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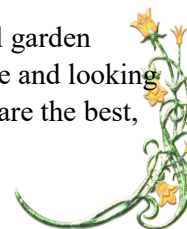
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Thank you to all whom Eric Kurtz knew

I am so grateful for the community support in the last months of Eric's life. Thank you to the first-rate ambulance service and EMTs for their timely attention in the numerous emergencies. The cards and verbal expressions of sympathy were very much appreciated. Thank you to all who attended the potluck on May 10. The willingness to share bits and pieces of experiences and the great stories were a wonderful send-off. Thank you to Tia, who made scheduling super easy. Thank you to Barb, Patti, and Heather for their expertise in setting up, and to Dan, Amber, Ali, Lee, Leah, Matt, and anyone I missed who most efficiently tidied up. Special thanks to the nieces, Kim and Sarah, for making the long trip and helping where it was most needed and wanted.

I just know that Eric is planning his eternal garden while throwing his fishing line into the lake and looking down at the goings-on in aisle #7. You all are the best, and I truly, truly thank you!

Jo Kurtz



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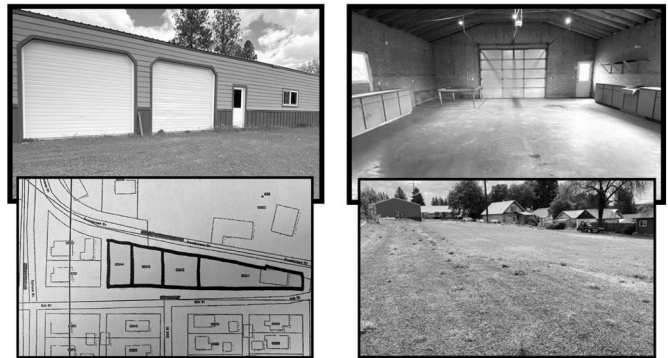
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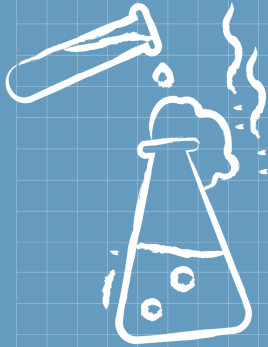
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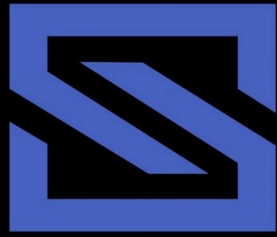


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Our monthly lectures are hosted at Potlatch Veterinary Clinic, 240 6th Street. Lectures are free; refreshments are provided, and all attendees are entered into a free raffle. June's lecture will be on Tuesday, June 24, at 6 p.m. at Potlatch Veterinary Clinic.

Please RSVP by calling 208-875-4838 or emailing office@potlatchvetclinic.com. We hope you will learn with us!

Let's Recycle Appliances

Instead of taking your appliances to the landfill, you may now bring them to 3721 Highway 6, just east of Princeton, Idaho, at Cone Family Properties, LLC, formerly the old Edwards/ Ownbey mill site. They have set up an area to drop off items near a recycling dumpster. Items you may recycle include washers, dryers, ranges, microwaves, old cars, etc. Please NO freezers or refrigerators, due to coolant restrictions. Depending on location, item pick-up may be available. Questions: Delfred Cone 208-582-8680

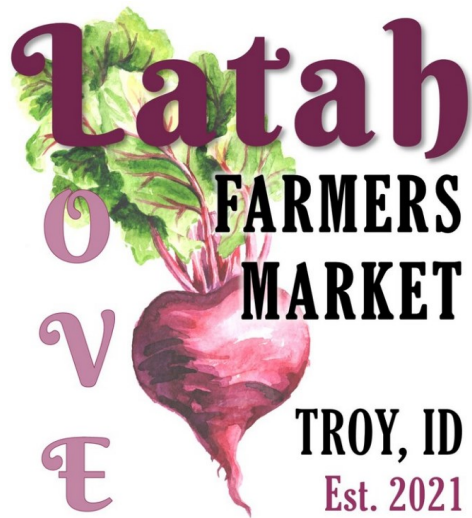
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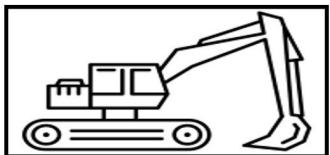

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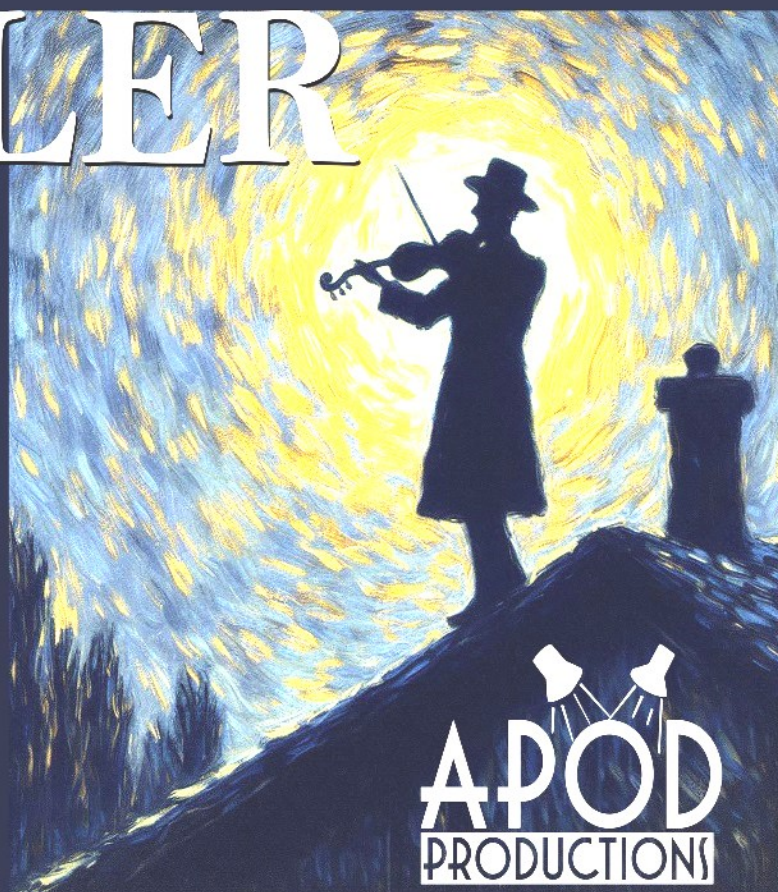
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We also have The Gamebird Foundation Inc. Newsletter that we email. To be added to TGBF newsletter, please let us know via our email below.

The Gamebird Foundation is a 501c3 nonprofit corporation, which means you can claim your donation as a tax deduction. Becoming a member of TGBF is only \$25/year for the entire family and has such positive value for our community. You also must be a member in order to raise chicks. To learn more about us visit us at thegamebirdfoundation.org or come join us at our next meeting at the Farm Bureau building, 220 Farm Road in Moscow at 6 p.m. on June 5. See you all there!

Tammi Johnson

Board Member & Secretary, TGBF
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YOU'RE INVITED!

Jake's Wall Raising

Saturday, June 28, 1:00 pm
409 Powers Ave, Moscow

Come celebrate the start of Jake's home! There will be a brief ceremony and blessing, followed by the wall raising.

Then join us for our 10th annual volunteer picnic at PCEI Nature Center from 2-4 PM. Scan the QR code to RSVP to the picnic and sign up to bring your best dish to share.

10th Annual Volunteer Picnic

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F.M.B.E. 4-H

Sophia L. called the F.M.B.E. 4-H meeting to order at 6:43 p.m. on Wednesday, May 14, 2025. The American Flag Salute was led by Timberlee F., and the 4-H Pledge was led by Natalie L. Lucy M. D. read the minutes from the last meeting. John C. moved to approve the minutes, and Brooklyn R. seconded the motion. Clara O. read the Treasurer's report, and John C. moved to approve, with Erin G. seconding it.

Natalie L. did an amazing job demonstrating her horse halter presentation!

Leader Reports: Joe S. reported that there is another electricity and swine meeting on June 1 at 6 p.m.

Old Business: We had highway cleanup reports, and our final 4-H t-shirt design was approved. Order forms will be sent out if you want to buy a T-shirt. Try to have the orders in by next meeting. There is a pig weigh-in on the 28th and 29th, as well as a sheep meeting on Monday, the 19th.

New Business: Erin G. talked about selling her 4-H colored bracelets. Joe S. demonstrated The Quiz Machine, which is a machine he built when he was in 4-H. It works with electrical and mechanical parts. The

Ownbey family did a group demonstration together, and Colton M. did one as well.

Next Month's Demonstrations: Charlotte, Collin, Raylah, Kaulder, Rhylynn, Mark, and Timberlee.

Amelia C. moved to adjourn the meeting, and Timberlee F. seconded. The next meeting is on Wednesday, June 11, 2025.

Alice Keefe, 2025 F.M.B.E. Reporter

Potlatch Community Days 2025

The Potlatch Lions Club is interested in hearing from you if you would like to be a non-food or food vendor for this year's event. In addition, this year's dirt event is open to anyone over 18 with motorized 2 and 4 wheels. The 2-wheel event is a challenging EnduroCross course, which will be run afterwards with two classes of side-by-sides consisting of performance and weekend warrior classes. For further information, please call 208-407-5773 or e-mail:

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Cayuse Kids—busy events season ahead

Our May Horsemanship Clinic and Limesand Clinic afforded instruction on horsemanship, cow work, cutting cattle, barrel racing points, trail riding techniques, and more. Riders of all ages participated. The clinics were very informative with the clinicians sharing their years of equine knowledge.

In June, Cayuse Kids will host two weekends of O-MOK-SEE competition. We invite you all to join in the fun! Watch or compete. Enjoy a meal from our cook shack, and see our improvements. Watch our new Black Widow Arena Groomer in action. Visit with friends, make new friends, and cheer on our competitors.

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Our Schools



I want to start out this month's article by saying "Thank You" for your support of our schools.

The end of May and the beginning of June are the time for many celebrations.

Congratulations to the Potlatch Senior Class of 2025! On Saturday, May 31, our seniors will make their way to the graduation ceremony with a parade beginning at the elementary school. Graduation will begin at 10 a.m. in the Potlatch Jr/Sr High School gym.

Congratulations to the softball, baseball, and track teams! Every team brought home hardware from State competitions. The Lady Logger Softball team brought home the State Championship after they defeated Genesee. Kathryn Burnette brought home the Championship title in Shotput with a 47-foot 4 3/4-inch throw. Logger Baseball brought home the second place State trophy after a well-fought battle with Kendrick. Kathryn Burnette also placed sixth in Discus. Ben Johnson placed sixth in the 100-meter race. Cadance Carlson placed

fourth in the high jump, clearing 5-feet 2-inches and fifth in the 100-meter hurdles! Congratulations to all our spring athletes and many thanks to their coaches: Softball - Dean Butterfield, Charlie Lidean, and Kayla Krasselt; Baseball - Trent Baysinger, Jesse Anderson, and Phil Burkgart; and Track - Heidi Carpenter, Alisa LaPrath, Alan Carlson, and Deana Burnette!

This time of year can be bittersweet as we say goodbye to students, and sometimes to colleagues. This year, we are saying goodbye to four longtime Potlatch educators who have decided to start a new adventure in retirement. Our four retirees have a combined 98 years of service in education. The first retiree is Sherry Pollock, who served students and staff at Potlatch Elementary for 11 years as the front office secretary. Next is Irene Curtis, who spent 17 years teaching and supporting Special Ed students at Potlatch Jr/Sr High School. Katie Ball has chosen to retire after 35 years as a PE teacher, spending the last seven of those years teaching K-12 PE, Dual-Credit Psychology, Health, and Athletic Director in Potlatch. Last, but definitely not least, is Sharon Montgomery. Sharon spent all 35 years teaching and serving students at

Potlatch Elementary, most of those years in second grade. All four of these ladies will be missed, but their impact will live on. Thank you, Sherry, Irene, Katie, and Sharon, for your many years of dedicated service to education.

June is School Board Appreciation Month! I want to take a moment and give a shout-out to our Board members, Michael Montgomery, Jessica Scholfield, Mike Gilmore, Ryan Beckner, and Tricia Fiscus. I want to thank them for asking great questions, giving thoughtful suggestions, and supporting the improvement efforts of the district. If you see them out and about, be sure to thank them for their time and effort serving our schools.

The June Coffee with the Superintendent is scheduled for Monday, June 2, at 8 a.m. at the Savory Bee in "The Hive." Board member Jessica Schofield will be joining me. We look forward to visiting with you there.

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#PSD285 Go Loggers!



Area Churches (listed alphabetically)

Bible Believers Church of the Palouse at Viola Community Center, 1007 Rothfork Rd., Viola, ID 83872
Sundays 10:45 a.m. www.bbcpalouse.com

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints at 4 Cedar St. Potlatch, ID 83855. 509-397-2116. Sunday worship 10 a.m.
Sunday phone: 208-875-0009

Elmore United Methodist at 6197 Hwy 95, Potlatch, ID 83855.
www.elmorechurch.org Wednesday Prayer Meeting, 6 p.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m. Pastor Daniel Willms 208-691-0884 elmorepastor@outlook.com

Faith Church at 401 3rd St, PO Box 208, Onaway, ID 83855.
Pastor Lee Nicholson 208-596-0462 Women's Bible study, 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday at Nicholson's. Men's Bible study, 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday at the church. Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Kids, Teen & Adult classes. Worship 10:30 a.m.
www.faithchurchonaway.org

Family Bible Fellowship at Palouse River Community Center, Princeton, ID 83857. Nathan Glassman 208-596-9080.
Sunday 10:30 a.m.

Freeze Community Church at 617 W. Freeze Rd, Potlatch, ID 83855. Sunday Worship: 11 a.m.
208-669-0806, 208-875-1272, 208-669-0069

Grace Community Church, at 305 4th St, Potlatch, ID 83855.
208-875-0015. Sunday School 9 a.m., Worship 10 a.m.

Princeton Church of the Nazarene at 1008 Gold Hill Rd. Princeton, ID 83857. Pastor Robert Lambert. 208-596-3780.
Sunday School for all ages at 9:30 a.m. Worship at 10:45 a.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church at 725 Spruce St. Potlatch, ID 83855. 208-882-4613. Mass Sunday 8 a.m.

Wild Rose Mennonite Congregation at 1350 Chaney Rd., Viola, ID 83872. Verle Koehn 208-875-1480

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Sundays 10:45 a.m.

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Sunday School (All Ages): 9:30 AM
Worship: 10:30 AM

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www.FaithChurchOnaway.org



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*Come help us partner
with God to reach our
community with the
love of Jesus Christ!*



Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Meet & Greet 10:30 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.
(nursery available)

Wednesday Worship Team practice
and corporate prayer 6:30 p.m.

208-596-3780 Pastor Bob Lambert

208-596-3072 Lisa Lambert

www.princetonidahonaz.com

Check our Facebook page
For updates and events.

Calendar of Events

- June 1 Cayuse Kids Saddle Club meets at 9 a.m. in the CK clubhouse, Princeton, ID
- June 2 Coffee with the Superintendent meets 8a.m. at the Savory Bee in "The Hive", Potlatch, ID *See pg. 16*
- June 3 Red Cross Blood Drive, at the VCC in Viola, ID from 1-6 p.m. Schedule appt at <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/donation-time>
VFW Post 10300/American Legion meets 7 p.m. at the Log Cabin, Potlatch, ID
- June 4 Farmers Market opens for the season on Wednesdays from 4-7 p.m. near the WI&M Depot, Potlatch, ID *See pg. 6*
Lions Club meets at 7 p.m., 735 Pine St., Potlatch, ID
Palouse River Community Center meets at 7 p.m. in the PRCC, Princeton, ID
- June 5 Sign-up deadline to be listed on community-wide yard sale map. *See pg. 1*
Princeton Community Ladies Club meets at 1:30 p.m. at the Clubhouse, Princeton, ID
The Gamebird Foundation meets at 6 p.m. in the Farm Bureau board room, Moscow, ID *See pg. 12*
- June 6 First concert of Lions Summer Concerts in the Park Series, 6-8 p.m. in Lions Club Park, Potlatch, ID *See pg. 9*
- June 7 Kuhl Napa Auto Parts, Customer Appreciation Day, BBQ 11 a.m.-2 p.m. *See pg. 13*
Latah Farmers Market opens for the season on Saturdays from 4:30-7:30 p.m., Troy, ID *See pg. 7*
- June 9 Mt Home Grange meets at 6:30 p.m., Potlatch, ID
Potlatch City Council meets at 7 p.m. in City Hall, Potlatch, ID
- June 10 Princeton-Hampton Sewer District meets at 6 p.m. in the Princeton Ladies Clubhouse, Princeton, ID
- June 11 Harvard Ladies Aid meets at Harvard Hall
F.M.B.E. 4-H meets in the Palouse River Community Center, Princeton, ID
Potlatch School Board of Trustees meets at 6 p.m. in the Potlatch Jr./Sr. High School, Potlatch, ID
Viola Community & Board meets at 5-7 p.m., Viola Community Center, Viola, ID
- June 12 Potlatch Food Pantry open from 10 a.m.-noon and from 5-7 p.m. *See pg. 3*
- June 14 Community-wide yard sale
- June 15 **Father's Day**
- June 19 Radical Rick, 4:30 p.m. Potlatch Public Library, Potlatch, ID *See pg. 3*
Potlatch Recreation District meets at 7 p.m. in City Hall, Potlatch, ID
- June 20 Lions Summer Concert in the Park

6-8 p.m. in Lions Club Park, Potlatch, ID *See pg. 9*

- June 23 Potlatch City Council meets at 7 p.m. in City Hall, Potlatch, ID
- June 25 Idaho Food Truck, Grace Community Church, Potlatch, ID *See pg. 3*
- June 26 Potlatch Food Pantry open from 10 a.m.-noon and from 5-7 p.m. *See pg. 3*
- June 27 Wine & Watercolor, 5-7 p.m. Potlatch Public Library, Potlatch, ID *See pg. 3*

Clothes Closet

(a clothing bank)

Tuesday through Friday, noon to 4 p.m.

535 Pine St, Suite 2, Potlatch, ID

208-875-9094



Basketball - Cheer - Soccer

For kids going into grades 1-6

July 21 - 25, 2025

Registration 4:30 p.m. Camp 5-8 p.m.

Sports, Snacks, Music, & Stories

Mega Mega Camp

Kids age 4 - going into K

Registration available online @

princetonidahonaz.com or

contact Lisa @ 208-596-3072

Princeton Church of the Nazarene

1008 Gold Hill Rd.

Camp is free!

Pinochle Players Wanted! Want to learn how to play pinochle? Come join in on the fun at the Palouse River Community Center in Princeton on Thursday nights at 7 p.m. All that you need is a desire to learn and a donation of \$5 to play several hands of straight pinochle. A snack is also provided for all players. See you there!

Moscow AA meets at the Latah Recovery Center, 531 S. Main, Suite #B at noon on Mon-Tues-Thurs-Fri-Sat 208-883-1045

Play Bingo at the Palouse River Community Center in Princeton on Mondays at 6:30 p.m.

Palouse River Community Center

Potlatch AA meets at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 725 Spruce St, on Tuesdays 6:30 p.m.

(PRCC) Rental questions call or text Tia McKinney 208-301-4269
See PRCC Facebook page