Second Grade: Austin Hogaboam: Austin practices the habit of seeking first to understand, then be understood. He patiently listens in class and when he has a question I know it will always be pertinent as well as helpful to others. If I need clarification about a problem happening between others I know I can go to Austin to get the facts! Keep up the great work Austin!

Mrs. Bartosz's Sixth Grade: Our Little Logger Leader is Rebecca Bass. Becca has been working hard in all subjects and has been continuing to make significant improvements. Keep up the great work Becca!

Mrs. Myott's First Grade: Emma Chambers is a fine example of a Little Logger Leader. Emma spends her time on things that are a priority. Emma stays on task whether she is working alone or with a partner. This helps her to learn all that she needs, to be the best that she can be. Thanks Emma for being Mrs. Myott's Little Logger Leader for January!

Mrs. Amos' Fourth Grade: Natasha Ireland is our Little Logger Leader is month. She is very helpful. She often volunteers others without being asked.

Mrs. Dawes Third Grade: Our Little Logger Leader is Lars McDonald. Lars is putting first things first with regards to his homework and schoolwork. He comes to school prepared for learning and is showing great improvement in all areas. Keep up the good work!

Mrs. Krasselt's Fifth Grade: Our 5th grade Little Logger Leader is Mariah Ireland. She is an example to all of us on how to be involved in your reading. Her emotions speak to the rest of us. Her eyes light up and her chuckle at humor is contagious. She can be truly sad, outraged, excited, or bored with the words on the page. Thank you, Mariah, for showing the rest of us that a good communicator doesn't always have to speak with words.

Mrs. Montgomery's Second Grade: Daniel Carlson is our Little Logger Leader. Daniel has been working very hard in class to use his time wisely and complete all of his work. He has been a great example for others to follow.



Children's Winter Matinee Tickets

Village Centre Cinemas at Eastside in MOSCOW!

Once again, PTO is sponsoring the Winter Children's Movie Matinee Ticket Program. The tickets cost \$5.00 each and are valid only at the **MOSCOW** location. Each ticket provides admission to eight movies. Please see the attached flyer for movie listing and dates.

If you would like to purchase movie tickets, please return this form to the school office. Please submit payment with your order form. ***Please make checks payable to PTO.*** If you would like more information, please contact Lelia @ 875-1331 or Shirley Ackerman @ 875-0561 or 596-1103.

Student's Name _____ Grade _____

Parent's Name _____ Phone _____

Number of Tickets _____ Amount Enclosed _____

JR. FARMERS 4-H MEETINGS

All on February 20th at the PRCC.

 Horse meeting for Jr. Farmers and FMBE will start at 4 p.m. Contact Sharon Moore for more information, 208-669-0177.

 Jr. Farmers Pig meeting will start at 5:30 p.m. Contact Nikki Goucher for more information, 208-301-8279.

 Jr. Farmers Club Meeting will start at 6:30 P.M.. Contact Tamy Lisher for more information, 875-1530 or 208-669-2530.

Adult Winter Reading Program

The Potlatch Library's Winter Reading program for adults has begun. Come in and sign up if you haven't already! Everyone who finishes their 'contract' (for 10 books, 10 hours, or 1000 pages) by May 2 will be entered in a drawing for a Kindle™ wireless reading device. Come join the fun!

Leila Schultz Family



The Leila Schultz family wishes to thank everyone for the food, cards, donations, phone calls and all the love given to our family in the loss of our mom, grandmother, great grandma and great-great-grandma.

Hilda Owens Family

The family of Hilda Owens would like to thank those who sent cards, their kind words, prayers, phone calls, memorials and food during our difficult time. There will be a memorial service for Hilda on May 7th, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. at the Freeze Church.



Lester (Buck) Owens
Duane and Linda Owens and family
David and Lee Owens and family
Mary Ann and Dennis Hendrix and family
Raymond and Charly Owens and family

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Attention Parents of 6th-12th grade Potlatch Girls

(including home schooled students)

An awesome opportunity is awaiting your daughter!

Potlatch Junior Miss in collaboration with *Let's Get It Started* is hosting an overnight retreat to focus on the empowerment of young women. This Be Your Best Self event is designed to celebrate young women by instilling confidence, building self-esteem, and providing an opportunity to inspire other young women to make healthy choices.

Watch for a letter and brochure/registration form coming soon via mail or through the school. Please contact Kathi Nygaard @ 875-0345 or Stefani Anderson @ 875-0529 if you have not received this information by February 11th. Please respond quickly as the early enrollment deadline is February 28, 2011!

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Mrs. Amos' "Thankful Letters" Jaidyn McKinney

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while he has it. I am so thankful that when
I get home I get to see him there. Since
Jax has half a brain he only knows me
by my voice but I want him to know I
still love him alot. I feel like he
will remember me when he's gone and a
few he reminds me that I may only have
brothers I still am thankful
Jaidyn

Explorer / Children's Author Presenting at Potlatch Library, Tues. Feb. 22, 6:30p.m.

Pam Flowers – Arctic explorer and children's author – will be giving a public presentation at the Potlatch Library on Tues. Feb. 22 at 6:30pm. When in her 40s, Ms. Flowers left her job in Texas to follow her dream and mush dogs across the arctic. She has since completed many trips (including a 2500 mile solo dog mushing expedition across arctic North America), written several award-winning children's books based on her outdoor adventures, and visited more than 650 schools to share her stories.

Among Ms. Flowers books are: *Big-Enough Anna: The Little Sled Dog Who Braved the Arctic*, *Alone across the Arctic: One Woman's Epic Journey by Dog Team*, and most recently *Ellie's Long Walk: The True Story Of Two Friends On the Appalachian Trail*. She will tell stories about her adventures and her dogs, and share her inspiring messages about remaining determined when things get tough, following ones dreams, and "you can do it!"

Please join us at the Library for this special event on Feb 22. (Sponsored by the Friends of the Potlatch Library).



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Zumba Classes now offered!

Tammy Fager (596-9372) is leading Zumba on Monday mornings at 8:00 a.m.

and Tuesday and Thursday evenings at 6:30 p.m.

It's not too late to make a New Year's Resolution – Join us now!!

AWANA UPDATE

Wednesday night is a very busy time at Princeton Nazarene Church. If your kids are missing out on the fun bring them to Awana at 6:15 any Wednesday. We have great fun planned for the next few months. Mom's night was lots of fun for everyone. Don't miss Dad's night on the 9th.

COMMUNITY MONEY AVAILABLE!

The *Reader's Digest* is giving away money to communities across the nation in the "We Hear You America" campaign. There are individual prizes and money for communities projects at <http://wehearyouamerica.readersdigest.com/>.

It would be great to have more new sidewalks or a new community center. **You have the power to make it happen! Cheer for your town to tell us what it needs most.** You'll be serving your community by sharing your story -- the town that receives the most cheers will win up to \$40,000. But your town (and you) can't win unless you start the conversation! Voting ends in a few days, get online and vote now! It only takes minutes!

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**For more information contact Carol Smith (208)875-1327
or Deb Merica at Public Health - Idaho North Central
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Do it for life!

PandaMania Community Vacation Bible School



We are looking for teachers and helpers again this year to help at PandaMania Community VBS on July 11th thru the 15. Our first planning meeting will be Monday, February 7 at 7:00pm at Grace Lutheran Church.

PandaMania is a wild celebration of God's unconditional love! At PandaMania Community VBS, kids will discover that God has a purpose and a plan for everyone and that he crafted each of us with his own loving hands. If you have any questions call Susan Renz at 208-875-1374.



Transportation for Seniors, Persons with Disabilities and Others to Medical & Dental Appointments, Social Services, shopping and Recreational Activities available in Latah County. Must contact COAST at 1-800-967-2899 forty-eight hours in advance to get a ride. No fee for services. Also, volunteer drivers are needed to provide rides for persons needing mobility. Drivers use their own vehicles and are reimbursed at \$.50 per mile. For more information contact Nancy Hoobler at 208-883-0523.

Area Churches (listed alphabetically)

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints

Cedar Street - Potlatch ID 875-0163

Elmore Methodist

Pastor Kathy Kramer - 875-1135; Worship time: 10:00 a.m.

Faith Church

Pastor Lee Nicholson-875-0583;

401 3rd Street, P O Box 208, Onaway ID 83855

Services: Wednesday 6:30 pm - Prayer Meeting

Sunday: 9:30 - Kids Krew; Teen & Adult classes -10:30 - Worship

Family Bible Fellowship

Palouse River Community Center

Princeton ID 83857—Wayne Glassman - 274-2900

Freeze Community Church

Lloyd Knerr - 874-4982 ; Hwy 95 North of Potlatch

Lutheran-Presbyterian

Pastor Larry Veith - 875-0015;

Sunday Combined Services, 10:30 a.m.

601 Oak, Potlatch ID 83855

We are worshipping at Grace Lutheran Church in Feb at 10:30am

Sunday School is at 9 am at Community Presbyterian Church

and is open to all ages. Fellowship potluck on the 27th.

Princeton Church of the Nazarene

Pastor Robert Lambert-875-1016

P O Box 43, Princeton ID 83857-Worship time: 10:45 a.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church

875-1038, 725 Spruce Street—Worship time: 8:00 a.m.

Wild Rose Mennonite Congregation

Verle Koehn - 875-1480; 1350 Chaney Road, Viola, ID 83872

KID'S BIBLE STUDY

Kid's Bible Study will meet on Friday, February 11th and Friday, the 25th. On the 11th we will meet at Susan Renz's house for our annual bonfire. Dress warm for this meeting! The 25th we will meet at Community Presbyterian Church.

Kid's Bible Study is for 4th grade thru 8th grade children. We meet every other Friday at Community Presbyterian Church. We gather to have fun, friendship, food and fellowship, while creating a relationship with God. Please bring your bible and a friend!

For questions call Susan Renz 208-875-1374 or Suzanne Veith 208-875-1551.

**Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace University
Will be offered at Grace Lutheran Church!**

The first class is free and will be held **Sunday, February 20th at 3pm** in the basement of Grace Lutheran Church at 601 Oak Street in Potlatch, Idaho Andy Morehouse will be our class coordinator will be available immediately after the free lesson if you wish to purchase your family membership and attend the full course. Family memberships usually cost around \$100 and include all class materials.

FPU members can visit the Member Resource Center to find free tools, content, tips, audio, and video clips and more for each lesson of FPU!. More than one million families have attended **Financial Peace University** with amazing results. On average, these families paid off \$5,300 in debt and saved \$2,700 in just the first 90 days! Stop worrying about money, and start your journey to Financial Peace today!

Dave Ramsey says, "Normal is broke! be weird". What are some "weird" things you are planning on doing this year? Call Jeri Callies 509-338-2167 or Susan Renz 208-875-1374 to register!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Feb 2.....Awana—Cupcake Night
Feb 2.....Lion's Club meeting at 620 Larch St.—7:00 p.m.
Feb 3.....Princeton Community Ladies meeting held at 1:30 p.m.
Feb 3.....PRCC meeting at Princeton—7:00 p.m.
Feb 5.....Indoor Fleamarket @ Potlatch Mall call 208-596-8117 (PG. 3)
Feb 9.....Awana—Dad's Night
Feb 11.....Kid's Bible Study Annual Bon Fire
Feb 14.....Potlatch Post 10300 VFW regular meeting 7:00 p.m.
Feb 15.....American Legion Robinson Post 81 meets at 7:00 p.m.
Feb 16.....Regular Lion's Club meeting at 620 Larch St.—7:00 p.m.
Feb 16.....Awana—Love Your Leader Night
Feb 20.....Jr. Farmers 4-H meeting @ PRCC, 6:30 p.m.
Feb 21.....LGIS / Town Hall Meeting, 6:00 p.m. @ High School Library
Feb 23.....Awana—Ice Cream Cone Night
Feb 24.....Potlatch Post 10300 VFW regular meeting 7:00 p.m.
Feb 25.....Kid's Bible Study Regular Meeting

**Play Bingo on Monday nights
starting at 7:00 p.m. at the
Palouse River Community Center.**

CIA Newsletter contact information:

Bonnie Hash: 208-875-0897
Leanne Goucher: 208-875-0977
Milt Moore: 208-875-1416
Marge Lienhard: 208-875-1429

Alcoholics Anonymous meet every Thursday,
7:00 p.m. at the Grace Lutheran Church.

The Harvard Club pinochle games continue
Saturdays. starting @ 7:00 p.m.. Refreshments
will be served. The cost is \$3.00 each player.

Dale Rose suggested we have a recipe of the month, and he submitted the first recipe after eating the cookies:

Best ever sour cream cookies - Makes 5 dozen. Preheat oven to 375 degrees.

1 pint thick sour cream; 2 cups white sugar; 1 tsp. salt; 2 eggs; 1 tsp. baking soda; 3 tps. baking powder; Approximately 3 cups of flour (I usually end up doing almost 4 for a stiff batter); Any flavorings you desire; I like lemon with lemon frosting - use your imagination; Drop by tablespoon or roll out about 1/8 inch. Bake 12 minutes, or 15 if you prefer browner cookies. This cookie stays soft for a long time. Shirley Normington.

Now here is the challenge—send us your favorite recipes to share with our readers, but remember they can't be too long as we don't have much room. Send your recipes to potlatchcia@potlatch.com or CIA Newsletter, P.O. Box 44, Princeton, ID 83857. We look forward to hearing from you-hopefully we will print one recipe each month.

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~To enhance the quality of life of all area residents and to lessen the individual burdens of community governmental agencies.

Advertising Information

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First organizational meeting - March 3, 2011

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Fall session: September, October, November with a concert in December.

Small ensembles are invited to continue playing (without organization and leadership): January, February, July and August.

For more information, contact Alice Rockhill (875-1578)
karockhill@cpcinternet.com
Doug or Shannon Richards (875-8916)
dougrichards@yahoo.com.

"A friend is like a four-leaf clover, hard to find and lucky to have!"



Hair for You

Judy Perkins
240 6th Street
Potlatch, ID
875-1200



JUNCTION LUMBER NEWS
If we don't have it, you don't need it!

Another month behind us and still I ain't getting any younger and it's been so wet, I can't seem to find that fountain of youth. But on the bright side, I look younger than Tim Riebold and ain't as ugly. As far as being rough around the edges and no spring rooster, I gotta say, Ellis Bryngelson takes that one, hands down. Of course, we can't let Eric Kurtz slip by for he appears to have been through tough times since the Civil War.

Our garden seeds are in and if I work up enough gumption, I might get them all on the rack before August. We are holding the price at \$.94 a pack again this year and again, twice the seed at half the cost. The sunflower growing contest will be in full swing again this year and the prizes will be your choice of a lawn mower, chain saw rototiller or a weed eater. There will be one prize for the biggest flower and one for the tallest plant. Sponsored by Northwest Pharmacy, Idaho Rigging and Junction Lumber. Details will be available at a later date. Everything here at the Junction has

What's Right at Potlatch School District?

Once again our students, teachers and staff have experienced some great activities as well as some important recognitions. I continue to be amazed (while not at all surprised) at how hard everyone associated with our district works. Our students continue to be exposed to outstanding educational and extracurricular opportunities. Potlatch School District truly is "What's best for Kids."

Mr. Sherwood at the Junior-Senior High School reports parent-teacher conferences were well attended on January 25th. Teachers generally felt the parent turnout was as many if not a few more than they have had in a long time. The most common comment to Mr. Sherwood and many of the teachers was the desire to have had this night very early in the school year and/or have two nights, one each semester. Overall we believe it was a successful night. On a side note, the district recognizes the single conference night at both buildings was a function of the budget cuts this past year and needs to be reconsidered for next year. Know that work has started on how to improve the opportunities for conferences next year. Last September, our eighth-graders took part in the ACT Explore Equating Study. This activity measured student knowledge in four areas – English, Math, Reading, and Science – and also created a "Composite" score

from those four areas. Data is used to help students determine strengths and areas that need attention, and can also help stakeholders determine some areas of potential vocational interest and aptitude. Potlatch students consistently outscored similar age students nationally in these areas. On a lighter note, students in the junior high had a good "Spirit Week" early in January. The junior high ASB chose the first week of second semester to enjoy three different "Theme" days. Students reported as having quite a bit of fun.

Over at the Elementary School, Mr. Haire reports, the Doughnut and a Book program which is a literacy event that involves each classroom inviting parents in before the start of school and having their student(s) share their literature as well as demonstrate our AR program for their parents while enjoying a donut has begun. The second grade enjoyed their day on Friday, January 28th. The fifth grade had a wonderful time on Friday, February 11th, and the first grade hosted theirs on Friday, February 25th. Check the Wednesday weekly or call the office for when the remaining grades will meet. A good book, your child reading and a doughnut to eat: what a great way to start your day. Our local Geography Bee was held back in January. **Braden Morris** from **Mrs. Amos'** class took the champion-

ship. **Kolton Krasselt** from **Mrs. Krasselt's** room took second. **Jamie Shattuck** from **Mrs. Bartosz's** class took third. Braden completed his test to participate at the state level. **Helen Granger-Wilson** was our artist in residence Feb. 22nd through Feb.28th. We would like to offer our sincere thanks to the local Arts Council for providing the necessary funding for this outstanding program to continue in our school. We also want to thank the Moscow Elk's Lodge for donating a dictionary to every third grade student as well as several copies to our library. As a reminder, a mid-year survey has gone out to the parents of those students participating in the KAMP program. If you have not had a chance to complete this survey please do so and return it to the elementary school.

In closing, I want to thank each patron and parent for your continued support and trust in allowing us to work with your child. We recognize, honor and support the role the family has in the education of your child. We are excited about a school year filled with success and accomplishments and to continue doing "What's Best for Kids".



by **Joseph A. Kren**
Superintendent



Lula Schultz Family

The Lula Schultz family wishes to thank everyone for the food, cards, donations, phone calls and all the love given to our family in the loss of our mom, grandmother, great grandma and great-great-grandma.

Potlatch Knights of Columbus Sausage Breakfast March 13th

Grade School Cafeteria

7 A.M. to Noon

Gun show in the gym.



Do You Need A

Dog Obedience Class?

Struggling to get your dog to sit & stay?

Local help is available!

Just call **Paula Ockerberg @ 875-1697** for all your dog obedience class needs. She will help you train them right!

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White Pine Market Place Presents:

Potlatch Flea MarketArts and Crafts,
Farmer's Market,
Household, Antiques, Collectables,
Garden, Farm & Ranch, Tools and
Used Items in Good Working Condition**Saturday
March 5, 2011**

TIME: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Potlatch Shopping Mall in Potlatch**BOOTH SPACE for RENT**10 x 10 ft. spaces available @ \$15 per
spaceContact: Emily Ernst at emiern@msn.com
or 208-596-8117***Potlatch Jr. Miss & L.G.J.S. Retreat***

HAVE YOU REGISTERED YET? – DON'T MISS OUT!

Be Your Best Self*learn it * love it * live it*An awesome opportunity is awaiting your daughter, grand-daughter, niece or friend! **Potlatch Junior Miss in conjunction with Let's Get It Started** is hosting an overnight retreat March 18th – 19th, 2011, to focus on the empowerment of youngwomen. This **Be Your Best Self** event is designed to celebrate young women by instilling confidence, building self esteem, and providing an opportunity to inspire other young women in making healthy choices.REGISTER TODAY –**Final registration deadline is March 10th.** Sponsorships are available. You should have received a registration form in the mail or through the school. If you need another please contact the school office, Kathi Nygaard @ 875-0345 or Steffani Anderson @ 875-0529.

Guitar Lessons

*John Weaver Guitar Studio**All styles and levels
Theory and Technique**30+ years teaching experience**new to Potlatch area**Ph. 208-686-2488**e-mail: jswguitar@gmail.com*

been kinda slow, including some of the help and we're hoping things will pick up a bit, so I can retire soon. Eagle brand and Prism dog food have been added to our pet supplies along with a line of other quality feeds. First round of baby chicks will be here toward the end of March.

ROAD RAGE?

I drove over to the Seattle/Olympia area during the Valentine's weekend to visit my mother. My wife, Ms. Muffin, was unable to make the trip so our dog (Gretta) rode shotgun with me and to be truthful, I would have much preferred Ms. Muffin over the pooch; she would have been a much better traveling companion not to mention the pooch's unnatural passing of gas in close quarters. Lesson learned; never give your dog pepperoni sticks if you plan on being cooped up with them for a while. You would of thought I would have had better mileage with all that high octane, but on the other hand, I'm just thankful we didn't blow up.

Anyway, I was amazed of how friendly and courteous people were on the highways west of the Cascades, contrary to all the horror stories that I have heard. I was expecting road rage and was ready for combat driving, but to my surprise and somewhat disappointed for in my negative state of mind, I was all geared up for a case of bad highway attitude. What a pleasant feeling to realize that people elsewhere can be as friendly as they are here on the Palouse. I do believe that they are better drivers than us here in Idaho for



when you wave, they look straight ahead with both hands on the wheel and never wave back. I'm sure it's because they're concentrating on the road and safety is their number one priority, (not like Charlie Cochrane or Brian Lafer). You can tell that they all know what they're doing when behind the wheel because of the way that they can weave in and out of traffic with inches to spare, switch lanes at a high rate of speed, and all the while texting or talking on their cell phones.



Yup, that's more driving skills than I got, but maybe someday I'll be that good. I was a bit intimidated, at first, when I met the heavy traffic but believe that when everyone seen I had Idaho plates, they realized why I was moving somewhat slower and a bit confused; so they just zoomed on around me, honked their horns and gave me the "your number one" sign. What wonderful people, although for the life of me, I didn't understand why they weren't smiling, so figured it was because they hadn't made it through the espresso stand yet. Some of them I tried to cheer up by returning the "sign" with a big smile and for some reason unknown to me, they let me know that I was "number one" again with more force and at the time, I was wishin' I could read lips. I'm sure they were saying something like, "you people from Idaho are all right."

There was one gentleman who must have worked in a wood shop because he was honking his horn and frantically waving at me (for a



moment I thought I knew him) and it appeared that he had no fingers. Well, I let him know that he was number one and he waved some more and sped off. He probably had to get home to the wife and kids. I would have liked to have bought that nice guy a cup of coffee. It's amazing the love I felt there and can hardly wait to get back over that way and make some more new friends.



The Old Geezer (formally known as Stud Muffin)

Around the Community: Flea market March 5th-get there early; March 12th, dinner and auction at Princeton—come and support the Ladies! March 13th, get breakfast from the Knights; then check out the merchandise at the Gun Show, your neighbors are going to be there; Coupon for a drink on page 2 for next door at the Coffee Cabin!; the local stores have just what you need for St. Patrick's Day; check out the ads and find out about new businesses in the area!

Help our community stay healthy, Please Shop Local!

Quote of the month: Do not speak of evil for it creates curiosity in the minds of the young...
Lakota Proverb

**God Bless from the Crew
at Junction Lumber
(208) 875-0201
1296 Kennedy Ford Rd
Potlatch, Idaho 83855**

**Hatter Creek Salvage and Supply
1375 Highway 6 ~ Potlatch, Idaho
208-596-9654 or 208-596-2982**

Hi everyone! We're making some changes at our shop and wanted to give you the scoop. We've stocked our shop with some new inventory for your house, yard, or even for you. We've got antiques, glassware (insulators, bottles, jars etc) furniture, yard sale/thrift type items, PS2 games, one of a kind (hand-made blown glass) necklace, old farm implements and more! **We are restocking with new items constantly so you'll want to visit often.**

We are currently open the 1st through 3rd Thursday's of each month from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. and every other Saturday from 10 a.m.- 2 p.m. **In March, we're open (Thursdays) the 3rd, 10th and 17th - and (Saturdays) the 12th and 26th. Our days/hours will also be posted at the shop.** We are still purchasing scrap and we're also available for clean-up jobs. Just give us a call and we'll arrange to be available at a time that's convenient for you. As always, we appreciate your business and remember, **if it's metal, we buy it!**

***Side note - For the person(s) that keep stealing the materials sitting outside of our shop; we realize that times are hard, for everyone, but please consider this fact. We purchase all the materials at our shop and at the scrap yard. This is how we make our living and by taking our materials and not paying for them, it's just as if you were taking the \$\$ right from our wallet. Just because you think it's "junk" or "scrap" does not mean it's free for the taking! Our prices are more than fair so please pay for your items! Anyone seeing people removing items from our shop or the scrap yard in Princeton, we would greatly appreciate a call, any time of day or night, so we can check it out. Thank you and we look forward to your business!

I sell for YOU on eBay!

Have items you would like to sell on eBay but don't have the time or desire to learn how?

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Items must be worth at least \$50.00.

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208 875-0609



February Little Logger Leaders

Mrs. Dawes' Third Grade: Brenna Larson is our Little Logger Leader. Brenna is a wonderful student and caring classmate. She puts her schoolwork first and begins her work with the end in mind. She knows how to get great results by working hard and following instructions. Brenna practices win-win in the classroom and the playground.

Mr. Lam's Sixth Grade: Joe Meckel: He has become responsible for getting his work completed on time. He is willing to help other students and has demonstrated nice leadership in STEM projects.

Mrs. Myott's First Grade: Isabella Defoort is February Little Logger Leader in Mrs. Myott's class. Isabella is an excellent student and a person who thinks before she acts. She listens to everyone's ideas and confidently shares ideas with others. Isabella gives her best in any assigned task.

Ms. Montgomery's Second Grade: My Little Logger Leader for February is **Klancey Beebe**. Klancey always enters new activities with contagious enthusiasm and a smile on her face.

Mrs. Amos' Fourth Grade: Seth Carnahan is the Little Logger of the week for February. He is a student who is well liked. He is willing to put extra time into his work and doesn't give up when an assignment is hard and always has a smile.

Mrs. Bartosz's Sixth Grade: Our Little Logger Leader is **Zac Dockins**. Zac is an outstanding student. He works hard to excel in all subjects. Zac works well with others and always contributes to classroom discussions.

Mrs. Pfaff's Second Grade: Alyssa Peeples: Alyssa works hard to get along well with others. She has worked toward solving problems creatively and looking at alternatives to tattling. Alyssa uses her words to communicate her feelings and does her best to get along with others in groups. Keep up the hard work, Alyssa!

Mrs. Spellman's Third Grade: Rowan Hites- Rowan is our Little Logger Leader this month. Rowan has exhibited proactive behavior with her reading goal. She has met her AR goal this quarter and has taken the initiative to exceed it by many points. Rowan has found a book series that she loves. She has exhausted the classroom library, the school library and the town library. Now Rowan orders the series from online resources. It's great to see Rowan take charge of her reading.

Ms. Hargrave's First Grade: Max Meagher is our Little Logger Leader for February. He is always cooperative and willing to do what is asked of him. Max works hard and carefully completes his work. Max is kind to his friends. When Max is given a goal he works to complete it.

Mrs. Krasselt's Fifth Grade: Shasta Ockerberg is our February classroom Little Logger Leader. Shasta has a talent for writing and is always willing and helpful in encouraging others who find it difficult to put their thoughts on paper. She is a good listener who can offer her peers appropriate feedback and inspiration. Thank you Shasta for sharing your talent.

Mrs. Cuellar's Kindergartens: a.m. - Josh Biltonen has made a lot of progress socially this year in class! He is gaining confidence in his abilities and making lots of positive friendships. Josh has a kind demeanor and treats others fairly. Thank you for being an asset to our class, Josh!

p.m. - Gunner Ely tries to do his best in class. He stays on task to complete work and is gaining confidence in himself along the way. Gunner is polite and kind to other students. Thank you, Gunner!

Mrs. Curtis' Fifth Grade: Brandon Peeples always hands in his math homework on time and is always ready to start the day. Brandon listens to other people's ideas and values other people feelings. Seeing other's point of view seems to come easy to him. He knows that by working together better solutions can be made for the betterment of everyone involved. He also tries to do the right thing without being asked.

Mrs. Wilcox's Fourth Grade: I have selected **Kylee Anderson** as the LLL for the month of February. She strives for excellence in grades, as well as cooperation. She is very neat and orderly. She is extremely dependable and is honest. It is great that she is in our fourth grade classroom.



WHAT'S NEW AT

THE HOODOO?

Open Thur—Mon 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Community Buffet: All You Can Eat \$6.99

Every Monday 1:00 p.m.

Everyone Welcome!

Friday Night Steak - 6:00 p.m.

10 oz. Marinated Rib-Eye

Salad, Potato, Veggie, Toast - \$17.95

*We are offering a large selection
of specialty Pizzas and Calzones*

Our 1st Anniversary is in March!

Come join us!!

Saturday, March 5th at 6:00 p.m.

To help us celebrate!

Logger Booster Club

All American BBQ Fundraiser

March 26th, 2011

Potlatch High School Multi Purpose Room

5:00—8:00 P.M.

Menu -

BBQ Chicken
BBQ Pork Chops
BBQ Pork Ribs
German Sausage

BBQ Baked Beans
Mac-N-Cheese

Potato Salad
Coleslaw
Pasta Salad

Homemade Rolls
Desserts
Drinks

\$10.00 / Person

**All You
Can Eat**

**Silent
Auction**

Proceeds Benefit the Students of P.H.S.

AWANA UPDATE

We only have 2 months of Awana left this year but it's never too late to join in the fun. We will have three teams competing in the Awana Games in Lewiston on March 12 and a Jr./Sr. high team competing in Spokane at Whitworth University on March 19. Hopefully they will bring home more plaques and banners

PandaMania Community Vacation Bible School



We are looking for helpers again this year to help at PandaMania Community VBS on July 11—15th. Our first planning meeting went well as we watched and listened to the music for VBS. We are looking for

Music leaders! **Next meeting is March 7th** at 7:00 p.m. at Grace Lutheran Church.

PandaMania is a wild celebration of God's unconditional love! At PandaMania Community VBS, kids will discover that God has a purpose and a plan for everyone and that he crafted each of us with his own loving hands.

If you have any questions call Susan Renz at 208-875-1374.

LPC Youth Group

We will be traveling to Missoula, Montana on Friday, March 4th, to go to Rock and Worship Roadshow and then to a service project for Atonement Lutheran Church on March 5th. The cost for this event is about \$30.00. Concert 10.00, snacks 20.00, fellowship and worship PRICELESS!

We meet every Sunday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. for Bible study, snacks and games. March 6th, we will be served dinner by a member in the Parish, so come right at 6 p.m. March 20th, we will be taking another road trip to Palouse Falls—so bring your hiking boots. LPC youth group is for 7th grade to 12th graders. Contact Susan Renz if you have any questions - 208-875-1374!

Kids Bible Study

Kids Bible Study meets every other Friday from 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm at Community Presbyterian Church. This growing group had a Valentine's Day Bonfire at the Renz's. We had chili dogs and the best sugar cookies from Pearl Jones (THANK YOU!). We also had a great time playing games, building on their relationships with each other and God. On February 25 we had a regular meeting with study and more games. Thanks to Community Presbyterian Church for letting us use your facility!

Come join us in March on the 11th and the 25th. Call Susan Renz if you have any questions 208-875-1374 or Suzanne Veith 208-875-1551.

Area Churches (listed alphabetically)

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints
Cedar Street - Potlatch ID 875-0163

Elmore Methodist
Pastor Kathy Kramer - 875-1135; Worship time: 10:00 a.m.

Faith Church
Pastor Lee Nicholson-875-0583;
401 3rd Street, P O Box 208, Onaway ID 83855
Services: Wednesday 6:30 pm - Prayer Meeting
Sunday: 9:30 - Kids Krew; Teen & Adult classes -10:30 - Worship

Family Bible Fellowship
Palouse River Community Center
Princeton ID 83857—Wayne Glassman - 274-2900

Freeze Community Church
Lloyd Knerr - 874-4982 ; Hwy 95 North of Potlatch

Lutheran-Presbyterian
Pastor Larry Veith - 875-0015;
Sunday Combined Services, 10:30 a.m.
601 Oak, Potlatch ID 83855
Worship 10:30pm at Community Presbyterian Church in March. Sunday School is at 9:00 a.m. also at Community Presbyterian Church.

Princeton Church of the Nazarene
Pastor Robert Lambert-875-1016
P O Box 43, Princeton ID 83857-Worship time: 10:45 a.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church
875-0221, 725 Spruce Street—Worship time: 8:00 a.m.

Wild Rose Mennonite Congregation
Verle Koehn - 875-1480; 1350 Chaney Road, Viola, ID 83872

CARROT COOKIES! from Hazel Adair

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|---------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1 cup shortening | 2 cups flour |
| 3/4 cup sugar | 2 teaspoons of baking powder |
| 1 egg | 1/2 teaspoon salt |
| 1 1/2 cup cooked mashed carrots | 1 teaspoon vanilla |
| | 1 teaspoon lemon extract |

Mix all ingredients together, drop on cookie sheet with teaspoon. Bake at 350° until lightly brown. Cool. Frost with orange flavored powdered sugar.

4-H MEETINGS

Are you interested in joining a 4-H Group? Jr. Farmers 4-H Club meetings are held the third Sunday of each month. The regular club meetings are held at the Palouse River Community Center in Princeton, and start at 6:30 p.m..

Richard (Dick) Mackey Family



The Richard Mackey Family wishes to thank everyone for all the support and love given to them during Richard's hospitalization and passing. A special thank you to the Potlatch Ambulance crew and the Emergency team at Pullman Regional Hospital whose expertise helped make Richard relaxed and comfortable during his ordeal.

Thank you,
Anita Mackey

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Mar 2.....Awana—Favorite Sports Team Night
Mar 2.....Lion's Club meeting at 620 Larch St.—7:00 p.m.
Mar 3..... Princeton Community Ladies meeting held at 1:30 p.m.
Mar 3.....PRCC meeting at Princeton—7:00 p.m.
Mar 5.....Indoor Fleamarket @ Potlatch Mall call 208-596-8117 (PG. 3)
Mar 9..... Awana—Hawaiian Night
Mar 10.....Potlatch Post 10300 VFW regular meeting 7:00 p.m.
Mar 11.....Kid's Bible Study Regular Meeting
Mar 12.....Princeton Community Annual Dinner & Craft Sale
Mar 13.....Knights of Columbus Breakfast—Potlatch Elementary
Mar 13.....Gun Show—Potlatch Elementary
Mar 15.....American Legion Robinson Post 81 meets at 7:00 p.m.
Mar 16.....Regular Lion's Club meeting at 620 Larch St.—7:00 p.m.
Mar 16.....Awana—Shamrock Night
Mar 20.....Jr. Farmers 4-H meeting @ PRCC, 6:30 p.m.
Mar 21.....LGIS / Town Hall Meeting, 6:00 p.m. @ High School Library
Mar 25.....Kid's Bible Study Regular Meeting
Mar 23.....Awana—Western Night
Mar 24.....Potlatch Post 10300 VFW regular meeting 7:00 p.m.
Mar 26.....Potlatch Booster's Club annual dinner

Play Bingo on Monday nights starting at 7:00 p.m. at the Palouse River Community Center.

CIA Newsletter contact information:

Bonnie Hash: 208-875-0897
Leanne Goucher: 208-875-0977
Milt Moore: 208-875-1416
Marge Lienhard: 208-875-1429

Alcoholics Anonymous meet every Thursday, 7:00 p.m. at the Grace Lutheran Church.

The Harvard Club pinochle games continue Saturdays. starting @ 7:00 p.m.. Refreshments will be served. The cost is \$3.00 each player.

Princeton Community Club Spring Dinner & Auction!

The Princeton Community Club Spring Dinner will be held at the **Palouse River Community Center March 12th starting at 5:00 p.m.** There will be a full ham dinner (including drink and pie) followed by a beautiful craft auction and quilt raffle. **Dinner will be served from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.** The proceeds of this dinner will fund the work of the Club for the year, and this year we have additional expenses from soot damage at the Club house. Everyone is welcome.

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2011



C.I.A. NEWSLETTER



CIA Goal

~To establish communication between area and community groups, clubs and agencies to inform the public of upcoming activities and to have information available early to avoid scheduling conflicts.

~To enhance the quality of life of all area residents and to lessen the individual burdens of community governmental agencies.

Advertising Information
 Information about advertising in the CIA newsletter per issue.
 Business card ad: \$20.00
 1/4 page ad: \$35.00
 1/2 page ad: \$65.00
 Full page ad: \$130.00
 Mail advertising information and check by the 20th of the month

CIA, PO Box 44,
 Princeton, ID 83857
 Or e-mail advertising information to:
 potlatchcia@potlatch.com.
 by the 20th of the month.

Potlatch Public Library Hours

875-1036
 Monday 2-7
 Tuesday 3-7
 Wednesday 2-7
 Thursday 3-7
 Friday 10-2

JUNCTION LUMBER NEWS WHERE SOMETIMES THE CUSTOMER IS RIGHT

It's supposed to be spring, but you couldn't tell it by looking outside and if you take the weather person's word on it, you'll find that they're wrong half the time and get paid anyway. That's the kind of job I want. Regardless of what we get or hear, I assure you, spring IS coming, so be prepared when it does happen. We have seed potatoes and onion sets along with a wide variety of garden seeds (\$.94 a pack), fertilizers, potting soil and a lot more. Walla Walla onion starts will be here soon. If you need advice on any gardening problems, give me a call and I'll try to help you out. If I don't have a solution, I'll make something up. Baby chicks are here, while they last, so give us a call and we'll set you up.

Fresh home grown cackle berries are hard to beat. We also have all the goodies for setting those cluckers up.

We are back on our summer hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00-5:30, closed Sunday. Farmers' Market will start in the first part of May. Railroad ties are here at a good price. Don't miss out.

I don't understand the lack of respect that I receive at Junction Lumber with unruly customers and the store crew. After all, I'm the nicest person that I know and would never give anyone a bad time even if they deserved it. Now you are probably wondering what brings this conversation on and I'm about ready to tell ya and the names have not been changed to

protect the guilty or, as in my case, the innocent. Now don't get me wrong, for there are a few kind souls out there that are nice to me as everyone should be, like bringing cookies and not forgetting my birthday (with presents).

The particular incident I'm about to describe took place a few days ago when a young lady came in to get some paint. (Did I say young and lady? Looks like two typos in one sentence). Christy Griswold was chatting with Ms. Muffin while the paint was being mixed and they were talking about Christy's job cooking at a sorority house in Pullman. Well, I was in ear shot so I commented that she must be a darned good cook to (continued on page 4.....)



Located at the Potlatch "Y"
 208-875-1362
 Serving Grilled Shrimp and Salmon Dinner
 On Friday, April 8th 4:00-7:00 p.m.

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Come join us!!

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WHAT IS HAPPENING AT THE OLD MILLSITE?

Since the closing of the Potlatch Corporation lumber mill during the early 1980s community leaders have been looking for a way to redevelop the former millsite.

During recent months a number of meetings have been held in Potlatch in order to discuss the possibility of locating an industrial/manufacturing park complex on the site which lies just west of the City of Potlatch.

Personnel representing Potlatch Corporation, owner of the property, as well as representatives from Avista Corporation; Latah Economic Development Council; Clearwater Economic Development Assoc.; Cont. on page 4....

What's Right at Potlatch School District?

The race towards the end of the year has begun and I am writing to report that teachers and students continue to work hard in the classroom and on the playing field. It is also that time of year when we begin to shift our focus towards how next year will look.

As many of you probably know, there are significant changes that will be impacting education once again. Among other things, there will be continued reductions in revenues from the state. Whether it will come as a result of reduced appropriations or a result of changing the formula to increase class size, it is not known as I write this article. What is known, and as was explained at a recent public forum is that our students achievement scores have continued to improve and have done so the last four years. What is known is that teachers continue to provide outstanding educational opportunities for our children. What is known is that we have made significant cuts to our budget every year since I arrived and have reduced our fund balance the last three years. What is known is that our taxing rate is the lowest of any school district in Latah County.

By the time you receive this CIA newsletter, the levy amount will already have been set. Please contact the district office with your questions. Know that the board will once again be scheduling community forums to explain what the levy amount will be and the associated rates. Be advised in addition to the levy election on Tuesday May 17, 2011, trustee elections will also be held for Zone Two (2) and Zone Four (4). In addition, as a result of election consolidation legislation that was passed last year, the bulk of the election responsibility has shifted to the county clerk. As a result, school elections will

now be held in the same locations as general elections. School elections will not be held at the junior-senior high school.

Mr. Haire reports several interesting activities from the elementary school building. To begin with, the after school program continues to be very successful. As many as eighteen students attend this valuable program that provides additional academic support and other activities after school. The Donut and a Book program has been well received by students and parents. Second graders met on January 28th, fifth graders met on February 10th, and first graders met on February 25th. Parents, Vista Volunteers, and paraprofessionals have been attending to read with our students. **Braden Morris** was our local Geography Bee winner and represented our school at the state level in Boise the first of April. **Katie Paul** entered and won a flag design contest that represented Idaho in Washington D.C. at the Youth Art Month Ceremony in March. From there it was displayed, with the other forty-nine state flags, at the National Arts Education Association Convention in Seattle, and will soon be sent to Arizona for yet another convention. The Artist in Residency Program was held once again from February 22nd through the 28th. **Helen Granger-Wilson** provided art classes monetarily supported by the Potlatch Arts Council, Potlatch Recreation District, and Latah County Culture and Arts Committee. The art projects were perspective drawings based on Potlatch historical photos as well as water color paintings. We greatly appreciate the Potlatch Arts Council and all those who gave of their time for their assistance in orchestrating the event, providing the materials and then donating them to the school for future use.

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Mr. Sherwood reports some exciting things happening at the junior-senior high school as well. To begin with, congratulations to freshman **Kyle Brown** for winning the Class 2A state wrestling championship at 140 pounds. **Mrs. Wommack's** science students provided an educational and entertaining evening in March by demonstrating their NASA-related projects. The high school Knowledge Bowl team, advised by **Mr. Potter**, finished second at the recent INL Regional competition, earning them a trip to state during the last week of March. Finally congratulations to the following students for achieving Student of the Month Honors. High School: **Alyssa Miller** for academics, **Bryan Wood** for citizenship, **Megan Alexander** for activities and **Victoria Houser** for effort and improvement. Junior High School: **Katiana VanArsdale** for academics, **Cole Wallen** for citizenship, **David Amos** for activities, and **Angelica Diaz** for effort and improvement.

Keep in mind ISAT testing will be from April 11-22. We ask that parents please make sure your child is well rested and ready to do their very best for this test.

In closing, I want to thank each patron and parent for your continued support and trust in allowing us to work with your child. We recognize, honor and support the role the family has in the education of your child. We are excited about this school year that has been filled with success and accomplishments. We look forward to continue doing "What's Best for Kids".



By **Joseph A. Kren**
Superintendent

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LGIS MEETING DATE CHANGED

Let's Get It Started has changed their monthly meeting date to the second Wednesday of each month at 6:15 p.m. at the Potlatch High School Teacher's Lounge. The next meeting will be April 13th, 2011.

Potlatch Day celebration ideas are needed for this year. If you have any great ideas for kid's activities or are involved with a group that would like to help, please contact Kathi Nygaard at 875-0345. Thank you.



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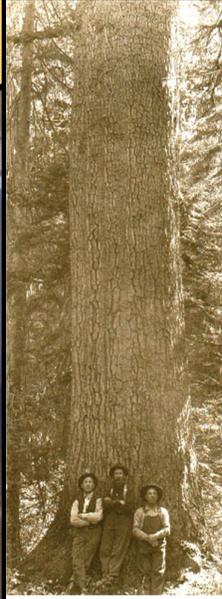
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(Junction Lumber from page 1..)have a job like that. Her response was, and I quote, “just take a look at my husband (Mike).” I’m not so sure what point she was trying to make, but I took it as she was implying that he looked like a beached whale. Maybe they weren’t getting along that day and with Mike being my friend, I was a bit offended by her lack of respect for him and told her I was going to tell unless she made me a banana cream pie. Well, she declined on the pie and if they were having a bad day, it was about to get worse because I was going to call Mike after she left the store.

Before I could get around to making the call, the phone rang.. Mike was on the other end, sounding somewhat perturbed and asking why I called him a “fat a__ (beep). Well, instantly I knew that Christy had set me up and that’s the point I’m trying to get across about respect. You can pick on me, but when it comes to my “respectable” friends, I tend to get a bit on the agitated side. Darn-it, Mike can’t help it if he resembles a sun burnt Pillsbury dough boy. It’s not what’s on the surface

that makes a person, but what’s on the inside and Mike packs a lot of “Table Muscle” in that department. Having North American Native ancestry, he has pride and has worked hard to get where he is now and has earned every “OUNCE” of it. His Indian name is tsac-da-asitatumi (one who breaks horses) and was a big man in his village, but unfortunately, when he moved to Idaho, they didn’t have too many horses left that weren’t broken. So, I guess my point is, show a little respect for others and be caring like me.

The Old Geezer
(formally known as Stud Muffin)

Around the community: Going to be a busy month: Looking for a unique item? Go to the Flea Market on April 2nd; Check out the **PTO Spud Bingo** on April 15th (you may need somewhere to go after doing your taxes!) The next week the PTO is serving **Easter refreshments** while you play some games-all at the Potlatch Elementary School gym. City-Wide yard sale on June 18th, guess it’s never too soon to start getting your stuff ready—

remember to sign up at City Hall to get on the map! **Potlatch Distinguished Young Woman Program** (used to be Junior Miss) is set for April 23rd at the High School Gym. The five young women should put on quite a show! April 24th will find some people at the **Annual Easter Breakfast at the Grace Lutheran Church**; the **Community Easter Services** are listed on page 7 so you won’t miss a thing.

Garden tip of the month: Don’t plant your corn until the snow is gone or if you live by Tia McKinney. Please shop local, the store you save may save you many gallons of gas in the future.

Quote of the month: A sluggard does not plow in season; so at harvest he looks, but finds nothing.

**God Bless from the crew at Junction Lumber.
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OLD MILLSITE CONT. FROM PAGE 1...

Scenic 6 Community Development Council; and the City of Potlatch have been successful in obtaining grant money in order to perform a site plan and feasibility study for the project.

After a lengthy selection process, the Welch Comer Engineering Firm from Coeur d’Alene was chosen in January to do the plan. Contracts are just now being signed, work is due to begin shortly, and possibly will continue through the summer. Hopefully, a marketing assessment of the project is to be performed as well, pending the result of a second grant application.

The vision for the project is to establish a multi-faceted business complex which could also include recreational facilities and a residential development. Well-paying jobs for the area is the driving motivation for the project, but quality of life features are also part of the overall plan. Items that have been discussed have included a 9-hole golf course, a multi-purpose stadium, soccer field, regulation-size baseball park, and bicycle and walking paths to name a few.

Public meetings are soon to begin in order to obtain input from the community regarding possibilities and ideas for the site. This will be your chance to voice your opinions and concerns and to have your questions answered. Be watching this newsletter, as well as newspapers and bulletin boards, for dates and times. This is truly the best chance our community has had for revitalization.

POTLATCH PTO HOLDING EVENTS IN APRIL

The Potlatch PTO is keeping busy this month. The first event will be **Spud Bingo night** at the Elementary School Gym on **April 15th from 5:00-8:00 p.m.** Next will be **Easter games and refreshments** for everyone on **April 23rd** at the Elementary School Gym from **9:30-10:30 a.m.** For more information, please contact Shirley Ackerman @ 208-596-1103.

KOLARS THANK ALL

Ken and Anne Kolar would like to thank all our relatives and friends for helping us celebrate our 60th Wedding Anniversary. Everyone who attended made it a special day.

Thank you,
Ken and Anne Kolar

ANNUAL EASTER BREAKFAST

Grace Lutheran Church and Thrivent Financial for Lutherans will sponsor their Annual Easter Breakfast April 24, 2011 from 7 am to 10 am. After breakfast join them for worship at 10:30am.

This year’s breakfast will be biscuits with sausage gravy, fresh fruit salad, coffee and juice. All you can eat for \$6.00. Call Don Renz if you have any questions - 208-875-1374.

Happy Easter everyone!

March Little Logger Leaders

Mrs. Bartosz's Sixth Grade: Our Little Logger Leader is **Devin Richards**. Devin always gives his best effort and takes the time to learn new concepts. He is also willing to help others. Devin is a Little Logger Leader!

Mrs. Spellman's Third Grade: Our classroom Little Logger Leader this month is **Taylor Gregg**. Taylor demonstrates many of the 7 habits we talk about in class. Recently Taylor has been using the "think win-win" skill to her advantage. Taylor likes to stay in for recess. Taylor knows that if she stays in for recess to help other students or the teacher then she'll get to stay in. This is a win-win situation because Taylor gets to stay in and other people have her there to help them.

Mr. Lam's Sixth Grade: **Elizabeth Valencia**, has learned to help others, work hard on her own assignments, and continues to try and monitor her visiting during class.

Mrs. Pfaff's Second Grade: **Dante Woolverton**: Dante has become proactive in her attitude toward school and learning. She has put forth tremendous effort to become an active learner. Dante has worked hard to control her emotions and not let them get in the way of her learning. She has such a wonderful smile that has begun to show itself more often in the classroom, reflecting her positive attitude toward school. Thank you for all your hard work this year, Dante.

Mrs. Myott's First Grade: **Rebekah Weaver** is Mrs. Myott's Little Logger Leader for March. Rebekah spends her time wisely, completing her daily work while giving herself time to read, something that she thoroughly enjoys. Her quiet and thoughtful manner makes her everyone's friend. Rebekah is a positive leader in our classroom!

Mrs. Dawes' Third Grade: **Tarah Peterson** is our Little Logger Leader. She is a warm, caring classmate who leads by quiet example and a big smile. She says that she loves school. It shows in her work and her attitude. She puts her schoolwork first and begins with the end in mind. Tarah searches for ways to make our classroom a "win-win" community of learners. Way to Go, Tarah!

Mrs. Krasselt's Fifth Grade: **Sammy Veith**, our March Little Logger Leader, is literally our line leader when we move from the classroom to library, or gym, or cafeteria or other various parts of the school. He takes this responsibility very seriously as he models correct out of classroom behavior for his classmates. Sammy is most of all our positive role model for politeness, enthusiasm, concern for others, and acceptance. Well done, Sammy.

Mrs. Cuellar's Kindergartens: a.m. class - Kaylee Cockrum is a kind student to others in class. She has been working very hard this month to follow directions in class, such as sitting quietly and listening carefully to directions. I have seen Kaylee make lots of progress this month! Way to go, Kaylee!

p.m. class - Levi Lusby has been working very hard this month to be a responsible leader to others in his class. He tries to pay attention during class time and has been making a lot of progress in this area! Levi is demonstrating that he is a positive Little Logger Leader in our classroom!

Ms. Hargrave's First Grade: The Little Logger Leader for our class is **Rebecca Seymore**. Rebecca is a caring friend. She is kind and helpful to other students and teachers. Rebecca is always ready with a smile and a positive attitude both in work and play.

Mrs. Amos' Fifth Grade: **Timmy Uttke** is my pick for Little Logger Leader this month. Tim is becoming a student who is more self-monitoring. He is accomplishing this goal by bringing his homework in on time, doing his best work, and taking responsibility when these things don't get done. He is a student working toward independent and focused learning skills.

Ms. Montgomery's Second Grade: **Benjamin Veith** is my Little Logger Leader this month. Ben is very responsible and trustworthy both in the classroom and at recess. I appreciate these qualities about him very much.

Mrs. Curtis' Fifth Grade: My Little Logger Leader for this month is **Cody Grant**. Cody has shown that he is a responsible person. He always has his homework done and turned in on time. Cody also tries to do the right things even when no one is looking. He knows the importance of being honorable and doing the right thing even when others urge him to otherwise.



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DISTINGUISHED YOUNG WOMAN PROGRAM

The 2012 Distinguished Young Woman Program (formerly Potlatch Junior Miss) is set for **Saturday, April 23rd** beginning at **6:00 p.m.** in the Potlatch High School Gymnasium. The theme this year is "**Groovy Nights.**" Admission is \$6.00 with preschool and under getting in for FREE.

Five fantastic young women will be participating this year. They are: **Trina Richardson**, daughter of Jody and Kim Richardson; **Jasmine Castaneda**, daughter of Maria and Kerry Russell; **Alex Quiring**, daughter of Laurie and Mike Quiring and Scott and RaeAnn Fritsche; **Brookelyn May**, daughter of Chanda May and Jerry and Diane May; and **Chelsi Nygaard**, daughter of Dean and Kathi Jo Nygaard.

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April 2011

- 6th Regular meeting night 7:00 P.M. @ 620 Larch Street
- 8th Charter Night 6:30 P.M. with dinner at 7:00 P.M.
@ the Rebecca Hall on Pine Street behind the bank
- 20th Regular meeting night 7:00 P.M. @ 620 Larch Street
- 24th .Easter Egg Hunt by the Elementary School 10:00 AM



It's a good time to become a member of the Potlatch Lions Club. We are planning for Potlatch Days (July 16th). If you have any ideas please talk to a member today. We are always looking for ways to improve the celebration.

Remember to get ready for the pickling contest July 16th.

White Cane Days will be May 6th & 7th
If you have old eyeglasses you don't use anymore
please consider donating them to the Lions Club.

AWANA UPDATE

Awana continues to go strong. Our Sparks teams both brought home 1st place trophies from the Awana Games and the T&T teams finished in 1st and 2nd place. Congratulations to all the teams and thank you for representing Princeton Nazarene Awana. **The carnival is coming up on the 27th** and will be lots of fun for everyone.

Community Easter Celebrations

Maundy-Thursday Service

Thursday April 21st

**6:30 p.m. At the
Grace Lutheran Church**

Good Friday Service

Friday April 22nd

**6:30 p.m. At the
Princeton Church of the Nazarene**

Easter Sunrise Service

Sunday April 24th

**6:30 a.m. At the
Elmore Methodist Church**

Easter Cantata Musical

Sunday April 24th

**6:30 p.m. At the
Princeton Church of the Nazarene**

TREAT YOUR MOM SPECIAL!

FREE Mother's Day Breakfast

May 8th from 9:00-10:30 a.m. at the

Princeton Church of the Nazarene

Potlatch Food Bank

The food bank would like to thank all of our generous donators. The food bank is located in Potlatch City Hall, using the parking lot entrance; the door is on the far right side.

As a reminder, food bank hours are Tuesdays, 10:00-11:00 a.m. and 6:00-8:00 pm. If you have an emergency need for food or have any questions, please call Shannie Million at 875-0792 or Les Syron at 875-0710. We are here to help!

Area Churches (listed alphabetically)

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints

Cedar Street - Potlatch ID 875-0163

Elmore Methodist

Pastor Kathy Kramer - 875-1135; Worship time: 10:00 a.m.

Faith Church

Pastor Lee Nicholson-875-0583;

401 3rd Street, P O Box 208, Onaway ID 83855

Services: Wednesday 6:30 pm - Prayer Meeting

Sunday: 9:30 - Kids Krew; Teen & Adult classes -10:30 - Worship

Family Bible Fellowship

Palouse River Community Center

Princeton ID 83857—Wayne Glassman - 274-2900

Freeze Community Church

Lloyd Knerr - 874-4982 ; Hwy 95 North of Potlatch

Lutheran-Presbyterian

Pastor Larry Veith - 875-0015;

Sunday Combined Services, 10:30 a.m.

601 Oak, Potlatch ID 83855

Worship 10:30 a.m. at Grace Lutheran Church in April.

Princeton Church of the Nazarene

Pastor Robert Lambert-875-1016

P O Box 43, Princeton ID 83857-Worship time: 10:45 a.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church

875-0221, 725 Spruce Street—Worship time: 8:00 a.m.

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CITY WIDE YARD SALE

Time to start getting ready for the city wide yard sale scheduled for June 18, 2011. Gather up your re-gifts, arts and crafts, white elephants (I never have been sure why they are called that) and what-have-you from spring cleaning and gain a few bucks for your pocket book. **Please sign up at city hall to get on the map.**

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Apr 2.....White Pine Flea Market @ Potlatch Shopping Mall -call 208-596-8117
 Apr 6.....Awana—No meeting—Spring Break
 Apr 6.....Lion's Club meeting at 620 Larch St.—7:00 p.m.
 Apr 7..... Princeton Community Ladies meeting held at 1:30 p.m.
 Apr 7.....PRCC meeting at Princeton—7:00 p.m.
 Apr 8.....Kid's Bible Study Regular Meeting
 Apr 8.....Dad's Diner Shrimp & Salmon Dinner
 Apr 13.....Awana—Backwards Night
 Apr 13.....LGIS / Town Hall Meeting, 6:15 p.m. @ Teacher's Lounge
 Apr 14.....Potlatch Post 10300 VFW regular meeting 7:00 p.m.
 Apr 15.....PTO Spud Bingo @ Elem. Gym starts at 5:00 p.m.
 Apr 17.....Jr. Farmers 4-H meeting @ PRCC, 6:30 p.m.
 Apr 19.....American Legion Robinson Post 81 meets at 7:00 p.m.
 Apr 20.....Regular Lion's Club meeting at 620 Larch St.—7:00 p.m.
 Apr 20.....Awana—Show your patriotism night
 Apr 21.....Maundy Thursday
 Apr 22.....Kid's Bible Study Regular Meeting
 Apr 22.....Good Friday
 Apr 23.....PTO Easter refreshments and games—Elem gym-@ 9:30 a.m.
 Apr 24.....Easter Sunday
 Apr 24.....Annual Easter Breakfast—Grace Lutheran Church-7:00-10:00 a.m.
 Apr 27.....Awana—Carnival
 Apr 28.....Potlatch Post 10300 VFW regular meeting 7:00 p.m.
 May 4.....Awana Open House—Everyone is invited for a program and refreshments
 May 8.....2011 Mother's Day—Treat your Mother special! Breakfast at the Princeton Church of the Nazarene—9:00-10:30 a.m.
 Jun 18.....City Wide Yard Sale

Play Bingo on Monday nights starting at 7:00 p.m. at the Palouse River Community Center.

CIA Newsletter contact information:

Bonnie Hash: 208-875-0897
 Leanne Goucher: 208-875-0977
 Milt Moore: 208-875-1416
 Marge Lienhard: 208-875-1429

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 Tuesday 3-7
 Wednesday 2-7
 Thursday 3-7
 Friday 10-2



FREE MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST

Treat your Mom to a FREE Mother's Day Breakfast. May 8th from 9:00--10:30 a.m. At the Princeton Church of the Nazarene.

Update: Potlatch Community Band

The Potlatch Community Band is off to an excellent start! There are 15 to 20 people showing up with their instruments, the balance is pretty good, and the results are rewarding and fun. Any person with an interest in music and a little ability to play an instrument is invited to join. Regular rehearsals are in the Potlatch High School band room at 7:00 p.m. on the first and third Thursdays,

May 5th (Regular 1st Thursday practice); May 19th (Regular 3rd Thursday practice); June 2nd (Conductor's option. Regular 1st Thursday practice); June 9th concert (Venue TBA) (2nd Thursday); For more information, contact Alice Rockhill (875-1578,) karockhill@cpinternet.com or Doug or Shannon Richards (875-8916) dougrichards@yahoo.com.

JUNCTION LUMBER NEWS

Where we never wrestle with a pig; because we both would get dirty and the pig would like it!

Looks like spring is late again this year and most gardens in the area are too spongy for planting, other than rice, but on the other hand, mid-May is the date to look at, so don't get discouraged just yet. I normally don't put mine in until the first part of June, except for peas, onions and cabbage crops. We still have plenty of seeds, seed potatoes and other garden supplies along with not-so-weed-free bulk compost while it lasts. More chickens coming mid-May as they're hard to get this year. Also, I need to use my blue eight foot ladder, so whoever has it...

We are giving out sunflower seeds for the annual sunflower contest. You can pick the seeds up at Northwest Pharmacy or here at Junction Lumber.

Great prizes again this year, sponsored by N.W. Pharmacy, Idaho Rigging and the Junction, so don't miss out. Hope we get some sun one of these days to go with them seeds! Speaking of gardening, did you hear Mark Cummins bought two tractors? One for him and one for his wife, Heather, to help make her garden work easier. What a nice guy! For the rest of the story, talk to Heather.

I'm offering a reward for the prankster(s) that messed with my pickup in front of the Grange early Wednesday, the morning of April 13th. I suspect that it was one of the ruthless early morning coffee thugs and if you have any information on this dastardly deed, please call me at

1-800-PAY-BACK! I thought my rig was falling apart and was hoping that I could make it to the Junction, at five miles an hour with my flashers on, before she blew up. As it turned out, some low life crawled under my pickup and tied a zip tie to the drive shaft so it would beat on the muffler. I can say that I am now the only person in the history of Potlatch or as far as that goes, Latah County that Dorothy Libey or George Strong has ever passed.

Remember Mrs. Cluck? (Who could forget?) Recently she acquired some more baby chicks as she wanted a larger family regardless of what Mr. and Grandpa Cluck thought. Now, the way I understand it, they had a (continued on page 4)

FREE MOTHER'S DAY PLANTS

Dads, get your children down to Northwest Pharmacy on May 7th from 10-2 to put a free plant together for a Mother's Day gift. In conjunction with Junction Lumber. See page 4 for more information..

City Wide Cleanup Day

The City of Potlatch will be having a city wide cleanup day on Saturday, May 14, 2011. If residents have large items that must be removed, they can call the City Shop at 875-0781 and Tom or Scott would be able to come and remove the items for them. They will remove these items the week prior to the cleanup day.

Remember the City Wide Yard Sale is coming up fast on June 18th. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me anytime. Phone: 208-875-0708, email: potlcity@potlatch.com. Thanks. Shelly.

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It is hard to imagine the school year comes to a close in just a few weeks. It has been an outstanding year with so many successes, even in light of the daunting budget cuts. Potlatch is an amazing district and everyone connected to it is 100% committed to the success of all our children. The upcoming levy and trustee election will be on May 17th.

Leading up to the election our next community information forum will be at the Junior-Senior High School on May 5th at 7:00 p.m. Watch our district web page or call the district office if you have any questions or comments.

There are several changes to the school election this year because of changes in Idaho Law. To begin with the election will not be at the High School. Polling places will be at the following locations: Harvard Community Hall, Scenic Six Park, Rebekah Hall, Palouse River Community Center, and Mt. Home Grange. The election will run from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. The trustee position for Zone 4 in Princeton will be on the ballot as well as the supplemental levy which has been set at \$1,200,000. The rate will be \$5.65 per \$1000 of assessed value. This is the lowest rate in Latah County with Kendrick's as high as \$9.36 per \$1000 and Moscow's which has the lowest rate next to ours at \$6.08 per \$1000. Based on the amount of money we actually needed last year this is a net increase of roughly \$236,000. This amount is driven by the fact that the district has lost an average of \$250,000 in state support each year for the last six years. Extensive cuts to programs, personnel, supplies and materials have happened each year. In fact, in

response to this year's loss of financial support, the board recently took action to reduce two certified positions this year in order to reduce the district's reliance on our tax payers.

When board members were asked as to why they set the levy at the amount they did, Board Chairperson Doug Colville (Zone 1) commented on the sacrifices the district has made by saying, "We must remember some of the sacrifices we made in order to operate under these conditions last year. We were able to provide a very good program for the kids last year. We plan to provide the same quality of support for the coming year."

Heidi Davis (Zone 4) and Shirley Ackerman (Zone 5) shared their feelings and appreciation on the responsibilities our patrons are faced with. Mrs. Davis stated "We, as a community, have to step up and give our students the education that they deserve. We can no longer depend on Federal and State funding to the degree that we have in the past." Mrs. Shirley Ackerman, (Zone 5) went on to say, "Our children deserve to receive the best education possible. Our children rely on us to provide these opportunities. Due to the loss of state and federal revenue, these educational opportunities simply would not be possible without the support of our local patrons."

Charlie Johnson (Zone 3) in response to what cuts should occur said, "We need to realize the fact that the federal level support has gone away as well. That we are at bare bones, and even if we cut all extracurricular we would probably still need \$900,000-\$950,000 to oper-

ate."

Mark Moorer (Zone 2) voiced his opinion on increased taxes by saying, "The levy increase is due to the continuing decline in the state appropriation. This decline amounts to a shift in the tax base and places the burden squarely on the local level. Even though this has happened, I prefer paying a tax that I know is spent right in Potlatch and supports our families and our children."

As a parent of two children in this district as well as your superintendent, I recognize the decisions everyone is faced with are difficult and somewhat overwhelming. That said a few things are very clear in my mind: state and federal revenues continue to diminish; our test scores continue to increase to a point that we have some of the highest scores in Latah County; and we have reached a point where any further cuts in our budget will have serious negative consequences on the educational well being of our children.

As I do each month, I want to close by thanking each patron and parent for your continued support and trust in allowing us to work with your child. We recognize, honor and support the role the family has in the education of your child. We are excited about this school year that has been filled with success and accomplishments. We look forward to continue doing "What's Best for Kids".



**By Joseph A. Kren
Superintendent**

Musical Theatre Returns to Potlatch!

Musical Theatre in Potlatch! APOD Productions, who brought you "A Gilbert and Sullivan Revue" in February, will be producing the musical comedy, "The Cotton Patch Gospel" by Tom Key and Harry Chapin. Rehearsals will begin in early May with performances in July. Anyone interested in being involved on stage or back stage, please contact **Rebecca Payne** phone: 208-651-6634 e-mail: apod@cpcinternet.com



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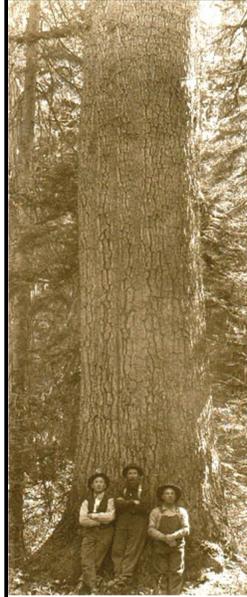
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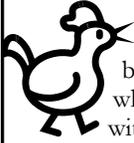
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(continued from page 1) close friend over in the Seattle area that was sick and decided to go over to visit him. Well, Mrs. Cluck didn't know what to do with the kids, so she figured she'd just box the little guys up and take them with, along with the family dog. That's when Mr. Cluck flew the coup. So, as things ended up, Mr. Cluck boarded the big iron bird and flew while Mrs. Cluck planned on driving with the rest of the family. After coming to her senses, she realized that with the pooch's reputation, he would most likely eat a few of the little peepers while she was busy at the rest stops. Then too, she heard that I got wind of it and thought it would be better to hire a babysitter, which she did, to avoid any more attention drawn to her. According to Mr. Cluck, the Mrs. was depressed the whole time they were over there, worrying about the little ones, but snapped out of it when she got back home to her brood. Sorry, Mrs. Cluck, I just couldn't help myself.



The Old Geezer
(formally known as Stud Muffin.)

Northwest Pharmacy and Junction Lumber will have a Mother's Day flower potting party for the kids on May 7th from 10 till 2 at Northwest Pharmacy. We will supply the flowers, potting soil, pots and stickers and it's (((FREE))). Dads, bring the kids down and make Mom a nice potted plant for Mother's Day. For you Mothers out there - we hope it is a good one. **Happy Mother's Day!!!**



FARMER'S MARKET starts May 14th!!!

Anyone interested in a garden pond class? If so, give us a call as we are trying to get one set up.

Around the community: White Cane Days-May 6th-7th; Free potted plants for kids on May 7th; Mother's Day, May 8th; Get a free breakfast at the Princeton Nazarene Church (pg. 1); City Wide Cleanup Day, May 14th (same day as Farmer's Market!; It's going to be a busy weekend with the Cayuse Kids Rodeo and Team Penning on May 14th with Rodeo again on May 15th; Potlatch Days will be just around the corner, get your float ready! July 16th; Check out Hatter Creek Salvage (pg. 7)

for those hard-to-find items; Sewell Gallery, "Palouse of Many Colors: May 28-30, (pg.1); Give Rebecca Payne a call to get involved in a new musical, pg. 2); Memorial Day weekend, remember those who found and died for out freedom.



Quote of the month: God gave you a gift of 86,400 seconds today. Have you used one to say "thank you?" William Arthur Ward

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Potlatch Lions Club

620 Larch Street
Meetings are the 1st & 3rd
Wednesdays of each month

May 2011

4th Regular meeting night 7:00 P.M. @ 620 Larch Street

6th & 7th White Cane Days

18th Regular meeting night 7:00 P.M. @ 620 Larch Street

It's a good time to become a member of the Potlatch Lions Club. We are planning for Potlatch Days (July 16th). If you have any ideas please talk to a member today. We are always looking for ways to improve the celebration.

Remember to get ready for the pickling contest July 16th.

Would you like to have a booth at Potlatch Days? Contact Don Ball 208-892-3369 or don@moscowrealty.com.

White Cane Days will be May 6th & 7th
If you have old eyeglasses you don't use anymore please consider donating them to the Lions Club.

Amos Family Give Thanks After House Fire

The Amos family would like to thank all those who have been so supportive of us since we had a house fire in February. We have been overwhelmed with the amount of generosity and support we have received from the Potlatch community, the surrounding communities, area churches, schools and organizations. We are fortunate to have such great friends, colleagues, and family to depend on during this time.

We would like to thank the schools and communities where we have lived in the past, and students-past and present, that showed us such support. We would like to thank the Potlatch Fire Department with support from Bennett's Lumber Company, the Moscow Fire Department, and the Palouse Fire Department for saving our house. Your efforts were outstanding and your compassion was evident. We would like to thank those who gave us shelter as our house is being worked on and the many offers from people to provide housing during this time. We want to thank all those who provided or offered to provide physical labor, vehicles to move stuff, and places to store our items. We would like to thank the generosity of the White Pine League, District II officials and coaches associations. We would like to thank the organizers and the many who contributed to the fundraising meal and silent auction.

We would like to thank the many people and businesses that contributed to our "fire fund." These funds have been critical in helping us get back on our feet and will help restore our home. Thanks go out to all that donated clothes, food, house items and more to get us by until we get everything settled. We think our children are better dressed now than before the fire. We would like to thank our brother, Mike and the Golis Construction Company, for overseeing the repairs to our house.

We would like to thank the administrators, school board members, teachers, and support staff of the Potlatch School District for their support and understanding during our time of need. We want to thank everyone for the many kind words of encouragement and understanding that we have experienced. We are especially thankful for all the prayers-as we truly believe the Lord watches over us and will provide. (We hope we have included everyone, if we missed you, we apologize).

The Amos Family
Pat, Debbie, James, Mark, David, Mya, Logan, and Brooke.

Help Save the Latah County Arena

Efforts are underway to save the Latah County Fairgrounds arena for use by the 4-H groups, Latah County Mounted Posse, University Rodeo Club, local horse clubs and horse enthusiasts in general. There are some County Commissioners who want the arena removed and turned into a parking area for the county fair. A proposal has been made to the Board of Commissioners proposing that the Latah County Sheriff's Mounted Posse will take over the maintenance and responsibility of the arena. But support is needed to sway the Commissioners.

A Facebook page called "Save the Latah County Arena" has been developed so that you can get all the facts regarding the proposal and what is happening. Your support is needed to keep the arena intact for the county residences to use for horse related activities and other events. Go to the Facebook page now, get the facts and contact your commissioner to stop the destruction of a valuable county asset. **Jennifer Barrett** - jbarrett@latah.id.us, **Tom Stroschein** - tstroschein@latah.id.us, **Dave McGraw** - dmcgraw@latah.id.us. Thank you for your efforts and support.

April Little Logger Leaders

Mrs. Amos' Fourth Grade: Our Little Logger Leader for the month of April is **Timmy Uttke**. Timmy has been working very hard to build good study habits. He is listening and concentrating on his work during class time and bringing in all his homework assignments. His grades are proof of that. Tim is being a great example for others.

Mrs. Pfaff's Second Grade: Cassie Quiring: When the going gets tough, the tough get going, is Cassie's approach to life! She comes to school every day and does her absolute best! I am extremely proud of her positive attitude and determination to work through difficult problems. She is also helpful to classmates who are confused and makes sure those around her are taken care of. It has been a great pleasure to have Cassie in my class!

Mrs. Wilcox's Fourth Grade: I have chosen **Emily Timlin** as the LLL for March. She has excellent attendance and keeps herself healthy so her mind and body are prepared for school activities and assignments. She has a helping attitude toward her classmates. Her cooperative nature is most appreciated by everyone.

Mr. Lam's Sixth Grade: Jordan Sheffler has demonstrated the ability to work hard, help others, and organize himself. Because of this, I would like to make him our class's Little Logger Leader.

Ms. Hargrave's First Grade: Logan Whitney is our Little Logger Leader for April. Logan has worked diligently to achieve his goals. Logan has developed a love of reading as a result of his work. Logan maintains a positive attitude and has a smile for everyone.

Mrs. Dawes' Third Grade: Charlee Beckner is our Little Logger Leader. Charlee is a dedicated, hard-working, and positive classmate and student. She is on-time with homework and is quick to share her thoughts and ideas. Charlee practices win-win and puts first things first. She has a great sense of humor and is a wonderful reader. Charlee is a great leader in the classroom and on the playground. Good job, Charlee!

Mrs. Myott's First Grade: Angel Sparks is a student who works hard to be the best student that she can be. Angel is a person who can interact well with everyone in a positive manner. She is Mrs. Myott's Little Logger Leader for the month of April.

Mrs. Krasselt's Fifth Grade: Everybody needs an example of on time, prepared, positive attitude, assignments completed, good manners, kindness to others, follows rules and does it all with a smile. This is our **Talia McGreal**!! Well done, Talia.

Mrs. Bartosz's Sixth Grade: Our Little Logger Leader is **Blair Anderson**. Blair always comes into the classroom with a positive attitude and a drive to do well. She works hard and gets along with her peers.



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Be Your Best Self Retreat

The 1st Annual Be Your Best Self Retreat was held the weekend of March 18th, 2011. This event was sponsored by Potlatch Junior Miss and Let's Get It Started. 48 sixth through twelfth grade ladies attended this event with leaders/chaperones and several guest speakers and guests. A semi-formal dinner with dinner etiquette training by Mrs. Janie Nirk and fashion show by Maurice's were the highlights of Friday evening with several workshops being held on Saturday along with specialized self defense training by Joselyn Miller with Krav Maga of Moscow. A community service project was completed on Saturday with 15 fleece quilts being made and presented to Gritman Adult Day Health and Princeton Church of the Nazarene.

This event would not have been possible without the following businesses, groups, or individuals: Harvest Foods, Thrivent Financial for Lutherans, Grace Lutheran Church, Princeton Church of the Nazarene, Pastor Bob and Lisa Lambert, Don Renz with Helping Hands Gardens, Gritman Medical Center, Maurice's, Latah County Youth Advocacy Council, Krav Maga of Moscow, Potlatch Recreation District, Gotcha! Photography, Potlatch School District, Alternatives to Violence of the Palouse, Janie Nirk, Sondra Eimers (and Spirit Springs Day Spa), Davalee Minden, Mauri Knott, Suzanne Veith, Kristi Britt-Stearns, and Nancy Smith. Special thanks also to the leaders and chaperones (and some presenters) for this event: Kathi Nygaard, Steffani Anderson, Renee McKinney, Marcia Harrison, Susan Renz, Hannah Knecht, Anna Vogt-Vowels, Kelly Britt, Debi Dockins, Lani Hadaller, Joyce Carpenter, Lori Wallen and Melissa Jarrett.

Participants of the Be Your Best Self Retreat have continued with the mission of the retreat by sparking discussion groups in the school and by taking the initiative in creating more learning opportunities and events for the girls. Check out our Face Book page: Be Your Best Self (BYBS) and be watching for information about upcoming events to continue the momentum of the program. The leaders of this program would like to say thank you to all involved and to all the wonderful young ladies that attended. Each of you is very special and it was a pleasure to work with you. We hope to see each of you again very soon.

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June 7th, 8th & 9th - Riding + Cows Clinic Contact Leona Svan-
cara at 208.669.0762 Pre-entry Deadline: May 20th

June 11th - Horse Show Contact Linda Osborne or Kim Osborne
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June 12th - O-Mok-See Contact Keri LeForce or Jo Minden
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July 30th - Poker Ride Location TBD*

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There will also be a St. Jude Fundraiser Ride on **Sunday July 31st**
Location TBD Contact Mariah Atkinson 208.875.1624

*To be determined



4H YOUTH SUMMER CAMPS AT POTLATCH

4H youth summer camps will be held at Potlatch Elementary School and is open to all elementary youth. Specifically, the camps will be held June 13th -17th, from 8:30-11:30 a.m. Each morning is divided into three, one hour-long sessions. Tentative classes may include: Outdoor Adventure, Crafts, Creative Writing, Handwork, Theatre Arts, Scrapbooking, Gardening, Natural Science, Sports Sampler, and Music.

In addition, 4H Afterschool Programs is seeking volunteers who are interested in helping out at the summer camps, either in leading a workshop session or in general assistance.

Parents interested in signing their children up for the 4H camps should keep an eye out for registration forms available in the Wednesday Weekly sent out by Potlatch Elementary, or call the 4H office at 208-883-2267. Interested volunteers should call this number as well. Thank you, Erik Brynestad, Americorps VISTA volunteer, Latah County 4H Afterschool Programs.

AWANA UPDATE

Another year of Awana has come and gone. Thanks to everyone who helps make it so much fun for all the kids. Be watching the CIA for information on registration for next year.

Remember your child can attend if they will be 3 before September 1st and are potty trained. Don't forget Vacation Bible School June 27th -July 1st. It is going to be lots of fun!!!

We also collect items for our Christmas store year round so if you have something you would like to donate give me a call at 875-0969.

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**We are sometimes closed on Thursday (3rd or 4th one of the month) for "treasure" hunting and we will post the date at our shop as soon as we have it. You can also call ahead to make sure we're there.

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Faith Church

Pastor Lee Nicholson-875-0583;

401 3rd Street, P O Box 208, Onaway ID 83855

Services: Wednesday 6:30 pm - Prayer Meeting

Sunday: 9:30 - Kids Krew; Teen & Adult classes -10:30 - Worship

Family Bible Fellowship

Palouse River Community Center

Princeton ID 83857—Wayne Glassman - 274-2900

Freeze Community Church

Lloyd Knerr - 874-4982 ; Hwy 95 North of Potlatch

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601 Oak, Potlatch ID 83855

Worship 10:30 a.m. at Presbyterian Church in May.

Princeton Church of the Nazarene

Pastor Robert Lambert-875-1016

P O Box 43, Princeton ID 83857-Worship time: 10:45 a.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church

875-0221, 725 Spruce Street—Worship time: 8:00 a.m.

Wild Rose Mennonite Congregation

Verle Koehn - 875-1480; 1350 Chaney Road, Viola, ID 83872

FMBE 4-H GROUP

Well another great year has started for the FMBE 4-H club and already everyone is pitching in to start out the year with the club having some money and working on our community service projects.

We have a Relay for Life team and have been doing fundraisers to raise money for the American Cancer Society. We operated a concessions stand at one U of I football game this year and also at one U of I women's basketball game. At the women's game a few select volunteers helped to sell paper airplanes (cancer fighter jets) that at half time were used for a competition and a chance to win some prizes. My brother Cody told me "It was funny to see some of the people throwing their planes. Most of them landed where they took off and there were ones that hardly made it anywhere." There were three people who made it to the target and won but other than that, not much of anything. We also did this at a Potlatch junior high girls basketball game.

Speaking of food everyone in the club sold pizzas from Little Caesars and made a good profit of \$1200 off the fundraiser. Some of the money raised is going to this year's Sharing Tree and some will go to the Relay for Life team that's going to the U of I this year again. We are also selling luminaria bags in honor of people affected by cancer. And we're donating a silent auction basket to the Relay. Each person on the Relay team hopes to raise \$100 each plus we'll donate money from the club fundraisers. The Relay is on April 29th. Team members will walk on the track all night to raise money and awareness for cancer research. It is one of the bigger fund raisers the University has all year and it raises a lot of money for cancer research and patient services.

You may have also seen us along the highway between the "Y" and the "S" curves one weekend in April. We've adopted that stretch of the highway and will do our best to keep it picked up. Please help us out by not littering! We're kids. We hate to pick stuff up! Again the FMBE 4-H club would like to thank the community for all its support and donations.

Submitted by Casey Grant, FMBE Reporter

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 4.....Awana Open House—Everyone invited for a program and refreshments
May 4.....Lion's Club meeting at 620 Larch St.—7:00 p.m.
May 5..... Princeton Community Ladies meeting held at 1:30 p.m.
May 5.....PRCC meeting at Princeton—7:00 p.m.
May 6.....Kid's Bible Study Regular Meeting
May 7.....Free Mother's Day potting session @ Northwest Pharmacy (pg. 4)
May 7.....White Pine Flea Market @ Potlatch Shopping Mall -call 208-596-8117
May 8.....2011 Mother's Day—Treat your Mother special!
May 8.....Free Breakfast at the Princeton Nazarene Church—9:00-10:30 a.m.
May 11....LGIS / Town Hall Meeting, 6:15 p.m.
May 12....Potlatch Post 10300 VFW regular meeting 7:00 p.m.
May 14....Farmer's Market Starts
May 14....Cayuse Kids Rodeo/Team Penning
May 14....Potlatch City Wide Cleanup Day—Get your junk out!
May 15....Cayuse Kids Rodeo
May 15....Jr. Farmers 4-H meeting @ PRCC, 6:30 p.m.
May 17....American Legion Robinson Post 81 meets at 7:00 p.m.
May 17....Potlatch School District Levy and Trustee Election
May 18....Regular Lion's Club meeting at 620 Larch St.—7:00 p.m.
May 20....Kid's Bible Study Regular Meeting
May 26....Potlatch Post 10300 VFW regular meeting 7:00 p.m.
May 28-30..Andy Sewell Art Gallery "Palouse of Many Colors" (pg. 1)
May 30....Memorial Day—Remember those who died in war
Jun 18.....City Wide Yard Sale
Jul 9.....Speeder Days at Potlatch
Jul 16.....Potlatch Days

Play Bingo on Monday nights starting at 7:00 p.m. at the Palouse River Community Center.

CIA Newsletter contact information:

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JUNCTION LUMBER NEWS

Where we never argue with an idiot; because anyone listening may not be able to tell us apart!

At the time of putting this article together the weather has been decent and the rice patties are beginning to dry up somewhat although a lot of the farmers didn't get to their low spots and those who did got mired down a bit and had to be pulled out. Just ask Norm Johnson.

How about that Logger Baseball Team! Good job guys! Also to the PHS Sophomore class, a big Thank you, for painting the bathrooms in the park across from the Hiawatha. Our community appreciates it and encourages more people, young and old alike, to get involved with making our town a better place to live.

Did you hear about Judy Hansen? The word around Harvard is that she knocked her clothes line down while mowing the lawn. She claims a deer ran out in front of her and she swerved to miss it. Hah!!

Ever see her drive that thing? You would think she was practicing for the Potlatch Days lawn mower races.

How about Jeff Strong? Patty Owens told me that her dad (Onaway Ole) was talking to Lamont Bartlett (Broken Bow) and he overheard Jimmy Magallon say to Ellis Bryngelson that Jeff was getting out of the woods and was going to try his hand at farming. It appears that he bought a hog and a horse and was on his way to the Junction to pick up some chicks. I just figured he was having a mid-life crisis and would eventually snap out of it. As we all know how rumors get twisted around and things ain't always as they appear. The hog turned out to be a Harley Davidson motorcycle and horse was a 1982 red Mustang. Now as for the chicks, I gotta say that I did see one driving that sporty

little red car and she didn't have no feathers. Farmer? I would say not! Second childhood? Most likely!

I stopped by the Harvard Hall the other day to vote and was harassed by the ladies tending the polls, Nancy Deobald and Marilyn Hennigar. They said I had to show my ID before I could vote and they had to study it to make sure I was the person in the picture. I think they were trying to see how old I was but became depressed when they seen that I was younger than either one of them.

In 1946, I remember going to the Pendleton Roundup and about the only thing I do remember was the cowboy clowns, which brings on this next story. Reckon I gotta call this one, "The Three Clowns." The stars of this fiasco are Tim Riebold, Gary Lusby (continued on page 4)

City News

The City of Potlatch now has 30 gallon yard waste PAPER BAGS for sale at City Hall – cost: \$0.50 per bag. Fill these large bags with as much yard waste as you can and then Tom and Scott will remove them from your front yard or alley at no charge. The city will no longer pick up yard waste that isn't in a plastic yard lawn or leaf bag or one of these environmentally friendly bags. If you have large items that you would like removed from your residence, the cost will be \$90.00/per hour for the backhoe, dump truck and maintenance (15 minute minimum charge).

Also, remember that June 18 is the "Community Yard Sale" day starting at 8:00 a.m. and ending at 4:00 p.m. If someone would like to be placed on the Community Yard Sale list, just stop by City Hall or call 875-0708. The deadline to be placed on the Yard Sale Map is June 16 at 5:30 p.m. and the maps can be picked up on Friday, June 17, at City Hall. Thank you.

Shelly M. Hammons, City Clerk/Treasurer,
 City of Potlatch, P.O. Box 525, Potlatch, ID 83855, (208) 875-0708

STILL FIDDLING!!!!

The Scenic 6 Fiddle Show is back! Oldtime fiddlers, including our (young) Potlatch Junior Jammers, will play toe-tappin' traditional tunes Saturday August 6, 2011 at Potlatch High School. Show starts at 6 p.m., food service by the L/P Youth Group starting at 5 p.m.

The showcase of regional talent is sponsored by Potlatch Arts Council. All youth under 18 free! Adults \$5. For information, please contact--Mabel Vogt 875-0947.

Historic Potlatch Depot to be open soon

With summer approaching, the Historic Potlatch Depot will be open on Fridays and Saturdays from 11 am to 3 pm. No definite opening date has been set, but look for the "OPEN" sign soon. Visitors will be able to buy items from the Company Store, operated by the Washington, Idaho & Montana Railway History Preservation Group, owners of the building.

Merchandise includes books, videos, mugs, shirts and historic photographs. Items from the Potlatch Historical Society will be for sale, as well. Additionally, local artist Karen Rohn will be working Fridays and will have her artwork for sale. Owners of the depot invite visitors to stop by to check out historical displays, perhaps grab a cup of coffee, and shop for a great line of gift items.



What's Right at Potlatch School District?

It has been an outstanding year here in the Potlatch School District. A great deal of learning and success has happened all across the district and we need to take time to celebrate these successes and accomplishments that have occurred in the classroom and on the playing field. As part of the celebration, voters approved a \$1,200,000 supplemental levy last month. Leading up to the election, discussions were held at regular board meetings, forums were held, a link on our web page was established, and a newsletter was sent out all explaining what had been done in preparation for setting the levy amount. Once again Potlatch patrons voiced their support of their children and the need for educational opportunities by passing the supplemental levy. Thank you to everyone involved with insuring our students' success.

At the Junior-Senior High School, **Mr. Sherwood** reports the master schedule is progressing for next year. The scheduling team of **Mr. Rauch, Mrs. Johnson**, and he are working through the new School Master programming and hope to have a master schedule to give to teachers and post for the public before the school year is out. He is targeting getting each student their schedule by that time as well. Nationals for Business Professionals of America were held last week in Washington, D.C. Two Potlatch girls, senior **Alyssa Miller** and junior **Chelsi Nygaard** along with advisor **Brad Calkins** represented our community. Other recent events included the annual **prom** on May 7, at the Log Cabin. The junior high ASB sponsored its first **Games & Movie Night** on May 13. The students organized

games in the gym and showed the video "Twisted." Seniors traveled to Lewiston on May 16 for a **Sober Grad** presentation for Region-II schools. There was an outstanding **music concert** enjoyed by all on May 17. The honors convocation was held on May 18. The **Let's Get It Started** group sponsored another community round table and forum on May 24. Finally, **Graduation** will be at 10 a.m. on June 4. The teachers have been working hard making plans for next year with regard to professional development. It will involve the following areas: the senior project, professional evaluation growth plan, Response to Intervention at the secondary level, grade-up/grade-down collaborations, third-year requirements in math and science, and investigating and implementing where necessary Common Core Curriculum components.

Over at the elementary school, the **annual summer reading program** has been scheduled for June 13-24. The first week, June 13-17 will be in conjunction with the 4-H summer program. Our **5th graders**, along with other area 5th grade classes, were invited to attend the Young People's Concert sponsored by the U. of I. School of Music. Professional artists and the world renowned, American Brass Quintet entertained over 300 young people for an hour in the Administration Building Concert Hall. Our children were exposed to a wide variety of musical selections ranging from classical to contemporary. **Dick Pugh** from Portland State University Cascadia Meteorite Laboratory gave a meteorite assembly to our **4th, 5th and 6th graders** along with a display that was available for our **Kindergarten, 1st,**

2nd and 3rd graders. He had a collection of locally collected as well as regionally collected meteorites, and explained the lifecycle of the meteorites, as well as challenged the students to keep an eye out for them. Thanks to **Teresa Myott** who arranged for him to visit our school. Two of **Mrs. Bartosz's** sixth grade students were chosen for their poetry to represent Potlatch Elementary on Sunday April 17th in Moscow at the poet's reception. **Brooklyn Carpenter** and **Mack Judson** represented us well. Finally, **Mrs. Irene Curtis** was chosen by Apangia Learning as the Regional Teacher of the Month for April.

In closing, I want to thank each patron and parent for your continued support and trust in allowing me to serve the children of this district the last five years. It has been an honor and a privilege to have been associated with so many outstanding parents, patrons, students and teachers and staff. I have learned a great deal from this community and will be forever grateful to all I have met and worked with. Keep up the great work that Potlatch is known for. Vincit Qui Laborat!



Joseph A. Kren, Superintendent

June 2011

J. Kren added at the end of his email:

(Well, this will be my last article before I head up to St. Maries. Thank you for allowing me this platform and the opportunity to share with our patrons the great work that is happening in our district. I wish you all the best).

I would like to thank Joseph A. Kren for doing a fantastic job at our schools. He will be missed.

Jack and Donna Hash 50th Wedding Anniversary Invitation

We would like to invite you to help Jack and Donna celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary, on Saturday, June 18 from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Pines R.V. Park, 4510 Highway 6, Harvard, Idaho.

A potluck dinner will start at 5:00 p.m. with the family providing ham, rolls, and dessert. The party is being hosted by their children, Jacquie and Dan Moore of St. Maries and Jeff and Bonnie Hash of Princeton. No gifts, please.

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and John May. Now when you talk to them they all have different accounts of what really happened but anyone that knows them realize why they all wear high boots. This is the way I pieced it together. Tim had a bull and a young steer he was having Gary butcher for him. Don't quite know where John came in, but was there when they loaded that steer up and took it to Gary's place. So far, so good, but when they got back to Tim's to get the bull, the bovine was, as Tim called it, all fuzzed up and wanted no part of this roundup and decided to partake to parts unknown. When he cleared that first fence, Tim turned his cow dogs loose and the chase was on. (((((((Yahoooooooo)))))). So here's the picture: one red-eyed wild bull heading east, five dogs behind the bull, Tim on his four-wheeler behind the dogs, with Gary and John keeping up the best they could in the pickup towing the horse trailer.

After the first mile or so, and a fence or two, they realized they had a one cow stampee in the works and that bull had his sights set on Gold Hill and it was about to cross

Highway 95 by the sub-station. The woods were near so they knew they had to do something or they'd never see that wild bugger again. That's when the trail boss (Tim) gave Gary the order to shoot for crossing that busy highway was the makings of a disaster, not that they didn't already have one considering the three yay-who's involved. The way I understand it, Gary touched one off, missed and blamed it on John's screwed up rifle and the whole mess crossed anyway, regardless of the collision between the bull and the four-wheeler with Tim on it. By this time, patience was running thin and friendships were on the wane. With all the yelling and carrying on Gary didn't know if he should shoot the bull (which he is good at in another way) or Tim. Don't reckon Tim had much to worry about considering Gary's shooting abilities. As things turned out - after two hours, a few miles and five broken fences - they got the job done; I'm sure John Wayne would have done it differently. After all the turmoil, the only one ornery enough to eat that critter was Gene Griffin, which is where it ended up. As good a

cook his wife Jane is and no disrespect toward her, I wouldn't go there for steak dinner if invited.

The Old Geezer (formally known as Stud Muffin).

Around the community: June 4th, get yourself to the Flea Market!; June 18th the whole town will be busy looking at other people's stuff with the city wide yard sale, come by and check out the deals!; check out Harebrained & Happy's spring cleaning sale (pg. 9); Lots of good places to dine in the area—even some Dad's Day sales!; G-Man is getting on with business (pg.6); Jack & Donna are celebrating a major milestone, congratulations! (pg. 2); Make sure you read all the pages so you don't miss anything! Have a great month!

Quote: "As for you, go your way till the end. You will rest, and then at the end of the days, you will rise to receive your allotted inheritance." Daniel 12:13 NIV

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WANT TO GET MORE INVOLVED IN YOUR COMMUNITY?

The **Scenic Six Community Development Council** would like to work towards creating an organization similar to the local Chambers of Commerce - creating projects to involve our youth and area tours to bring visitors to our communities. Membership in the SSCDC is open to **all businesses and individuals** interested in improving our communities of **Potlatch, Princeton, Harvard and Onaway.**

Past projects of the SSCDC include community directories and flower planters in the City of Potlatch. The **Potlatch Historical Society** and the **Potlatch Clothing Bank** are under the SSCDC non-profit umbrella. The **CIA newsletter** began through a grant sponsored by this organization as have many other projects. **Anyone interested in joining this group is encouraged**

Continued in next column: =>

Thank You from the Janice Allen Family

A heartfelt Thank You to all of Janice's friends and family for all the prayers, visits, food, cards, flowers and friendship that's a blessing to all of us. Your kindness and caring mean so much. Thanks to all for the work, love and food that went into the great meal served at her memorial. Thank you from Jim Allen, Brady and Liz, Don and Debbie, Craig and Tessie and all of the grandchildren. Also, from Joyce, Jeannie, Joanne, Judy and all of Janice's extended family - her memories will be with us forever.

When Did Father's Day Start?

The first observance of **Father's Day** is believed to have been held **July 5 1908** at the Central United Methodist Church in Fairmont, West Virginia. In **1909**, Mrs. John B. Dodd of Washington, arranged a tribute for her father on **June 19, 1910**. She was the first to suggest an official Father's Day observance. A **bill was introduced in 1913** to make it an **official holiday** but it wasn't made a **permanent holiday until 1976** by **President Nixon.**



to attend meetings held on the third Tuesday of the month at City Hall Council Chambers at 7:00 a.m. For more information call any of these members: Dave Cada, Kenny Cada, Don Ball, Dale Rose, Karen Rohn, Joe Kren, Carol Haddock.



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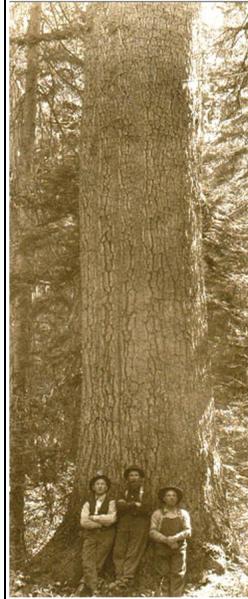
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MAY LITTLE LOGGER LEADERS

Mrs. Hargrave's First Grade: **Kyrus Condon** is the Little Logger Leader for Miss Hargrave's class. Kyrus works hard and completes all of his work on time. He is responsible and takes work seriously. Kyrus is a leader and is always helpful. He has helped new students and any friend who needs a helping hand.

Mrs. Myott's First Grade: **Randon Lusby** is Mrs. Myott's Little Logger Leader for May. Randon has taken his learning very seriously this year. He is a good listener and has worked hard to be the best first grader that he can be. Randon is friendly to everyone.

Mrs. Pfaff's Second Grade: **Karson Ireland:** Karson has worked hard this year to be a respectful student and friend. He needs few reminders to raise his hand and lets others have turns. I am mostly impressed with the conscious effort Karson has put into acting respectful to his peers and all the adults in the building. I am proud of your hard work, Karson, keep it up!

Mrs. Dawes Third Grade: **Steffen Rilley** is our Little Logger Leader. Steffen is responsible and takes his school work and homework seriously, by putting the work first. Steffen loves to read!!! He works to create win-win situations with his classmates and friends. Steffen is a wonderful leader and an excellent student!

Mrs. Spellman's Third Grade: **Tycee Miller** is our Little Logger Leader this month. Tycee shows us that she is a leader by showing other people that she makes responsible choices. She chooses to get along with her peers, chooses to listen, and chooses good behaviors. Thanks Tycee.

Mrs. Amos' Fourth Grade: **Liann Kren** is our Little Logger Leader for this month. She is very cheery and is a helper. She is a worker that doesn't give up when tasks get difficult. We are going to miss Liann next year very much.

Mrs. Wilcox's Fourth Grade: LLL for May from 4W is **Chelsie Wilcoxson**. She has been a cheerful, eager student who tries hard to be an asset to our fourth grade. She is aware and assists whenever possible to help things run smoothly. She stays healthy and mentally alert for each day at school. Great job, Chelsie!

Mrs. Curtis' Fifth Grade: My Little Logger's **Kyra Hunter**. These last few weeks Kyra has done a really good job of staying on top of things. She has made good choices in getting her work done in a timely fashion and this is helping her be more successful in class. Kyra often works behind the scenes. She knows she can help the group by not only being the secretary but by adding her own ideas to add to the project, making everyone successful.

Mrs. Krasselt's Fifth Grade: Krasselt Grade 5: **Damen Bunney** is our last Little Logger Leader for the 2010-2011 school year. When the stakes were high and with one final chance to show what he was capable of, Damen came through with flying colors. He was a great example of giving your best to be the best. Well done, Damen.

Mr. Lam's Sixth Grade: **Roger Conrad** is my candidate. He has progressed well in all academic areas and has improved personal behavior both in the classroom and outside. He has shown tremendous gains as the year has progressed.

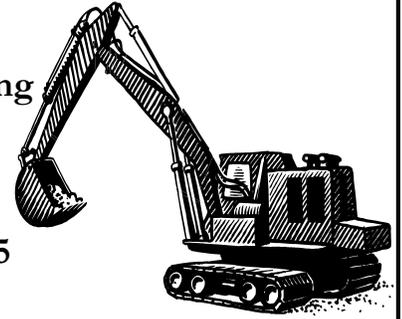
Mrs. Bartosz's Sixth Grade: Our Little Logger Leader is **Amber Ornelas**. Amber has a lot of drive and determination to do well. She works hard to understand new concepts. Amber has great behavior and a super attitude.



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Potlatch Lions Club

620 Larch Street

Meetings are the 1st & 3rd Wednesdays of each month

June 2011

1st Regular meeting night 7:00 P.M. @ 620 Larch Street
If you want to get something on the poster for Potlatch Days let us know

15th Regular meeting night 7:00 P.M. @ 620 Larch Street

It's a good time to become a member of the Potlatch Lions Club. We are planning for Potlatch Days (July 16th). If you have any ideas please talk to a member today. We are always looking for ways to improve the celebration.

Remember to get ready for the pickling contest July 16th.

Would you like to have a booth at Potlatch Days? Contact Don Ball 208-892-3369 or don@moscowrealty.com.

If you have old eyeglasses you don't use anymore please consider donating them to the Lions Club.

2011 Summer Reading Program

“One World, Many Stories” is the theme for the 2011 Summer Reading Program at the Potlatch Library. Sign-up begins June 3rd at the library. This is a free program for kids ages 0-18. Decide if you want to read 10 books, 10 hours or 1000 pages during the months of June, July and August. There are programs each Friday at 11:00 for kids of all ages in June and July. Below is the tentative schedule for the programs. If you finish your contract you will get a free paperback book and other goodies. There will also be a drawing for some nice prizes for kids that finish their contract. This is a great way to keep reading skills progressing through the summer! Come and join in the fun at the Potlatch Library! Call 875-1036 during library hours for more information.

- June 10: “Riley’s Rambling’s”-Travel abroad with the Riley Family**
- June 17: 4-H Camp for K-6th grades at the elementary school -Story time for pre-schoolers at the library**
- June 24: Many stories from one world with Batsy**
- July 1: No Program. Enjoy the holiday!**
- July 8: Palouse Discovery Science Center**
- July 15: “Kenya: Beyond the Lion King” with Mary Penticoff**
- July 22: WSU International students**
- July 29: Final Party TBA**

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Speeders Pay Annual Visit to Potlatch

Presale tickets now available at
US Bank in Potlatch

Family fun tops the list as the “speeders” (railcars) roll into town Saturday, July 9 for their annual fundraiser at the Potlatch Depot. For eight years, the railcar operators have returned to Potlatch to volunteer their time to offer rides to Princeton, Kennedy Ford and Palouse, with all proceeds benefiting the restoration of the historic WIM Railway depot.

Rides to Princeton will be at 9 am, 11 am, 1:15 pm and 3:15 pm; rides to Kennedy Ford will be at 10 am, noon, and 2:15 pm. Presale tickets, which guarantee time and destination, are \$15 for adults and \$10 for ages 12 and under. Tickets purchased the day of the event, and offered on a first-come, first-served basis, are \$10 for adults and \$5 for 12 and under.

A longer ride to Palouse will be offered at 3:15, with pre-sale reserved tickets priced at \$45 for adults and \$25 for 12 and under. Tickets purchased the day of the event are \$40, with 12 and under at \$20. For more information on the pre-sale tickets, call US Bank at (208) 875-1351.

In addition to speeder rides, the day will offer music on the Bennett Boxcar stage, food and refreshments for sale, historical exhibits, and railroad-themed products, art and gifts. The family friendly event is produced each year by the Washington, Idaho & Montana Railway History Preservation Group (WIM HPG), owner of the depot.



“Small Steps=Big Changes” encourages Idahoans to make small, sustained changes in activity and eating habits for improved health.



“30/60 Everyday” reminds us that adults need 30 minutes and children 60 minutes of moderate to vigorous activity.



“Enjoy Nutrient Rich Foods” encourages consumption of fruits and vegetables, lean meats, fish and eggs, whole grains, beans and nuts for better health.



“Energy In/ Energy Out” describes the concept of energy balance, the key to weight control.

FREE EXERCISE CLASSES FOR SENIORS CONTINUE

Fit and Fall Proof™ (FREE exercise classes for seniors) meets every Tuesday and Friday at Princeton Church of the Nazarene from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m.

Fit and Fall Proof™ grew out of the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare's determination to reduce the number of crippling falls among Idaho's older residents. In 2004, Health and Welfare asked two college professors to design a program. Their creation, Fit and Fall Proof™, provides seniors with moderate-intensity exercises taught by a fit older adult in a group setting that offers new social contacts.

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FLAG DAY CELEBRATED AROUND THE NATION

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As the legend goes, it was George Washington and two other members of the Continental Congress who asked Betsy Ross to sew the first American flag sometime in the late spring of 1776. The young widow was only in her early 20's when she completed the first flag with thirteen stars arranged in a circle.

A year later, the Continental Congress officially adopted the design for the national flag, and henceforward the Stars and Stripes symbolized the U.S. around the world.

The first "official" Flag Day was celebrated in 1877 - the flag's centennial. In 1916, a grass roots movement resulted in President Woodrow Wilson issuing a proclamation that called for a nationwide observance of Flag Day on June 14. Although still not an official holiday, Flag Day was made a permanent observance in America in 1949 by Congress who resolved "That the 14th day of June of each year is hereby designated as Flag Day."

**http://www.chiff.com/home_life/holiday/flag-day.htm

A LITTLE HISTORY FOR YOU

If you had been born in this area in 1860, you would have called Nez Perce County, Washington Territory your home. President Lincoln created Idaho Territory which included Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, and parts of North and South Dakota and Nebraska in 1863 and existed until 1890. Lincoln did this while fighting the Civil War. The State of Idaho could have been called Lincoln!



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PandaMania Community Vacation Bible School

Because of his strength I will watch for You, for God is my stronghold. My God in His loving-kindness will meet me. Psalm 59:9-10a

PandaMania Community Vacation Bible School is July 11th thru the 15th from 5:15pm to 8:00pm at Community Presbyterian Church.

A wild celebration of God's unconditional love! At PandaMania Community VBS, kids will discover that God has a purpose and a plan for everyone and that he crafted each of us with his own loving hands. Its about preparing each child's heart to receive the gospel message in an unforgettable way. It's about enabling kids to share God's love with others.



What kids and others will learn that God made them, God listen to us, God watches over us, He loves us no matter what

and that He gives good gifts.

We are still looking for leaders for Party Time Sing & Play and for Chadder's Movie Mania Adventure. If you are interested in helping in any way please contact Susan Renz at 208-875-1374. Our next planning meeting is June 7th at 7pm at Grace Lutheran Church.

AWANA UPDATE

Awana has come and gone for another year. Thanks to everyone who helps make it so much fun for all the kids. Be watching the CIA for information on registration for next year.



Don't forget Vacation Bible School June 27th -July 1st. See below for more information. It is going to be lots of fun!!! We also collect items for our Christmas store year round so if you have something you would like to donate give me a call at 875-0969.

SONSURF AT NAZARENE VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Vacation Bible School will be held at the Princeton Church of the Nazarene from June 27th—July 1st. Registration will start at 9:00 a.m. and the program will run from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

This year the program is called "SonSurf Beach Blast" and will be fun for all involved. Any questions contact the church at 875-1016 or Pastor Bob at 596-3780.



Area Churches (listed alphabetically)

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints

Cedar Street - Potlatch ID 875-0163

Elmore Methodist

Pastor Kathy Kramer - 875-1135; Worship time: 10:00 a.m.

Faith Church

Pastor Lee Nicholson-875-0583;
401 3rd Street, P O Box 208, Onaway ID 83855
Services: Wednesday 6:30 pm - Prayer Meeting
Sunday: 9:30 - Kids Krew; Teen & Adult classes -10:30 - Worship

Family Bible Fellowship

Palouse River Community Center
Princeton ID 83857—Wayne Glassman - 274-2900

Freeze Community Church

Lloyd Knerr - 874-4982 ; Hwy 95 North of Potlatch

Lutheran-Presbyterian

Pastor Larry Veith - 875-0015;
Sunday Combined Services, 10:30 a.m.
601 Oak, Potlatch ID 83855

Summer Worship Schedule starts at Lutheran Presbyterian Parish June 5th 9am worship Will meet at Grace Lutheran church until July 10th. Remember to join us at the Community worship service at Scenic 6 Park on July 19th at 9am. Then July 26th at Community Presbyterian Church same time 9:00am Everyone Welcome

Princeton Church of the Nazarene

Pastor Robert Lambert-875-1016
P O Box 43, Princeton ID 83857-Worship time: 10:45 a.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church

875-0221, 725 Spruce Street—Worship time: 8:00 a.m.

Wild Rose Mennonite Congregation

Verle Koehn - 875-1480; 1350 Chaney Road, Viola, ID 83872

HAREBRAINED & HAPPY YARD SALE!

Harebrained & Happy is joining in the city-wide yard sale fun! Spring-cleaning is officially done and the store will have lots of beautiful items at fantastic sale prices! Great deals on felt purses, select furniture, decorations, signs and much more!

Also come and check out the other yard sale items that will be displayed on the sidewalk out front. So while you are out making the rounds through Potlatch, be sure to stop by to check out our deals or just grab a cool drink for the road!

June 18th at Harebrained & Happy
575 Pine Street, Potlatch, ID
8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Jun 1.....Lion's Club meeting at 620 Larch St.—7:00 p.m.
Jun 2..... Princeton Community Ladies meeting held at 1:30 p.m.
Jun 2.....PRCC meeting at Princeton—7:00 p.m.
Jun 3.....Kid's Bible Study Regular Meeting
Jun 4.....White Pine Flea Market @ Potlatch Shopping Mall -call 208-596-8117
Jun 7,8,9.Riding + Cows Clinic at CK arena info Leona Svancara 208.669.0762
Jun 9.....Potlatch Post 10300 VFW regular meeting 7:00 p.m.
Jun 11....CK Horse Show info Linda or Kim Osborne 208.875.0690 or 208.875.0852
Jun 12....CK Omoksee info Keri Leforce or Jo Minden 208.875.2101 or 208.875.2108
Jun 13-17. 4H Summer Youth Camps from 8:30-11:30 a.m. call 208-883-2267
Jun 14....Flag Day—Display your flag! Show that you are patriotic.
Jun 15.....Regular Lion's Club meeting at 620 Larch St.—7:00 p.m.
Jun 17.....Kid's Bible Study Regular Meeting
Jun 18.....White Pine Flea Market @ Potlatch Shopping Mall -call 208-596-8117
Jun 18.....City Wide Yard Sale
Jun 18,19.Silver Spurs Omoksee & Horse Show at SS arena
Jun 19....Father's Day—Enjoy your father while you can!
Jun 19....Jr. Farmers 4-H meeting in the PRCC at 6:30 p.m.
Jun 21....American Legion Robinson Post 81 meets at 7:00 p.m.
Jun 23....Potlatch Post 10300 VFW regular meeting 7:00 p.m.
Jul 9.....Speeder Days at Potlatch
Jul 16.....Potlatch Days



Save fuel—shop and eat local!

Play Bingo on Monday nights starting at 7:00 p.m. at the Palouse River Community Center.

CIA Newsletter contact information:

Bonnie Hash: 208-875-0897

Leanne Goucher: 208-875-0977

Milt Moore: 208-875-1416

Marge Lienhard: 208-875-1429

Advertising Information

Bus card ad: \$20.00

1/4 page ad: \$35.00

1/2 page ad: \$65.00

Full page ad: \$130.00

Mail advertising information and check by the 20th of the month

CIA, PO Box 44, Princeton, ID 83857

Or e-mail to:

potlatchcia@potlatch.com
by the 20th of the month.

Alcoholics Anonymous meet every Thursday, 7:00 p.m. at the Grace Lutheran Church.

COMMUNITY INFORMATION AGENCY

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