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Sheridan Chamber of Commerce Continental Breakfast



8-9:15 am Friday, Feb. 10

Sheridan Museum of History 142 S. Bridge Street • Sheridan

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For more information, call Great Circle Recovery at 503-983-9900.

Rotary and Chamber Schedule Joint Meeting

Sheridan Chamber of Commerce and Rotary Club of Sheridan will hold a joint meeting at noon on Wednesday, Feb. 22, in the upstairs conference room at the Sheridan Fire Department. Sheridan Chamber and Rotary meetings are open to all interedted

Red Cross Blood Drives Planned March 6 and 20

The American Red Cross will hold a blood drive from 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m. on Monday, March 6, at the Willamina Middle School campus, located at 1100 Oaken Hills Drive, in Willamina.

Willamina's VFW will host a second blood drive for the American Red Cross from 12:30-5:30 p.m. on Monday, March 20, at the VFW Hall, located at 771 East Main St, in Willamina.

To schedule an appointment call 1-800-RED-CROS or visit Red-CrossBlood.org and enter sponsor code WillaminaSheridan.

Soup By The Sign To Serve Free Soup

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There are probably more potholes on the road than trucks on the road.

product roll through town.

When I first moved to town in 2005, a gentleman wrote and often performed a song called "Potholes of Willamina."

I think he's probably moved to avoid the potholes of which he sang.

The other day I saw a bumper sticker that said, "I'm not driving drunk. I'm avoiding the potholes."

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The Law Enforcement camp will be at Camp Rilea, near Warrenton, Ore.

Scholarships are available for juniors and seniors interested in learning more about how government offices and law enforcement work.

Contact the Americanism program office at the American Legion post for more information on scholarships.

For those in Sheridan, contact Zeek Linn at the American Legion Post 75 from 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Monday - Friday.

Spring Into Gardening Workshops Set March

Yamhill County Master Gardeners Association and Yamhill County OHSU Extension Service will host "Spring into Gardening" workshops from 8:45 a.m-4 p.m. on March 18 at Church on the Hill in McMinnville. Registration is available at YCMGA.org

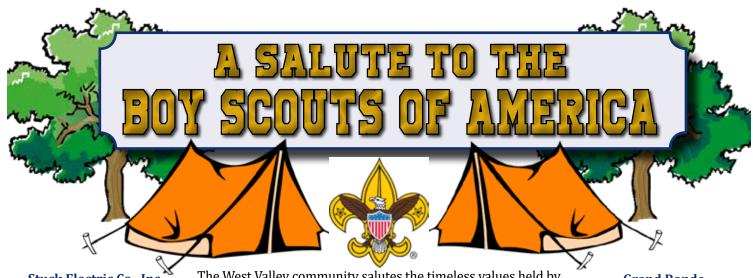
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Scout Law: A Scout is trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean and reverent.

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For more local Scouting information: www.sheridanscouts.com

Scouts meet 6-7 p.m. on Mondays at Sheridan All Prep Acadamy 339 NW Sherman St • Sheridan

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A Message from the Sheridan Superintendent

Sheridan Families.

As the District prepares for the May 2023 Bond campaign, I wanted to provide information about our district-wide gym use. The Bond project list includes a complete remodel/update of the FCS Old Gym (the building, including band and choir rooms) and SHS Old Gym. This was decided by our Bond Committee last school year.

The SHS Main Gym is used for volleyball, basketball, and wrestling. The outdoor sports, track, and baseball, use either the Old Gym or the Main Gym on rainy days. The Old Gym is used by cheer, wrestling practices, and little guy wrestling. Our winter sports season at SHS has 80 student-athletes.

For our high school basketball season, games had to be on one campus. OSAA requires that for 3A basketball games, the officials must be on the same campus. This meant that for home games, some student-athletes were pulled from class so that the game could start at 3:00. We then had games at 3:00, 4:30, 6:00, and 7:30. Students would also miss instruction to leave early for away basketball games. If SHS had a second usable gym, JV games would be at 4:30, one in each gym, followed by varsity games in the Main Gym.

The FCS Main Gym is used for middle school volleyball and basketball. The FCS Old Gym and Main Gym are used for our band and choir concerts, along with youth organizations, AG-ILE, Sheridan Youth Volleyball Club, and the adult basketball league.

Currently, AGILE has 150 students participating in volleyball, basketball, football, cheer, and wrestling. Little guy wrestling has 25-30 children participating. Our gym space is in constant use! AGILE recently hosted a tournament at FCS and made about \$3500 for a three-day tournament. It was reported that Subway ran out of food by noon on each of the three days.

Four fully functioning gymnasiums would be used for FCS music concerts, PE instruction, high school and middle school sports, youth club sports, and adult recreation leagues. The District would be in a position to host volleyball and basketball tournaments on weekends, drawing large numbers to the community. Additionally, our secondary gyms at each school will be remodeled for multi-purpose use, allowing large community events.

There is concern about increasing gym space when the City of Sheridan will eventually have a sports complex. I have talked to City Council Members and the City Manager. The sports complex planning is just beginning, with a focus on little league fields, pickleball, and an inside space for adult fitness activities. Given how often our gym space is used, our community needs four fully functioning gyms, with the secondary gyms designed for multi-purpose use.

> Dorie Vickery Ed. D, Superintendent

Sheridan School District School District Office: 971-261-6959 Sheridan High School: 971-261-6970 Faulconer Chapman School: 971-261-6960 Obituary



Jeff Paul Johnson May 6, 1965 - Jan. 28, 2023

Jeff was born May 6, 1965, in Nyssa, Ore., to Milton and Betty Johnson. He joined his sisters Joannie Sneed and Judy (Les Pace) to complete the family. They moved to Albany, Ore., in 1968. Jeff attended school in Albany and graduated from Santiam Christian School.

Jeff married Karla Kropf, the love of his life March 18, 1989, in Brownsville and set up their home in Albany. Their muchloved children are Acacia (fiancé Kelly Lantz), Kianna, Quentin and Sophia.

He was a wonderful husband, dad, son, son-in-law, brother, brother-in-law and friend.

Jeff loved music. He had the opportunity to rock n roll with his friends at many venues over the years. He knew so much about guitars and built many beautiful instruments and made custom modifications and repairs for customers around the world via his business, Kamn Guitars.

His favorite place was the beach and would never hesitate to take an extra cooler to bring back rocks and shells.

He loved curating collections of treasures he enjoyed which included guitars, action figures, dinosaurs and movie memorabilia. The hunt for treasures was the fun. It brought him joy to find anything on the side of the road, which led to many instances of pulling over and shouting "I gotta go back, I saw something." He also got a kick out of talking to friends about conspiracy theories, aliens, preparing for the apocalypse and Sasquatch.

Jeff got his start in finish-carpentry at Hawkins Cabinets, then was blessed to work for 12 years at Hoffman Manufacturing in Albany. He continued to develop his skills, then started Kamn, his own successful finish-carpentry business. Kamn and Kamn Guitars kept him very busy over the

The Johnson family moved to their dream property in Willamina in 2008 where they watched the sunrise and the sunset. Jeff was happiest working in his shop and hanging out with his family, friends and animals.

A memorial is planned for May 6. To share memories of Jeff email Kamngtrs@aol.com.

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Provoking Hope Fundraiser Dinner Set

"A Walk To Remember" is this year's theme for Provoking Hope's annual fundraiser dinner. The dinner will be held from 5-7:30 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 11, at The Foundry, located at 700 NW Hill Road in McMinnville. Tickets are available for purchase for \$30 for a single person, \$50 for a couple, or \$200 for an eight-person table.

To purchase tickets, go to www. provokinghope.com.

For more information, email Provoking Hope at tracie@provokinghope.com.

Local Family Lost Home, **Possessions and Pets**

Eric and Sharon Boekhoff's temporary trailer home caught fire Jan. 24.

The Boekhoff family were in process of rebuilding the home they lost to a house fire on Feb. 5,

Tragically, the family lost all belongings and their two dogs. Eric and Sharon Boekhoff are parents to three boys, Aiden, 17, Nolan, 13, and Jonah, 12. A donation account is open at First Federal bank in Sheridan. Donations can be made by ref-

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Entries must be received by Feb. 11 at 5 p.m.

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The Yamhill County Cultural Coalition is composing a comprehensive list of all cultural resources and assets in Yamhill County.

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All artists are asked to contact YCCC: Website: yamhillcountyculture.org PO Box 493, McMinnville OR 97128



Local Woman Celebrating 101 Years Is Full Of

Ethel Eileen Hays was born, on Feb 7, 1922, at home on a farm in Curlew, Wash., with her father's assistance.

Parents Justina and Ignace Podbielansik (changed to podbilan because immigration said the name was too long) immigrat-



Ethel Hays, second from left, with her bowling team.

younger. All have passed. She was five years old when the family moved to Sherwood, Ore., which at the time had a population of about 500 people and was about four blocks total in size. Her mother had written

ed from Czechoslovakia during

war times. Her father was not

supposed to leave the country

so that he would be available

for the draft. Ethel's mater-

nal grandfather was a window

washer with a wagon. He hid

her parents in the wagon to

smuggle them out and they immigrated to Canada. Three of

her older siblings were born in Canada. The family then moved

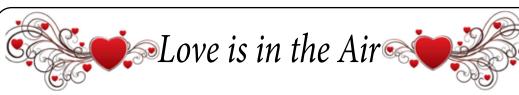
to Curlew Wash., where her un-

cle had a farm. In total, she had

seven siblings, six older and one

to a lady from the paper she subscribed to and the woman let them all come and stay until her father got a job.

Her dad got a job with the Southern Pacific Railroad, and their mother found a rental house in Sherwood. Across from the rental place was the mayor's house. Across the street from the mayor was the banker, down the road was the grocer, and a little further down was the butcher. She attended first grade in Sherwood. Her mother wanted to grow a garden and have a bigger space for her large family. She heard of a house for sale, and it was ideal. It had a second level with three bedrooms. Ethel said, "Talk about the good old days. She knew what she could pay, so she went to the banker and asked for a loan. She said what she could pay each month, which wasn't much, but the banker gave her the lower rate because they all knew each other. When she paid off the house, she paid ahead because every time she had extra money, she put it on the house. The banker was astonished she paid early." The kids would berry pick in the summer for school clothes money, most were homemade.



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Life; Her Five Children All Graduates Of SHS

but they had to earn money for shoes and materials.

Ethel attended Tigard High School freshman year because Sherwood still needed to build a high school. She was among the first students to attend the new Sherwood High School in her sophomore year. She graduated high school in Sherwood. Her first job after high school was at Meyer and Franks as a bookkeeper. She was there for six months. WW2 was going on at the time, and her brother-in-law helped her to get a job at Safeway as a bookkeeper, Ethel thought, "You know, they might pay more and maybe have a retirement plan."

She worked for Safeway until she married at 24 in 1946, Robert Hays (Bud), and he spent the first years of their marriage drafted into WW2.

Ethel said "During World War 2, I would leave work and see big lineups at stores, which meant a new supply of something had come in. I would get in line because it might be something I need."

During WW2, there were two men in Sherwood who had been POWs at the same POW camp in Europe. Ethel said. "I thought, what are the odds that this small town would have two men from the same camp? One was my brother-in-law. Those were interesting days. On Saturday nights, the younger people would congregate at a tavern in Sherwood, the husbands were gone to war, so the wives organized our own little group. One night we went to a lookout station where they watched for enemy planes. We wanted to see what was going on. We knew we couldn't get in, so we brought them cookies and such, and they let us hang out for a little while."

While working for Safeway, someone mentioned that the women had a bowling team. "I thought I needed exercise.



Ethel Hays, for her 100th birthday was featured on a Smuckers Jam jar.

Maybe they would let me on the team. I told them I've never bowled, but I would like to join your team. They let me on as a substitute. Over the years, my bowling improved. In about 1952. after I was married. I was in a bowling tournament for a car, and I won a Ford. I didn't know how to drive, so my husband had to pick up the car. I learned to drive later and drove it a long time," said Ethel.

In 1960 Bud got a job as a milkman for Darigold with a route in Sheridan. The young couple rented a house on the same street as the home they purchased two years later and still occupy. Sheridan was even smaller than Sherwood at the

They had five children: daughter Diane Dufresne, twin boys Tom and Tim Hays, son Greg Hays, and daughter Sue Hays. All five were born while living in Sheridan, and all five graduated from Sheridan High School. They are still doing well, one son living in Sheridan, one son living in Texas, two daughters living in Portland, and one son in Salem.

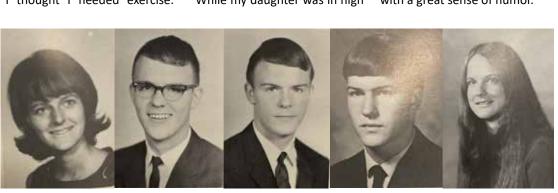
"While my daughter was in high

school, she had a friend whose mother worked at the bank. She suggested I work for the bank. I laughed because I didn't have a checking account or know how to write a check. I finally decided to try it, so I applied and got the job at US bank. I started as a teller and took a blank deposit slip home on my first night to study it. After that, I worked my way up and became operations officer. One of my jobs was ensuring the tellers locked their drawers at night. If I found a drawer open, I left frowny face notes in drawers instead of balling them out in the morning, so they knew they forgot. They gave me all the notes back in a frame when I retired. I didn't know they had saved them all." She retired from the bank at age

The family held its own bowling tournament for 24 years having eight teams at one point.

Ethel and Robert Hays were happily together until his passing in

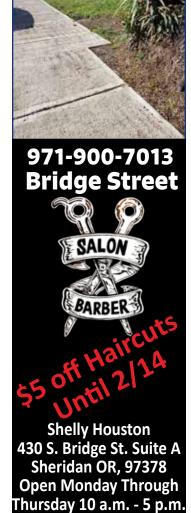
Ethel Still lives in her home that was purchased about 60 years ago, she is independent and spry with a great sense of humor.



From left to right Ethels five children in order of age; Diane class of 1966, Tom class of 1968, Tim class of 1968, Greg class of 1972, and Sue class of 1973.



COMMERCIAL LOT available! Level 50x126. Main Street/Hwy 18B frontage location. Maybe a mom & pop retail store w/living quarters above or an adult foster care home? Previous home removed, water meter there, water/sewer still hooked up, SDC cost reduction. Not for industrial or residential use. \$49,900



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The ODA recommends that crab be eviscerated and the guts removed prior to cooking, which includes the removal and discard of the viscera, internal organs and gills. Toxins cannot be removed by cooking, freezing or any other treatment. ODA will continue to test for biotoxins in the coming weeks. Because of Oregon's precautionary management of biotoxins, the crab and shellfish

products currently being sold in retail markets and restaurants are safe for consumers.

For more information call the ODA shellfish biotoxin safety hotline at (800) 448-2474, the Food Safety Division at (503) 986-4720, or visit the ODA recreational shellfish biotoxin closures webpage.

BLM Offers Fee Free Day In Honor of Washington

In honor of George Washington's birthday and to increase recreational access to public land, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) will waive recreation standard amenity and day-use fees for visitors on Feb. 20, 2023.

The BLM invites the public to visit the unique and diverse natural landscapes and visitor facilities on BLM-managed lands to celebrate the life of the first U.S. President George Washington. This marks the second of the

This marks the second of the BLM's fee-free days of 2023. Fee-free days refer to the waiver of standard amenity fees and day-use fees, such as visitor centers, picnic/day use areas, and National Conservation Lands units where fees are charged. Expanded amenity fees and other fees, like group day use, overnight camping, cabin rentals, and individual special recreation permits, will remain in effect unless the authorized officer determines it is appropriate to waive them.

New owners, same traditions West Valley Bulletin Board

On Feb. 11, 2015, the first issue of The Bulletin Board was delivered to Sheridan, Willamina and Grand Ronde.

Our paper is about to begin its ninth year. We'd like to thank everyone who makes it possible to continue publishing the paper, even during trying times.

We offer heartfelt thanks to our advertisers and readers, and those who share news, information, community interest items. photos, and so much more.

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We also thank those who allow us to distribute the paper
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Suggestion? _____

Name ______ Phone _____

The fine print: One entry per reader. Entries may be dropped off or mailed to 136 E. Main in Sheridan, or snap a photo of your entry form and email it to: bulletinwestvalley@gmail.com. Winner will be drawn on Friday, Feb. 10, 2023, and announced in the Wednesday, Feb. 15, 2023, issue of West Valley Bulletin.

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Willamina Fourth of July Committee **Sets Fundraisers For 2023 Fireworks**

Willamina's 4th of July Committee has several fireworks fundraisers planned for 2023.

First up will be bingo scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 11, at the VFW, 771 NE Main Street in Willamina. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m. Games are set to begin at 6:30 p.m. All proceeds will go toward the Fourth of July expenses.

The committees will host a fundraiser dinner at the Wet Season Music concert scheduled for 7 p.m. Saturday, March 18, at the West Valley Community Campus, 266 SE Washington Street in Willamina.

On Saturday, April 8, the committee will hold its annual bake sale at Best Stop Market in Willamina. Raffle tickets to win a Pit Boss 850G pellet grill are now available at Skyberg's Lumber and Hardware in Willamina. Tickets are priced at \$5 each. Skyberg's Hardware donated the grill, and all proceeds from ticket sales will go to the committee.

The Fourth of July Committee is a 501(c)3 organization, meaning donations can be tax deductible. Cash donations can be made to the Fourth of July Committee and mailed to P.O. Box 95, Willamina, OR., 97396.

The committee meets at 6 p.m. on the third Wednesday of each month at Coyote Joe's.





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- 1. Short distances
- Carpenter's tools
- 10. Statutes
- 14. Sultan's wives
- 15 Gnaw 16. Plenty (2 wds.)
- 17. Select group
- **18**. Pine
- 19. Become weary
- 20. Speed up
- 22. Relieve
- 23. Yankee Gehria
- 24. Loafer ornament
- 26. Sniffer
- 30. Least distant
- 33. Diner patrons
- 35. Lady's escort
- 36. Lyricist Gershwin
- 39. Yonder
- 40. Barking sound
- 41. Church leader
- 43. Total
- 44. English princess
- 46. Least rainy
- 47. Level off
- 49 Butter units
- 50. Deli sausage
- 53. Winter mo.
- **55**. Jog
- 56. New Year's Day promise
- 63. Thorny bloom
- 64. Perfume
- 65. Window sill
- 66. Prayer's end
- 67. Lima or kidney
- 68. Gazes
- 69. Skin growth
- 70. Pen fluids
- 71. Desirable quality

19

- 1. Mets' bygone home
- 2. Powder mineral
- 3. Clapton or Idle
- Sampras of tennis
- 5. Odor
- 6. Accumulate over time
- **7**. Stop!

- 8. Pre-Easter period
- 9. Add sugar
- 10. Newest 11. Pseudonym
- 12. Inferior
- 13. Strong metal
- 21. Long periods

- 25. Fall flower
- 26 Court dividers
- 27. Hawaiian island
- 28. Goblet part
- 29. Browning's "always" 31. Consent
- 32. TKO caller
- 34. Kingdom
- 36. Suggestion
- 37. Take it easy
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- 40. Colony insect
- 42. Pitcher spout
- 45. Kenya's capital

- 46. Fencing event
- 47. Inventor's protection
- 48. Decorates
- 50. Drinking tube
- **51**. Fragrance
- 52. Defeated candidate
- **54**. Mea
- 57. Eve's home
- 58. Saturate
- 59. Golfers' pegs
- **60**. "Beware the ____ of March"
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West Valley Sports

Spartan Boys Overcome Scio 56-46

By Herb Swett

Sheridan's boys held off their hard-fighting Scio hosts Friday, Feb. 3, to win 56-46.

Both teams came into the game with losing season records, but the Spartans' overall and PacWest Conference records were better. Scio scored first on a layin, but the Spartans' Nik Wittrock answered with a three-point shot. Wittrock was to end up at Sheridan's top scorer with 21 points; Cesar Casillas was second with 18. Late in the first quarter, Casillas shot a trey, the Loggers were called for traveling, and Wittrock, fouled in the act of shooting for a three, sank all three shots from the foul line. The period ended with the Spartans ahead 16-9.

In the second quarter, Wittrock got hot and widened Sheridan's lead with help from Casillas in the form of a triple. Then the Loggers' Kyle Ennis fought back, with his shots including a three. At halftime, the Spartans led by the same seven-point margin, 30-23. Scio's best quarter was the third. Parker Ziebert led the way to a 30-30 tie before Casillas went to the foul line and sank both his shots. At the end of the period, Sheridan had only a 39-38 lead.

A layin by the Spartans' Alex Martison started the fourth-quarter scoring. A technical foul was called on the Loggers, and Casillas sank both his shots from the line. More fouls from Scio followed, with Martison, Wittrock and Casillas adding points from the stripe to widen the Spartan lead

"Our effort was better," Sheridan coach Steven Grauer said. "We got good production from the bench."

Grauer added that with the Spartans' league record going to 5-5, they were in position to play at the district level Feb. 15.

Lady Spartans Take Scio 66-38

By Herb Swett

Sheridan girls set a scoring record for the season Friday, Feb. 3, by whipping Scio 66-38 there. Chloe Ayala led the Spartan attack with 16 points, followed by Hayley Ayala with 14 and Logen Watkins with 12.

The Loggers took the opening tipoff but were called for traveling. Hayley Ayala made a threepoint shot for Sheridan and soon after went 2 for 2 from the foul line. Hayley Ayala had another three in the first quarter, and so did Chloe Ayala. The period ended with the Spartans ahead 13-8. Logen Watkins started the second-quarter scoring with a long two-pointer. Chloe Ayala then stole the ball and made a layin. After Scio's Macy Johnson sank both shots on a one-and one, Watkins and Taylor Givens pulled Sheridan farther ahead. Late in the period, Hayley Ayala and Leah Warner hit a trey apiece. At halftime, the score was 31-13.

Early in the third quarter, Warner made two three-pointers and Scio's Adrien Stover one. Each Ayala sank a three in the period. Late in the third, Watkins made two layins. At the end of three, the Spartans were ahead 52-26. Scio fought back early in the fourth quarter, but Sheridan stayed hot. The final basket was an outside shot from Bailey Die-

hl.

The Spartans had gone into the game with an 6-9 record, including 3-6 in PacWest Conference play, but the Loggers had a weaker record.

"We've put in a lot of work, redesigned our offense," Sheridan coach Jeremy Brown said after the game. "As a team, we're starting to put it together."



Willamina's Boys Fought Hard In Salem Feb. 1 Against A Salem Academy Team Ranked First In 2a But Ended Up Losing 53-46 By Herb Swett

The Bulldogs, who have no seniors on their squad, faced an older and taller Crusader squad but had a shot at victory until

the middle of the fourth quarter. In the low-scoring first quarter, which featured three-point shots on both sides, Willamina was ahead a few times, and a layin by Cohen Haller brought the Bulldogs even with their hosts. When the period ended, the score was 12-12.

After an exchange of steals early in the second quarter, Haller made a bucket that put the Bulldogs ahead 17-15. Turnovers followed, and Willamina's shooting went cold. After coach Cliff Toney called a timeout, however, Then Sabin made a layin that had the Bulldogs ahead 19-17 at halftime.

The Crusaders got tougher in the third quarter. After a steal and a layin by Haller, Jackson Oglesby, who was to be end up leading all scorers with 21 points, got hot. Kaleb Cruickshank hit a three for the Bulldogs, who then went into a shooting slump. At the end of the period, Salem Academy was ahead 30-26.

In the fourth quarter, Willamina ran into foul trouble. Oglesby gave them a lesson in free throw shooting and added a few layups. The Bulldogs never caught up after that.

"We played an extremely good game," Willamina coach Cliff Toney said, "but in the fourth quarter we went cold."

Overmatched Willamina Girls Team Fell To Host Salem Academy 54-20.

By Herb Swett

The Lady Bulldogs controlled the opening tipoff, and Alexis Wertz made a layin for the first score of the game, but The Lady Crusaders answered with a three-point shot by Lexi Herber. Salem Academy stayed on top, and a jump shot by the Crusaders' Aly Herber ended the first quarter with the host ahead 15-7.

A steal by Salem Academy's Celia James started the second quarter and led to a long two-point shot from Grace Hinkle. Herber made a three, and the period ended with the Crusaders on top 23-14.

The Bulldogs' Brooklynn Bailey hit a trey to start the third-quarter scoring. The Crusaders, led by Haley Ferry, then got hot, and at the end of the period, Salem Academy led 40-20.

The Crusaders dominated the fourth quarter with a team effort that kept Willamina from catching up.

Aly Herber ended up as the Crusaders' leading scorer with 11 points.

"I think the girls played a good first half," Bulldog coach Tom Anderson said, "but the second half got away from them."

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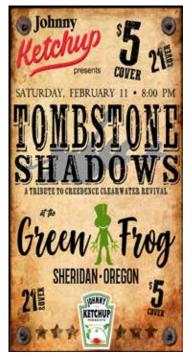
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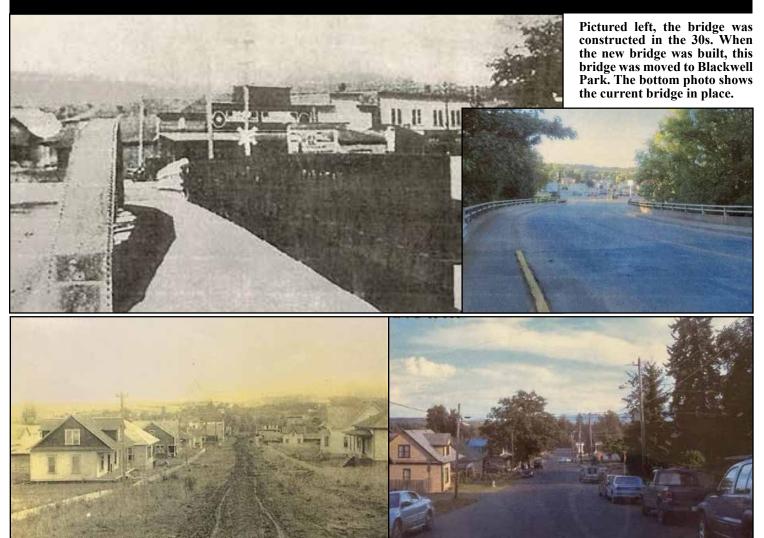
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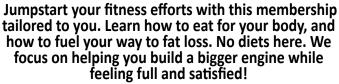
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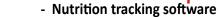
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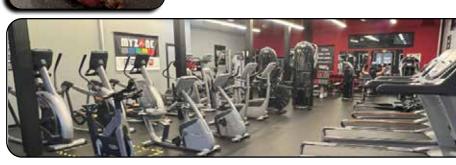
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