

Adam Bearcub cups his hands to waft smoke dispensed with an eagle feather by tribal elder Barbara Aripa at a smudging ceremony Friday. — Scott Hunter photo

## People meet for a “community watch” start

by Roger S. Lucas

In a spirit of concern and cooperation, Coulee Dam had its first “Community Watch” meeting last Tuesday night.

About 45 people turned out at the old stone church in Coulee Dam, to discuss the rash of burglaries and car prowls that have occurred in the town and region in recent months.

And there’s more to come, with a second and more detailed meeting set for sometime in January.

Leading the discussion was Ed Bartley, a retired police officer, with some 50 years in law enforcement, who helped prepare material about community watch efforts and to get the meeting started.

Bartley pointed out that neighborhood watch skills largely involve using your “eyes and ears” and knowing when and how to report on suspicious happenings in your neighborhood.

Mark Igo, one of Coulee Dam residents who helped promote the meeting, and a former law enforcement officer for the National Park Service, said over the weekend that “there will be more specifics at the next meeting.”

At the January meeting, ways

to get organized will be one of the major topics.

Bartley said when reporting an event, people should be specific on “the physical, time of day, day of week. If there were people involved, what did they look like, what were they wearing? If a car was involved, what was the make and color?”

Good observations are a key to a good community watch.

Bartley also pointed out that being the “eyes and ears” in the community is the best way to assist police in combating crime. Police officers from the Colville Tribes, Grand Coulee and Coulee Dam were at the event and provided information when asked.

“If something seems uncomfortable, or out of place, report it,” Bartley stated.

He continued to say that community members should report incidents but never take action; leave that to police.

One person brought up alleged drug houses in the town. “You can take pictures of cars, their licenses, but never enter private property to do that,” Bartley said. “They will throw that out every time.”

Good deadbolt locks at entry points to your house, alarm sys-

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## Tribal veterans join thousands at pipeline protest and victory

by Scott Hunter

Smiles and tears accompanied song and prayer last week as members of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation gave an appreciative sendoff to 10 armed forces veterans who were heading to an international protest to stop a pipeline being constructed in North Dakota from crossing under the Missouri

River.

They were joining thousands of other veterans from Indian Country across America headed to the ceremonial arbor across highway 155 from the Colville’s new government headquarters.

Vincent McDonald served in the U.S. Army from 1991 to 1995, he told those assembled at the ceremonial arbor across highway 155 from the Colville’s new government headquarters.

“From this day forward, I am also a water protector, 2016,” he said.

The thousands of protestors in North Dakota labeled themselves “water protectors” early on their

months-long effort to stop the pipeline.

“It’s not political, it’s our survival,” Harvey Moses Jr. said. “It’s what we’ve done ... and what we’ll continue to do until we’re all gone.”

Those two were among the 10 veterans “deploying” from Nespelem Friday, along with Joaquin Marchand, Inchelium Coun-

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## No bidders for Center School building

by Roger S. Lucas

The proposed sale of Center School failed to receive any bids, school officials stated Monday.

That makes twice that the school district has requested bidders to buy the Center School and property. Both times no one offered bids.

Deadline for the current bidding cycle was Dec. 1, and school officials had stated that three parties had indicated interest in the property.

Former school superintendent

Dennis Carlson was named to handle the sale of the property because current Superintendent Paul Turner told the school board that he had a possible conflict of interest because a relative of his was interested in bidding.

But Carlson stated Monday that the bid period had passed without any bids.

“I will meet with the board Dec. 19, to see what members want to do,” Carlson said.

The appraised price of the school and property is \$195,000.

Turner was disappointed. He had indicated to the board that, if

there was a sale, he would like to use some of the money to recondition some of the rooms at the former middle school to be able to lease them. “But the rooms need to be refitted for their use,” Turner stated.

Grand Coulee Dam School District Board Chair Joette Barry had stated, “We don’t have any money for that.”

Turner had stated that the district is operating on a tight budget because “we don’t know what the legislature is going to do on school funding yet.”

Turner said that there might

be an opportunity to lease more than one room, “if they are refitted.”

The school board will have the option of negotiating a sale price lower than the appraisal if it decides that is needed to get a sale in the future.

“We will have to wait and see what the board wishes to do,” Carlson said.

### Newsbriefs

#### Library festivities planned

Children should get ready for a fun night at Grand Coulee Library. There will be a special holiday lighting, gifts, refreshments and a lot of fun for everyone, Thursday, Dec. 15, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Librarian Lisa Moore said that Santa plans to arrive on a fire truck.

The library will give door prizes, kids will get book gifts, and there will still be time for some caroling.

Each year, the library has an evening for kids just before Christmas.

Moore stated that adults are welcome to take in the various activities.

#### Ski club to meet tonight

The Grand Coulee Dam Area Ski Club will have an informational meeting on Dec. 7 (this evening) at 5:15 p.m., at Nespelem School, and then at Lake Roosevelt High School at 7:30 p.m. Loup Loup Ski Area representatives will be there to issue season passes so that they can be used during Christmas break.

#### Concerts coming up

Lake Roosevelt Schools will present their “Annual Holiday Concert” next Wednesday, Dec. 14, at 1:30 p.m. in the big gym.

The concert will feature singers from kindergarten, second and third grades, as well as the fifth- and sixth-grade bands and the bands and chorus of the seventh

through 12th-grade students.

An art show will also be presented.

The community concert is scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 18, at 3 p.m. at St. Henry’s Catholic Church in Grand Coulee.

#### Getting ready for present delivery

Trees of Sharing volunteers are preparing this week and next for delivery of Christmas gifts Saturday morning, Dec. 17, to children in Elmer City, Coulee Dam, Grand Coulee and Electric City.

Gifts will be delivered between 10 a.m. and noon to 127 children in 51 local families.

If you have an ornament tag, please return your wrapped gift to any “tree” location no later than Tuesday, Dec. 13.

If you are unable to purchase a gift to go with the tag you took from a tree, or if you have a gift that you cannot return to a tree by Dec. 13, please call Linda Black, 633-3611, or Mary Ann Boll, 633-0305, as soon as possible.



## Could have been much worse

Rescuers work to hoist back up their heavy gear after getting four young people out of a wrecked Honda Passport in which they had been headed to school Tuesday morning. A witness at the scene said he’d been headed north on SR-155 just north of Coulee Dam when their SUV suddenly left the road, hit a slight embankment and went airborne until hitting the rocks, head on, at the bottom of the ravine. Two ambulances were called. At least one girl suffered a broken leg, but no other injuries were reported. The road was slick after the area’s first snow of the season overnight. — Scott Hunter photo





Ed Bartley leads a discussion on practical anti-crime measures and forming a "community watch" at a Nov. 29 meeting. — Roger S. Lucas photo

## Community watch

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tems, outdoor lighting and trimming shrubs so people can't hide near your entry area all are ways to protect your personal property. "Don't leave your keys in unlocked cars, and if you have valuable in your vehicle, lock them in the trunk," Bartley advised.

He stated that many crimes are not reported because homeowners think they are too small of a loss. "Record serial numbers, make, model, color and any other identifying features that may help police in recovering items stolen,"

Bartley said. Another thing, he stated, is to use tracking numbers to make sure you are home when packages are delivered, particularly this time of year.



## Minor damage

A fire late Monday morning at 415 North Columbia in Coulee Dam damaged the rear area of a garage at the home of Tim Wilging. The fire brought trucks from Electric City, Grand Coulee and the Bureau of Reclamation. The fire was quickly extinguished and the cause of the fire was not determined. — Roger Lucas photo

## Protest

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cilman Larry Allen, Monte Joseph Sr., Adam Bearcub Jr., Edward Cawston, Michael Joseph, Ray Watt and Rick Desautel.

"This is all about tribal sovereignty," Colville Business Council Chairman Dr. Michael Marchand said in a press release. "Tribes are trying to protect their sacred burial sites, sacred water, the people and the land. Tribal Nations and the United States Veterans are organized across the country to take a stand and really show the world what is important: water."

The veterans headed to the midwest Friday were not the first Colvilles to join the movement, which has reportedly been met with teargas, dogs, rubber bullets and water cannon in freezing temperatures.

Dan Nanamkin left his job as the Nespelem Community Center director to support the protest and has been posting about it regularly on his Facebook site.

Billy Drywater was present Friday to see the veterans off, after having returned about two weeks earlier from the protest camp.

Drywater said he had to go to North Dakota after seeing videos of old women and children being mistreated by guards and law enforcement. The former prize fighters wanted to "kick some ass" when he and Nick Washington

and Alfredo Labro went there. But that intent was stopped abruptly when they arrived.

Drywater said everyone at the camp was forbidden to use violence, and was trained in regular classes in non-violent resistance methods. The water protectors, he said, were trained "not to have anything that could even be considered a weapon," and to "keep our hands open" not fisted.

The strategy paid off, at least for now.

On Sunday, the U.S. Department of the Army announced that it would not allow the pipeline to

be drilled under the reservoir on the dammed Missouri just north of the reservation, but would look for alternative routes for the \$3.7 billion project.

Standing Rock Sioux Chairman Dave Archambault II called for the camp to disperse as a blizzard hit the thousands remaining at the camp.

"The camp has brought us this far," he said. "Now it is time we pivot to the next phase of this struggle. That will be lead on different fronts like in court, with the new Administration, with Congress, and with the investors."

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# OPINION

## Letters from our readers

### Dam would be costly boondoggle for Okanogan County

At this time of politics gone wild, let's turn our attention to a significant local issue that we actually have the power to control: Enloe Dam. I'm amazed how the desire to "have our own dam" has become more important than the simple facts.

Over the past 10 years the Okanogan PUD has spent countless hours and approximately \$14 million to resurrect Enloe Dam. The PUD plans to spend \$40 million to \$45 million more to get the dam to produce electricity. After all that, the dam will have a maximum generating capacity of only 9 megawatts (MW). The average capacity is projected to be a meager 4.5 MW.

Apparently, other power companies realized that Enloe Dam is a losing proposition. When it sought bids to design, build and operate the powerhouse, the PUD received no acceptable proposals. PUD commissioners traveled to meet with representatives of power companies to promote the reenergizing of Enloe Dam. No

companies were convinced of the merits of the project. More recently, Energy Northwest considered Enloe Dam. They concluded that our PUD's cost estimate of \$40 million could be 40 percent low.

If Energy Northwest is correct, the cost of Enloe Dam power to Okanogan County residents would be 12.3 cents per kilowatt hour. Our current rate is 4.9 cents per kilowatt hour.

Enloe Dam was built during the early 1920s. Once large hydro projects were constructed along the Columbia River and power cost less, Enloe Dam became uneconomical to operate. Now, with the advent of wind and solar generation, as well as upgrades to existing facilities, the potential power generated at Enloe Dam ranges from insignificant to a costly liability.

For example, the turbine and generator upgrades at the third powerhouse at Grand Coulee Dam will result in an additional 250 MW of generating capacity (above and beyond Grand Cou-

lee's existing capacity of 6,089 MW.) That power is available at less than half the cost of Enloe power and with no additional operating cost, construction cost and environmental liability.

Guess who will pay to keep this outdated dam operational. The price of power generated from Enloe Dam will not be competitive on the open market. The construction costs and the nearly \$1 million annual operating costs will fall upon the shoulders and reach deep into the wallets of the people of Okanogan County.

The value of Enloe's power production was determined to be zero in 1959 when the dam was decommissioned. The value today and in the future is even less. As responsible public servants, the Okanogan PUD commissioners owe it to Okanogan County residents and rate payers to drop this costly boondoggle.

**Jack Burchard**  
Okanogan

### No compromise needed with the Electoral College

I read with interest a letter from Joe Bialek of Cleveland on changing the election process. He is an avowed Democrat and showed us a way to manipulate figures to show that the United States should drop the "winner take all" electoral college system of selecting a President.

His approach was to base selection on the percentage of votes no matter how many candidates. Essentially this would take electoral votes away from both of the "leaders" and give votes to candidates who didn't have a chance to be elected. Therefore, this year

Mrs. Clinton would have won. In four years this could be reversed and then we could expect

a new approach from Mr. Bialek to favor his candidates. Unfortunately, his approach would change how campaigns are conducted and not for the better. I say this as rather than attempting to win states, political activities would focus on "scoring percentage" and getting straw candidates on the ballot in strategic states.

I guess if you really want to manipulate results you should try my approach. That is, simply give each state one vote "winner take all." The score here is 30 states for Trump and 20 states for Clinton. The District of Columbia could be used as a tie breaker, but it would always go Democrat as 93 percent voted for Hillary.

For some reason, I doubt California and New York as well as a few other large states would go for it. I can see the stir it would cause as they tried to develop justification for rejecting the idea. Anyway, it beats Joe's idea and is much simpler.

One shouldn't take my suggestion seriously or Mr. Bialek's either. Neither reflects what our forefathers dealt with which was selecting one president in light of State's Rights and State Population. I for one think they did a great job.

**Michael Palanuk**  
Spokane Valley

### PUD paying millions for "luxury" improvements

The Grant PUD is paying \$41,516,398 for luxury improvements at Crescent Bar.

Grant PUD ratepayers need to understand that they are paying for a golf course and a 61-slip boat marina, and these items contribute to higher monthly electric bills.

The federal government required Grant PUD to make improvements at Crescent Bar as part of the re-licensing process. The improvements were approved by a split vote of the PUD Commission, with Commissioners Bob Bernd, Terry Brewer and Larry Schaapman voting to protect the privileges of the 410 residences on public land at the expense of ratepayers. The total projected cost for the boat ma-

rina, boat launch and commercial building and parking is over \$8 million.

Commissioners Tom Flint and Dale Walker have questioned such excessive costs to the ratepayers. In addition, they questioned the PUD's building of more luxury improvements than are required for the next generating license for the dams.

All Crescent Bar improvements are being financed with ratepayer money while, at the same time, Grant PUD commissioners are considering how much they will continue to increase your electric bill. I believe that Grant PUD should put the electric ratepayers, and the rates we pay, as the priority rather than the small number of Cres-

cent Bar residents. If you agree, please, call or write and ask for good reasons for this misuse of public money.

Contact PUD: commissioners@grantpud.org Phone: (509) 754-0500 ask for the Commissioners Office.

If you disagree with the FERC decision to allow private residents to remain on Crescent Bar public land until 2052, please write before Dec. 17. You need to use the name "P-2114 Crescent Bar Non-project use of Public Land" in your letter. Mail to: Kimberly D. Bose, Secretary, FERC, 888 First Street NE, Washington, D.C. 20426

**Danna Dal Porto**  
Quincy, WA



## Your Story, Part 2

Last week I started telling you about my story, using only the three important parts that I thought were most relevant to my story. Sometimes what we think is important or a part of us is not essential to the heart of the person listening to our story. The important things to us are not the key elements to a life-changing tale. To tell your life story, you must have the potential to change the life of the person listening. With that being said, let me pick up where I left off last week.

I had just packed my stuff and left. I had no idea where I was going, but I found myself on Tony Morgan's front step, knocking at twelve o'clock at night.

To my surprise, he was not mad; he let me in and agreed to let me sleep on his couch for the night. But there was a catch; he would talk to me first. And that talk would change my life forever. I knew who God was, so I thought, but the things he was asking me and telling me and reading to me had a brand new meaning on this night. It made sense to me and my heart shifted from one of pain to one of hope. I accepted Christ as my Lord and Savior that night, on a youth pastor's couch at midnight. I only wanted a place to sleep, and my life was saved instead. Oh, and the man I went to work for the next morning was Vic Piccalo, also a man of God, who just had a feeling about me.

Point number two in my life's story: Many years later, I am married, raising kids and I am working for the Colville Confederated Tribes Emergency Services. I respond to a two-vehicle car crash. I had been on bad car wrecks before, but this one would be the one that rocked my world and heart. The patient in the passenger seat, who died upon impact, was the same age as I was, with two kids the same age as mine. There are more details to how and why it affected me so much, but this is not the place to talk about those. The reality of this run was that this person had zero time to make a choice in her final seconds. One second she was having a conversation, and the next she was dead. No second chances, no questions for God, no last requests. It was over. You see, I had lived my life kind of thinking that I would have time to make changes; I was young, I had time.

But it was that day on the road that I realized the lights can go out at any time, in any place, and you will not have time to ask for forgiveness or mercy. That could just as easily have been me in that car; would I have been ready to leave the Earth? I questioned myself and examined my life to make sure I was ready, all the time.

Point number three: I got sick. I thought I was a firefighter. I thought that was who I was. I was proud of it, collected memorabilia, worked as much as I could at it. But in a swift 48 hours I went from hero to zero in my mind. It was a dark, depressed time for me. It was during this time that I realized

that God did not call me to be a firefighter; he called me to be his servant and spread his message. I started writing during this time, I started preaching at church and sharing a message. I also realized during this time how many of those family moments I had missed because I was gone a lot. I missed a lot. During this time a conversation started with God, and I heard him telling me what he wanted with me. It was a real conversation. And it destroyed who I thought I was as a man.

On that couch, when I was 18, I accepted the fact that God existed. And he has proved to me time and time again that he really does. Today I am confident that I am right where God wants me to be, and I am trying really hard to walk in that light of confidence daily. I see the opportunities that await me daily, even though it may seem that I am struggling at times, I have a merciful God that loves his children unconditionally, and those children include you. You are his and he wants the best for you. There may not be a tomorrow for you or me, but there is still time to start the conversation that will change your life. I had no idea that the words Tony Morgan shared with me 25 years ago would bounce in my head still today as the mantra of my life. I pray for the same for you. Open your eyes, ears, and heart to what he has to say to you, and then tell me your story. Share it with others, because what use is a story if you don't share it. Let your life change others. Tony and Vic shared with me ... who are you going to share with?

**Jess, shut up!**

Jesse Utz



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## Seventy-six years ago

The start of excavation for the removal of over-burden from the west tailrace slide area at Grand Coulee Dam.

Obituaries

Jacob Steven Fischer

Jacob (Jake) Fischer died in his home in Spokane, Washington, before November 27, 2016. He was 42. He was born September 29, 1974, to Sheri Rae Edwards Fischer and Robert Erwin Fischer in Spokane.

He graduated from Lake Roosevelt High School in 1993, moved to Spokane and started his construction contracting business, in which he earned a solid reputation for perfection. Jake took great pride in any endeavor he undertook.

He and Autumn Sherman married in 1994 and had two daughters, Allison and Ashlyn.

With his typical zeal, Jake took up dirt biking, spending as much time as he could learning maneuvers and tricks. One day in 2005, with the wind against him, he miscalculated a landing and severed his spine, paralyzing him from the lower chest down.

Even bound to a wheelchair, Jake never stopped pushing at his boundaries. Instead of motorcycles, he worked at the mechanically-technical sport of Jeep crawling, conquering slopes and rocks with friends gathered for that purpose in camping expeditions or off-road vehicle parks.

Pain management was a major focus since his accident, and after conquering an addiction to opioid medicines, in recent years he shunned them, deter-



mined to rely on lesser remedies and his own will power with mixed results.

Still pushing boundaries, Jake dove headlong into a study of the metaphysical, writing on his own website and YouTube channel on "Divine Willpower," which reached hundreds of thousands of views by people seeking his take on the nature of reality.

He is survived by his daughters: Allison Fischer, of Kirkland, Washington, and Ashlyn Fischer, of Snohomish, Washington; his mother, Sheri Edwards (Scott Hunter) of Coulee Dam, Washington; his father, Robert Fischer (Kellie Fischer), of Spokane; his brothers: Greg Fischer, of Nine Mile Falls, Washington, and David Fischer, Michael Fischer, Richard Fischer and Steven Fischer, all of Spokane, Washington; and stepsisters Heather Bonifield, of Hillsboro, Oregon, and Sara Wells, of Snohomish, Washington.

A memorial service is scheduled for 1 p.m., Friday, December 9, at the Salvation Army Chapel in Spokane, 222 East Indiana Avenue. Flowers may be sent before noon Friday to Spokane Cremation, 2832 N. Ruby Street, Spokane, WA, 99207. Allison has set up an account at gofundme.com to help with the unexpected expenses.

Virginia "Ginny" D. Canterbury (Ferguson)

Virginia "Ginny" D. Canterbury (Ferguson) born March 14, 1938, of Wilbur, Washington, passed away peacefully Dec. 2, 2016, in Spokane, Washington. She was a beloved mother, grandmother and great-grandmother.

Ginny, or "Fergie" as she was known, graduated from Coulee Dam High School in 1956. Ginny enjoyed the simple things in life. She loved nature. She loved to garden and often commented she "talked to worms" while gardening. She loved all animals, and always had a dog as her constant companion. She had a special fondness for horses, too. She was a talented artist and her paintings most often included horse scenes. Best of all, Ginny had a great sense of humor and loved to laugh!!! Her sense of humor re-



mained intact during her battle with Alzheimer's disease.

Ginny leaves behind daughter Tana McGuire (Terry Pemberton), DuPont, Washington; son, Todd Fancher (Jennifer Fancher), Grand Coulee; granddaughters: Courtney McGuire, Tacoma, Washington; Kobi Morris and Tori Johnson, Spokane, Washington.

Ginny was preceded in death by sons Tony Fancher and Troy Fancher.

A special thanks to Ginny's caregivers Desiree, Colleen and Janae, of Heritage Haven, Spokane.

"Mothers hold their children's hands for a short while, but their hearts forever." Author unknown

Bikes raffled for city park

by Roger S. Lucas

A raffle to benefit a new park in Electric City has raised \$500, City Councilmember Lonna Bussert said Monday.

Bussert has held two picnic celebrations and now the raffle of two bicycles to raise over \$4,000 toward development of the new park behind the fire station in Electric City.

Winners of the bicycles were Susan Haydock of Coulee Dam and Cody Bright of Wilbur. Bright donated his bicycle back and Bussert gave it to Trees of Sharing, to be given to some child in the area.

Bussert had stated that she hoped to get started on the park next year, even though the council had decided to wait for grants to develop it.

The city purchased the site for \$25,000 from Banks Lake Bible Church.

Aluminum cans only

The seniors accept aluminum cans ONLY. Please do not put cardboard, plastic bottles or other aluminum in the collection sacks.

The program helps keep the doors open at the seniors and keeps the cans out of the landfills. Please do not put other materials in with the cans because they have to dispose of them, raising the already high garbage bill and cutting down on the profit.

For how recycling works for each person or organization and what it takes to stay in a recycling program visit on terracycle.com.

Meetings

CHAMBER TO MEET

The Grand Coulee Dam Area Chamber of Commerce will meet at noon, this Thursday, Dec. 8, at Siam Palace. Jaci Gross will be talking about her hike of the Camino de Santiago.

AMERICAN LEGION TO MEET

The American Legion Post 157 will be meeting at 6:30 p.m., Tuesday, Dec 12 at the Vets Center in Electric City.

MONDAY SEW-INS

All are welcome at the Coulee Creators Sew-in Monday, Dec. 12, from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. at 512 Federal Ave., Room 207, Grand Coulee. Contact marlene@kissedquilts.com or 509-386-5715 for info.

ALUMNI TO MEET ON MEMORIAL

The Grand Coulee Alumni Association will hold a special meeting on Dec. 14 at 1 p.m. at the Grand Coulee Community Church.

The purpose of this special meeting will be to decide the final stage of the Grand Coulee School Memorial. As the granite pillar is in place, it is time to decide on the wording for the plaque.

All members are encouraged to attend and to bring their concept for the plaque.

LOCAL AA MEETINGS

Confused in the Coulee AA meetings are held on Mondays and Fridays at 6 p.m. at the Vets Center in Electric City. Call Paul at 633-3377 days or 633-3345 evenings. New Hope Group meetings are held Wednesdays at 6 p.m. at the Vets Center. These are open and non-smoking.

In Nespelem, the group Bound and Determined holds its meetings Monday evening at 7 p.m. at the Catholic Church. Contact Myrna at 634-4921 for more information.

Help Us Celebrate!

In August, Lena Mae Haegen turned 90 and December 31, Phil Haegen will turn 90.



They will celebrate their 70th Wedding Anniversary January 5, 2017.

Since the weather is always unpredictable we are throwing a card party for them. If you could include a short story or memory for Lena Mae and Phil, that would be great.

The address to send to would be: In care of Cornerstone 12420 N. Ruby Road, Spokane, WA 99218

Thanks in advance for helping us celebrate this special anniversary.

The families of Cindy Fritsch, Kristy Sooter and Kim Pietroburgo

Senior Menu

**Wed., Dec. 7 - Dinner**  
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## Big public practice

At the annual Crimson and Gold game Nov. 29, mixed varsity and junior varsity teams of Lake Roosevelt boys and girls basketballers played crimson vs. gold teams. It was essentially "just another practice, except we had people in the stands," in boys' Coach Levi Seekins view. "You always learn something about your players when you put them in a situation to compete." Above Cole Trotter, left, defends against Tyrell Kiser. Below - Tristen Adolph, center, defends the ball against Rainy-Dawn Vargas-Thomas, right and Cassidy Reyes.

— Jacob Wagner photos



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1	8	12

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TEAM	W	L
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# Few eligible, team still takes 3rd at tourney

by Jacob Wagner

Even out-manned four to one, Raider wrestlers placed third out of 13 schools Saturday at the 26th Annual Davenport Invitational with a team total of 76 points.

Reardon took first with 204 points, and Kittitas placed second with 82.

"It was a successful outing for us," said head coach Steve Hood. "We don't have a full lineup and the team that placed first had 20 wrestlers in the tournament, and we had five. We'll have some more kids eligible soon."

The five wrestlers from Lake Roosevelt qualified to participate were Kaleb Horn, Ryan Moon, Tony Nichols, Gabe Moses, and Steven Flowers.

Wrestling in the 120-pound weight division was Kaleb Horn, who, because of last year's success, was seeded number one and received two bye rounds. In the third round of matches, Horn faced up against Mabton's Gilbert Martinez.

"This Mabton kid is a state veteran," Hood noted, "and we knew he is a good competitor. He took Kaleb down in what appeared to be a bad situation, and Kaleb had to tough that out and only gave up two points. So he fought through that and came back and scored six points and won the match. ... That was a big win right there."

Horn then pinned Davenport's Sean Burt in four minutes in the final round to win a first-place medal at 120.

At 145, Nichols drew a first-



Kaleb Horn turns a match and Mabton's Gilbert Martinez on his head in a turn-around win at Davenport.

— April Smith photo

round bye, then wrestled Oroville's Kris Flowers, whom he pinned in 1:24. Then against Colfax's Chris Jones and down one point, Nichols performed a reverse with 30 seconds left to take the lead and the win. Nichols pinned Wilbur-Creston-Keller's Zach Behr in only 42 seconds to secure first place.

Flowers, at 195, pinned Pateros' Santana Ayala in 53 seconds, pinned Reardon's Tait Lyle in 1:10, and pinned Reardon's Colton Cotter in 1:50 to take first place.

"Even the guys who didn't place wrestled well," Hood said. "Gabe Moses wrestled five rounds,

won three of them, lost two. ... And Ryan Moon's wrestling is improving every day."

The Raider wrestlers' next event is the LR Mix and Match, tonight (Wednesday) at 6 p.m. in the Raider gym in Coulee Dam. The event is one of only two home events this season.

## Raiders stung by Oroville Hornets

by Jacob Wagner

The Raiders boys basketball team suffered a grim defeat in Oroville over the weekend, losing 80-30 to the Hornets in Oroville.

"It was really a tough game to start the season," remarked Head Coach Levi Seekins. "We played hard throughout the whole game. Quincy Williams played really well and led by

example."

The game was a lesson in what the team needs to work on.

"Hopefully, we learned how hard we need to play and how hard we need to prepare," Seekins said. "We have a lot to improve on from fundamentals, team defense, preparation, and our shooting."

The Raiders played the Brewster Bears last

night in their first home game of the season. After four quarters the Hornets took home the win 65-37.

The boys travel to Liberty Bell on Thursday to take on the Liberty Bell Mountain Lions, then their next home game will be on Saturday, Dec. 10, at 1 p.m. against the Soap Lake Eagles in the Raider Gym in Coulee Dam.

## Ladies swat the Hornets in opener

by Jacob Wagner

The Lady Raiders basketball team defeated the Oroville Lady Hornets on the Hornets' home court 64-46 Saturday in the 2016-17 season opener.

"We got out to an outstanding start with our defense, which allowed us to get into some of the things we have been working on," said Head Coach Wallace Pleasants.

All 10 players on the varsity squad were able to log in some minutes on the court.

"We were able to get a look at some new players in different situations," Pleasants said. "The only way we are going to get better is by playing the girls, letting them get the experience they need to help as the season moves along."

Mariah Boyd led the scoring for the Lady Raiders with 17 points.

The Lady Raiders played their first home game last night against the Brewster Lady Bears losing 44-60.

The girls will travel to Liberty Bell on Thursday to face off against the Liberty Bell Mountain Lions. They'll face Soap Lake in Coulee Dam on Saturday, Dec. 10, starting at 1 p.m. in

the Raider's gym in Coulee Dam.

Raiders-Hornets, Box Raiders 64, Hornets 46

Lake Roosevelt Points  
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**Job Title: ACCOUNTING MANAGER**  
**Entity:** Corporate  
**Reports To:** Corporate Controller  
**Salary Grade:** DOE  
**FLSA Classification:** Exempt  
**Closing Date:** December 16, 2016

**Summary:** Responsible for maintaining all general accounting functions and preparing the general ledger and financial reports as assigned; performs accounting functions and maintains records in compliance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP), established policies and procedures, Tribal, and State requirements; performs duties in a customer friendly, efficient and profitable manner that promotes superior staff, customer and vendor relations.

**Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities (Minimum Qualifications):**

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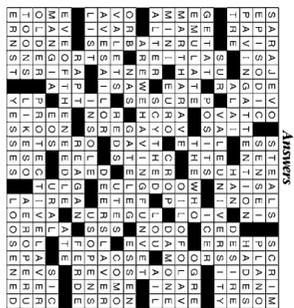
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### ORDINANCES ADOPTED BY THE TOWN OF COULEE DAM

**Ordinance 742** – An Ordinance of the Town of Coulee Dam, Washington, fixing the amounts to be raised by Ad Valorem Taxes for the Year 2017.

**Ordinance 743** – An ordinance setting salaries and wages for officers and employees of the Town of Coulee Dam for the calendar year 2017 and repealing Ordinance No. 737.

**Ordinance 744** – An Ordinance of the Town of Coulee Dam adopting the Budget for the calendar year 2017.

Full and complete copies of the above ordinance are available at Town Hall during normal business hours.

Stefani Bowden, Clerk / Treasurer  
 (Publish December 7, 2016)

### GCDS Indian Education Parent Advisory Committee NOTICE OF MEETING

Grand Coulee Dam School District Indian Education Parent Advisory Committee is holding a public meeting Thursday, December 8, 2016, from 4:30 to 6:00p.m., at Lake Roosevelt Junior/Senior High School, Room C-212.

2018 Impact Aid Application will be discussed.

(Publish December 7, 2016)

### CALL FOR BIDS Town of Coulee Dam One 1 TON PICKUP TRUCK

The Town of Coulee Dam will receive sealed bids for one new 1 Ton Pick-Up Truck. Bid Package and Specifications may be obtained by contacting Town Hall at (509) 633-0320. Sealed Bids should be mailed to the Town of Coulee Dam, 300 Lincoln Ave, Coulee Dam, WA 99116, or hand delivered to the Clerk's Office by 12:00pm (noon) on December 23, 2016. The Town of Coulee Dam reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

(Publish Dec. 7 and 14, 2016)

## Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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## Check Out These Listings!!

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**709 Central Drive, Coulee Dam**

**#709 Central Drive, Coulee Dam,** Huge 6 Bedroom home with all the room you would ever need. Home has huge renovated kitchen with updated appliances and granite countertops. Some of the features include seamless steel siding, Newer arch tab roof, and Central H & AC with Heat pump. Built in 1964. Home has 1763 sf main, plus another 1763 downstairs. There are 3 wood fireplaces, huge covered patio and the list goes on and on. The property is just over half an acre in town and includes carport and 2 car attached garage. **List Price is just \$249,500 and seller will provide a \$5,000 closing cost allowance.**

**#319 Sunny Drive, Electric City,** It is all about location and it is hard to find a better location than this one. Home is appr 2,500 s.f. all on one level and nestled next to federal land overlooking Banks Lake. The home has 4 bedrooms and 3 baths, Living Room with Wood Fireplace, Updated Vinyl 2 pane windows and vinyl siding. Custom built in 1961, it has a huge Family Room with woodstove, an in-ground heated pool and large patio in the backyard. There is an attached 2 car garage and the property is 95' wide by 270 feet deep, or appr .60 of an acre all together. **List Price is now just \$269,900.**

**#122 Williams Ave, Electric City,** Immaculate 3 bedroom ranch style home in Electric City. Built in 2005, home has 6" exterior walls and was built to super good certs construction standards. Home is 1,530 square feet and all on one level. There is a formal living room, A large Family room with gas fireplace, Arch tab roof, Central H & AC with HP. The property has a fenced yard with auto sprinklers, a huge graveled parking area, and a kennel for the puppy. Attached 420 sf garage. The property is appr. 75 feet wide by 110' deep with alley access. Average monthly electric bill is just \$48. **List price is \$209,500.**

**#20 Sunset Drive, Electric City,** 3 bedroom 2 1/2 bath Ranch Style home with beautiful sunset views. The home has 1,600 square feet of finished living area and has Central Heat & Air with a HP, 2 pane vinyl windows, architectural shingle roof and copper plumbing. There is a large living room with an airtight woodstove, fenced backyard and storage shed for the lawn mower and yard supplies. Auto sprinklers including drip system for the plants. There is a 1+ car garage, 1 car carport and 15 x 16.5 workshop. Great Neighborhood. **List Price is just \$189,500**

**#201 Ferry Avenue, Coulee Dam.** Very well built home in Historic West Coulee Dam. The home has 2 bedrooms on the main level with 1 bath, plus another bedroom and bath downstairs. The home has just over 1,200 square feet on the main level, plus another 800 square feet downstairs. Built in 1934, it has had a number of updates. It has metal siding, 2 pane vinyl clad Low E gas windows, Updated 200 amp circuit breaker service. The kitchen has several cabinets with glass fronts and all the major appliances are included. Big utility room on main level. Large Rec room downstairs with a pool table. Spacious corner lot that is about 9,100 sf all together. Nice Patio and fenced backyard as well. **List Price is now just \$155,000.**

**431 Ronald Drive, Grand Coulee,** Here is a darling 3 Bedroom 2 bath home with new paint inside and out, plus new floorings as well. Home has 950 sf on the main level, plus almost 700 sf downstairs. Built in 1967, home has gas FP in Living Room, Large Family room, Electric BB and wall ac, and comp 3 tab roof. Like new composite deck looking up the river. There is a 1 car built in garage and shop. Property is appr 80 feet wide by 80 feet deep. **List price is just \$129,500 and seller will provide a \$2,500 closing cost credit.**

**#202 1st Avenue, Eimer City,** Built in 1971, this tri-level home has just over



**111 Palmer Ave., Electric City**

**#111 Palmer Ave, Electric City, WA,** Need a 4 Bedroom Home without the big price? Take a look at this. Built in 1990, this Man home is 1,809 s.f. in size and has huge master bedroom and master bath on one end, and 3 bedrooms and full bath on the far end. Arch tab roof is 14 years old, central Heat and Air, Vinyl lap siding, and fenced yard. Includes stove, ref, dw, w & d, and hot tub. Property is 60' wide by 106' deep or 6,360 sf. **List Price is just \$109,500 with a \$6,000 carpet allowance.**

1,650 square feet all together. There are 3 Bedrooms and 1 1/2 baths, however you could make it back into a 4 bedroom home if you wish. It has new carpeting in LR, DR, and Family Room, single pane windows, bb electric heat & wall air conditioning, copper plumbing, and T1-11 vertical siding. Main bath upstairs has been completely renovated. The property is appr. 8,050 sf in size, plus part of a vacated alley, and a 50' wide by 70' deep parcel adjacent to federal land that gives you additional off street parking. Property is conveniently located next to the hiking/biking trail. **List price is just \$125,000**

**#609 Aspen Street, Coulee Dam,** Very nice 3 Bedroom- 2 bath Ranch Style Home that is appr 1,250 sf in size. Built in 1935, the home has been nicely renovated over the years. Living Room is roomy and has a wood fire place. Kitchen has updated cabinets and counters and includes Stove, Ref, DW, and Dining Room close by. Large UR includes w/d and lots of storage. Master Bedroom has a master bath with shower. The home has vinyl siding, Comp 3 tab roof and a fenced backyard. It's been rewired with 200 amp CB service. Copper & Galv plumbing, BB Heat & Air Conditioning. Property is 60' by 93' in size. **List price is just \$117,250 with \$3,500 closing cost credit.**

**311 Davis Street, Elmer City,** 2 Bedroom 2 bath 1994 Nashua Man Home overlooking the Grand Coulee Dam and the Columbia River. Big Living Room with Vaulted Ceilings, Vinyl 2 pane windows. Newer floor coverings throughout. Beautiful kitchen with breakfast bar, stove, ref, dishwasher, and lots of counter space. There is a large patio to take full advantage of the view. It has Central H & AC and a Comp 3 tab shingle roof. The property is about 57.5 feet wide by 118.5 feet deep and is fenced. There is a 200 s.f. storage/shop building and off street parking as well. **List Price is just \$70,000 and subject to Short Sale Lender approval.**

**214 A Street, Grand Coulee.** Here is the perfect little cottage just for you. Home has 750 s.f. on the main level, plus another 750 s.f in the basement. Home has recently been replumbed. It still has the older fuse electrical service. Concrete block construction with Comp 3 tab roof, stucco interior walls, and patio area. Lot is 50' by 120' deep and has 1 car carport. **List price is just \$49,500.** Owner also has another 50' by 120' building site available next door. If you want the extra property, not a problem, **List price for both is \$59,900.**

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# Coulee Cops

Compiled from police files

## Grand Coulee Police

11/27 - A man saw someone crouched near his girlfriend's car at a Main Street apartment and yelled at him. His girlfriend came to the door and heard a "hissing" sound and saw the man letting the air out of her tire. She chased him for about a block. She gave police the name of the man she chased, but police were unable to find him.

11/28 - A woman went to see her daughter at her house on Wenatchee Ave. NE, where, she reported, a man yelled profanities at her and wouldn't let her in the house. Police checked on the daughter and stated in the report that she was OK.

- A Nespelem man was stopped because of a faulty brake light and ended up getting a ticket for not having insurance. The officer gave the man a warning on the brake light.

- A man on Stevens Avenue in Electric City was warned about his barking dog. He told the officer that he would take care of the complaint.

11/30 - A man walking around Coulee Medical Center was reminded that he had been banned from its property.

- A vehicle that was following a patrol car too closely was stopped and the officer found that the driver's license was suspended. She was cited and told not to drive.

- A lock on one of the L&M Storage units at Electric City was found cut. The person who cut the lock did not get inside the unit.

- An Electric City man in the North Dam Park area after closing was told to leave the area. He did so on foot.

- Police were informed of a male who appeared intoxicated throwing rocks and sticks at a house on

Electric Boulevard. The person reporting the incident gave police a description. Police rapped on the door of the house and found a man dressed as the informant reported. He was told to stay out of the roadway.

- A Roosevelt Drive woman faces a driving-under-the-influence charge after the vehicle she was driving hit a parked car on the 300 block of Roosevelt Drive, police said. She admitted to drinking, according to the police report.

12/1 - A woman on E. Grand Coulee Avenue reported that someone had taken about one-fourth of her woodpile overnight.

- USBR Plant Protection reported a suspicious person near the Candy Point Trail. When contacted, the man said he was placing rocks to mark the trail.

12/2 - A woman who owns a vacant house on Center Street told police that someone had entered the house and has been staying inside. She requested more patrols on the street.

- A man known to be wanted on a warrant was taken from the Coulee Dam Casino to Grant County jail.

- Police checked on a report of a child in the roadway on west Grand Avenue in Electric City. The officer learned the child was on his way to the grocery store for food. The parent was advised that the child should not cross the highway unsupervised.

- A man in an east Grand Avenue apartment in Electric City told police that when he returned home he found two males in his apartment. Police searched the apartment; they didn't find anyone.

- A man on Second Street in Electric City told police that a neighbor had some of his tools and keys and that he wanted them back. Police took the man to the place and helped get his items back.

- A caller from the Pleasant Valley area reported a loud bang. Police stated it was likely an echo from permitted fireworks being set off in Lincoln County.

- A school employee told police that someone had entered the grounds behind Center School

by removing a gate and that tires were stolen off a trailer.

12/3 - A woman on West Grand Avenue in Electric City told police that she had rolled about \$100 in quarters and put them on her dresser and when she returned later in the day they were gone. She told police who she thought might have taken the quarters.

- A Wilbur man was issued citations for driving a vehicle with expired tabs and no insurance after being stopped at SR-155 and B Street.

- A woman at the Spring Canyon Apartments told police that she heard a voice saying he had been robbed. Police couldn't find any evidence of someone being robbed.

- Three people were advised that they couldn't sleep in their vehicle at North Dam Park after hours. They left.

12/4 - A man on Sunny Drive in Electric City reported that someone had stolen his 14-foot trailer.

- Police were informed that a man had dropped a syringe while doing laundry at King's Court. He told the police that it was for diabetic shots. Police asked where the needle was. The man said he put it in a disposable place, but when the officer couldn't find it, the man was advised that the next time he had a call it would be investigated.

- A Bowen Street resident wanted on a Department of Corrections and two local warrants was arrested at the Coulee Dam Casino and taken to Grant County jail.

- Dispatch advised police of an open door at the city's maintenance sheds. Police searched the sheds and then secured the door.

12/5 - Police checked on two dogs running loose near Division Street. The owner of one dog was warned about it running loose; the other owner couldn't be reached.

- A Grand Coulee man who had been involved in a disagreement at Continental Heights was advised by police that he was banned from the property.

- A Weil Place man reported that a caller advised him that he would get some money from the government, and all he had to do was purchase \$200 in iTunes cards. Later, he was called and

told to purchase \$500 of the cards. He got the cards at Safeway, but then realized it was a scam.

- A deer was struck by a vehicle on Coulee Blvd East in Electric City. The deer was dead when police arrived and the vehicle in question had left the area. Police dragged the animal from the roadway and notified the DOT.

12/6 - An intoxicated man in Electric City was given a ride to his mother's house in Coulee Dam so he could sober up.



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Wed.	Low 14°	25° High	Sunny!
Thu.	Low 22°	23° High	Snow
Fri.	Low 26°	30° High	Snow showers
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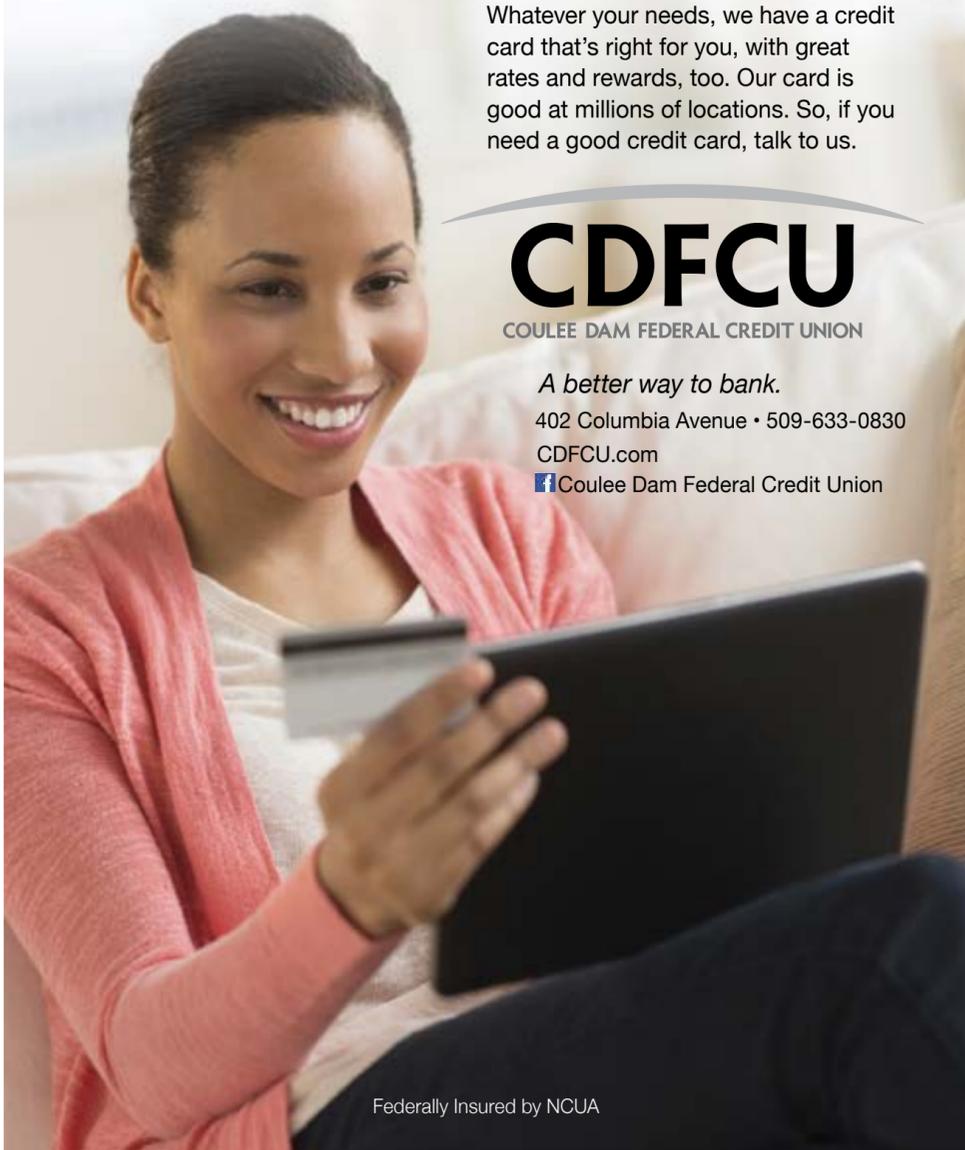
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