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Veterans Day ceremony to salute our soldiers

from Dennis Robison

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

The Iron County Veterans Coalition (American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Marine Corps League and SUU Veterans), would like to invite everyone to the 2021 Veterans Day Ceremony. This year's ceremony will be on November 11 at the Cedar City Veterans Park—Vietnam Memorial (200 N 200 E) and will begin at

Veterans Day is an official United States holiday that honors people who have served in the U.S. Armed Forces. On this Veterans Day, let us all extend to those that have served our country and those now serving, our sincere and heartfelt gratitude for the loyal and faithful services they performed. It has been because of these brave women and men that our Country, our Liberty and our Democracy has been saved.

May we all open wide our arms with smiles, words of praise and hearts filed with love to all those who have served and continue to do so each day. We honor you Veterans young and old and thank you for your service to our Country. It is our prayer that God will continue to bless America.

Orge Upor a Parade...



Principles of Vision 2050: Keeping partners informed

from Sophie Kronick

PROJECT COORDINATOR

Iron County Vision 2050 is a longterm strategic planning effort with the goal of protecting and promoting the quality of life for all residents in the county. Every other week, we will

explain one of the 12 Key Focal Points to give a better sense of Vision 2050's long-term goals. These 12 Points summarize public preferences from the Vision 2050 survey and are used to guide and measure Vision 2050's work.

Two weeks ago, some Vision 2050 steering members travelled to Washington D.C. with the Rural Utah Chamber Coalition to discuss local issues and insights

with Utah legislators. In addition to hearing about the legislative priorities and efforts of Utah congressmen, we were able to advocate for rural Utah on the federal level. Therefore, this week, we will focus on the 6th Key Focal Point: Keep state and federal partners informed of local efforts to avoid

duplication of efforts.

Vision 2050 is a community-based organization and by no means solely a government or business initiative. Rather, we aim to balance all perspectives regarding the future of Iron County. We believe that collaborating with partners on the local, state, and

to strengthen our community. For example, at the Vision 2050 transportation focus group facilitated by the Utah Department of Transportation (UDOT), local residents shared transportation issues, wants, and needs. One issue shared was that traffic would often get backed up onto the highway

The Rural Utah Chamber Coalition meets and discusses local issues and insights with Utah legislators.

federal levels will allow us to create a holistic, long-term vision. To achieve a comprehensive vision, however, we must bring our local concerns and needs to the attention of state and federal entities

Collaboration also helps us go beyond visioning and take action at the I-15 exit for North Main St. UDOT took note of this hazard, prompting a report on the area, which resulted in the expansion of the exit to more lanes.

Making state and federal entities aware of our local challenges and opportunities also allows us to connect with communities that may be

experiencing similar conditions. Rather than duplicating efforts for a shared outcome, we can maximize knowledge and resources. In terms of workforce issues, chambers of commerce around the state have made it clear that they are experiencing the same challenges that we are seeing here in Iron County.

To address this issue in an efficient and informed manner, collaboration with the Department of Workforce Services, the tourism industry, the school district, and the state is critical. Sharing our plans with all partners will leverage their expertise and access potential support.

For a full list of Vision 2050's 12 Key Focal Points, check out the Vision 2050 Facebook page at face-

book.com/icvision2050. Want more information? Access the Vision 2050 public survey at cedarcitychamber. org/vision-2050, contact our Project Coordinator at icvision2050@ cedarcitychamber.org, or give us a call at (435) 586-4484. We invite you to join us on this exciting quest!





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During at a September Cedar City Council Meeting, Officer Nicholas Syrett of the Cedar City Police Department is awarded the Medal of Valor.

Cedar City Police Department protects and serves despite challenges

"The Utah

Crime Clock

posted on

October 5.

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increasing."

by Edy Meredith

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

Utah is the fastest growing state in the nation according to the 2020 census. This Good News and Bad News constitute a strong warning of more to come. Whenever we think of Cedar City and our neighbors in Iron and Washington Counties,

we know that all are suffering growing pains. The population density in Cedar City is 1976% higher than in the rest of Utah. The 2020 population grew from the previous census count of 29,786 to 34,439 with 12,000 attending college. Cedar City is growing at a rate of 2.05% a year, and in 2010 was only 28,857.

What do these numbers mean for residents and for city government, especially for the Cedar City Police Department? According to 2016 FBI data, Cedar City had approximately 11.8 officers per 10,000 of population with office

per 10,000 of population of 13.1, and total employees of 40. Soon, the FBI will have to update their figures. Of course, the FBI data does not take into consideration that some officers might be off-line, involved in training employees or new police dogs, or even on disability from injuries.

For one thing, crime numbers have gone up. The Utah Crime Clock posted on October 5, 2021, shows that while overall crime is trending down, the numbers of violent crimes are increasing. "Nowhere is the rise in violent crime more apparent than the 44% increase in homicides in 2020, the highest numbers in Utah for at least the last 20 years"; while

the Utah Department of Public Safety points out that this 3.1% rate per 100,000 is much less than the national rate, it is small comfort to victims and victims' families

The Utah crime clock shows the following: One Homicide every 3.29 days; One Rape every 6.75 hours; One Aggravated Assault every 1.92 hours; One Larceny every 9.50 minutes; One Arson every 1.24 days; One Motor Vehicle Theft every 1.11 hours; One Burglary every 62.56 minutes; One Robbery every 7.37 hours. Oddly enough, while crimes committed increased, the number

of actual arrests was down over 20% from the previous year. Could it be that police officers are under increasing pressure in some cities not to arrest offenders or perhaps the crime and population increase is overcoming the number of police officers on

Mayor Maile's Corner

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Cedar City Birthday and Veterans Day

This past month there have been a number of activities that have allowed us to reflect on our City's heritage. From pioneers, to sheepherders, to iron miners, to brave soldiers, Cedar City has a varied and inspiring history.

With Thanksgiving taking place this month, I want to express my appreciation for our ancestors, and how their contributions and sacrifices have helped make Cedar City the unique and wonderful place we all enjoy. November also provides an opportunity to honor our veterans on Veterans Day, and to celebrate the 170th anniversary of the pioneers arriving in Cedar City.

The year is particularly exciting as Cedar City is celebrating its 170th Birthday!! Come join us during our three-day celebration, November 11th - 13th. Various events at different locations will be part of this celebration, including the Orchestra of Southern Utah's special Veterans Day concert November 11th, a Birthday Scavenger Hunt beginning November 12th, and free entrance to Frontier Homestead State Park (635 N. Main St, Cedar City). Scavenger Hunt papers can be found in the Iron County Today, on the City website (www.cedarcity.org), or on the City's Facebook page. For more information, call (435) 586-9290.

The Orchestra of Southern Utah (OSU) will be performing a special combined Cedar City Birthday Bash and Veteran's Day Concert to celebrate our heritage and honor our veterans. The Patriotic Veterans Tribute will be held Thursday, November 11th from 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Heritage Center Theater (105 N. 100 E.). The concert will include Eric Dodge, Bill & Loretta Westbrooke, and the Southern Utah Chorale with a BIG Orchestra backing. Birthday cake will be served at this event. It will be a night you won't want to miss! For your FREE tickets, visit www. myosu.org.

On Veterans Day, November 11th, the National Parks Service will again be offering a fee FREE entrance to all national parks across the country. It's a great time to get out and enjoy the natural beauty of our national parks and to remember our Veterans who have given and continue to give selflessly to provide for our freedoms. For more information, visit www.nps.gov.

Continuing with honoring our Veterans, I would also invite you to mark you calendars for the Wreaths Across America event. Momentum is growing as the volunteers of "Wreaths Across America" are making final plans for this year's tribute to the Veteran heroes buried in the Cedar City Cemetery. The second annual event will take place on Saturday, December 18th at 2:00 p.m. at the Cedar City Cemetery, and all are invited to attend. We welcome your participation. Each memorial wreath is \$15, but gifts in any amount are appreciated. Make checks payable to: Bald Eagle Chapter DAR and send to: Wreaths Across America, 126 South 2050 West, Cedar City, UT 84720 or drop your check at the City Offices, c/o Councilman R. Scott Phillips. Help us honor America's heroes by making a contribution.

Maile Wilson Edwards, Cedar City Mayor



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FROM THE EDITOR

Congratulations! (Unofficially)



COREY BAUMGARTNER MANAGING EDITOR

his just in...the verdict is still out on who our elected local government officials are. While the unofficial results are found on ironcounty. net—hopefully official by the time you read this—the suspense is intense as one wonders when we'll know the winners for sure.

While there are some concerns with the voting turnaround timetable, the real concerns involve entrusting our re-elected and newly elected officials to lead our Iron County Communities into a productive, unified and successful future.

When the election results are final and official, it is then up to each of us, no matter who we voted for, to unify and recommit our time, talents and treasure to make our homes, neighborhoods and communities to be the best

TO THE EDITOR

A true treat on Halloween

Once again the youth of Cedar City impressed us with their manners and enthusiasm as they came to our home to trick-or-treat. With their parents as part of the event, it was nothing but a fun-filled night!

On top of that, for the first time ever, this year we were given the opportunity to trick or treat our guests! One couple brought their "front door" to our front door. As we opened our door, we were invited to then knock on their door. They were so excited to see they too had trick or treaters at their front door! Shared candy and many laughs later, they took their door and headed on down the

Long after October 31st is history, we will remember the laughter and fun that was brought to our door by our community. Thank you Cedar City!

Cecil and Catherine Taylor



THOUGHT OF THE

"Let us not seek the Republican answer or the **Democratic** answer, but the right answer. Let us not seek to fix the blame for the past. Let us accept our own responsibility for the future."

John F. Kennedy

A trillion-dollar haircut

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n the Halloween season, we can appreciate the observation that a federal budget is a scary "black art" practiced by bureaucratic magicians. Or, as a Ronald Reagan economic advisor admitted about his boss's budget, "None of us really understands what is going on with all these numbers."

Pres. Biden's Build Back Better budget proposal falls right in line with bureaucratic magic.

By the time you read this column, House and Senate Democrats may have coalesced on a stripped-down spending package. Even if they do, Republicans will continue squawking

about wasted money and tyranny from socialist big spenders, while liberal Democrats will bleat that a trillion dollars here and a trillion dollars there is an investment, not spending bloat.

The rest of us will be left with the impression that indeed government spending is out of control, but that we do need some of the goodies Biden has promised, including money for long-delayed repair of bridges and roads and expansion of clean energy

Here is my message to Congress: C'mon guys,

it should quite simple! Stop kowtowing to Nancy Pelosi and Mitch McConnell and do what's right for

All of us know that government agencies have some fluff in their budgets. If we want to make necessary repairs to our infrastructure, all our representatives have to do is make each department take a "haircut." If we cut 2%, for instance, from the budget of food safety officials, I doubt our grocery shelves would be filled with salmonella. If we asked the Department of Education to cut 2% of its mon-

ies, I don't think our test scores will fall below the students in Ethiopia or Bangladesh.

This is especially true in the case of our military budget. With our withdrawal from Afghanistan signaling that the public doesn't

want us to get involved with a host of civil wars in multi-tribal third world nations, couldn't we justify cutting at least 2%? Don't tell me the armed services can't find a small savings without putting the country at risk of invasion or missile strikes.

But this is where the problems arise. Mention of a cut in the military by a Utah radio host was met with a stern, "NO WAY" by Congressman Chris Stewart. It is the old "Don't tax you. Don't tax me.

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opinion

More to 'Truly-Local' than shopping, eating

recently saw a simple, yet excellent marketing campaign by Americas Newspapers that said, "Shop Local, Eat Local, Read Local." Nothing could be more critical for a local community than this simple statement. After all, keeping as many dollars local as possible is what keeps pumping the lifeblood throughout a community.

Ironically, that same day I saw a piece in the MediaPost publication indicating that more people than ever are consuming and paying for news and information. That may seem to be a great trend if you are a media company, but the "rest of the story", as Paul Harvey might have used with this piece, seems to indicate a troubling trend. The lion's share of this shift is benefiting national news and information outlets, not local ones.

While we don't downplay the need for national news and information, one must wonder why communities would neglect information in one's own backyard. One of the biggest issues facing most every local community is the ability to convey needful and timely information. I would argue being locally informed is every bit as critical as being nationally informed. I might even go as far as to say, it is even more critical. Additionally, I would suggest that a well-run local newspaper or media company is able to move a community forward during these challenging economic times.

Before we touch on the need for communities to support their local news and information products just as they would support shopping, dining, and overall spending locally, let's look at why this trend might be so. Let's start internally, we have two groups of local media companies. In the first group, we must take an honest look at many of the local products being shoved off as local newspapers. They are run by out-of-town media owners who have no presence. Their staff has been cut to the bone. With staff cuts, content is more cookie-cutter, regional, and less

about their community. Publishers or the face of the community have been eliminated. They have simply allowed their local media company to become a nameless entity in the community, throwing out information most could care less about.

We certainly don't want to paint with broad strokes, lumping all newspapers in group one.

> Mismanagement pointed out in group one isn't the case everywhere. In group two, there are many local media products where

money, time, human capital, and much more are being poured into the local community. Whilst the first poorly managed group of media companies deserve their fate, this second group deserves and needs the support of their communities in much greater ways.

For these truly-local media companies in group two, we must understand the

need to shop and dine locally, but we all must catch the greater vision as to why we need to read locally as well. I have yet to consult with any communities and/or media companies that have an outstanding community information network. It isn't a lack of informational tools, it is an over-abundance of these informational tools. In the world of information fragmentation, that includes traditional media such as newspapers, TV, radio, and so forth, we now can add digital outlets, social media, cable TV, and so much

more. Without a comprehensive community vision as to how information will be shared far and wide, it will be shared in multiple fragments where no one in the community gets the whole information feed.

I would challenge every community leadership team to sit down with their local media company and carve out a communitywide communication strategy moving forward. Media companies in the second grouping are in a unique position to assist in accomplishing this task.

Throughout the United States, we are seeing an abundance of what is referred to as a 'news desert'. These are communities that have lost their media representation. In a very competitive community environment, communities can ill afford to be a news or information desert. These deserts lose their identity and ability to compete. Don't let your community be an information desert. By working together with your media company you can be an oasis in the desert that has impacted over 2000 communities in the past 20 years.

John A. Newby, author of the "Building Main Street, Not Wall Street " column dedicated to helping communities and local media companies combine synergies allowing them to not just survive but thrive in a world where their "Truly-Local" identity is being lost to Amazon, Wall Street chains and others. His email is: john@360MediaAlliance.net.



JOHN A. NEWBY COLUMNIST

BOOKINGS

Below are bookings as reported by the Iron County Sheriff's Department and Cedar City Police Department. Those arrested are innocent until proven guilty.

Joseph A Alas

DRUG - Poss w/ Intent to Distribute.

Jerry Azule Intoxication

Chad M Hennefer Retail Theft

Jason B Mellema DRUG - Poss C/S,

Revoked Lic, Window

Lucinda J

Tint Violation

Animal At Large, Unsterilized (3rd)

Dylan G Robinson DRUG - Poss C/S,

Karan A Warner

Disorderly Conduct NOV 3

Jeremy Black Intoxication, Criminal Trespass, Retail Theft

Angela R Lettice Assault

Kaleli Lutu DUI w/BAC at/over .08, Unsafe Lane Change

Dvlan G Robinson DRUG - Poss C/S

NOV 5

Raymond N Hall CEDAR CITY, UT Aggravated Assault DRUG - Poss C/S, Retail Theft

Jennifer L McCraw

Protective Order

Nicholas M Sorensen

Criminal Mischief

NOV 6

Junichi Yasuda Driving w/o lights, DRUG – Poss C/S

Eleanor K Hansen DRUG - Poss w/Intent

to Distribute Sarah L Levine DRUG - Poss C/S,

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SUNDAY Mostly Sunny

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MONDAY Partly Cloudy

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PRECIP: 0% WINDS: SSW 10-15

TUESDAY Partly Sunny

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IRON COUNTY WATER STEWARDS

by Ashley Langston

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

TERRI HARTLEY, TYLER MELLING

Representation from the Cedar City and Enoch city councils is an important element of the Central Iron County Water Conservancy District's Board of Directors, ensuring each city is involved as the District works to find solutions for the area's water future.

Terri Hartley, Tyler Melling and David Harris are elected city council members, serving on the Board of the regional Water Conservancy District. All three believe the District should continue to pursue the Pine Valley Water Supply Project, which will bring 15,000 acre-feet of water to the Cedar Valley from Pine Valley, approximately 60 miles northwest of Cedar City.

The project is currently in the Environmental Impact Statement process with the Bureau of Land Management.

Melling, a Cedar City Council Member, called the project "the most financially and environmentally-sustainable option for Cedar City's future."

The water challenges in the area are no secret, said Harris, who serves on the Enoch City Council. The water table continues to drop as more water is used than replenished, and the community is continuing to grow. In addition, to address the overdrawn aquifer, the State Engineer has established a Groundwater Management Plan, designed to effectively "cut" water rights to reduce usage to sustainable levels.

Hartley, a Cedar City Council Member, said while efforts are being made to optimize all the water in the valley, those efforts are not enough without importing water.

"Re-use of our wastewater, recharge and conservation will not provide the needed water to replace those rights that may be taken from Iron County under the State's Groundwater Management Plan," she said. "It is imperative we secure and locate additional water resources for our valley.

The project will have a substantial price tag,

but the District is working with local municipalities to create a feasible financial plan. It hopes to fund the project through a combination of grants, loans, impact fees, user fees, and property taxes.

Harris said local residents have enjoyed some of the least expensive water probably anywhere in the west, and costs will increase, but he doesn't expect those increases to be astronomical.

"I am confident that we can accomplish this in a way that keeps things affordable for the citizens of Iron County," Harris said. "We don't want to create a burden for those in our community."

Melling said Cedar City has been working with stakeholders this year to ensure household water remains affordable.

Hartley, Melling and Harris said the District has done its due diligence to make sure the environment will not be harmed and the project will be sustainable. It has worked with scientists and engineers, using the best and most current science available, and studies show that springs

in the area of Pine Valley or in Nevada will not be measurably affected by the project.

Hartley said over the past year, alliances have been formed to combine information, resources and best practices, as the Pine Valley Water Supply Project will require a combined effort.

"It is critical our local municipalities and Water Conservancy District continue to work together to solve the water issues in our valley," she said.

All community members are invited to learn more about the Pine Valley Water Supply Project by attending a Community Briefing on Tuesday, Dec. 7 at 6:30 p.m. in the Great Hall at the SUU Hunter Conference Center.

The Iron County Water Stewards program recognizes community members for contributing to the effort to optimize every drop of water in Cedar Valley. The Central Iron County Water Conservancy District is actively engaged in education, conservation, reuse and import projects to meet the growing demands on local water supply. For every effort you make to conserve, we consider you a water steward, too. To Get to Know Your H2O, visit www.cicwcd.org.



SUU News

SUU welcomes Danny Ferry as Director of Development

by Tyler Roper

SUU ATHLETICS STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION

The Southern Utah University Athletic Department has announced Danny Ferry as its new Director of Development.

Ferry arrives in Cedar City after a previous stint as an Account Executive at Cision in Beltsville, Maryland. In his role with SUU, he will oversee fundraising efforts and donor engagement to aid in the athletic department's development efforts through the Thunderbird Athletic Foundation.

We are ecstatic to welcome Danny to the Thunderbird family," said KC Smurthwaite, Senior Associate Athletic Director for External Operations. "He has elite experience in building relationships with various constituents. As a former student-athlete he also understands the multiple facets of



collegiate athletics. Danny has already made us better."

Ferry is a former student-athlete who played basketball at Marymount University in Arlington, Virginia for four years. At Marymount, he also earned a bachelor's degree in business administration with an emphasis in sport management. Ferry went on to serve as an assistant and head varsity basketball coach at multiple high schools over the next few years. He also served as a regional manager and director at eTeamSponsor for four years.

"I am thrilled to be joining the Southern Utah Athletic Department and Thunderbird Athletic Foundation," said Ferry. "I can't wait to get started and meet with the students, coaches, donors and fans that make SUU a special place and community. I would like to thank KC Smurthwaite and Debbie Corum for their help and professionalism during the hiring process. They gave me a great sense of the mission and goals the department has, and I am looking forward to learning more as I become a part of the T-Bird family."

You can learn more about the Thunderbird Athletic Foundation and how to donate to SUU Athletics at www.tbirdfoundation.com. For all the latest on Southern Utah Athletics, follow @SUUThunderbirds on Twitter and Instagram, and like the Southern Utah Athletics Facebook page.

Science explodes at SUU's APEX event

by Christina Schweiss

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

On November 4, SUU's APEX event series hosted Science in Action: "Animals and live on stage experiments."

APEX's Dr. Lynn Vartan and Dr. Bill Heyborne, an associate biology professor at SUU, hosted the event. Kicking off the show, Vartan explained that "science is the exploration of the natural world."

Three animals were shown during the event -broken up between three experiments from three different presenters. The three different presenters were Mackay Steffensen (chemistry professor), Brandon Wiggins (assistant professor of Physics) and Bertram Walker Tsavadawa (a Hopi Elder from North Eastern Arizona).

The three animals were a Burmese python named Sarabi, a tegu named Mercedes, and finally a Sulcata tortoise named Tater. All of the creatures shown came from a rescue situation.

Heyborne showed the 'critters' which were allowed to be there because of SUU's Animal Ambassadors. He explained that the Animal Ambassadors is a "student club here on campus partially sponsored by the biology department and college of science on campus. We use live animals as a way to connect to the public about nature, science, and conservation. Animals are a great hook to get people excited about science."

"The SUU center for STEM (Science Technology Engineering and Math) teaching and learning originated on our campus back in 2014. Dr. Elaine Vickers Mackay Steffensen demonstrates the power of chemistry, While Lynn Vartan is introduced up close to a friendly

from chemistry is now directing the center," said Heyborne. "The mission of the center is to take science education out to the world." Its purpose is

involved in STEM."

This month is Native American Heritage Month and SUU has made this past week Native American

to encourage underrepresented populations to get

Week. The APEX series this year is all about connections — "connections between us, connections among us, what other connections can we make?" To connect everything together, Tsavadawa was the final presenter.

Tying everything he said into connections, Tsavadawa declared to the audience to "Put whatever you are connected to, onto your body. It will help to bring that energy within you." Inspiring the audience of students, Tsavadawa said to "continue your



HOTOS BY KATIE ENGLER

education. That is your big backbone that will take you into the world out there."

If interested in visiting SUU's center for STEM, head to the third floor of the Geosciences building on campus. Wonder Wednesdays happen there every week from 4pm to 6pm.



UTAH LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

I hope each of you reading this have cast your vote. It goes without saying just how critical it is we participate in the political process, and races have come down to just a few votes, even one vote. Your vote and voice really does matter. Also, I want to thank all those who have run for office. I know personally how much work and sacrifice goes into running for office, and I commend anyone that is willing to step up and step forward to serve. Best of luck to all the candidates in all their various races.

This past month I traveled up to the Capitol for one of the last interim days before the legislative session. During our interim meetings, we receive reports and discuss past legislation as well as new issues that may lead to legislation in the next session. Here are a few of the highlights from the week:

RedistrictingUtah's Legislative Redis-

tricting Committee recently concluded its statewide public hearing tour. The committee held over a dozen meetings across the state, gathering feedback, reviewing maps and listening to Utahns' concerns. Hundreds of Utahns attended the public hearings in person and online, and nearly 100 maps were

SEN. EVAN VICKERS

UTAH SENATE DISTRICT 28

other state and online, and nearly 100 maps were

shared with the committee.

The Independent Redistricting Commission presented maps to the Legislative Committee on Monday, November 1 and the full Legislature plans to adopt maps in mid-to-late November. For the most updated information, visit redistricting.utah.gov.

State Water Policy and Drought Conditions

Utah has moved from an "exceptional" drought category to an "extreme" drought category, which is a slight improvement. Utah's Department of Natural Resources Director, Brian Steed, presented this update to the Natural Resources, Agriculture and Environment Interim Committee along with news that state soil this year has a much higher moisture level than last year. This means snowpack should reach reservoirs before it is absorbed during runoff.

While the news is positive, we all still need to continue to conserve water as we recover from this historic drought. Our state's expected population growth heightens the need to conserve water. As we strive to provide adequate water supplies, the state has created several relevant government programs, including an expanded turf buyback program, an integrated land use and water use program, an agricultural optimization program and a program to install secondary water meters.

School Curriculum Transparency

The Education Interim Committee voted to create a working group to study school curriculum transparency. The working group's goal is to explore how to build a better process for parents to observe and provide feedback on what is taught in classrooms, creating a more open approach to education. The intent is for school districts to receive input from parents on supplemental materials and controversial issues before it reaches the point of contention. Some Utah schools already practice this, but possible legislation could expand the practice to a statewide expectation. The working group will report back to the Education Interim Committee this month with their findings and recommendation.

Election Integrity

The Judiciary Interim Committee heard a presentation proposing an audit on the 2020 general election. As a Legislature, we continually work to keep our election laws accurate to ensure election integrity is upheld. While improvements can always be made, Utah has been lauded as the gold standard for elections across the nation for years.

Business and Labor

The Business and Labor Interim Committee held a public hearing to gather input and feedback on the U.S. Department of Labor's Occupational Safety and Health Administration vaccine announcement. According to the announcement, the department

is developing a rule to require all businesses with 100 or more employees to mandate vaccines

or submit to weekly COVID-19 testing as a condition of employment. The committee heard from over 800 Utahns, the largest legislative hearing in the state's history.

The Utah Senate and House Republican caucuses are taking the following actions:

Supporting Attorney General Sean Reyes as he works with

other states to pursue legal action against the federal government.

Encouraging Governor Spencer Cox to reject these new Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) requirements as allowed under the emergency temporary standard process.

Preparing to respond quickly with legislation once an official rule is released.

I want to reaffirm my continued support for the vaccination effort. However, requiring employers to force these decisions upon their employees is not the proper role of government and should not become the new precedent.

I want to thank everyone who took the time to share their thoughts, concerns and experiences, whether at the public hearing or through emails, calls or texts.

Life Science Caucus

Utah is a world leader in genetic research and in the manufacture of medical devices, such as replacement heart valves, catheter and imaging and stroke intervention technologies. In addition, the life sciences industry, which includes medical device manufacturing, diagnostics, biotechnology

and biopharmaceuticals, contributes to over 130,000 jobs and accounts for over 8% of Utah's annual GDP. Utah's life sciences industry is one of the fastest-growing segments of our state's economy and contributes significantly to our economic diversity.

This month, we held the first ever Utah Life Sciences Innovation Caucus. The legislative caucus aims to raise the visibility of Utah's life sciences industry, educate lawmakers on issues important to this growing sector of the state's economy and provide a platform for discussion that will lead to more informed public policy decisions. We are excited to bring members of the Legislature together to help support the industry's expansion in our state and look forward to the innovation that will drive solutions to some of our most pressing healthcare challenges.

Monoclonal Antibodies

Monoclonal antibody treatments are showing extremely promising results. Intermountain Healthcare's study indicates with the treatment, Utah could see a 57% reduction in hospitalizations a day of those who would otherwise be hospitalized. The treatment is free to Utahns and paid for by the federal government.

The Utah Department of Health testified before the Health and Human Services Interim Committee meeting regarding Utah's monoclonal antibody treatment progress. Currently, Utah is administering 450-550 doses weekly, but has 2,000 doses available. We need to be administering all 2,000 doses weekly to prevent as many Utahns as possible from getting hospitalized. By removing obstacles to allow more individuals to administer the treatment, we can save more lives.

Wildland Fire

Finally, I recently filmed a short 1:44 segment with Utah State University regarding the work of state wildland fire prevention, and how that helped save the town of Brian Head when the massive Brian Head fire occurred. If you'd like to watch it, visit this link. https://photos.app.goo.gl/wPSnqPCWjYq8iUU69.

I'm grateful to all of you for your involvement in the political process. It makes for a better outcome when we have the needed insight, feedback, and ideas from each of you to find the best solution. Thank you to each of you. I welcome your feedback and ideas. Please don't hesitate to reach to me.

Sincerely, Evan Vickers, Utah State Senate



CYCLOPS

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Tax that man behind the tree!"

If we are really honest, Democrats and Republicans are equally responsible for irrational spending. It is ludicrous for Democrats to demand that the country offer free college for everyone, and, with the current shortage of workers, they shouldn't be hollering for extended paid time away from work.

On the other hand, it is downright laughable and hypocritical for Stewart and his Republicans to complain about Biden's overspending when they supported Donald Trump's \$6 trillion budget deficit – and then refused to raise the debt limit on the spending they voted for!

In fairness, a percentage cut in spending over all government agencies would cover the cost of Biden's proposal. It's a shame that the President didn't request it instead of asking for a "tax the rich" scheme which the wealthy will squeeze out of paying by hiring fancy tax lawyers.

Joe Biden misplayed his cards, but don't credit the Republicans for safeguarding the nation's coffers. All sides are playing political games with our money.

POLICE

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patrol. Our law enforcement officials take an oath of honor and demonstrate that they understand that their oath is a solemn pledge of faithfulness, integrity, excellent character, public trust, courage, accountability, respect, and love of community.

In July of this year, the Cedar City Corporation increased the budget of the Police Department to hire two new patrol officers and one traffic enforcement officer. They also reclassified three eligible officers to higher classifications/duties. While this budget item was introduced and started on July first, it is still in process toward completion because the police officer hiring process is complicated and includes the following: 1) advertisement of available positions, 2) submission of applications, 3) police written test, 4) police physical ability test, 5) background checks, 6) oral interview, 7) polygraph test, 8) psychological evaluation, 9) medical exam and drug test, and finally 10) a job offer. While it is a lengthy hiring process, being a police officer is a rewarding and serious career. Upon hiring, the process of officer training begins. Recruiting, selecting, and retaining law enforcement officers is especially difficult today according to the National Police Foundation.

We are grateful for the dedication and sacrifice of our Cedar City Police Department and all law-enforcement officers and their families for helping to protect and serve our families and communities.

showcase

OSU, local icons join forces SUU Ceramics for veterans concert

by Mary Furse

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

The Orchestra of Southern Utah and Cedar City Historical Committee are joining forces to celebrate the town's birthday and honor our veterans with a gala event on November 11. The orchestra will be sharing the stage with favorite Southern Utah artists Eric Dodge and Bill and Loretta Westbrook. The performance will also feature musical arrangements by SUU alumnus Jacob Lee. The event is free to the public, and we wish to honor all local veterans, military servicemen and women, and their families.

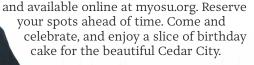
OSU is honored to share the stage with nationally known country music artist, motivational speaker, and author Eric Dodge. Through music, words, and sharing personal experiences, Eric is committed to uplifting others with inspiring messages of overcoming fears and reaching one's dreams. Eric's voice has touched audiences on the national stage and television, and reached 17 countries across the world with 8 successful albums. Eric has topped the amazon.com bestselling albums list, and his book Why Not Today? Face Your Fears and Chase Your Dreams has reached thousands of readers around the world. Though it's clear that Eric's success is due to his own effort and motivation, he credits much of this to the way he was raised and the people in his life who encouraged him to take the first steps. Now

others find the courage to pursue their dreams.

Bill and Loretta Westbrook, a favorite local duo, delight their audiences with an eclectic style deep in the roots of country and western music, inspired by legends like Johnny Cash, Earl Scruggs, and Doc Watson. Bill and Loretta started playing together in Jackson Hole, Wyoming in a band called The Jury's Out. Loretta has been distinguished as Wyoming champion banjo player. Together, Bill and Loretta formed the Coyote Bluegrass Band, and now we find them still performing together.

Composer Jacob Lee handles a wide array of musical styles, from classical and film to jazz and other popular genres. Jacob was a winner of OSU's Roy L. Halverson Young Artist Competition and earned a bachelor's degree in piano performance at Southern Utah University. He earned a master's degree in music composition at the University of Nebraska – Lincoln and is currently pursuing a PhD in music composition, as well as a concurrent master's degree in music theory from the University of Oregon. Jacob utilizes the storytelling power of music to reach and appeal to his audiences. His goal is to take his audiences through an emotional arc, to feel something through his music.

Join us for a celebration and inspiring tribute on November 11 at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are free for ages 6+





Guild sells unique holiday gifts

by Ashley H. Palmer

SUU PUBLIC RELATIONS COORDINATOR

Get started on your holiday shopping with unique chili bowls, assorted pottery, and ceramic gifts created by student members of the SUU Ceramics Guild. They are holding their annual Fall Bowl Sale on November 11 and 12, 2021 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Sharwan Smith Living Room at



SUU. There will be free soup with every purchase and will include a vegetarian option.

The mission of the Ceramics Guild is to "provide a collaborative association of students through which we can produce and market both functional vessels and ceramic artwork in a professional manner". To fulfill this mission, they hold ceramics sales each year to put their work out in the community.

Alice Hill, a senior Biology major and a Ceramics minor from Cedar City, Utah,

"The SUU Ceramics Guild gives students the opportunity to sell pieces that they made. This not only provides experience managing and selling their work, but it also helps each student find their voice as an artist. Art diversifies and enhances the beauty within ourselves and the beauty that resides around us. By supporting the SUU ceramics sale, it not only gives you the opportunity to find some art that speaks to you, but it also provides some footing for the budding artists here at SUU. This upcoming sale focuses on bowls and dinnerware."

SUU offers a Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) in Studio Arts with a Ceramics/ Sculpture Emphasis. This is a professional degree focusing on the intensive study of three-dimensional work, as it relates to the ceramic process and multi-media

Mountaintop Sound to perform in Cedar City

from Jim Howells

IRON COUNTY ACOUSTIC MUSIC ASSOCIATION

Iron County Acoustic Music Association (ICAMA) brings Mountaintop Sound to its stage, 7:00 PM, Friday, November 12, 2021, at Community Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall in Cedar City. Blending a mix of Americana and folk music with bluegrass roots, Mountaintop Sound is an eclectic blend of musicians showcasing their personal styles while communicating each other's love for music in an ensemble setting.

Mountaintop Sound is Steve Swift, April McPherson, and Derek Wood. The trio has spent the past 20 months of "down time" honing their instrument chops and vocal harmonies. The result is a mix of new original and traditional songs done in the style of the masters. Swift, a former rock guitarist, has turned his talents to dynamic bluegrass solos and riffs on his Martin D-28. McPherson's fills on her mandolin add lightness to the mix. Wood's banjo rounds out the trio of instruments. The group's tight vocal harmonies are anchored by McPherson and Swift and rounded out by Wood's deeply resonant bass.

The trio released their debut album of original songs, Long Time Coming, in February 2021. The songs evoke loves and forests, friends and running brooks. The band says their musical influences include Mandolin Orange (now Watchhouse band), Billy Strings, and Hank Williams.

The show begins at 7:00 PM Friday, November 12, at Community Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall, 2279 N Wedgewood Lane, Cedar City. Doors open at 6:30. A suggested donation of \$5 supports these shows and promotes live acoustic music in Iron County.

Facemasks are encouraged. Seating is somewhat limited and is first-come first served.



SUU Opera announces upcomong global event

by Ashley H. Palmer

SUU PUBLIC RELATIONS COORDINATOR

Southern Utah University Opera announced that they will be joining thousands of theatrical organizations around the globe by producing their own local production of Music Theatre International's All Together Now!: A Global Event Celebrating Local Theatre. Theatrical licensor Music Theatre International (MTI) created this revue for theatres across the globe to use as a local fundraising event performed over the same weekend of November 12, 2021. SUU Opera's performances are scheduled for November 12-13, 2021 at 7:30 p.m. in the Thorley Recital Hall of the SUU Music Building. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$8 for alumni with card, and \$5 for youth. SUU faculty/staff (and one guest) and students can attend for free with a valid ID card. Tickets can be purchased at the America First Event Center Box Office, at the door the night of the performance, or online at www.suu.edu/arts.

MTI's President and CEO, Drew Cohen stated, "MTI's All Together Now! is about bringing people back to the theatre, whether as audience members or cast, crew and musicians. The revue features songs from the world's most iconic musicals, so there is definitely something for everyone to enjoy. Our goal with this worldwide event is for organizations to provide hope, inspiration and excitement to their communities through the transformative power of musical theatre."

All Together Now! features songs from MTI's

beloved catalogue of musicals including Annie, Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, Come From Away, Disney and Cameron Mackintosh's Mary Poppins, Disney's Beauty and the Beast, Fiddler on the Roof,



The SUU opera students are ready to elevate their talents to perform songs from the world's most iconic musicals.

Godspell, Guys and Dolls, Hairspray, Into the Woods, Les Misérables, Little Shop of Horrors, Mamma Mia!, Matilda, My Fair Lady, Once on This Island, Rent, Waitress, and many more!

Mackenzie Williams, junior Music Major with an emphasis in vocal performance from Mesa, Arizona, shares, "We have been working on All Together Now! which is essentially a musical theatre review. We have songs such as 'You Can't Stop the Beat' from Hairspray, 'Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious' from Mary Poppins, 'Matchmaker' from Fiddler on the Roof, and so many more familiar and fun musical theatre songs. I have loved working with everyone in the cast, as most of the time we are just having fun while getting to perform these songs we grew up with. Everyone is working hard on their choreography, their voice parts, and acting, so that we can give a show the audience will adore!"

Williams continues, "I am very excited to see what the finished product will look like, but right now I am most excited that the cast has become fast friends with one another. I have loved working with all of my cast friends, and we can't wait to present this fabulous music to everyone! If you want a fun concert that will have lots of good musical theatre music spanning different shows then this is the show for you!'

Share in the joy of musical theatre globally with this weekend performance of All Together Now! on November 12-13, 2021 at 7:30 p.m. in the Thorley Recital Hall of the SUU Music Building. For more information about the Department of Music at SUU, Please visit www.suu.edu/pva/music.

Students present two nights of ensemble music at SUU

by Ashley H. Palmer

SUU PUBLIC RELATIONS COORDINATOR

Southern Utah University's (SUU) Department of Music will present two days of ensemble concerts. The SUU Brass and Woodwind Ensembles perform Monday, November 15, 2021, followed by the SUU Piano and String Ensembles on Tuesday, November 16, 2021. Both performances will be presented at 7:30 p.m. in the Thorley Recital Hall of the SUU Music Building. These concerts are free and open to the public.

Dr. Laura Grantier, Director of Woodwinds at SUU, says, "The woodwind ensembles will be performing the Malcolm Arnold Trio for flute, oboe, and clarinet and selections from Rameau and Mozart that are arranged for woodwind quartet (flute, oboe, clarinet, bassoon). I am so pleased with the musical development of the students thus far. They've had to work together as a team, diagnose and solve issues together, and use nonverbal communication to play together as an ensemble. They are also faced with playing different styles of music

ranging from modern to classical to baroque. For some of these students, this is their first experience with chamber music. I am so proud of them and can't wait for the performance on November 15th!"

The students participating in these ensembles work tirelessly to perfect their instrumental abilities each semester. As they practice, they learn and grow as artists and professionals. The final payoff of their hard work are these end of semester concerts. Not all students who participate in the ensemble classes are majoring in music

Tyler Neilson, a senior majoring in Piano Performance and playing the cello for this performance, shares, "Practicing and performing in small ensembles has provided me with the opportunity to learn from and interact with other musicians while also playing wonderful music in a much more personal setting. Performing in the string ensemble has been a great experience and I've learned so much about performing and leadership."

Immerse yourself in two nights of ensemble music performed by



SUU students won't just be playing notes, they will transform them into a beautiful experience for listeners.

the students at SUU. The Brass and Woodwind Ensembles perform Monday, November 15, 2021, followed by the Piano and String Ensembles on Tuesday, November 16, 2021, with both performances at 7:30 p.m. in the Thorley Recital Hall of the SUU Music Building. For more information about the Department of Music at SUU, please visit www.suu.edu/pva/music.





Ignorance can be (but not always) bliss

by Mary Anne Andersen

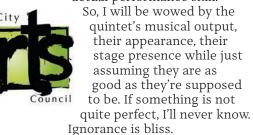
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am going to really enjoy the Spanish Brass, a quintet of brass players—two trumpets, French horn, trombone, and tuba—that will perform in Cedar City on November 12th as the first concert of the Cedar City Music Arts 2021-22 season.

For one thing, I am impressed by their thirty-year history, which includes numerous first-place awards in apparently very prestigious international competitions. (Of course, I've never heard of those competitions but I am taking the word of their publicist who says that one of them is the most prestigious competition of its kind in the world.) So, I am going to the concert with high expectations of seeing something fabulous.

Another reason I will enjoy them so much is that I know nothing about brass playing. Oh, I have sat as an accompanist in many a lesson as the teacher talked to his trumpet or trombone student about how to improve his performance, but, although I could coach on rhythm or

dynamics, I haven't a clue about actual performance skill.



Which is the question of this piece: does education make us more or less able to enjoy the artistic presentations we experience? I am amazed at the speed with which a violinist moves his fingers or the frenzy of a drum solo. But I can't play those instruments so can't really appreciate how hard such a performance really is. I just enjoy.

Many times, most times when my husband I are returning home after a concert or a musical play, I will say the how much I enjoyed the evening and he will answer, "Yeah, but the bass player or conductor's technique (or whatever) was lousy." Oh. I didn't notice that; I just enjoyed the evening. Then he will say "But the soprano had beautiful vocal technique." Well, yes, I enjoyed her performance very much but I didn't really know why. Sometimes I prefer to be uneducated, actually.

We don't see enough movies to be valid cinema critics; our daughter, on the other hand, can talk about cinematography, directing styles, and musical scores with great authority, as a movie goer of long research and experience. We are just wowed by whatever comes at us on the big screen.

But go with me to a piano recital, and I can throw a wet blanket with the best of them. First of all, very loud and very fast don't always mean very good. Quite the opposite, sometimes. But I will point out the performer's articulate sixteenth notes, exquisite handling of the difficult piano passages (soft, to you), and how beautifully she let a melodic phrase soar out over the accompaniment notes, both often played with the same hand. She didn't misuse the pedal and her sense of rubato was gorgeous. In some cases, a little knowledge can add to the pleasure.

CERAMICS

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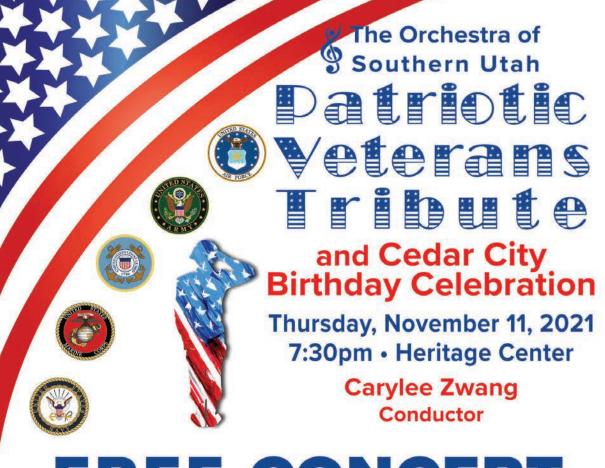
materials. Students develop knowledge and understanding of technical methodologies relating to hand-building and throwing processes, glaze development, various firing methods, mold-making, and slip-casting. They gain a firm foundation of contemporary and historical ceramics and sculpture and have opportunities to combine their

ceramic skills with other mediums such as wood, felt, and stone, and each individual determines their own artistic three-dimensional artistic practices.

Bella Cardon, a junior majoring in Art Education with a Ceramics minor from Kaysville, Utah, says, "The majority of the funds will go to the artists themselves, while a smaller portion will be used to fund the guild. This sale will help us go to National Council on Education for Ceramic Arts

(NCECA) conference in 2022, which is a clay conference we haven't been able to attend the past two years due to the pandemic."

Support these ceramics students and start your holiday shopping early by purchasing bowls and dinnerware on November 11 and 12, 2021 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Sharwan Smith Living Room at SUU. For more information about the Department of Art & Design at SUU, please visit www.suu.edu/pva/art.



FREE CONCERT

Tickets will only be available to the general public for free through www.myosu.org starting October 20, 2021.

Stand by seating will be available after 7:15pm. For more information on tickets and availability visit myosu.org.

Children over 6 welcome. No babies please, as concerts are recorded.

Featuring Guest Artists:







Bill & Loretta Westbrook

Southern Utah Chorale • In Jubilo • and more!

Major Concert Sponsors:







Storybook Cavalcade

Annual parade adds character(s) to Cedar City



by Corey Baumgartner

IRON COUNTY TODAY

Avenging a difficult 2020, the annual storybook parade turned the page and began a new adventure. With fun and familiar faces including Shrek, Strawberry Shortcake, Buzz Lightyear and Darth Vader, hundreds of cute, cuddly and clowning around characters made their way through downtown Cedar City. It was a parade enjoyed by children of every age, whether you live in a shoe, on an ark, under a bridge, in the jungle or in a mighty castle. Of course, the Grinch, Mrs. Claus and Santa himself joined in to help ring in the upcoming holidays.





PHOTOS BY COREY BAUMGARTNER

calendar

WED, NOV 10

Forget Me Not Day

CHARACTER SKETCHES "NATIONAL BOOK

Award - Celebrates the best literature in America." (Wed 6:30-7:30pm) Cedar City Library [303 N 100 E], 435-586-6661. All skill levels

CHANGE 4 VETERANS (6PM) @ CEDAR CITY

Main Street Park (200 N Main). Admission FREE and open to everyone. Collect your pocket change to help Veterans whose names we have been referred that need help with paying bills, purchasing food and more. Events include car show, meet the Veterans 6 pm – 8 pm and patriotic concert with "Ivory Keys of Huntington." To register your car call Performance USA (661) 749-4192.

WONDER WEDNESDAY (4-6PM) @ CEDARCity Library (303 N 100 E), FREE admission for all students K-5. Children, accompanied by an adult, can join for adventure and fun make-and-take activities. This week come and explore color with art projects and fun experiments!

SO UTAH WATERCOLOR FALL EXHIBIT (THRU

Nov 11) @ Kolob Gallery [111 S Main, Cedar City]. Featuring beautiful artwork from nine local artists. Sandra Anderson, Megumi Dold, Jan Hansen, Bronson Hardy, Vicki McGalliard, Debbie Robb, Teri Rochford, Carol Stenger, Mona Woolsev.

THURS, NOV 11

Veteran's Day

VETERANS DAY CEREMONY (10AM) @

Cedar City Veterans Park—Vietnam Memorial (200 N 200 E). Iron County Veterans Coalition invites everyone to come help honor our



SUU CERAMICS GUILD SALE (9-4PM, NOV

11-12) @ Sharwan Smith Living Room at SUU. Unique chili bowls, assorted pottery, and ceramic gifts created by students. Free soup with every purchase and will include a vegetarian option. INFO: www.suu.edu/arts.

SUU APEX EVENT - (11:30AM) @ SUU

Hunter Conference Great Hall (351 W University Blvd, Cedar City), FREE admission is FREE. INFO and the Event Stream Link visit www.suu.edu/apex. SPEAKER: Dr. Donna J. Nelson – American Chemist and science advisor to the AMC TV show, Breaking Bad.



ART WALL GALLERY: MEET THE ARTIST

RECEPTION – Jackie Hodges. (6-8pm) @ The Art Wall Gallery – Groovacious (195 W 650 S, Cedar City). Art display will remain until the end of the year. INFO: Groovacious Records (435) 867-9800.

PATRIOTIC VETERANS TRIBUTE CONCERT

(7:30pm) @ Heritage Center Theater (105 N 100 E, Cedar City). Free tickets are available at myosu.org. The concert also celebrates Cedar City's Birthday and will include Eric Dodge, Bill & Loretta Westbrooke, Southern Utah Chorale with a BIG Orchestra backing, it's a night you don't want to miss! INFO: www. mvosu.ora.

NATIONAL PARKS FEE FREE ENTRANCE - THE

National Park Service invites all visitors to remember our veterans by visiting any National Park Service site for FREE on Veterans Day. For additional fee-free entrance days visit www.nps.gov.



FRI, NOV 12

Donor Sabbath

IRON MISSION DAYS (10-4PM) @ FRONTIER

Homestead State Park (635 N Main, Ceda City). Admission \$2 per person or \$8 per family. Join for special activities including ropemaking, yard doll making, sand casting with paraffin wax, and live heritage demon-strations. The Cedar City Birthday Scavenger Hunt also kick off on the 12th. The scavenger hunt encourages families to explore, discover, and experience the past of Cedar City. Download the Scavenger Hunt game at www. cedarcity.org, on the Cedar City Corp Facebook page, or pick it up at the Cedar City Visitor Center (581 N Main St, Cedar City). INFO: (435) 586-9290.

CANYON VIEW FFA: RED NECK FALL

FESTIVAL (4-8pm) @ Diamond Z Arena (11 N Cross Hollow Rd, Cedar City). Family friendly event with vendors, craft fair, food, petting zoo, wild goat roping, pumpkin bowling, face painting, pony cart rides, a "Redneck Truck" contest and more! All proceeds will go to the CV FFA to help cover travel costs for the year and upcoming competitions. INFO: Canyon View FFA (435) 586-2813. VENDOR INFO: https:// forms.gle/PWkcnLivY4is6iZ4A

ICAMA CONCERT - MOUNTAINTOP SOUND

(7pm) @ Community Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall, 2279 N Wedgewood Lane, Cedar City. Live acoustic music concert.

CEDAR CITY MUSIC ARTS - "THE SPANISH

Brass" (7:30pm) @ Heritage Center Theater (105 N 100 E, Cedar City). CCMA's kicks of its 92nd Virtuoso Season with one of the most dynamic quintets on the international music stage! Tickets: \$30 Adults, \$15 Iron County & SUU Students. No children under 6. INFO: 435-865-2882, cedarcitymusicarts.org

SUU OPERA, "ALL TOGETHER NOW!"

(7:30pm, Nov 12-13) @ Thorley Recital Hall of the SUU Music Building. Performances are free and open to the public. Theatrical licensor Music Theatre International (MTI) created this revue for theatres across the globe to use as a local fundraising event. Ťickets: \$10 adults, \$8 alumni with card, \$5 for youth. SUU faculty/staff (and one guest) and

students can attend for free with a valid ID card. Tickets can be purchased at the America First Event Center Box Office, at the door the night of the performance, or online at www. suu.edu/arts

WADING BELOW: SUU FACULTY DANCE

CONCERT (Nov 12, 7:30pm, Nov 13, 2pm) @ Randall L. Jones Theatre (35 S 300 W, Cedar City). Tickets \$10 adults, \$8 alumni w/card, and \$5 youth. SUU faculty/staff and a guest, and students free with a valid ID card. Tickets purchased at America First Event Center Box Office, at the door the night of the performance, or online at www.suu.edu/arts. Due to COVID-19 we will be offering limited seating capacity and masks are expected. Please purchase tickets in advance. INFO: (435) 865-8667

SAT, NOV 13

World Kindness Day

FESTIVAL CITY FARMERS MARKET (10AM TO

1pm), @ 45 W Center Street. Every Saturday rain or shine. Artwork, baked goods, crafts, custom semi-precious stone, costume jewelry, farm fresh produce, homemade brownies & candies, home style treats, homemade jams & jellies, homeopathic items and 100% real honey. Free gift for fathers.

SATURDAY FARMER'S MARKET (10AM TO

1pm), @ IFA, 905 S Main. Good weather outside, bad weather inside. Farmers with vegetables, fruits, eggs, honey, baked goods & breads, meats, tamales, food vendors, hand-crafted items including soaps, lotions, jewelry, clothing, home décor and gifts for all ages. For booth prices & info: (435) 559-1657.



SUN, NOV 14

Fraud Awareness Week

"IF YOU'RE A COWBOY AND YOU'RE

dragging a guy behind your horse, I bet it would really make you mad if you looked back and the guy was reading a magazine." — Jack

MON, NOV 15

I Love to Write Day

MESSIANIC DANCE WORKSHOP (3:30-5PM) @ Cedar Library (303 N 100 E). INFO: 702-460 2317. Learn and do ancient Judeo-Christian

dances. Fun and Easy. **HEY CEDARS SQUARE DANCE CLUB (6:30** - 7:30pm) "A Taste of Square Dancing"

This dance is open to everyone...couples, singles, and families with children over 8 are welcome. The cost is FREE. INFO: Neil (909)

SUU ENSEMBLE MUSIC (7:30PM, NOV 15-16)

@ Thorley Recital Hall of the SUU Music Building. Free concerts open to the public. The SUU Brass and Woodwind Ensembles perform Monday, followed by the SUU Piano and String Ensembles on Tuesday. INFO: www. suu.edu/arts

TUES, NOV 16

Entrepreneur's Day

SUMA - EXHIBIT: THIS EARTH NOTES

- OBSERVATIONS (Mon-Sat 11am – 6pm) @ SUMA (13 S 300 W, Cedar City). Admission FREE. INFO: www.suu.ed/suma. 37 former artists-in-residence at the Montello Foundation interpret nature and its meaning.

WED, NOV 17

Guinness World Records Day

CHARACTER SKETCHES "NATIONAL BOOK

Award - Celebrates the best literature in America." (Wed 6:30-7:30pm) Cedar City Library [303 N 100 E], 435-586-6661. All skill levels

WONDER WEDNESDAY (4-6PM) ARTSFUSION

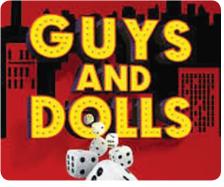
at SUMA (13 S 300 W). Admission FREE for students K-5. Children, accompanied by an adult, can join for adventure and fun makeand-take activities.

PRECEPT UPON PRECEPT BIBLE STUDIES (6:30

to 8:45pm) @ Cedar City Public Library (303 N 100 E). Straight-forward investigative approach to Bible study. Attendees discover truth by using three skills; observation, interpretation and application, Nondenominational studies consist of homework, discussion, and DVD lecture by Bible teacher Pete Delaney. Interested students call 435-267-2234 or 435-238-3078 for info/ register. Visit: www.precept.org

CANYON VIEW HIGH SCHOOL FALL MUSICAL

- "Guys and Dolls" (7pm, Nov 17th-22nd) at Canyon View High School (166 W 1925 N), pre-sold tickets \$7 adults and \$10 preferred seating. Days, Times and Tickets, available online at our.show/cvhsguysanddolls.



SUU FALL SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA (7:30PM)

@ Heritage Center Theater (105 N 100 E. Cedar City). Come fall in love with the SUU Symphony Orchestra. Featuring guest artist Dr. Laura Grantier. Tickets \$10 adults, \$8 alumni with card, \$5 for youth. SUU faculty/ staff (and one guest) and students can attend for free with a valid ID card. Tickets can be purchased at the America First Event Center Box Office, at the door the night of the performance, or online at www.suu.edu/arts.

Want your event on our calendar?

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calendar

ONGOING OPPORTUNITIES

GOVERNMENT

Cedar City Council

Wed (except 5th), 5:30 pm • City Hall, 10 N. Main St (435) 586-2950

Enoch City Council

1st & 3rd Wed, 6 pm • City Hall, 900 E Midvalley Rd • (435) 586-1119

Enoch Planning Commission

2nd & 4th Tues, 5:30 pm • City Hall, 900 E Midvalley Rd • (435) 586-1119

Iron County Commission

2nd & 4th Mon, 9 am • Commission Chambers, 68 S 100 E, Parowan

Iron County Democrats

3rd Sat, 9-10:30 am • Pastry Pub, 86 W Center Cedar City

Iron County Republican Women

3rd Wed, 11:30 am. Tickets \$20, https://www.ironcountyrepublicanwomen.com

Parowan City Council

2nd & 4th Thurs, 6 pm • City Hall, 35 E 100 N • (435) 477-3331

SERVICE GROUPS

American Legion Auxiliary

3rd Wed, 6 pm, Cedar Library, 303 N 100 E, Amer. Legion Conf. Room • (435) 704-6654

Bikers Against Child Abuse

1st Thurs 7 pm • Courtyard Marriott (1294 S Interstate Dr, Cedar City), Cedar Breaks Conference Room

Elks Lodge #1556

111 E Freedom Blvd. Cedar City, (435)

Lion's Club

Tues, 12 pm • Call Pres. Roger Shurtz for mtg. info. Everyone welcome! (435) 590-2896

Marine Corps League

Detachment 1315, 2nd Wed, 6 pm Elks Lodge, 111 E 200 N, Cedar City.

Rotary Club

Tues, 12:15 • Southwest Tech, 757 W 800 S, Cedar City • (435) 233-0244

SUPPORT GROUPS

AA—Alcoholics Anonymous

(435) 635-3603 • www.utahaa.org Helpline: John (702) 802-1332, Kara (702)

KKCB Club (203 E. Cobblecreek Dr, Cedar City) unless otherwise listed

Speaking From The Heart • M - Sa, Noon Steps and Traditions • M - Su, 7 am Red Road to Sobriety • Mon, 6 pm Paiute Indian Tribe of Utah, 440 N Paiute (435) 586-1112 Ext. 307

Misfits • M - F, 6 pm

Cedar Group • Tues, 8 pm

The Great Fact • T, F, Noon. • True Life Center (TLC) 2111 N. Main. • (702) 802-1332 or (702) 533-7856

Red Creek Group • Wed, 7 pm • 685 N 300 E, Parowan • (435) 477-8925

Women's Meeting • Sat, 10:30 am Mv Story • Sat. 8 pm

Thank God it's Sunday Spiritual • Sun, 11 am What a Way to Start the Day • Su, W, F 7-8 am • All are welcome

Al-Anon

KKCB Club (203 E. Cobblecreek Dr, Cedar City) unless otherwise listed

Al-Anon • 1st, 3rd Tues, 7-8 pm • Call for info: (435) 704-8984

Easy Does It • Tues, 7-8 pm • (435) 559-3333 Hope for Today (Family Groups) Thurs, 6 pm • (435) 559-3333

Alzheimer's Caregiver

Online Meetings: 2nd Fri, 5:30 pm, 4th Mon, 5:30 pm • RSVP to mjmiller@alz.org or (435) 238-4998 x8773

ARP—Addiction Recovery

1st Wed, 7 pm • Parowan Seminary building, Main & 300 N, Parowan
Sun 7:30pm • 85 N 600 W, Cedar City, Rm. 102 – LDS bldg. Back entrance. 435-218-9578

Caregivers

1st Tues, Noon • Five County Aging Offices, 585 N Main, Ste. 1, Cedar City

Celebrate Recovery

(Christian 12-Step Program) Wed 6:30 pm
• True Life Center, 2111 N Main, Cedar City. We believe that through Christ we can be victorious over any hurts, habits, hang-ups (Phil. 4:13) • Jeff J 801-638-1800, Gary D.

Helproom

Fri, 2-3 pm • Free online support group for survivors of Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault. Safe space to communicate, feel supported and share perspectives on healing, recovery. Join at: affiliate.rainn.org/ helproom/canyoncreekservices.

Multiple Sclerosis

3rd Thurs, 6-8 pm • Cedar Visitor's Center, 581 N Main. Caregivers and those with MS

Narcotics Anonymous

www.nasouthernutah.org • (435) 635-9603 KKCB Club (203 E. Cobblecreek Dr, Cedar City) unless otherwise listed

Basic Text Study • Mon, 8 pm Just for Today • Wed, 8 pm Hope Without Dope • Thurs, 8 pm Live and Let Live • Fri, 8 pm

Candle Light Meeting • Sat, 9:30 pm (Small room) Women Only • Sun, 11 am

Dopeless Hope Fiends • Sun, 8 pm • The Meeting Hall, 1067 S Main St, Cedar (877)

Pornography Addiction Recovery

Thurs, 7:30pm • Canyon View seminary building (54 W 1925 N). North entrance.

Pregnancy, Infant Loss

1st Wed, 7:30 pm • Share Families of So. Utah • 565 N Main Street, Ste. 6, Cedar • www.southernutahshare.com

Senior Blind/Visually

Impaired
3rd Thurs, 1:30 pm • Cedar City Library

Southwest Parkinson's Alliance

2nd Tues, 1 pm. • Cedar City Senior Center, 489 E 200 S • Kristy 435-559-9681.

CLASSES/ACTIVITIES

Adult Barre/Modern Dance

Wed, 11 am-noon, Spirit Wellness Club, 1615 N Main, Cedar City • All levels, Free to members, or \$8 drop-in fee.

Arthritis Foundations Exercise

Time TBA, Cedar Senior Center 489 E 200 S • 435-586-0832. FREE. Trained instructors. Range-of-motion exercises, endurance-building activities, relaxation techniques, and health education topics.

Book Club

2nd Thurs, 7 pm • Cedar Library 303 N 100 E.

Cedar Chest Quilters' Guild

Thurs, 10 am • Cedar City Senior Center, 489 E 200 S. Sewing projects for all abilities. Block of the Month. Make friends, improve your skills & have fun. Visitors are always welcome. Info: Ms. Ronnie Badgett. (435) 477-2243. cedarchestquiltersguild.org

Cedar Radio Control Club

4th Thurs, 7 pm • Cedar City Library 303 N 100 E.

Cedar City Toastmasters

Thurs, 7 am • The Pastry Pub • 86 W University Blvd. Find your voice & shape your future. Be the leader and speaker you want to be. (603) 731-0116

Cedar Professionals

Tues, 7:30 am • Springhill Suites, 1477 S Highway 91, Cedar City. Organization of business people. Stimulate business through exchange of ideas, information, referrals. www.cedarprofessionals.org

Color Country Pickleball

M-F, 7-10 am • 155 E 400 S (Cedar Stake Ctr), Paddles & balls supplied. (435) 586-6345

Color Country Winds

Wed • Come brush up on your band skills to share with the community. Call Debbie at (435) 559-9609 for time and location.

Explorer Bible Club

Wed, 6:30-8 pm • 4yrs. to 6th grade, Valley Bible Church (4780 N Hwy 91, Enoch).

Hey Cedars Square Dance

Mon, 6:30-8:30 pm • Cedar City Visitors Center, 581 N Main, Cedar City

Pickleball Group Weekdays, 7 am • SUU Pickleball Courts. Anyone is welcome. Fee is \$2 (indoors) and free (outdoors)

Rock Club

1st Thurs, 6 pm • Gateway Academy, 201 W Thoroughbred Way, Enoch. Learn about geology, find gems, fossils and minerals. Learn to cut and polish and make jewelry. southernutahrockclub.org

Senior Yoga Classes

Mon, 10-11 am & Wed, 1-2 pm • Cedar City Senior Center (489 E 200 S). Easy to do. Please bring own mat. (435) 586-0832

Southern Utah Woodturners

2nd Sat, 9 am, Cedar High School wood shop, 703 W 600 S.

StrongBoard Classes M-W-Fri, 9 am • IFS Studio, 2390 UT-56 #9,

Cedar City. Improve core strength, balance, stability. All fitness levels welcome. Class size limited to 8. Call (661) 436-0259 to register/reserve your spot. Tae Kwon Do Class

Wed, 7-8:30 pm • Cedar City Aquatic Center, 2090 W Royal Hunte Dr. \$25/mo., ages 5+, any experience level (435) 865-9223. Helps benefit Canyon Creek Crisis Center.

Tai Chi For Arthritis

Wed & Fri, 9:30-10:30 am • Cedar Senior Center, 489 E 200 S. FREE low-impact, health benefitting exercise for Seniors. Helps with coordination, balance, flexibility and more. To register – contact Maria Bailey (435) 673-3548. Space limited.

Take Action for Freedom

Wed, 7 pm • Stahli West 600 N. Airport Road, Cedar • Help preserve our Constitution, Republic, voting laws, medical freedoms, traditional education curriculum, 1st & 2nd Amendment Rights, education on CRT & Southern boarder issues/illegal immigration & local/county/state Legislature issues

Top Bar Hive Bee Keeping

1st Tues, 7 pm • Cedar City Library 303 N 100 E. (435) 586-6661

TOPS - Take Off Pounds Sensibly

Wed • Weigh-in 9 am, mtg 9:30 am. Evening weigh-in 6:30 pm, mtg 7-8 pm • Cedar City Library, 303 N 100 E. Lose weight without buying special foods. • 586-3233 (a.m. mtg) or 867-4784 (p.m. mtg)

Water Aerobics Class

Tues, Thurs, 9 am • SUU pool, 2-56 N 600 W., Fun, up-tempo workout to music. Intensive cardio, full body muscle toning. Any fitness level. All ages. \$3/class, including pool admission. (435) 327-2091 (no text)

Wellness Place

583 S Main Suite #5, Cedar City. (435) 592-5308. Classes: thewellnessplacecc.com/ upcoming-classes

To add your ongoing opportunity to our calendar, call 867-1865, ext.6 or email news@ironcountytoday.com

people

100TH **BIRTHDAY**

Alma Lawrence

Alma Lawrence turns 100! An open house honoring Alma will be

held on November 13th from 4-6pm at the Summit LDS Church (55 E. Main. Summit, UT).

Come celebrate with us and bring a written memory of Alma. No gifts please.



MISSION Sister Jannica **Johnson**

Sister Jannica Johnson has been called to serve in the Houston, Texas Mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day

Saints. She will be speaking at 9:00 am Sunday, November 14th in the Meadow Ranch Ward, 800 S Laurie Lane, Cedar City. Jannica is the daughter of Ryan and Laycee Johnson.

Want to submit an announcement?

There is no charge for birth, first birthday, mission, Eagle Scout, 50th anniversary (and up), wedding and 80th birthday (and up) announcements. Submissions can be made online at ironcountytoday.com, or emailed to news@ironcountytoday.com or brought to 389 N 100 W, #12, Cedar City, Utah 84721. The deadline is Friday at noon for the following week's issue. Announcements should be 100 words or less. Please call 435-867-1865 ext. 5 for pricing for all other announcements.



"Marbles Champion"

ave you ever lost your marbles? It's a familiar phrase and can be also be a frustrating phase of life. We've all had days where we feel like we're short a few marbles, or have lost them all completely. Which, can be easy to do in today's fast-paced, opposition laced life. It seems every day we read about some new conspiracy that tries to commit piracy on our peace of mind and our "marbles" (sanity).

This Rockwell illustration is perfect for the point of this week's

rut. This young "marbles champion" obviously knows how to play (and win) the



game. Observing her face, she's not just winning a marble here and there, she's playing to win all of them.

Never played marbles? Basically, you make a circle on the ground, place your marbles inside and then each person takes a turn with a "shooter" (larger marble) to try and knock marbles of out of the circle. Each marble you knock out becomes yours. And if you can

skillfully keep the shooter in the circle, you get another turn.

From the amount of marbles this young girl has won, her skills (and collection) are having an apparent effect

on her two opponents. One boy looks quite defeated (probably because most of his hard-earned while the other boy looks like he's just enjoying the display of her amazing skills. From his empty pocket, one might assume he doesn't have any marbles left to

worry about, or he can just enjoy watching now because he hasn't placed such a high price on his possessions as the other boy.

In the game of life, no matter where you feel like your marbles are at right now, it is imperative that you make time to truly ask yourself where your marbles are now, where they're going and where they're coming from.

Sometimes, it's even not that we choose the wrong circles, it's that we've neglected learning how to play better. We lose our marbles

because neglect nurturing and protecting them. We think it's alright to listen to any kind

of music, watch any movie, read any book and without any real consequence other than the spending our time—which is our greatest asset and ally, not enemy! True, you may not be able to

choose every opponent and arena in life, but for the most part, you can choose which circles (arenas)

you place your marbles in. Each arena (choice) will have its positives and negatives. You may lose a few marbles here and there, but if you keep learning how to play better and improve our skills (make

better choices), you'll also be able to live better.

I'm not here to judge the ruts you travel, I only encourage you to ask yourself honestly, are you sure they are worth it? Because every choice you make effects your marbles, emotions and your ability to live the best life you can. It's your

schools



Local FFA member awarded National American FFA Degree

from McKayla Plewe

CEDAR HIGH FFA ADVISOR

INDIANAPOLIS — Each year, the National FFA Organization honors FFA members who show the utmost dedication to the organization through their desire to develop their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education.

The American FFA Degree is bestowed upon a select group of students in recognition of their years of academic and professional excellence. This year 3,863 American Degrees were awarded.

Kenadee Stubbs, a former member of the Cedar High School FFA chapter in Cedar City, Utah, and current Vice-President of the Utah State FFA Association was awarded the American FFA Degree at the 94th National FFA Convention & Expo Oct. 27-30.

Speaking of her award, Kenadee shared, "Getting my American FFA degree kind of puts a cap on my career as a member of the Cedar FFA Chapter. Looking back to my freshman or sophomore year of high school something like this seemed impossible. But thanks to some amazing FFA advisors and especially thanks to Mrs. Plewe, I was able to get all my records and qualifications straight in order to earn this award! It means so much to me knowing that I left my high school chapter to some really amazing kids. I hope that I can

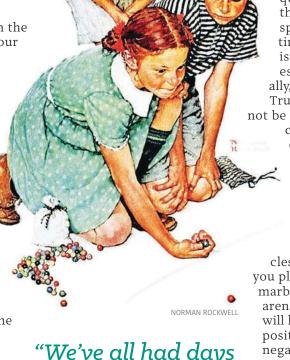
be the first in a very long line of Cedar FFA members to receive this degree and take every opportunity the FFA has to offer"

Sponsored by Case IH, Elanco Animal Health, NAU Country Insurance Company, PepsiCo Inc, RAM Trucks and Syngenta, the award recognizes demonstrated ability and outstanding achievements in agricultural business, production, processing or service programs.

To be eligible, FFA members must have earned and productively invested \$10,000 through a supervised agricultural experience (SAE) program in which they own their own business or hold a professional position as an employee. Recipients must also complete 50 hours community service and demonstrate outstanding leadership abilities and civic involvement through completion of a long list of FFA and community activities. Less than one percent of FFA members achieve the American FFA Degree.

Each recipient of the American FFA Degree receives a gold American FFA Degree key and certificate after being recognized at the national convention. The National FFA Organization is a school-based national youth leadership development organization of more than 760,000 student members as part of 8,700 local FFA chapters in all 50 states Puerto Rico.

For more, visit the National FFA Organization online at FFA.org and on Facebook and Twitter and visit FFA.org/Give.



"We've all had days where we feel like we're short a few marbles, or have lost them all completely."

marbles are now in her possession),

schools

ICSD NEWS NUGGETS

from LeAnn Woolstenhulme

IRON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fiddlers Canyon Elementary

Fiddlers Elementary is now participating in Coca-Cola Gives, a program that provides funds for our school and programs. Students can bring bottle caps or box flaps with codes on them to school in a baggie with their teacher's name on them. You can also encourage family, friends, and coworkers to save their caps and submit codes too! Learn more at http://us.coca-cola.com/give/schools.

If you or someone you know is interested in serving on the PTA board next year as president, president-elect, secretary, or treasurer, please contact Dawn in the front office at 435-586-2860 or message the PTA through the Fiddlers Canyon Elementary PTA Facebook page.

Mrs. Yang's 5th graders have been working hard on creating earthquake-proof structures as part of a unit on solutions to natural disasters. Looks like fun!



Three Peaks Elementary

Three Peaks Elementary had the pleasure of hosting the Canyon View High School Marching Band. We enjoyed learning about each of the different instruments and hearing the unique sounds they make. They performed some very upbeat songs and taught us the CV Fight Song. Thank you to the band director, Mr. David Jordan, for arranging the chance to hear this very talented group of musicians. We are also pleased to have our orchestra teacher, Katina Lopez, instructing our 5th grade students two times a Week. Students that have chosen to participate in this optional music program, attend class before school, bring their instruments back and forth from home, and practice often. Thank you to the ICSD for providing a teacher and to the parents for supporting this program.





Iron Springs Elementary

Iron Springs Elementary students participated in Sock-tober this past month. Sock-tober is a fundraiser started by Lizzie Huff who was diagnosed with a Brain Tumor at the age of 5. She spent much time at Primary Children's and wanted to give back to the children who have to spend time in the hospital like she did. Lizzie loves crazy fun socks and they brighten her day. This

gave her the idea to collect fun crazy socks to donate to Primary Children's hospital.

We were made aware of this fundraiser when Lizzie started school at Cedar High this year. Iron Springs Elementary students collected 653 pairs of socks! This year Lizzie collected enough socks to be able to give the nurses socks as well. We loved being a part of this wonderful fundraiser. We look forward to participating next October.

South Elementary

This last week was a busy, fun week at South Elementary! We participated in Red Ribbon Week, which encourages students to say, "No to Drugs!" On Thursday we had visitors from the Cedar City Police Department, we got to meet Deputy Kennedy and his police dog, Fenrir.

On Friday we had our Annual Halloween Parade! So fun to see all the smiles and costumes! Thank you to our wonderful PTA who organizes these fun events for our students and parents!



Escalante Valley Elementary

ICSD recently added (3) professional development days to the district calendar to provide an opportunity for faculty & staff to collaborate about school-wide goals and data in a PLC setting. On October 22nd, Escalante Valley School gathered together

to strengthen building relationships, review quarter 1 data and receive professional development training about the Big 8, including teacher clarity.



Enoch Elementary

Enoch Elementary paraded around and weaved through each classroom of the school during this year's Halloween Parade. The parents cheered from the lawn as each fun character went by. Principal Daniel Ekker brought smiles and laughs with his rodeo clown outfit.



Students are looking forward to Thanksgiving Break with their families on Nov. 24-26.

Gateway Students enjoy outdoor adventures





HOTOS COURTESY LAURA LARSON

Once again Gateway sixth graders were able to participate in their annual overnight field trip. This year we stayed local and went to the SUU Mountain Center for two nights. During our trip we enjoyed one of our local hikes, Hidden Haven in Parowan, where the students were surprised with a beautiful waterfall. Clark Planetarium joined us and shared two presentations with us. One was on the solar system scale models and the other was lunar phases. Other activities we were able to enjoy were ax throwing, t-shirt making, learning to play croquet, cornhole and more hiking. Our favorite part was just enjoying each other's company and developing relationships.

history

THE PRESIDENT COMES TO TOWN

COUNTDOWN TO CEDAR CITY'S 170TH BIRTHDAY

by Ryan D. Paul

SOUTHERN UTAH UNIVERSITY

The first passenger train rolled into Cedar City on June 27, 1923. The citizens of this small Southern Utah town happily anticipated the new train, but it was one passenger in particular who fueled their excitement. President Warren G. Harding was traveling through Southern Utah as part of his "Voyage of Understanding" tour. He was the first sitting United States President to visit Cedar City, and with him came an unforgettable day.

Harding's visit to Cedar City had been announced in newspapers since the beginning of June, and immediately the townsfolk started making preparations. An "energetic" council was assembled to execute the celebration, and organizations such as the Women's Republican Club went to work soliciting gifts to honor the President and First Lady. Some citizens even asked the City Council to direct workers to clear weeds from ditch banks on all streets, because they didn't want President Harding "...to think that Cedar citizens are too idle to keep their town free from unsightly weeds". Preparations lasted for several weeks, and the night before the anticipated day it was reported that car after car entered Cedar eager to see the Chief Executive.

It was a time in America when, regardless of political party or ideology, the presidential office received the highest deference. Thus, on the morning of Harding's arrival, a crowd of over 6,000 gathered to welcome him and his party. A caravan of more than thirteen cars, packed with the President and important state and local dignitaries, paraded down Main Street. The local

Presidential committee and thousands of local citizens greeted the entourage when they arrived at the depot. The Commanderin-Chief greeted each committee member, but paid particular attention to the children in attendance. Later, he was heard commenting that "the appearance of so many lovely children were an inspiration to him." The party continued through the city and other communities towards Zion National Park. They The visit of President . Warren G. **Harding** was a significant event in the history of Cedar City.

event ory of ity. rode horses there for several hours, before returning to Cedar to an even larger crowd.

Every member of the visiting presidential party was awestruck by the beauty and grandeur of Zion National Park. Howard H. Hayes, the Superintendent of Yellowstone National Park, was reported as saying that "...the thing that seemed to impress the President and members of his party most, of all the sights they beheld while on their trip west, was Zion National Park".

Before bidding farewell to Cedar City, President Harding delivered a twenty-minute speech from the rear of his private car. He complimented the people of Southern Utah on their pioneer heritage, industrial attitudes, and the beauty of their surroundings. He claimed that "when (he) tells of this trip to (his) successors all future Presidents will come to visit this country of wonders." Sadly, President Harding would never make it back to Washington D.C. alive. He passed away in San Francisco on August 2, 1923, six weeks after is short trip to Cedar City.

Pumpkins offer more than just decorating and carving



or many people, pumpkins are grown only for fall decorations or to carve for Halloween. If this is all you do with this winter squash (or some of the others that are locally grown) then you may be missing out on a great nutrient-dense food to add as a side dish for meals, making into pies or even baby food.

Nutrition and cooking

While all squash and pumpkins are edible, some have more sugar and flavor. If the fruit (Yes, pumpkins are referred to as a fruit by botanists) is fully mature, it will remain firm and can actually improve in storage, for 3 to even 6 months, if the rind has been cured properly and

is not bruised. Regardless of the type, cooking is similar for all squash or pumpkins, however, the large ones are much more difficult to handle and peel. The easiest way to prepare any of them is simply by cutting the fruit in half, removing the seeds and baking it cut side down. Rubbing the edges with olive oil, or butter prevents adhering to the pan.

As a winter squash, pumpkin is a good source of complex carbohydrates and fiber and may play an

important role in reducing the risk of colon cancer. Winter squash is also a source of potassium, niacin, iron and beta carotene. Usually, the darker the orange color, the higher the beta carotene content. Note that beta carotene is converted to Vitamin A, which is essential for healthy skin, vision, and bone development.

While there are some differences in the amount of nutrients in squash based on variety and maturity, in general, one cup of cooked, cubed squash contains: 80 Calories; 1.8 grams Protein; 18 grams Carbohydrate; 5.8 grams Dietary Fiber; 28.7 mg. Calcium; 0.67 mg. Iron; 895 mg. Potassium; 57 mcg Folate; 7,291.85 units Vitamin A.

Preparing pumpkins for storage

For successful long-term storage, wash the fruit with soapy water containing one part chlorine bleach to 10 parts water to remove the soil and kill the pathogens on the surface of the fruit. Make sure the fruits are well dried before setting in a shed to cure.

Pumpkin fruits are cured at 80-85 degrees F. and high humidity (80-85%) for 10 days. During this process the skin hardens and immature fruit ripens. After curing, the fruits should be stored in in a cool dry place and up off the floor—wooden pallets make great storage surface allowing air to circulate.

It is best in temperatures that do not fluctuate much with 50-55 degrees F. being ideal. Humidity also helps in keeping the fruits from drying out and extends the storage time to about 3 months.

What about other types of winter squash? Butternut, Turban, and Buttercup types can be stored at the same temperature and relative humidity and may store as long as 6 months.

A bit of trivia

The original pumpkin pie was made when colonists sliced off the tops of pumpkins, removed the seeds, filled the insides with milk, spices, and honey, and then baked it in hot ashes. For more information about winter squash, including pumpkins, see:

http://extension.illinois.edu/gardenerscorner/issue_01/fall_04_04.cfm.

Try a new recipe

Want to try a couple of new recipes for fresh pumpkin? Try these!

» Quick and Easy Creamy Pumpkin Soup: https:// web.extension.illinois. edu/pumpkins/pumpkinsoup.cfm

» Pumpkin Chili: https://www.tasteofhome.com/recipes/ pumpkin-chili/

» Homemade Fresh Pumpkin Pie: https:// www.allrecipes.com/ recipe/13711/homemadefresh-pumpkin-pie/

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'DIA DE LOS MUERTOS'



Each year SUMA celebrates "The Day of the Dead", a Mexican and Latin American holiday where friends and family gather together to honor and remember those who have died. The fun, family event included face-painting, food, sugar-skull painting and special performances.



NON-PROFIT SPOTLIGHT

Free Bronze Military Plaque Cleaning Made Available to Iron County Families

As we approach the holiday season, we as a community want to remember and honor the great men and women who served our country and provided us with the freedom we enjoy. **HEADSTONE RESTORATION** is offering to clean any individual bronze veteran's plaque in Iron county for FREE on a first come first serve basis contingent upon weather. This offer is valid through December 1, 2021. To request this service be provided for your veteran call 435-865-7343 and mention you saw this story.

Aviator in the Pacific – George Milton Sevy: 1920-1980

STORY 3 OF 6

At age 21, George Milton (Milt) Sevy joined the U. S. Army Air Corps in March 1942, three months after Pearl Harbor. The Cedar High School and BAC graduate had obtained a private pilot's license and he loved to fly.

After training, Lieutenant Sevy flew to Australia in February 1943, then to New Guinea. Flying a B-25 Mitchell bomber, he was part of the 71st Bomb Squadron, "The Wolf Pack"

In early March 1943 Milt took part in the Battle of the Bismarck Sea. The Japanese were attempting to reinforce their positions in New Guinea with troops and supplies. During three days of battle, 137 U. S. bombers destroyed eight Japanese troop transports and four destroyers. Over 100 Japanese aircraft were also downed by American and Australian planes.

Later missions that Milt participated in included the bombing of the airfields at Wewak and Rabaul. Some missions were extremely successful, others resulted in only partial success while suffering heavy losses. The bombers would often fly low to avoid detection by enemy radar. Flying low increased the accuracy of the bombing, but it also increased risks to pilots and

The bombers often attacked in formation, firing at ships from low altitude, perfecting skip bombing, where the bombs were fitted to skip across the water at 200 mph. The pilot would then swing between the mastheads of the ship. Such low level flying provided deadly accuracy.

Milt advanced rapidly to the rank of







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obituaries

Brody Glade Bulloch



Our lanky, fun-loving cowboy, Brody Glade Bulloch, passed away on November 4, 2021, from injuries sustained in vehicle rollover. Born September 13, 2004, to Gary Burke and Suzette Sorensen Bulloch, Brody was welcomed into a loving, faith-filled family by his older siblings. From that point on, he was always on the move, ready for his next adventure, and daring anyone to just try and stop him.

Blessed to live in a neighborhood where everyone, from kids to adults,

were his best friends, Brody was never lacking in fun or freezer pops. He treated every home as his own and was loved by all. He was a wanderer and always knew where he was—even if we didn't

A natural in the saddle, Brody spent countless hours working beside his father and uncles gathering cattle and continuing the Bulloch family legacy as the sixth generation. It is from these great men where he learned to never back down, family first, colorful language, trick riding, and relentless jeering. His remarkable quick, dry wit will be missed by so many. And for those who didn't appreciate it, he couldn't give a rat's ass.

Brody had a persistent slouch, but that never stopped him from standing up and caring for others. He was our lion-hearted boy who brought home every stray, whether a new friend or dog. He had a great love for animals and a generous spirit.

Brody was competitive and liked to win as much as he liked to sing. He was our comedian, our LSU football fanatic, our shock factor, our gamer, and our sugar fiend. There will never be another Brody!

He is survived by his parents, his sister McCall (Ryan), his brother Angus, his Grandpa Glade, and many uncles, aunts, and cousins. He is preceded in death by his grandparents Nelson and Hazel Bulloch, grandmother Sherie Sorensen, and his dog Spark.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, November 10 at 11:00 am at the Parowan First Ward (59 S 100 W). Public viewings were held at the same location on Tuesday, November 9 from 6:00-8:00 pm, and on Wednesday morning from 9:00-10:30 am. Interment will be held at the Cedar City Cemetery under the direction of Southern Utah Mortuary. Online Condolences can be sent to www.sumortuary.com. We express our deepest gratitude to the dispatchers, first responders, and the many families and friends who have offered love and support. We offer our condolences and sympathies to the other impacted families.

Frederick Thomas Lloyd



Frederick Thomas Lloyd, age 68, passed away on November 5, 2021, in St. George, Utah. He was born June 17, 1953, in Monrovia, California, to Richard and Donna (Sonflieth) Lloyd.

Fred was raised in Southern California and was the first of twelve children. Fred was into cars and he loved being a part of the Glendora High School Band. Once graduated, Fred enlisted in the Army and served his country in the Vietnam War. When Fred's enlistment was up, he chose to stay and make a life for himself

in Honolulu, Hawaii. He married Sherry Palmer and had a Son, Richard Lloyd. He raised his son in Pee-Wee football, go-karts, baseball, band and finally stock cars. In 1996, Fred's wife Sherry passed away due to complications from diabetes. His son, Richard stayed close to his father until his death March 1, 2020.

September 20, 1996, Fred married Becky (Robles) Lloyd and had one daughter Anna (Lloyd) Harrah. Fred's life consisted of automotive work and quick lubes. Cars were his passion along with his membership in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Fred was truly happy when serving in the Temples. He was an ordinance worker for 16 years. Fred enjoyed being involved in the church and spent the last physically abled years in his calling as serving with the SUU College Stake. Fred was a fantastic cook and cooked all the holiday meals for his family. He always shared his love of food with others. Disneyland was a big part of Fred's life and he vacationed there frequently with his family.

Fred is survived by his wife Becky and daughter Anna and 2 Grandchildren, Owen and Kayla. He will truly be missed.

A graveside service will be held Friday, November 12, 2021, at the New Harmony Cemetery at 11:00 a.m. under the direction of Affordable Funeral Services, 2002 North Main Street, Cedar City, Utah (435) 586-3456.

obituaries

Florene Patterson Barton



Our beloved mom and friend, Florene Patterson Barton, joined her loved ones on the other side, November 2, 2021, at her home in Paragonah. Florene was born March 7, 1948, to Lucinda Higgins and Floran Patterson, in Milford, Utah. She attended school in Beaver graduating from Beaver High School in 1966. She married Val H. Barton, April 8, 1966, in Beaver, Utah. Their marriage was later solemnized in the St. George Temple. Florene was a loving mother and

homemaker. She was very active in the community, serving as the Paragonah Civic Committee President for several years. She received the Citizen

of the Year award in 2013. She was always willing to help out with fundraiser and community activities.

She was an active member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, serving in the primary, relief society and as ward historian. She will be greatly missed in the Paragonah community. She is survived by her two daughters, Valerie (Leonard Curtiss),

Belinda Barton, her sister Gwen (Dennis) Mertlich, her brother Wayne (Dawn) Patterson and her beloved dog Blaze. She is preceded in death by her parents, husband Val H. Barton, half-sister Nancy Patterson, and her beloved dog Smokey.

A viewing was held on Friday, November 5th at 11:00 am, at the Paragonah LDS Church, followed by a graveside service at the Paragonah Cemetery. The family would like to thank all of those who have given their love and support during this difficult time.

LaRae Marshall Parkinson



LaRae Marshall Parkinson, age 73, passed away on the morning of November 1, 2021, in St. George, Utah after a difficult illness related to covid-19 infection. She was born in Beaver, Utah on March 6, 1948, to Clauss Rollins Marshall and Melba Wynonah Halley Marshall. She grew up in Milford, Utah and graduated from Milford High School. She married Kenneth Charles Orton on January 29, 1966. She was widowed on August 3, 1967. She married William Murdock Parkinson on April 30, 1970, in Las Vegas, Nevada,

She was a loving daughter, mother, sister, aunt and friend, but most

importantly she was a loving grandmother to her grandchildren. They loved her caring ways which included being a good listener, always being there and keeping them out of trouble. She was an excellent cook, gardener, semi-truck driver, and wood cutter. She loved music and dancing, and always had the radio on listening to country music or the oldies. She loved to be in the mountains camping, hunting or cutting wood and in the semi-truck seeing the country. When she was at home, she was constantly busy taking care of her home, garden and flowers, cooking and canning, and looking after

She is survived by her children Troy Orton (Jackie) of Greenville, Utah, Robin Horton (Marc) of Milford, Utah, Cody Parkinson and Cole Parkinson both of Cedar City, Utah, and Kallene Schroder of Ivins, Utah, 20 grandchildren, 9 great-grandchildren with one on the way, her sister Connie Mortensen (Kenny) of Delta, Utah and her brother Arlan Marshall of Taylorsville, Utah.

She is preceded in death by her spouse Kenneth Charles Orton, spouse William Murdock Parkinson, parents Clauss Rollins Marshall and Melba Halley Marshall, sister Leslie Anderson, infant brother

Steven Marshall and infant sister Robin Marshall.
Funeral services were held Monday November 8, 2021, at 12:00 at the Church of Jesus Christ Latter-day Saints (3575 North, Minersville Highway, Enoch, Utah). A viewing was held the same day and location from 9:00 to 11:30. Interment was at the Enoch City Cemetery under the direction of Southern Utah Mortuary. Online condolences can be sent at www.sumortuarv.com.

Want to submit an obituary?

There is no charge for obituaries of 400 words or less. Submissions can be made online at ironcountytoday.com, or emailed to news@ironcountytoday.com or brought to 389 N 100 W, #12, Cedar City, Utah 84721. A single submission may include up to two photos. The deadline for submission is Monday at noon. For pricing information for obituaries longer than 400 words, please call 435-867-1865 ext. 5.

Linda Hintze Larsen



Linda Hintze Larsen passed away on November 5, 2021, after a valiant battle with cancer. Born July 17, 1943, in Salt Lake City to Eugene and Jennie Hintze. She married Ronald "Ace" Larsen in the Manti Temple on August 23, 1962. They made a great team and you rarely saw one without the other. After living many places Ron and Linda made their . home in Parowan Utah where they have spent the last 47 years.

Linda is a beloved Wife, Mother to 9, Grandmother to 35, Great-

Grandmother to 15 with 3 on the way, and a collector of people who came into her life along the way. Linda was an amazing woman who loved unconditionally and was loved by all who knew her. She was a genuine friend, sister, aunt, missionary x5, quilter, homemaker extraordinaire (if it could be made, she made it), EMT, licensed beautician, farmer, camper, nurse's aide, PTA president, hospital board member, musician (played the piano, ukulele, and accordion as well as sang with her sisters), piano teacher, fabric and sewing machine hoarder, sewing machine repair woman, world traveler, "therapist/ family counselor", nativity collector as well as serving in many church callings. She had a firm testimony in her Savior and loved the gospel of Jesus Christ. Her legacy will be the people she loved and influenced.

Linda is survived by her husband Ronald Larsen and their children; Donnette Tew (Glade), Tresa Larson (Kent), LeAnn Haws (Jim), Mike Larsen, Scott Larsen (Dawn), Renel Sobel (Tony), Chad Mossinger (Heather), Devin Larsen (Melissa), and Kenneth Larsen (Abigail).

We know among those who were waiting to embrace Linda as she began binding her eternal life quilt are her Parents; Gene and Jennie Hintze, Brothers; Lamar and Gene Hintze; Kelvin Swoop and other family and friends gone before her. Services will be held Saturday, Nov 13, 2021, at 11:00am

at the Parowan 5th Ward (59 S 100 W, Parowan, Utah) with viewings Friday 6:00-8:00pm and Saturday 9:30-10:30am. Her final resting place will be in the Parowan City Cemetery under the direction of Southern Utah Mortuary. Online Condolences can be sent to www.sumortuary.com.

The family asks in lieu of flowers, small brand new throw size blankets be donated to Primary Children's Hospital. Donations can be made at the funeral or you may Venmo @ Tresa-Larson and all money will be used to purchase blankets to be donated.

Iva Veloy Ashworth



Our loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, great-greatgrandmother, and great-greatgreat-grandmother returned to the arms of her sweetheart Tuesday, November 2, 2021.

Veloy was born January 18, 1922, to Charles Erick Nelson and Mary Ann Powell Nelson.

She married her high school sweetheart Ezra K. Ashworth January 18, 1939, in Beaver, Utah and was later solemnized in the St. George Temple.

Veloy was always helping others and giving out hugs. She loved being with family and friends.

She worked many years as a nurse at the doctor's office. She was involved in many civic duties in the community and was active in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints where she held many callings. She continued volunteering at the hospital up until 2 weeks ago.

Veloy was a very loving, kind and honest person. She made everyone's day by just being around her.

She is survived by her children, Marilyn K. Anderson, Nelson E. (Beth) Ashworth, Suzann (Max) Crandell, Charles K. (Patty) Ashworth and Wendy Draper; 25 grandchildren; 60 great-grandchildren; 24 great-great-grandchildren and 5 great-great-greatgrandchildren with 4 more on the way.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, 3 brothers, 3 sisters, 3 son in-laws, a daughter in-law and one great-granddaughter.

A funeral service was held Friday, November 5, 2021, at 12:00 pm with a viewing prior from 9:30 – 11:30 am at the Beaver 3rd Ward (220 North Main Street Beaver, Utah). Interment immediately followed at the Mountain View Cemetery under the direction of Southern Utah Mortuary. Online condolences can be made at www.sumortuary.com.

Nicole Bulloch



Nicole Bulloch, age 48, our beloved mother passed away on November 2021, in St. George, Utah surrounded by her family. She is now at peace after a long-fought battle. She was born July 22, 1973, in Cedar City, Utah to Brad and Danise (Schoppmann) Bulloch.

Nicole was the oldest of four children but being the only girl, she quickly learned how to stand her ground. She spent most of her growing up years in Cedar City, Utah and later graduated in Logan, Utah. For many years she worked in health

care and loved each and every patient. Nicole loved to be out in sun and enjoyed the many hours she spent at House Rock with her Grandpa Schoppmann. She was a firecracker and lived by the motto that "dynamite comes in small packages". She was always willing to help someone out and always put herself last. No matter the situation she believed and made others believe that it would all work out. Nicole fiercely loved her two children, Kort and Cray, who were the joy of her life. Nicole loved being a mother and was so proud of her children and all their accomplishments. As much as she loved her children nothing compares to the love she had for her Grandbabies (Taylie, Hurley & Neko).

Mom, you'll be greatly missed! There will never be another

Nicole is survived by her daughter, Kortny (Joe) and her son, McCray (Michelle), her Grandbabies; Her mother, Danise (John) DeCuir; Her brothers, Warren Kyler (Amber), Ira Brett and Bradley Shawn. She is preceded in death by her father, Brad Bulloch.

A viewing was held on Friday, November 5, 2021, at Affordable Funeral Services, (2002 North Main Street, Cedar City, Utah) from 5:00-7:00p.m. Interment was at the Cedar City Cemetery under the direction of Affordable Funeral Services.

Leilani Spendlove Davis



Leilani Spendlove Davis, 74, died October 27, 2021, in Cedar City, Utah. She was born October 11, 1947, in Cedar City, Utah, to Elwin and Helen Russum Spendlove. She married Mazel Kay Davis on April 27, 1973, in Cedar City, Utah.

Leilani is survived by her Prince Charming Good Ol Boy: Mazel Kay Davis; children: Preston Kay Davis of Cedar City, Andrea (Eric) Hatch of Cedar City; grandchildren: Tyler Le Marr, Braxstyn Davis, Josiah Hatch, Makenzee Hatch, Tyson Hatch, Jazmin Hatch; her

sisters: Elaine Reeve and Celeste Green; along with many dearly loved cousins, nieces, nephews, and brothers and sisters in law. She was preceded in death by her father and mother and her daughter, McKenzie Davis.

Leilani was raised in Cedar City, Hurricane, and Huntington Beach, California. She graduated from Huntington Beach Marina High School in 1965. She was an amazing artist with talents like painting, woodworking, crochet, and needlepoint with most of her art being displayed in her love of carousel horses. She also had an amazing sense of humor, always looking for a great joke followed by her signature laugh. She had a love of the beach and the ocean from her time growing up in California but also adored her southern Utah mountains and autumn leaves.

She had many other talents such as the ability to perfectly fold a fitted sheet, make what should have been world-famous gravy and tacos, the most beautifully done eyelashes you've ever seen, and could win Olympic gold in the sport of spoiling grandchildren. Leilani enjoyed many other interests such as archery, bowling, golf, and entertaining all of us with her jokes, beautiful pictures, and wine quotes on Facebook. She treasured a great conversation with a beloved friend while watching her birds outside the kitchen window, she could make the most off-color joke sound classy, and was the epitome of what it meant to be a lady.

Funeral services were held in Cedar City, Utah on Saturday, November 6, 2021, at the Cedarview Ward Chapel followed by burial in the Cedar City Cemetery.
In lieu of flowers, Leilani asks that donations be made to St.

Jude's Children's Research Hospital, www.stjude.org.

The family wishes to thank everyone at the Cedar City Hospital ICU, Metcalf Mortuary, and her doctors and Leilani wants everyone to go look at the moon, root for her "Bucs", never wish away the days, and remember Winnie the Pooh always had the best advice.

Arrangements entrusted to the care of Metcalf Mortuary. Please visit our website at www.metcalfmortuary.com for condolences, complete obituary, and funeral listings.

faith

Helping children improve their circumstances (Part 4)

by Edy Meredith

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

ow can I help children? I can't adopt. I'm a retired widow. However, I recently found out that there are ways even an older man or woman can help children. Please read through this article to the end.

For older children who qualify, emancipation can be a wonderful event because it indicates that a person is capable and has been set free from the supervision of others. To receive a Court Order of Emancipation, a child must be a minor 16 years or older, able to manage his/her own financial affairs with their own money, and able to live independently of parents or guardians. A minor with these capabilities can file a petition in the juvenile court of the judicial district in which s/he lives and provide notice of the petition to parents, any legal guardian, and other interested parties depending upon their circumstances. Once emancipation is declared by

the court, the minor may enter into contracts, buy and sell property, sue or be sued, retain his or her own earnings, borrow money for any purpose including for education, and obtain healthcare without parental consent. The parent or guardian is no longer responsible for their support and no longer can be held liable for any torts the minor may commit. Please go to the following web site

- CASA) are community volunteers who speak out to help abused and neglected children. They ensure that the children's needs and interests are served by providing a unique and critical service. The CASA website can be accessed at: utahcasa.org. CASA is looking for volunteers who will become advocates for individual children.

CASA was started in 1977 when

support more than 77,000 volunteers. CASA organizations have received many awards.

In the early 1990's the Child Welfare System in the State of Utah was reorganized as publicity of child deaths grew with accounts of severe abuse. In late 1993, the States of Utah settled a court case, and the Division of Child & Family Services were put under the federal government's oversight. Because of that the Office Guardian ad Litem and CASA were created in 1994 to provide legal representation to children. There are now over 40 Guardian ad Litem attorneys in our Eight Judicial Districts of Utah representing over 10,000 children involved in the court system. Please consider becoming a CASA volunteer. Applications and information can be found at the CASA website above.

Please put your beliefs and love of children into action by becoming a CASA volunteer with information at utahcasa.org. God is watching how we treat the least among us and the most vulnerable (Matthew 18:1-3).

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for more information and guidance for the necessary information about emancipation: utcourts.gov/ resources/forms/emancipation/.

For children younger than 16 years of age, CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) exists. Minor children come into State care not by their own fault, but because of the acts and/or negligence of their parents and caregivers. Court Appointed Special Advocates (a registered name

Judge David Soukup of Seattle, Washington, was dissatisfied that the justice system was not working in the best interest of children. He came up with the idea of recruiting and training community volunteers to investigate, report, and be advocates for children's best interests. The program has become very successful with nearly 61,000 existing CASA and Guardian ad Litem programs nationwide today that recruit, train, and

"Letters From War" (Mark Schultz)

his week's powerful song (and video online) is dedicated to each of our Veterans. May their courage help us fight the good fight until we are home again.

What would you want your children to know about your life? You may not share every battle, but sharing the lessons you've learned can make a definite difference. Your words may be just what they (or anyone else) needs to hear to help them get back up and keep fighting. Because each of us are on different battlefields of life, God has given us our orders, our spiritual ammunition and our

provisions to help us fight the good fight and bring us home (1 Timothy 6:12, 4:7).

What enemies are you facing today? Chances are they're more deafening and defeating than those of flesh and blood (Ephesians 6:12). The

greatest battles in our lives are often fought in the battlefields of lonely bedrooms, not packed boardrooms. No matter your battles, I encourage you today to keep fighting. And when you fall and fail, take the outstretched hand of the Savior and get back up and back into the battle.

Today, your skills, talents and experience are needed on the battlefield. Because there are those facing the same enemies and fighting the same battles that you have defeated. They need your courage and wisdom to help them seize the day and win their battles. Because sometimes the

toughest battles we face are when we feel we're all alone and can't go on anymore. How grateful we are for those who give us a shoulder to cry on, lean on and to help lift us up when we fall, or get knocked down by life.

Yes, we can do all things through Christ (Philippians 4:13) and have a personal responsibility to endure to the end (Matthew 24:13). However, we all need help sometimes and it is often through others that Christ blesses us and answers our prayers. Whether it's a formal calling of ministering, or through an invested friendship, God has called

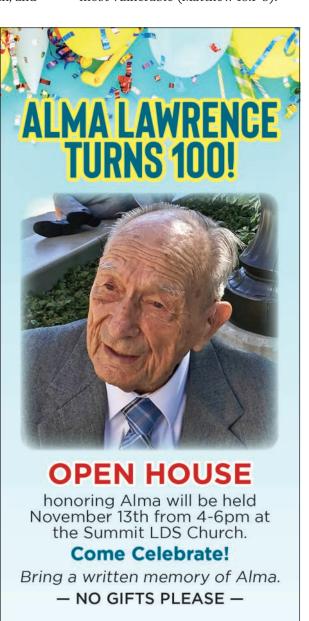
each of us to love one another (John 15:12) and help carry each other's burdens (Galatians 6:2). If we say we are Christians, ought not we also strive to live like Christ (1 John 2:6)?

While it is not our job to save everyone or solve every problem, it

is our privilege to love everyone. It may be easier to tell someone to "hang in there" (Genesis 4:9) than to find a way to help them, but when you truly listen to your heart, the Lord will help you see their true need and do something to make a difference. He will give you an encouraging word to share, or increase your time, talents, treasure to help them.

When the Lord brings people across your path this week who need love, don't hesitate to love and elevate them (Hebrews 10:24-25). For it is always love that leads people to Christ and He will lead them (us) home.





sports

BEAVERS SHUT DOWN WILDCATS IN 2A SEMIS

by Tom Zulewski

IRON COUNTY TODAY

Head coach Jon Marshall knew. His Beaver Beavers football team knew. Defense can make a difference, especially with a return trip to play for a 2A state championship on the line. On Nov. 6, the Beavers made the plays that mattered and earned another shot at a title.

Cobe Carter ran for two short touchdowns and Avden Bradshaw added a key 2-yard run in the fourth quarter that proved to be the difference as Beaver slipped past the South Summit Wildcats, 21-14

at Eccles Coliseum to advance to the 2A title game for the third straight season.

The Beavers improved to 11-1 overall and earned a rematch with the San Juan Broncos on Saturday at Stewart Stadium in Ogden. San Juan (11-1) ended the Beavers' 34-game winning streak with an 8-0 win Oct. 8 and routed Summit Academy, 60-35 in the first semifinal of the day.

"(South Summit) beat us on a couple

of deep passes in the first half," Marshall said. "We weren't doing terrible, but kept doing what we were doing. They chose to kick into the wind, we got field position, and when they got the ball back, it was hard for them. It worked to our advantage, and we made some huge stops in the fourth quarter."

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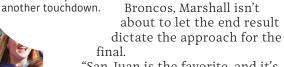
South Summit (11-1) led 14-7 at the half, but Beaver was able to tie the game with a 74-yard third-quarter drive that lasted more than six minutes. Carter capped it off with a 1-yard run with 4 minutes left in the period.

After a three-and-out and a poor punt into a stiff wind, the Beavers took advantage of the short field and Bradshaw scored with 9:22 to play in the fourth quarter. The defense did the necessary work from there and secured the win.

"We didn't even let them threaten us in the second half," Marshall said. "It was a phenomenal effort?

As for the rematch with the





"San Juan is the favorite, and it's well deserved," he said. "We're going have to look at film and see what kind of adjustments we'll need to make and I'm sure they'll be doing the same. We're there, we have nothing to lose, and we're playing a really good team. We're excited to see if we're good enough to beat

In the 3A semifinal games, Will Korth ran for three touchdowns and Morgan pulled away in the second half to knock out No. 1 seed and defending state champion Juab,



Robinson signs letter with Salt Lake CC softball



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Canyon View senior Erin Robinson signs her letter of intent to play softball for Salt Lake Community College on Nov. 3. by Tom Zulewski

IRON COUNTY TODAY

She's played basketball and softball in high school, but Canyon View senior Erin Robinson knew where she fit in best as she thought about playing sports in college. On Nov. 3, Robinson made her choice official and will be heading to the softball diamonds at Salt Lake Community College. She signed her letter of intent on campus in front of teammates, friends and family.

"I've always loved basketball and softball, but my love for softball has always been so much more because I've been playing it longer," said Robinson, who led the team in hitting as a junior with a .575 batting average that included 23 of her 61 hits for extra bases.

The Falcons finished fourth in the state in 4A last spring with a 24-7 record, falling twice to eventual state runner-up Tooele. Although CV will be dealing with a lot of unknowns in the 3A ranks, Robinson believes her teammates won't miss a beat.

"We've been playing together pretty much our whole lives," she said. "As long as we stay together, even at 3A, we're gonna compete and shock a lot of people."

Robinson has had her father, J.R. Robinson, as CV's head softball coach for all of her three years and knows how much more drive she's had to succeed with him in the dugout.

"He knows what I'm capable of and if he sees I'm not giving it my all at any

point, he'll drill me down and let me know to keep working harder," she said.

"I don't know if I did much steering," J.R. Robinson said of his daughter. "This has been a goal of hers since she was little. It's a passion she's had and something she wanted to work towards. She had an outstanding junior year, especially offensively that got her some exposure.

"Salt Lake pursued her the hardest. She met with them, and SLCC plays her style of ball. It was a good fit for her and the team was a good fit. She fell in love with the program and didn't care to look much after that."

Erin Robinson confirmed she will play basketball for head coach Jaycee Barnhurst and finish out her softball career at CV in the spring.

SCOREBOARD

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Region 10 Prep Football

11/5 4A PLAYOFFS, SEMIFINALS Dixie 42, Pine View 20

Ridgeline 49, Crimson Cliffs 34 **3A South Prep Football**

11/6 3A PLAYOFFS, SEMIFINALS

At Eccles Coliseum

Morgan 54, Juab 38

Grantsville 28, Juan Diego 14

1A South Prep Football

1/5 1A PLAYOFFS, SEMIFINALS At Eccles Coliseum Duchesne 32, Milford 18 Layton Christian 14, Kanab 13

STANDINGS

Region 10	Prep Foot	ball
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Desert Hills (1)	6-0	9-2
Dixie (4)	5-1	9-3
Crimson Cliffs (6)	4-2	8-5
Snow Canyon (8)	3-3	5-5
Pine View (9)	2-4	7-5
Cedar (10)	1-5	2-8
Hurricane (12)	0-6	2-9

3A South Prep Football REGION OVERALL

Juab (1) Canyon View (7)	5-0 3-2	10-2 5-6
Richfield (10)	3-2	4-7
Manti (8)	2-3	3-7
North Sanpete (5)	2-3	5-7
Carbon (11)	0-5	2-8
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1A South Prep Football

<u> </u>	REGION	OVERALL
Kanab (2)	5-0	9-3
Enterprise (3) Milford (4)	4-1 3-2	6-4 7-5
Parowan (8)	2-3	6-6
North Sevier (5) Gunnison (9)	1-4 0-5	6-5 3-7
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SCHEDULE

Region 10 Prep Football

11/12 4A PLAYOFFS, CHAMPIONSHIP At Rice-Eccles Stadium Dixie vs. Ridgeline

3A South Prep Football

11/13 3A PLAYOFFS, CHAMPIONSHIP At Stewart Stadium, Ogden Morgan vs. Grantsville

1A South Prep Football

11/13 1A PLAYOFFS, CHAMPIONSHIP At Stewart Stadium, Ogden Duchesne vs. Layton Christian

T-Birds fall to Idaho in final road game of 2021

by Tyler Roper

SUU ATHLETICS STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION

MOSCOW, Idaho — In its final road test of the 2021 season, the Southern Utah University football team was unable to generate enough opportunities as the Thunderbirds fell to Idaho, 42–24, Saturday afternoon at the ASUI-Kibbie Activity

Southern Utah dropped to 1-9 overall for the year and 0-7 in league play with the loss. The Vandals improved to 3-6 on the season and 2-4 in the Big Sky Conference.

"Idaho was more physical than us today," said SUU head coach Demario Warren. "They ran the ball down our throats, and we couldn't stop them. The offense couldn't keep up and score enough points, so now all we can do is lock in for next week. We have one more game against Weber State, so we just have to turn around and get ready for that one."

Idaho quickly jumped out to a 14-0 lead, but freshman running back Preston Larson helped the Thunderbirds get back into the game with an impressive performance on the ground. Larson rushed for 27 yards on SUU's first scoring drive of the game and capped the drive with a touchdown from one yard out. The score was aided by Frank Harris III who converted a third down and seven from near midfield in the form of a 44-yard reception that placed SUU inside the Idaho 10-yard line.

The T-Bird defense made a big stop on the following Idaho drive and gave the offense the ball back which resulted in a field goal for Southern Utah. The Thunderbirds were unable to add any more points before halftime, though, and the Vandals capitalized by scoring two more touchdowns of their own to take a

28-10 lead into the locker room.

On its first possession out of the halftime break, SUU recaptured some momentum as it went on a 75-yard scoring drive. The Thunderbirds went 62 yards down the field before Justin Miller found Brandon Schenks wide open in the front corner of the endzone for a 13-yard touchdown strike.

Southern Utah's defense appeared to have the Vandals stopped on the ensuing drive, but a measurement on fourth down proved otherwise and Idaho extended its lead with a touchdown run just a few plays later.

Later in the half, an interception

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Top seed Duchesne starts fast, holds off Milford

by Tom Zulewski

IRON COUNTY TODAY

Duchesne head coach Jerry Cowan had only one regret in his team's 1A football semifinal game, admitting he was "too conservative" in calling plays. With one big defensive play and another big kickoff return, the Eagles did just enough to get a victory and return to a familiar place.

Parker Crum threw two first-quarter touchdown passes and Branon Torgerson returned a fumble 40 yards for a score just before halftime as Duchesne beat the Milford Tigers, 32-18 on Nov. 5 in the 1A state semifinals at Eccles Coliseum.

"(Milford) played good enough to win. We just made two or three special teams plays and one or two defensive plays that were the difference in the game," said Cowan, who took his team to the title game for the second year in a row. "When you get an onside kick, a defensive touchdown and a kick return for a touchdown, it's really hard to lose when you do that."

Duchesne (10-1) started the game and shocked Milford (7-5) with an onside kick they recovered at the

Tigers' 47-yard line. Garrett Fabrizio completed the drive with a 7-yard touchdown catch from Crum and added another catch for the two-point conversion and an 8-0 lead less than four minutes into the game.

After Milford kicker Dylan Ferguson missed a 41-yard field goal try off the right upright, Crum didn't take long to deliver another touchdown when he connected with Draker Goodliffe on an 80-yard score plus the two-point conversion. The Eagles finished the period with a 16-0 lead before the

Tigers finally got started.

Ferguson was able to hit a 31-yard field goal early in the second quarter to get Milford on the board and Blake Barnes found the end zone on a 1-yard touchdown that pulled the Tigers within 16-10 with 3:28 left in the half.

Milford got the ball back and had a chance to take the lead, but quarterback Bo Hardy was hit and lost the football. Torgerson scooped it up and ran untouched to the end zone to push the lead to 24-10, which held until the

When Duchesne received the second-half kickoff, Fabrizio faked a reverse handoff, reached the sideline

and raced 91 yards for a touchdown to stretch the Eagles' lead to 32-10.

Milford found the end zone in the later stages of the period as Barnes scored on an 11-yard run, but Duchesne had the defense that answered every challenge.

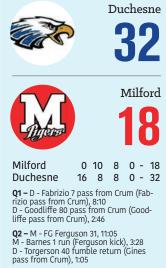
"I wanted to play conservative and bleed the clock, try to eliminate potentially making a big mistake," Cowan said. "I just wanted to win the game on defense, no quick turnover or three-and-out. It worked out for us."

Duchesne added

five sacks in the win and advanced to the 1A championship game Saturday at Stewart Stadium in Ogden. They will

face Layton Christian, who edged past Kanab, 14-13 in the other semifinal.

The No. 6 seed Eagles got a 60-yard touchdown pass from Tucker Prescott to Malik Johnson halfway through the fourth quarter and made it hold up for the victory. Kanab (9-3) had taken a 13-7 lead late in the third quarter on a 4-yard touchdown run from Parker Franklin, but the point after was missed.



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Q3 – D - Fabrizio 91 kickoff return (Crum run), 11:45 M - Barnes 11 run (Barnes run), 2:14

T-BIRDS

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by Alonzo (L.J.) Davis led to a touchdown for the Thunderbirds when Miller snuck the ball into the endzone from the one-yard line, but that would be all the scoring SUU could manage as the T-Birds ran out of time in their comeback efforts.

Miller finished the day with 231 yards passing and a touchdown in addition to his score on the ground. Schenks led the team in receiving with five catches for 83 yards

and a score, and Larson was the leading rushing with 26 yards and a touchdown.

Treyson Johnson led SUU with 12 tackles on the day and was followed by Jayden Clark who recorded eight. Akili Gray chipped in seven tackles and an interception as well with Southern Utah going on to win the turnover battle three to one.

The Thunderbirds now turn their attention to the final game of the season in which they will take on in-state rival Weber State. Kickoff is slated for 2:00 p.m. MT at Eccles Coliseum.



SUU's Tevian Jones named Big Sky Preseason MVP

by Kyle Birnbrauer

SUU ATHLETICS STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION

FARMINGTON — The Big Sky Conference announced the members of the Men's Basketball Preseason All-Conference Team and three Thunderbirds were named to the team.

Senior Tevian Jones was named the Big Sky Men's Basketball Preseason Most Valuable Player, becoming the first Thunderbird to earn the recognition. John Knight III and Maizen Fausett were both named to the Preseason All-

the Big Sky in terms of free throw percentage, shooting 86 percent from the line on the year.

Jones was also named to the NABC All-District First Team for District 6 at the end of the season.

Knight III led SUU in minutes played during the 2020-21 season with 728, and was the team's second-leading scorer, averaging 14.4 ppg. He finished the season as the eighth leading scorer in the Big Sky, along with finishing first in field goal percentage (.570), second in assists (4.4 apg), seventh in steals (1.4 spg) and 13th in

KNIGHT III, FAUSETT NAMED TO PRESEASON ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM

Conference Team as well.

This is the first time in program history that the Thunderbirds have had a representative on the Big Sky Preseason All-Conference Team.

In 2020-21, Jones became the first Thunderbird ever to be named to the Big Sky All-Conference First Team after finishing the season as the Big Sky's fourth-highest leading scorer, averaging 17.1 points per game through the course of the

The Chandler, Arizona native clocked 600 minutes on the season, scoring a team-high 377 points. He also had 91 rebounds, 27 assists and 15 steals. He finished fourth in

blocks (0.7 bpg).

Fausett finished last season as the 15th highest scorer in the Big Sky, averaging 13.5 points per game. He was seventh in the Big Sky during the course of the year in rebounding with 6.9 boards per contest. He also had a team-high 59 offensive rebounds, averaging 2.6 offensive boards a game.

Both Knight III and Fausett were named to the Big Sky All-Conference Second Team at the end of the 2020-21 regular season.

Jones, Knight III, Fausett, and the Thunderbirds will kick off the 2021-22 season on November 9 against Bethesda College inside the America First Event Center.

New month, new successes at Canyon View



🖥 hanksgiving is just over two weeks away – hopefully you'll be reading this on the first day of publication, but if not, that's fine, too. As the day for turkey and all the trimmings draws nigh, I've got a collection of things to be thankful for.

It starts and ends with the Canyon View Falcons, who had a banner beginning in fall sports with the return to the 3A ranks. The highlights were memorable and numerous, and football gave us the easiest starting point.

Even after losing their head coach less than 48 hours before the rivalry game with Cedar and falling to 1-5 at one point, CV and interim head coach Patrick Achord turned things around in the best way possible, producing the program's first four-game winning streak in 15 years, winning its first playoff game in 21 years (just the second in school history), and putting a scare into No. 2 seed Juan Diego before the Soaring Eagle flew away in the fourth quarter for a 34-19 victory Oct. 29.

The Falcons finished with a 5-6 record overall, but that really wasn't the point. The team survived •••••• every possible distraction known to man, survived a Richfield team that could have just as easily won the playoff game, and had a defensive unit that made necessary plays at the right times.

Will Achord be given the permanent job as head coach? Nothing is certain yet, but it would be silly if he's not on the short list after what we witnessed.

Canyon View's girls soccer team was another brilliant performer on the fall sports stage. Not only did the Falcons win 16 games, but they reached the 3A semifinals for just the second time in school history. They lost to Ogden, 4-0, but the Tigers shut everyone out on the way to winning the big trophy, capped off by a 1-0 win over Morgan at Rio Tinto Stadium that featured a stop on a penalty kick by sophomore goalie Emily Blackford with less than 10 minutes remaining.

When it all was said and done, Canyon View shattered its previous record for most wins in a girls soccer season (12), finished No. 2 in the final RPI, and did it with only three seniors on the roster.

Head coach Steve Newman wasn't sure he wanted to return to the sidelines after last season's early exit in 4A following a second-round loss at home to Mountain Crest, but the doubt was washed away as the wins started piling up.

Now all future girls soccer teams at Canyon

View will have the 2021 group as the gold standard to shoot for.

The CV boys golf team enjoyed its own bit of success by advancing to Day 2 as a full team at the 3A tournament for the first time in a decade. They finished 10th overall, but getting there as a full group was special.

In cross country, Canyon View's Lydia Forsyth finished fourth - matching the finish of Malayna Steffensen in 2019 - and the girls team finished fourth at the 3A meet, tying the 2012 team for the school's most successful run.

The Falcons volleyball team got in on the act by making a big splash at the 3A playoffs. Despite finishing 16th in the final RPI, Canyon View swept past Providence Hall at home to advance to UVU for the state tournament.

CV opened with a 3-0 loss to top seed Emery, but rallied back with three straight wins over higher-seeded teams and finished sixth in the state. The Falcons proved that math doesn't always matter, but heart always wins out when determining how good a team really is.

Follow Tom Zulewski on Twitter @TommyZee81 or email tominator19@yahoo.com.

BEAVER

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54-38. The Trojans (9-3) led 26-21 at the half, but the Wasps regained the lead on the opening drive of the third quarter when Wesley Nielson caught a 13-yard touchdown pass from Alex Jackson. Morgan responded on its next possession when Nick Despain scored the first of his two touchdowns on a 13-yard run that gave them the lead for good.

The Trojans will face Grantsville, a 28-14 winner over Juan Diego in the other semifinal, Saturday at Stewart Stadium. The Cowboys (9-3) broke a 7-7 tie with three fourth-quarter rushing touchdowns to secure the win.

"We didn't even let them threaten us in the second half. It was a phenomenal effort."

Jon Marshall, Beaver head coach



The Beaver football players celebrate with their fans in the stands after their wild win over the South Summit Wildcats.

TOM'S SPORTS TRIVIA

With the Atlanta Braves' 26-year World Series drought officially over, this week's dozen takes a dive into the team with the next longest drought, the Toronto Blue Jays. The lone Canadian MLB franchise hasn't been to a Fall Classic since winning the second of back-to-back titles in 1993. May these cure a small bit of baseball withdrawal, but please remember...no wagering!

- 1. Thanks largely to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Blue Jays were a team without a home for all of 2020 and a good portion of the 2021 season. In addition to its Dunedin (Fla.) spring training site, in what U.S. city much closer to Toronto did the team play?
 - A. Erie, PA. B. Buffalo, N.Y.

 - C. Youngstown, Ohio D. Salem, Mass.
- 2. What was the name of the first stadium of the Toronto Blue Jays, an outdoor facility it called home for the first 12 seasons of the franchise from 1977 to 1989?
 - A. Exhibition Stadium B. BMO Field
 - C. Rogers Centre
- D. Maple Leaf Gardens
- 3. The Blue Jays won its first division title in 1985, but couldn't hold a 3-1 lead in the American

- League Championship Series, losing to which team that won that year's World Series by rallying from another 3-1 deficit?
- A. Detroit Tigers
- B. Minnesota Twins
- C. Kansas City Royals D. Oakland Athletics
- 4. Toronto's only American League batting champion came in 1993, a first baseman who hit .363, finishing ahead of teammates Paul Molitor and Roberto Alomar Who was he?
 - A. John Olerud
 - B. Joe Carter
 - C. Tony Fernandez
 - D. Ed Sprague
- **5.** The Blue Jays were part of a unique moment in baseball history when they were no-hit by the Oakland Athletics on June 29, 1990, the first of two no-hitters on the same day. Who threw the no-hitter for the A's?
 - A. Bob Welch
 - B. Rick Honeycutt C. Mike Norris
- D. Dave Stewart
- **6.** The lone no-hitter thrown in Blue Jays history was thrown Sept. 2, 1990, by Dave Stieb, who had lost three different no-hit bids earlier in his career with two outs in the ninth inning. Which team was the opposition, one that suffered through two

- no-hitters in 2021?
- A. Baltimore Orioles
- **B.** Seattle Mariners C. Cleveland Indians
- D. Chicago White Sox
- 7. Who was the radio voice of the Blue Jays for the team's first 28 seasons, including a streak of 4,306 consecutive
- A. Jerry Howarth
- B. Tom Cheek
- C. Dan Shulman
- D. Alan Ashby
- 8. Who gave up the home run to Joe Carter in the bottom of the ninth inning in Game 6 that gave the Blue Jays its second World Series in 1993 over the Philadelphia Phillies?
- A. Terry Mulholland
- B. Curt Schilling
- C. Bobby Thigpen
 D. Mitch Williams
- 9. Which Blue Jay was a two-time American League home run champion, hitting 54 in 2010 and making bat flips a thing throughout his career?
- A. Jose Bautista
- B. Vladimir Guerrero Jr.
- C. George Springer
- D. Bo Bichette
- **10.** Toronto clinched its first World Series in 1992 with an extra-inning win over the Atlanta Braves in Game 6. How many innings did it last?

- B. 11
- C. 12
- D. 13
- 11. After winning its second World Series, the Blue Jays didn't return to the playoffs for 22 seasons, winning the AL East in 2015 with a 93-69 record. Who finished second?
 - A. New York Yankees
 - **B.** Baltimore Orioles
 - C. Boston Red Sox
 - D. Tampa Bay Rays
- **12.** Who is the only pitcher in Blue Jays history to win the American League Cy Young Award twice, going back-to-back in 1997 and 1998?
 - A. Roy Halladay
 - B. Dave Stieb
- C. Pat Hentgen
- D. Roger Clemens

LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS

- 1. B: Florida Panthers
- 2. A: Gordie Howe 3. D: Art Modell
- 4. B: 2000
- 5. A: Atlanta Hawks
- 6. B: Kentucky
- 7. C: Detroit Red Wings
- 8. B: Milwaukee Bucks
- 9. B: New York Knicks. The Knicks were able to win Game 3 of the Eastern Conference semifinal, but lost the next two.
- 10. C: Kirby Puckett
- 11. C: New York Rangers
- 12. D: Yugoslavia



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To view the Petition for Annexation, legal descriptions and map please come to the Enoch City Office, 900 E. Midvalley Road, Enoch UT 84721 or call 435-586-1119 to request the information. The Petition for Annexation was filed with this office on Sept. 13, 2021. I find that the petition meets the requirements for annexation as provided by Utah State law, (subsections 10-2-403 (2), (3) and (4), U.C.A. The Enoch City Council received the Certification of the Petition for Annexation on October 20, 2021. The City Council may grant this annexation unless a written protest to the annexation petition is filed with the Iron County Boundary Commission. A copy of the protest must also be received by the Enoch City Recorder no later than 30 days after the notice of certification is received which would be by November 19, 2021. Notice of protest shall be filed with the Iron County Boundary Commission at P.O. Box 429, Parowan, UT 84761 and with the Enoch City Recorder at the address listed above. The legislative body or governing board of an affected entity may legally protest this annexation by filing as instructed above.

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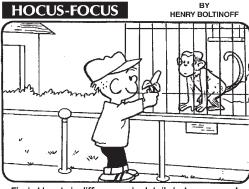
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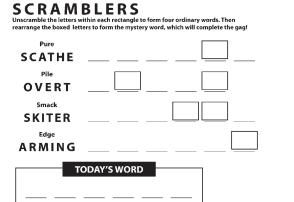
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- 1. LITERATURE: What is the name of Ron Weasley's house in the "Harry Potter" novel
- 2. TELEVISION: The sitcom "Petticoat Junction" spawned which other popular spinoff series?
- 3. LANGUAGE: What is the meaning of the Latin phrase, "littera scripta manet"?

 4. MOVIES: What is the name of cartoon char-
- acter Porky Pig's girlfriend?
- 5. U.S. STATES: What is the capital of Wyoming?
- 6. GEOGRAPHY: Which U.S. interstate high-
- way is the longest in the nation? 7. AD SLOGANS: What product's TV ad
- sparked the catchphrase "Mikey likes it!"? 8. GEOMETRY: How many straight lines can
- be drawn through two given points? 9. FOOD & DRINK: What is the hottest chili
- pepper in the world? 10. MUSIC: Which iconic rock band was once

named The Detours?

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10. The Who

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9. Carolina Reaper (Guinness Book of

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7. Life cereal

4. Petunia Pig of The National Archives

3. "The written letter remains," motto

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