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What's Happening Locally This Week

Dinner tonight

Thanksgiving Dinner is served tonight from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. in the Fall River High School Cafeteria in McArthur. The annual feast is hosted by the Fall River High School Student Council to benefit the local food pantry. Tickets for the delicious turkey dinner with all the trimmings are \$8 for adults and \$5 for children elementary school age and younger. Those attending are asked to bring a can of food to donate to the food pantry. For each can donated, a ticket will be given for a chance at some great prizes donated by local businesses. The evening will also feature a variety of local entertainment.

Turkey shoot

A Thanksgiving Turkey Shoot Bingo is set for Saturday, 7 p.m., at the Vets Hall in Fall River Mills. The event to give away Thanksgiving turkeys is sponsored by the American Legion Post 369. Telephone Al Prat at 336-5738, Dan Marcum at 336-6467, or Laura Fredette at 336-7358 for more information.

Scouts food drive

Saturday, noon to 4 p.m., Girl Scouts from Fall River Brownie Troop 281 and Junior Troop 97 will be at Ray's market in Fall River Mills and Safeway in Burney collecting non-perishable food items and monetary gifts for the HIV food bank and coats for the Intermountain Handicapped Services Thrift Store in Burney. The Girl Scouts from Troop 97 are hoping to collect at least 90 pounds of food items to earn a council patch.

Basket making

Gallery and Gifts in Fall River Mills will have a free demonstration on basket making Saturday, 1 p.m. Janet M. Oilar of McArthur will instruct pine needle basket making from gathering the needles to the finished product. Refreshments will be served. For more information, telephone 336-5019.

WEATHER

FORECAST

Tonight, clear in the evening then becoming mostly cloudy. Lows 29 to 34. **Thursday**, partly cloudy with highs 55 to 65. **Friday** and **Saturday**, dry with lows 25 to 35 and highs 55 to 65. **Sunday** and **Monday**, dry with lows 25 to 35 and highs in the 50s. A current forecast is updated about 4 a.m. and 4 p.m. daily on The News web site at www.im-news.com.

TEMPERATURES

	Hi	Low	Rain
Nov. 12	49	32	.09
Nov. 13	51	42	
Nov. 14	54	27	
Nov. 15	51	25	
Nov. 16	58	26	
Nov. 17	51	32	
Nov. 18	51	25	

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Schools revised \$11.7 million budget includes \$250,000 in cuts to 4 schools

BY MEG FOX

In a special meeting Nov. 12 in McArthur, trustees for the Fall River JUSD approved an amended budget of \$11.7 million for 2002-2003.

The hastily revised budget represents cuts of \$250,000, according to Chief Business Official Roger Borkey, and gives the school district a 3.66 percent reserve of \$410,661.

The proposed cuts to four school sites, maintenance, transportation

and the district office are a result of the state's budget troubles.

"At the last minute the State of California deferred reimbursement of \$142,000 for home-to-school transportation," Borkey explained.

The state also cut \$36,000 of SIP (School Improvement Program) funding designated for the district.

The state has promised to make the transportation payment after July 1, 2003, Borkey said.

While the Shasta County Office of Education encouraged the district

to "book" the anticipated funds, the district business office was at first hesitant to put money they didn't have into the budget.

"The board asked us to book half of it (about \$72,000) as accounts receivable," Borkey said. When they still couldn't balance the budget without further cuts, "we went ahead and booked the full amount."

"We show it as owed to us and it goes on the books the same as if we had it," Borkey explained.

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Plan to merge schools proposed

BY MEG FOX

Trustees for the Mountain Union Joint Unified School District met Tuesday at press time to discuss consolidation of their two elementary school sites.

About 30 people attended a community meeting two weeks ago, arriving with differing ideas, but reaching consensus that it would be appropriate to close the Cedar Creek (K-3) Elementary School on Terry Mill Road.

Students from Round Mountain and Montgomery Creek would all attend Montgomery Creek Elementary (4-8) School if the school board agrees.

District Secretary Sue McNabb said closing Cedar Creek was also

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Photo Courtesy of Nancy Hutchings

Rescue personnel remove door on sedan carrying four people that crashed on Highway 89 Nov. 13, about one mile north of the McArthur Burney Falls Memorial State Park entrance.

Solo crash injures Oregon group

Four people from Medford, Ore., sustained injuries ranging from minor to major in a solo crash of a sedan Nov. 13.

Crystal Oestreich, 20, was traveling north about 6:55 a.m. on Highway 89 about one mile north of the entrance to McArthur Burney

Falls Memorial State Park when she allowed the vehicle to leave the roadway, according to the California Highway Patrol.

The vehicle brushed one tree and then broadsided a second before spinning across the highway.

Three passengers, a 44-year-old

woman and 18-year-old man sustained major injuries. An 8-month-old baby sustained minor injuries.

Oestreich and the baby were taken to Mayers Memorial Hospital, treated and released. The two other passengers were flown to a Redding hospital.

Burney woman adds name to list of those suing Redding doctors over heart surgery

BY MEG FOX

A television crew from NBC was back in Burney two weeks ago, this time to interview Burney resident Beverly Morrell and her Redding attorney.

Morrell filed suit Nov. 8 against Redding Medical Center, its owner Tenet Healthcare, and Dr. Chae Hyun Moon, director of cardiology at RMC, for unnecessary and invasive cardiac treatment.

Morrell is one of about 200 clients, including 10 from the Intermountain area, represented by the law offices of Reiner, Simpson, Timmons & Slaughter in individual lawsuits against Dr. Moon, Redding Medical Center, and Tenet Healthcare, according to attorney Russ Reiner.

Morrell said a crew from NBC's Dateline program interviewed her at her home in Burney and also in her attorney's offices.

"They came to Burney for three days to meet me and my grandkids and family," Morrell said.

NBC also came to Burney this summer to film and interview Todd and Lenetta Harris before their appearance for a makeover on The Today Show.

Morrell's footage was originally scheduled to air last week on the Nightly News with Tom Brokaw, but



BEVERLY MORRELL

Morrell said she was bumped by an interview with another of Moon's patients, Merle Haggard.

"They still say it's going to be on," Morrell said.

Reiner, who lives in Palo Cedro, said he has had a home in the Fall River Valley since 1998 and plans to

retire there.

Reiner's law partner, Robert Simpson, has subsequently been named as "Patient 2," one of three former Moon patients quoted in the 70-page affidavit filed in U.S. Eastern District Court in Sacramento.

The court issued federal warrants for the much-publicized Oct. 30 search, by 40 FBI and other agents, at RMC and Moon's office.

They also searched the office of Dr. Fidel Realyvasquez, Jr., a cardio-thoracic surgeon and chairman of the hospital's cardiac surgery program.

Agents seized patient records, angiograms, and other medical documents for their investigation into the reported conspiracy to commit healthcare fraud and false statements relating to health care.

The investigation centers on charges that the two doctors and RMC needlessly operated on patients and padded Medicare claims.

Neither doctor has been charged and both are still practicing medicine in Redding.

Dr. Moon was graduated in 1972 from the Yonsei University College of Medicine in Wonju, South Korea and was licensed in 1978, according to the Medical Board of California.

Dr. Realyvasquez, Jr. is a 1975

graduate of the University of California at Davis, School of Medicine and was licensed in 1976.

RMC said Dr. Realyvasquez completed post-doctoral training at UCLA and at Stanford Medical Center.

Dr. Moon completed his post-doctoral training at The Cleveland Clinic and Metropolitan Hospital in New York.

The Medical Board of California had asked for a temporary order preventing Drs. Moon and Realyvasquez from seeing patients until the state investigation was complete, but the request was denied Nov. 13 in Redding court.

In a related issue, Tenet is being audited by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, which is examining payments at several Tenet hospitals for particularly expensive procedures, according to the Associated Press.

At their Internet Web site, Reiner and Simpson said they are "leading the investigation into unnecessary heart procedures and surgeries on patients at RMC from 1990 to the present." They offer "free, confidential consultation."

The site also lists complaints the law firm has filed on behalf of five other former patients, including Dr.

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New budget \$250,000 less

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While he has been assured that the state will make the late payment, he believes the government will then defer this year's scheduled payment.

The cuts affected most of the district's departments. The two high schools and two elementary schools each had their site block grants

cut by \$15,000. However, the district learned last week that each school will get some relief from site block grants "misplaced" on the books since 1998 due to an accounting error.

Borkey said the schools could use the money to use as they choose. Burney Elementary School is due to get \$10,730 and Fall River Elementary will receive \$4,594.

Burney High School will receive \$9,997 and Fall River High School will get \$7,038. Mt. View Continuation

High School is owed \$18,000 and \$163 is coming for the Mt. Burney Center.

The varying amounts are based on how much each site had in a rollover account from a previous year.

Today's Weather

Local 5-Day Forecast

Thu 11/21	Fri 11/22	Sat 11/23	Sun 11/24	Mon 11/25
59/25	57/25	55/24	54/22	53/23
Partly cloudy. Highs in the upper 50s and lows in the mid 20s.	Partial sunshine. Highs in the upper 50s and lows in the mid 20s.	More sun than clouds. Highs in the mid 50s and lows in the mid 20s.	Plenty of sun. Highs in the mid 50s and lows in the low 20s.	Partly cloudy. Highs in the low 50s and lows in the low 20s.
Sunrise 7:01 AM Sunset 4:44 PM	Sunrise 7:02 AM Sunset 4:43 PM	Sunrise 7:03 AM Sunset 4:43 PM	Sunrise 7:04 AM Sunset 4:42 PM	Sunrise 7:05 AM Sunset 4:42 PM

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California At A Glance

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Burney	59	25	Partly cloudy
Redding	65	43	Partly sunny
Sacramento	66	44	Partly sunny
San Francisco	66	48	Partly sunny
Bakersfield	70	46	Partly sunny
Los Angeles	80	55	Partly sunny
San Diego	78	54	Partly sunny

Moon Phases

Full Nov 20	Last Nov 27
New Dec 4	First Dec 11

UV Index

Thu 11/21	2	Minimal
Fri 11/22	2	Minimal
Sat 11/23	2	Minimal
Sun 11/24	2	Minimal
Mon 11/25	2	Minimal

The UV Index is measured on a 0-11 number scale, with a higher UV index showing the need for greater skin protection.

Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Anaheim	65	50	mst sunny
Bakersfield	70	46	foggy
Barstow	74	37	mst sunny
Blythe	79	49	mst sunny
Chico	66	39	pt sunny
Costa Mesa	80	51	pt sunny
El Centro	81	47	mst sunny
Eureka	61	44	cloudy
Fresno	69	45	foggy
Los Angeles	80	55	pt sunny
Modesto	68	41	pt sunny
Mojave	72	40	pt sunny
Monterey	68	46	pt sunny
Needles	77	50	mst sunny
Oakland	63	41	pt sunny
Palmdale	72	39	mst sunny
Pasadena	84	49	pt sunny
Redding	80	44	pt sunny
Riverside	82	44	mst sunny
Sacramento	66	41	pt sunny
Saines	71	45	pt sunny
San Bernardino	80	45	pt sunny
San Diego	78	54	pt sunny
San Francisco	66	48	pt sunny
San Jose	70	47	pt sunny
Santa Barbara	76	49	pt sunny
Stockton	66	40	pt sunny
Susanville	55	25	pt sunny
Truckee	53	21	pt sunny
Visalia	68	44	foggy

National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Atlanta	58	33	pt sunny
Boston	56	47	rain
Chicago	44	28	mixed
Dallas	66	44	mst sunny
Denver	58	28	pt sunny
Houston	71	49	mst sunny
Los Angeles	80	55	pt sunny
Miami	80	62	t-storm
Minneapolis	35	18	cloudy
New York	55	41	rain
Phoenix	80	55	mst sunny
San Francisco	66	48	pt sunny
Seattle	54	42	cloudy
St. Louis	45	30	pt sunny
Washington, DC	58	38	cloudy

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Schools merger proposed

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the recommendation made by the Shasta County office of Education, which has been considering consolidation of the sites for some time due to budget cuts and declining enrollment.

McNabb said district enrollment is now 99 students, down from 130 students two years ago.

"It's going to have to happen," said McNabb.

The Head Start Program would likely remain open at Cedar Creek.

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Local doctor also adds name to those claiming damages

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Charles Dahlgren, who lives in the Fall River Valley and has a practice in Burney.

Dr. Moon, who was declining interviews, opened his own Web page to answer questions and to present positive patient testimonies.

Even Redding Medical Center has a Question and Answer site about the case on the Internet now.

According to their Web page, RMC performs about 200 heart catheterizations a month and 700 open-heart surgeries annually.

Morrell's complaint alleges a "conspiracy" between Moon, Tenet Healthcare, and RMC based on what she now believes was her "unnecessary cardiac treatment."

According to the complaint, Moon and the hospital wanted to "reap huge profits from unnecessary open heart surgeries" and other unnecessary procedures "without regard to the horrendous consequences."

"He said I was going to die in five to 10 years unless I had open heart surgery," she said. "I was devastated."

Morrell said she thought she just had the flu when she went to see her doctor and was referred to Moon.

She saw Moon in May 2002 with "non-specific physical complaints," according to her complaint that cites deceptive business practices, emotional distress, and battery.

After a stress test, the complaint states Moon performed a cardiac catheterization and then told Morrell she required "immediate coronary bypass surgery to save her life."

Because her insurance would not cover the surgery,

the complaint states that Moon asked her "to go home and apply for MediCal assistance."

Morrell wanted to have the procedure done in Arkansas so she could be near her family, but Moon allegedly told her she would "not survive the trip."

Morrell was attending a family funeral in the Bay Area two weeks ago, when her husband picked up a copy of the San Francisco Chronicle and read about the allegations against Moon, RMC, and Realyvasquez.

Since Simpson's law practice was referenced, Morrell contacted him.

"We've had many calls," said Reiner.

He is particularly concerned about the \$1 million he said RMC and Tenet spent on advertising "all over the country."

"They sent glossy advertisements to Burney directing women in their 40's to come to Redding Medical Center for a stress EKG and blood work. Normally \$342, it would only cost \$39. It said space was limited."

"It described a woman's risk factors, such as menopause, use of contraceptives, anxiety and, the one I loved the best, signs of aging."

"They targeted the Baby Boomer women who get tested and then go to Dr. Moon to review the results and he would then say, oh my, you need catheterization, and after spending \$15,000 to \$40,000 on that, you may be told you need bypass surgery," he said.

"It's a story I heard over and over again and it frightened people into having the procedures."

Reiner said that similar ads targeted men age 40 and older.

Many of Dr. Moon's patients were referred by their physicians, but Reiner said he holds them harmless.

"They're GPs, not specialists, so if they send someone in for a stress EKG who is over 55 and overweight, it's not a bad thing to check. But they expect that their patients are getting good information back."

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SHERIFF'S LOG BOOK

A Fall River Mills mother reported Sunday at 10:52 p.m. her daughter was at a friend's residence and was refusing to come home.

A Cottonwood Street caller reported screaming and banging noises could be heard coming from a Johnson Park neighbor's residence Sunday at 10:03 p.m.

A Burney caller reported Sunday at 9:37 p.m. that a large marijuana crop was robbed earlier that evening by two masked men with shotguns. The owner of the crop had put together a posse of armed men with horses and dirt bikes, the caller said, who were armed with shotguns, revolvers and more. Now the robbers had returned and they were in a fight with the landowners. The caller said all this was heard second hand, however, believed the posse suspects were going to shoot the others, who may be juveniles.

A suspicious vehicle was reported Sunday at 7:45 p.m. at Kirby Court and Timber Hill in Burney.

A verbal argument between two men over one of the subject's sister was reported Sunday at 7:03 p.m. at Reynolds Road and Highway 299 in Fall River Mills.

Deputies arrested Fabian Carroll Sunday at 3:39 p.m. on a warrant at the 20400 block of Plumas Street in Burney.

Haing Chang reported Sunday that, while he was on a school outing at Lassen Volcanic National Park Oct. 5, someone stole checks from his vehicle trunk parked at Manzanita Lake.

Deputies arrested a subject Sunday at 12:04 a.m. for alleged narcotics possession in Big Bend.

Two windows were reported Saturday broken at Uncle Runt's restaurant in Old Station.

A caller reported her brother was hitting her and the brother's girlfriend Saturday afternoon at the 20100 block of Maple Leaf Street in Burney.

Joy McKorn reported Saturday the theft of a chainsaw taken from the 29500 block of Fenders Ferry Road in Round Mountain.

Deputies met with a female subject on Main Street in Burney Saturday at 4:15 a.m. after she reported being assaulted.

An anonymous caller reported Friday at 3:53 p.m. four youths on BMX bikes were damaging the landscape at the 20600 block of Commerce Way in Burney.

A fight was reported between subjects following a traffic accident Friday afternoon at the 29400 block of Highway 299 in Round Mountain.

One seventh grade student reportedly threatened another student Friday morning at Montgomery Creek Elementary.

Lori Donner reported windows were broken and curtains torn down to a cabin at the 18100 block of Doty Road in Hat Creek.

Deputies arrested Christian Childers and Rebecca Estes on alleged narcotics possession and a warrant Friday at 12:32 a.m. near Highway 299 and Dunn Moody Road in Round Mountain.

Deputies arrested Stonewall Jackson Lawson on a warrant Thursday at 8:48 p.m. near Mountain View and Marquette in Burney.

A Johnson Park resident reported having trouble with her yard man Thursday.

Dominic Duane Gensaw was arrested Thursday afternoon at the 20200 block of Tamarack Avenue in Burney on a warrant.

Deputies arrested Fabian Flores on a warrant Thursday morning at the 20400 block of Butte Street in Burney.

Phillip Raglin reported Nov. 13 several employees

that were recently fired were calling local businesses and having them deliver food to the Pit River Casino as a prank.

Paula Shearman reported a residential burglary at the 29200 block of Fenders Ferry Road in Round Mountain Nov. 13.

Teddy Wilson was arrested on a warrant Nov. 13 at the 37200 block of Huron Avenue in Burney.

Greg Hawkins reported a burglary to Fall River High School Nov. 13.

A 17-year-old Burney girl reported her 17-year-old boyfriend assaulted her Nov. 13.

State funds to improve park sought

The Shasta County Department of Public Works, which maintains the small park on Hat Creek near Highway 299, has applied for a \$73,000 grant from the Environmental Enhancement and Mitigation Program (EEMP) through the State Resources Agency.

The county intends to pave a path from the parking lot to the stream, overlay the parking area, replace existing picnic tables and barbecues, and provide wheelchair access, according to Marjie Coon, executive assistant for the DPW.

Plans also include providing self-guided nature trails along the stream, new signage for the park, and weed abatement.

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THE InterMountain News Sports

Sports at a Glance

Football Playoffs

Big Valley Cardinals host Greenville, Friday at 7 p.m. in Bieber, may play again next Wednesday.

Volleyball Playoffs

Big Valley plays Champion Christian Saturday at the Div. VI championship, 11 a.m. at Foothill high school.

Fall River Bulldogs played in Etna Yesterday, winner will move on to Div. V championship

Bulldogs defeat Willams in first round playoffs

By WES HATCHER

The Fall River Bulldogs volleyball squad traveled to Etna yesterday for their second round playoff meeting, however results were unavailable at press time.

If the Bulldogs should defeat Etna they could see the winner of the Hamilton, Loy-alton match-up, Saturday at the Division Championships at Foothill high school.

The lady Bulldogs defeated Willams last Wednesday,

their first playoff opponent in four games, losing the first 13-15 and won the next three games 15-7, 15-6 and 15-6.

"We got off to a slow start with Willams but came back enough to take the win," Bulldog coach Kelly Freeland-Sloat stated.

"We have a new team line-up and are just getting used to it, I think the girls are ready for Etna though," Freeland-Sloat added.

Bidwell takes reserve all around in third rodeo

By WES HATCHER

Blaire Bidwell took the reserve all around honors at the Nov. 16-17, California High School Rodeo, coming in second to Orland's Megan Rolfs in the years third High School Rodeo.

Bidwell placed in the top five in three events, taking second in the breakaway roping event, third in the barrel racing event and finished fifth in the girls cutting category.

Jackie McArthur also fin-

ished second in the barrel racing event.

Cliff Bernal of Fall River also finished fifth in the team roping event, with his teammate Cody Brewer of Millville.

The next California High School Rodeo will be held January 26, 2003 at the Pauline Davis Pavilion at the Red Bluff Fairgrounds.

There will be two complete go's in one day in two arenas scheduled to start at 8 a.m.

Cardinals scheduled to face Champion Christian

By WES HATCHER

The Big Valley Cardinals volleyball team has already secured their place in Saturday's Div. VI, 11-a.m. championship game versus Champion Christian after defeating Hayfork last Thursday in Bieber.

The Lady Cardinals won't go any further than the championships because of their Div. 6 status.

The Cardinals are scheduled to play at Foothill High School in Redding with the match starting at 11 a.m.

Cardinal football hosts Greenville Friday

The Big Valley Cardinals football team had a first round bye last Friday and is scheduled to host the Greenville Indians Friday in Bieber starting at 7 p.m.

If the Cardinals should win they will have another game Wednesday Nov. 27, also in Bieber for the Championship match.

Intermountain Renegades take District nine cup championship

By WES HATCHER

The Intermountain Renegades U-14 soccer team took first place in the District nine cup championships, held in Anderson Nov. 9.

The Renegades are scheduled to attend the Tide America Cup held in Morgan

Hill Dec. 14, 15.

The Renegades comprised mostly of Big Valley players also had three players from the Fall River area.

After defeating four teams in the pre semi final matches the Renegades faced the North Siskiyou Blue Crew and

took the win 5-1 advancing to the finals with Red Bluff.

In the final match the Renegades tied Red Bluff 3-3 at the end of regulation time and entered into two ten minute golden goal or single elimination time periods.

The two teams remained scoreless and entered into a penalty kick shootout, which the Renegades won 3-1, taking the District nine cup champion honors.

"This is as far as any intermountain team has made it past the District Cup, we are

all very excited to go on further," coach Michelle Fulfer said.

The Intermountain Renegades consists of Devon Barela, Oscar Bautista, Chrisijan Bidwell, Matt Dowell, Robert Dwy, Taylor Fulfer, Kolten Hawkins, Richard Brakefield, Jake Martin, Noel Sanchez, Dan Torres, Flagan Watkins, CJ Huitt, Brent Handa, Koleman Eades and Michael Pena.

The Renegades are coached by Michelle Salters and Cindy Fulfer.

Local x-country runners place at West Valley

By BILL BROWN

High overcast skies and pleasant temperatures greeted the high school runners at the annual Small Schools Cross-Country Championships at West Valley High School on Wednesday, November 06, 2002.

Eight schools were in attendance this year for the warm up for next Thursday's Northern Section Cross-Country Championships on the same course. Two races were run with both being on the three mile varsity course.

For the girls, veteran senior runner, Kayla Harness from Modoc High School finished first with a time of 21:17. Close on her heels was Mt. Shasta's freshman, Miranda McCann, second in 21:44. The runners behind these two took a wrong turn which added a lot of time to their times.

In third place was junior Caitlin Donahue from Etna in 25:25, followed closely by freshman Jennifer Joyce of Modoc in 25:30.

In fifth was sophomore Mimi Brown from Fall River in 25:43.

In seventh was sophomore Alysa Belarde of Modoc in 26:01.

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Melvin D. Myers Rancher, 87

Melvin Dunbar Myers was born in Fall River Mills on July 23, 1915, second of the six children born to James R. and Edith (Dunbar) Myers, both members of pioneering California families.

About 1917 James and Edith moved their family to Rush Creek, north of Adin, where James operated a sawmill.

Later they lived in Janesville and Susanville before returning to Big Valley.

In 1929, James Myers leased a ranch from Frank Studley, partly so that Melvin and his older brother Norris

could expend some of their youthful energies taking care of a cow and doing other chores.

James died in 1932 and after graduating from Adin High School the following year Melvin with the help of Frank Studley, who helped him with his first cow herd, his great-uncle Ben Waite and his uncle Ernest Dunbar, became a rancher.

In later years, he told family members that the farming methods he learned from his Uncle Ernest were old-fashioned, and as he matured Melvin devoted much energy to learning the more modern scientific techniques.

He was so successful that on at least one occasion his methods of cattle raising were written up for publication in the California Farmer magazine.

On Dec. 30, 1946 Melvin married Nettie Lovine Maben, in Willows, and to their union were born two children, Lura and Darrel.

Melvin and Lovine raised their family in an atmosphere of love and hard work, teaching them to value their extended family and to enjoy simple pleasures.

Melvin enjoyed hunting, fishing and all kinds of family outings from picnics in the summer to holiday gatherings

in the winter to simply sitting out on the lawn with his wife and children on a summer evening to enjoy a dish of ice cream or slice of melon.

He was deeply interested in the history and wildlife of Big Valley and the surrounding area.

He loved children and was blessed with an ability, unusual for an adult, to see things from their perspective.

He loved animals and always had at least one dog running at his heels or riding in the pickup with him, and he dearly loved to hear and to share a unique or funny story.

One example of his interest in his community was his donation of the land on which the Adin sewer plant was built.

Melvin Myers was a man of character, courage and great conviction, a hard worker who enjoyed life and loved his family deeply.

With his death on November 7, 2002 at Mayers Memorial Hospital in Fall River Mills he leaves a void in the hearts and lives of his wife Lovine, his children Lura Yowell and Darrel Myers, all of the family ranch south of Adin; his granddaughter Brenda Rodriguez, her husband Rick; and two great-grandchildren, Easton and Eleeshya Rodriguez, all

of San Jose; his brothers, Delbert Myers of Adin and Ben Myers of Pensacola, Florida; and a host of nephews and nieces.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his older brother Norris, and his sisters Delores Myers and Evelyn Coppedge.

Services were held on Nov. 9 at Big Valley Missionary Baptist Church, with burial at Adin Cemetery.

The family asks that any memorials be sent to a charity of their choice.

Elmo H. Lonquist Rancher, 85

Services for Elmo H. Lonquist of Redding were held Monday at Hat Creek Baptist Church. Pastor Frank Wilkins of the church officiated.

He died Nov. 12, 2002 at Mercy Medical Center in Redding.

Mr. Lonquist was born June 8, 1917 in Hat Creek and was a lifetime resident of the county.

He is survived by wife Grace of Redding; sons Aaron of New Castle, Garry of Redding; daughter Kathy Crum of McArthur; sister Portia Reed of Wenatche, Washington; seven grandchildren and 10 great-grand-

children.

He was a past member of the Hat Creek Grange, Shasta County Farm Bureau and the Fort Crook Historical Society.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hat Creek Volunteer Fire Department.

McDonald's Chapel in Burney handled the arrangements.

Bleachers sought for BHS field

BY MEG FOX

The Burney Boosters are raising money to install new bleachers at the school's football field.

Booster Advisor Mark Ayers described the project to the trustees of the Fall River JUSD at their Nov. 6 meeting and asked for any financial help the district could provide.

The Boosters already have \$15,000 of the \$35,600 total cost and plan to seek additional funds by selling honorary seats and through corporate sponsorship.

The school's existing bleachers are not up to state and federal safety standards "and are a very big risk to the board and to the district," Ayers said.

They are also not wheelchair accessible.

The new set would seat about 85 more people and has a wheelchair ramp.

"They are also very high so that you could see over the cheerleaders and watch the game," Ayers said.

The bleachers have backboards so that nothing but pocket change can slip through and fall to the ground below.

Ayers also cited the advantages of having better seating for graduation, Burney Basin Days, youth soccer games, and other events at the field.

The free-form, aluminum bleachers could be installed in one day by about five people

"We would yank the old bleachers out and I have a friend who would be happy to level the ground and roll it for a good foundation," Ayers told the trustees.

Ayers said the Boosters want to have the new bleachers in place for the graduation of the Class of 2003.

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Fall River High students receive soccer awards

The Fall River High School soccer team met at the Fall River Hotel recently to reflect on the 2002 season and present awards.

Despite a dimly perfect 0-9-0 season, coaches Matt McAlerney, Boyd Turner and Ken Evans expressed pride in the accomplishments of the players and the team.

Coach Stu Wagner was unable to attend (Stu was rumored to be in Europe studying new variations of the 4-3-3 formation).

The coaches recognized Scott and Sandy Jensen for hosting the team at the hotel for the fourth straight year.

Greg Beck recaptured the season in a 10-minute slide show.

23 out of 25 rostered players attended the ceremonies.

Each player had earned and was awarded a Fall River varsity letter.

Caleb Shuler, Greg Handa and Cody Mackel received special recognition as captains of the 2002 squad.

Prior to handing out the awards, Coach McAlerney told the team and their parents that he was extremely proud on two points.

First he noted that the young and inexperienced team, which had opened the season with blowout losses, had come together in the end.

In the last three games of the season, the Bulldogs were either in the lead or tied late into the contest.

They were in a position to beat teams that had previously dominated them.

"With 20 of you coming back next year," he said, "I am really looking forward to 2003."

The second, and equally impressive, team accomplishment was its collective 3.10 grade point average during the academic quarter.

"We challenged you in August to work hard on the field and in the classroom," McAlerney said. "You met the challenge, individually and as a team. Thank you and congratulations."

The Coach's Challenge Award is annually presented to those soccer players who meet high academic standards during the first quarter of the school year, while they are playing soccer. It has three levels, Golden Goal (3.85-4.0 GPA), Blue Goal (3.4-3.84 GPA) and Base Goal (3.0-3.39 GPA).

Golden Goal awards were earned by Leslie Taylor, Johnathan Barrett, and Heather Turner, all of whom achieved a 4.0 GPA.

Blue Goal awards were presented to Brandon Beck, Tim Arnold, Greg Handa, Caleb Shuler, Liz Olson and Blaire Bidwell.

Coach's Challenge Awards at the Base Goal level went to Blade Beck, Lynnea Bettger, Jordan Brainard, Mason Burnam, Elizabeth Eye, Elena Lewis and Ross Olson.

Several players were recognized for their efforts and achievements on the soccer field.

Cody Mackel, senior goalkeeper, was honored as the team's Most Valuable Player.

The Outstanding Offensive Player was sophomore forward Caleb Shuler, who also received the award for leading the team in assists.

The Outstanding Defensive Player award went to Greg Handa, senior-sweeper.

Junior Brandon Beck received the award for Most Improved Player for having solidified the center midfield in the second half of the season.

The team's Most Inspirational Player was sophomore Mason Burnam, who gave 100 percent at several positions.

The coveted "Hustle & Guts" award, recognizing outstanding effort and courage was shared by Heather Turner and Elena Lewis. Heather is a sophomore

midfielder, and Elena is a sophomore defender/ midfielder.

Dustin Harris received special recognition as the player who provided the most spark to the team during the second half of the last two games of the season.

The award was suggested by, and donated by, a referee who had watched the team's development.

Dustin received an authentic Ronaldo jersey from the Brazilian National Team.

Sharon "Boomer" Jensen also received special recognition as the first

four-year player for Fall River High School soccer.

It was mere coincidence that she was issued the number 4 uniform as a freshman and she wore it well for four years. The well-used uniform was retired, personalized, and presented to Boomer. (The number 4 was not retired.)

The evening closed with Dustin Harris' toast to "a perfect season," and enthusiasm for next year's campaign.

Practice will start in mid-August. New and returning players are advised to have their physicals completed, and to be in shape, before the first practice.



McArthur FFA selling poinsettias

The McArthur FFA Chapter is helping the community get into the holiday spirit by hosting the first Holiday Poinsettia Sale. You may order your holiday plants from any of the 130 McArthur FFA members or you may call the high school at 336-5952 to place your order. These quality-grown plants are reasonably priced at \$11 each and are sure to bring holiday cheer to your home or office. Orders will be taken until Dec. 5 and plants may be picked up and paid for Dec. 7 at the Ag. class in front of the high school from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Be sure to purchase your poinsettia and be part of the National Poinsettia Day on Dec. 12. From left, Tim Arnold, Jackie McArthur and Jake Shuler.

Handa and Madrigal selected members to Shasta Cascade All-League Soccer team

Fall River seniors Greg Handa and Eddie Madrigal are members of the 2002 Shasta Cascade All-League Soccer team.

The selections were announced following a meeting and vote of the league's soccer coaches.

Two other Bulldogs, senior Cody Mackel and sophomore Caleb Shuler, received Honorable Mention in the selection process.

Mike Searle, Etna's 6'5" senior left wing who was among the leaders in scoring, was chosen the league's Most Valuable Player.

Jay Carrithers of SCL Champion Modoc is the Coach of the Year.

Handa played sweeper for the Bulldogs.

He had earlier been honored as his team's Outstanding Defender.

His selection to the All SCL team was a tribute to his speed and endurance in tracking down and stopping breakaways by opposing teams.

He was always the fastest player on the field.

The anchor of the Fall River defense, Greg played an exemplary role in the development of the players around him.

Madrigal joined the Bulldog squad three games into the season.

He had just transferred into the high school.

His aggressive play and adept ball handling skill were keys to the late season resurgence of the

young and inexperienced Fall River squad.

His presence on the forward line drew the attention of opposing defenders and produced scoring opportunities for his teammates.

Eddie was second on the team in both scoring and assists despite his shortened season.

Mackel was the team's goalkeeper and MVP.

Although his goals against average did not compare well against other keepers, Cody was recognized for the sheer number of saves he made behind an inexperienced defensive unit.

Some of the saves were spectacular.

Shuler led Fall River in scoring and assists.

He was recognized for his unselfishness, his accurate corner kicks, and his powerful shots.

Caleb was Fall River's Outstanding Offensive Player.

Joining Handa and Madrigal on the All SCL squad were Modoc's Marco Chavez, Chris Kirkreit, Todd Clark, Matt Laurence and Rachel Cover.

In addition to MVP Searle, Etna placed Brian Baker, Danika Jones and Michael Peters.

Liberty Christian's dominating senior, Phil Curiel, rounded out the team.

Others receiving Honorable Mention were Dakota Farmer and Sam Whitman of Etna, and Jose Rosales and Danny Guitron of Modoc.



Students who participated in the event were Steven Anderson, Seth Eades, Jessica Johnson, Jeana Knowles, Rebecca Martin, Josie Means, Phillip Munshausen, Lisa Preheim, Miranda Smith, Britteny Strawn.

Mt. Christian Academy celebrates Grandparents' Day with gifts

Honor roll students from Mountain Christian Academy gave gifts to every patient at the Burney Annex recently.

The students wanted to honor these special elderly people by giving each one a pair of knit slippers.

Each pair was different from the other in many bright colors, which the patients got

to choose from.

It was a real delight to see the joy that these young people brought these often-lonely patients.

The patients were so thrilled that they were able to choose their favorite colors and style of slippers out of the basket full of choices.

They also gave each

one a seasonal placemat to brighten up their rooms.

The students went from room to room singing, visiting, and giving out their gifts.

They were even able to visit the Alzheimer's Unit.

This was made possible by a grant from Wal Mart honoring Grandparents Day.

Klamath PAC to hold meeting in Redding

The Klamath Provincial Advisory Committee (PAC) will hold meetings on Wednesday, Nov. 20 and Thursday, Nov. 21 in Redding.

The meetings will be held at Shasta Community College in the Campus Center Stage meeting room.

The meeting is open to the public, with public comment periods scheduled from 2:30 to 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday and on Thursday, from 9 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

Topics to be discussed include Socio-Economic Monitoring, Updates on the Biscuit Fire, Restoration activities sponsored by the Klamath Fisheries Task Force, including an update on the recent Klamath Fish Kill, Klamath River Management Plan Status, the Upper Basin Working Group Restoration Plan, and the Fed-

eral Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) relicensing process.

The primary role of the Klamath PAC is to provide advice and feedback to state and federal agencies charged with implementation of the Northwest Forest Plan.

The PAC is comprised of representatives from recreation, forest products industries, environmental groups, tribal interests, as well as private, federal, county and state interests.

The meetings will be held from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Wednesday and from 8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. on Thursday at Shasta Community College, 11555 Old Oregon Trail, Redding.

For more information, please direct inquiries to Teri Raml or Don Hoffheins at the Klamath Falls Resource Area Bureau of Land Management (541) 883-6916.

Meeting set on Pit River hydro project

The U.S. Forest Service will hold a public meeting Thursday, Nov. 21 to outline its preliminary conditions for the relicensing of the Pit River hydroelectric project for 30 to 50 years.

It will be held at the Big Bend Community Center on Hot Springs Road in Big Bend.

Pacific Gas and Electric Co.'s license expires in October. For more information phone 336-5521.

Holiday boutique set for Sunday

The Big Valley High School FHA-HERO chapter will be holding their annual Holiday Boutique on Sunday, Nov. 24 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

It will be a great way to shop for gifts.

There will be handmade crafts and goodies.

The boutique will be held in the Big Valley High School Home Economics room at 400 Bridge Street.

For more information, call Sharon Yonehara at 294-5231.

Fall River students do well in rodeo competition in Redding

Three Fall River High School students rode away with winning points from the Nov. 16-17 California High School District I Rodeo competition in Redding.

The event is the third in the 2002-2003 season.

Fall River High School sophomore Blaire Bidwell, 15, of Hat Creek, won the Reserve All-Around Cowgirl award with her total of 85 points.

At the season's opening rodeo Sept 21-22 in McArthur, Bidwell won the All-Around Cowgirl award with 81 points and on Oct. 26-27 in Redding she won Reserve All-Around with 77 points.

This time, the All-Around Cowgirl Award went to Megan Rolfs of Orland who garnered 95 points.

The All-Around Cowboy was Colby Camacho of Red Bluff with 85 points. Jared Ferguson of Cottonwood won the Reserve All-Around Cowboy award with 50 points.

Bidwell competed against 21 other riders to win second place in Breakaway Roping

in 10.09 seconds. First place finisher Jessica Hemphill of Tulelake had her by 7/10 of a second.

Jackie McArthur of McArthur took second place in Barrel Racing with her time of 32.405 seconds. Bidwell came in third with a time of 32.547. Megan Rolfs won the event with a time of 32.337 seconds. Thirty-eight high school riders entered the event.

Cliff Bernal of Glenburn and his partner Cody Brewer of Millville were one of 16 teams entered in the team roping competition and they took fifth place with 17.29/1.

Bidwell took fifth in Girls Cutting with 130 points. The winner, Jenna Ferguson of Cottonwood, won first with 145.5 points. Jessica McDonald of Palo Cedro had both third and fourth place with 131.5 points.

The next rodeo is set for Sunday, January 26, 2003 at the Pauline Davis Pavilion, Red Bluff fairgrounds. There will be two complete go's in one day, starting at 8 a.m. in two arenas.

Bank holds food drive

U.S. Bank is holding their annual Holiday Food Drive. Please bring your non-perishable food items to US Bank in Burney now through December. All donations will benefit local families and food pantries.

Mayers Auxiliary hosts convention at Lions Hall

By TERRI SCOVEL

Mayers Memorial Hospital Auxiliary hosted the annual Fall Mini Convention recently for the Mount Shasta Area Council of Volunteers.

The council covers the 13 northern California hospitals.

Volunteers from all 13 hospitals traveled to Fall River Mills to attend the convention at the Fall River Lions Hall.

The 94 people attending were treated to a wonderful morning snack and lunch of tri-tip roast, chicken and three salads and desserts all catered by Hal and Kathy's in Fall River Mills.

There were over 25 raffle prizes given away at the convention.

A speech was given by Jerry Fikes, CEO of Mayers Memorial Hospital.

Dave Jones of Mt. Valley Health Centers also spoke on their organization.

The quarterly meeting of the area council was held after the luncheon.

MMH Auxiliary has received many great compliments on the convention.

The Burney Annex Gift Shop is raffling off a custom Diane Powell Fly Fishing rod.

This is a 9.5 foot graphite

button two-tip rod (weight 7-8-9) with sack and carrying case. The retail value is \$425. The tickets are available at the Burney Annex gift shop, which is open Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The ticket cost is \$1 a piece or six for \$5.

The rod can be viewed at the gift shop.

The raffle will be held on Dec. 13.

Get your tickets and win an awesome one of a kind Christmas gift.

Diane Powell, whose late husband was well known for his fly-fishing expertise and the popular Powell fly shop, donated the rod.

The Fall River Gift Shop is also holding a raffle on a teddy bear in a rocking chair.

Their hours are Monday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The auxiliary will be holding its November meeting on Thursday, Nov. 21 at the Burney Annex at 1 p.m.

For more information, please call 336-6635 or 335-4896.

This is a very important meeting since we will be voting on some issues that will affect the future of the auxiliary.

Tree lighting ceremony set for Burney Gardens

Join us at the Tree Lighting Ceremony at the Burney Chamber Gardens Saturday, Nov. 30 from 5:30 to 7 p.m.

It is located next to the Mount Burney Theatre, Main Street in Burney.

Santa will be there with candy canes for the kids and the 4-H Club will host the refreshments.

This event is sponsored by the Burney Chamber of Commerce.

The Burney Chamber of Commerce and Tri Counties Bank challenge the Burney businesses to a Christmas Decorating Contest.

The winner will receive a \$50 American Express gift check or a \$100 savings bond. It will be the winner's choice.

Judging will be held on Monday, Dec. 23.

Annual gift Give-A-Way will be different this year

Christmas is coming soon, and the Burney Fire Department and EMS Association is getting ready for the annual gift Give-A-Way.

Due to the enormous response for gift requests in the past few years, the association has decided to change a few aspects of the toy drive in order to expedite the process.

It has grown too large to deliver all the gifts to each household, as was done in the past.

Santa's Workshop will be open from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 21, with gifts, cookies and hot chocolate. (for the families that have requested assistance and have completed and returned their application).

Photos with Santa will be available for purchase at \$2 each, following the gift give-away.

We will not be able to 'shop' for each child individually this year.

We will be requesting donations of age appropriate gifts; infant, toddler, pre-school, 5-8 years and 9-12 years.

For the children that may need a clothing item, we will do our best to accommodate the requests of: snow boots, coats, gloves and hats.

Applications are available at the local schools, as well as the fire hall.

Please drop off your monetary donation or unwrapped gift item to the fire hall during business hours Mon-Fri 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Raider Review news

By NICOLE CARLOTTO

This week began after coming back from a relaxing three-day weekend.

Monday was a holiday in memory of Veteran's Day.

But everyone was just as busy and had to squeeze everything in, in four days.

Varsity volleyball ended its season Wednesday, the 13th, in Loyalton in the first round of playoffs.

They played three strong games, but the season is officially over.

Cross-country also ended its season with the NSCIF Championships Thursday the 14th at West Valley.

Congratulations to all the team members for a terrific season.

But just as those sports are ending, the new seasons

are beginning.

Tryouts and practices for girls and boys basketball began this week, along with wrestling practices.

The Junior High girls once again had a busy week.

Playing Fall River in Fall River on Friday the 15th and then traveled to Lakeview on Saturday the 16th.

The Burney High School drama production of "Rememberin' Stuff" went off without a hitch Thursday and Friday Nov. 14 and 15.

The cast did a wonderful job recreating all the memories that teens go through in high school and in life.

Thank you to everyone who came out and supported them, it was appreciated.

So another week ends at Burney High, until next week.



Conservation crew members save the tax payers of California, \$414,840.

Conservation camp serves the community

As the year 2003 quickly approaches, Intermountain Conservation Camp looks forward to another productive year serving the community. Year 2002 passed quickly, but crews completed numerous projects in spite of a long and busy fire season. During 2002, Intermountain Conservation Camp provided the local communities with 11,680 hours of project and conservation work. State agencies benefited from 28,912 hours and federal agencies—14,720. All totaled, crews saved the taxpayers of California \$414,840.

In the early spring of 2002, Intermountain Crews began a project for the Fall River Resource Conservation District planting willows along Beaver Creek to control bank erosion. Intermountain Crews #3 and #4 dedicated 17,760 hours to CalTrans brushing along Highway 299. The project started west of Big Valley Mountain and continues all the way to Highway 89. This on-going project provides a shaded fuel break that can be utilized in the event of a wildfire and also provides better visibility to travelers along this state route.

Intermountain Crews assisted the Department of Parks and Recreation through fire hazard reduction at McArthur/Burney Falls State Park. Crews also constructed over 70 picnic tables and cleared and established a new campground for the 2002 summer camping season.

Intermountain Crew #2 continued with the Tionesta Fuel Break, a project that was started in 1999. This project was developed by CDF in conjunction with the Beatty Land Corporation. The fuel break is 500' wide and 2 miles long and surrounds the township of Tionesta. Intermountain Crews are constructing the Cinder Cone Fuel Break near Fall River Mills. The fuel break goes from Road 18 to Big Eddy Estates. Crews began this project in 1999 and over the last three years have dedicated over 19,328 hours to this project.

All of the crews at Intermountain Camp take their turn helping the Intermountain Fairgrounds of Shasta County. This year, crews dug new water and leach lines, built picnic tables, fabricated hog panels, cleaned stalls, prepared for the annual fair and cleaned up afterwards.

Intermountain crews also painted the Fall River Mills Legion Hall for Shasta County Public Works and the Adin Fire Hall for the Adin Fire Protection District. Crews maintained the Hillside Cemetery in Nubieber and painted the football booth and bleachers at Big Valley High School.

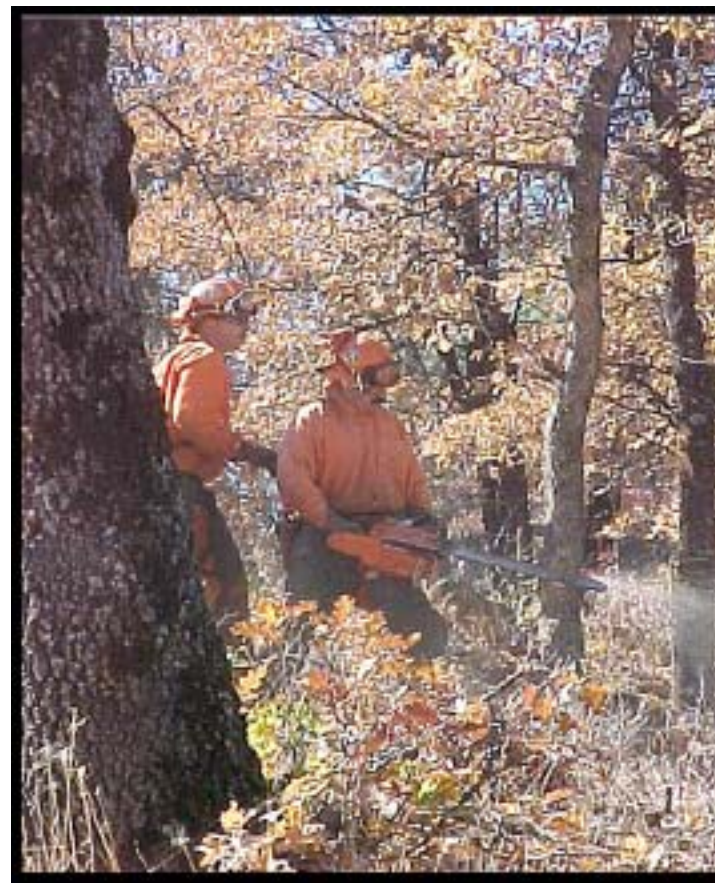
The fire season of 2002



Intermountain Conservation Crews in picture above and below, assist the Department of Recreation through fire hazard reduction.

saw Intermountain Crews dispatched to 54 incidents and logging over 53,000 hours of fire suppression. Crews went as far south as San Diego, north to the Biscuit Fire, and locally helped protect homes in the Big Valley Estates area during the Taylor Incident of September 11, 2002.

In addition to fire suppression and conservation work, Intermountain Camp operates a welding shop and provides quality metal fabrication products to State of California agencies. The in-camp welding crew has manufactured chain control signs for California Department of Transportation, bar-b-ques for Parks and Recreation and other fire-related products to local fire departments. The products fabricated at camp provide a significant cost avoidance to the citizen's of California.



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The Mini Page

By BETTY DEBNAM

The Guests at the Harvest Feast in 1621

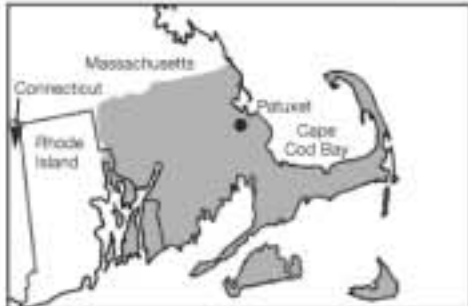
The Wampanoag



At Plimoth Plantation, a Wampanoag man shows how dugouts were made of one piece of wood in the 1600s.



A Wampanoag woman sits under a shade arbor weaving a storage bag at Plimoth Plantation.



We have shaded the areas where the Wampanoag people lived.

The native people of parts of Massachusetts and Rhode Island are called the Wampanoag (WAHM-pah-NO-agh).

These people and their ancestors have lived in this area for about 12,000 years. Their name means "People of the East" or "People of the First Light" because they are the first to see the sunrise in that part of the land.

In the area shown on the map, the Wampanoag had 67 villages. The people worked to give their families the food and shelter they needed.

The men

The men were hunters and fishermen. They hunted deer and other animals, turkeys and other birds, and they fished in lakes, rivers and the sea. They also helped build houses. They made arrows, axes, canoes and utensils.

The women

Planting and looking after the crops was done by the women. Sometimes the men would help. The women also cooked, gathered wild plants to eat, tanned the hides and made the clothes, and made bags, bows, mats and pottery.

The children

Children were treasured by their communities. Their families taught them the skills they needed. Children learned by copying their relatives and helping with everyday tasks.

Shelter



The Wampanoag built homes called "wetush."

They were made of bent cedar poles lashed together, with the ends stuck into the ground. They were covered with bark or mats made of cattails.

Clothing

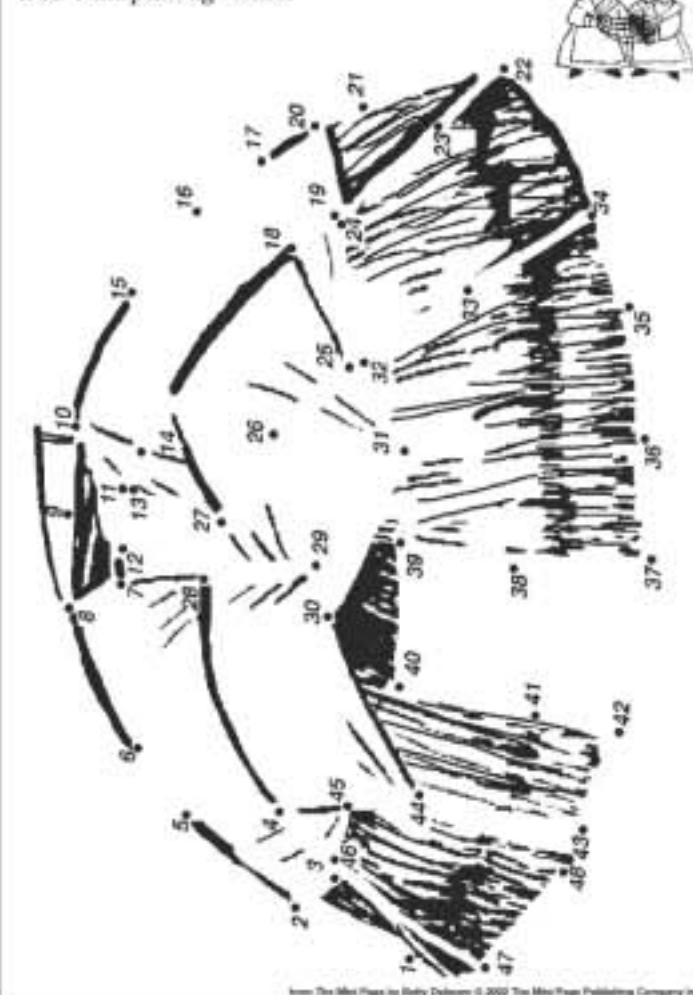
Most of their clothes were made from deerskins. The men hunted deer, elk and moose. Much of their clothing was beautifully decorated.

Food

Their food included fish, shellfish, turkeys and other birds, and deer and other animals. They grew corn, beans, squash, pumpkins, watermelon, and sunflowers for their seeds, which were used for oil or roasted for food. They also ate wild plants such as raspberries.

The Mini Page thanks Plimoth Plantation for help with this issue. Plimoth Plantation is an outdoor museum that re-creates the life and setting of Wampanoag and English settlement in New England. It is three miles from the Pilgrims' settlement near Plymouth, Mass. The museum has a new exhibit, "Thanksgiving: Memory, Myth and Meaning," that traces the history of Thanksgiving. Visit the Web site at www.plimoth.org.

Go dot to dot and color this Wampanoag home.



Rookie Cookie's Recipe Holiday Sweet Potatoes

You'll need:

- 2 (15-ounce) cans sweet potatoes, drained
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon nutmeg
- 2 tablespoons butter or margarine

What to do:

1. Place sweet potatoes in bottom of a greased casserole.
 2. Sprinkle sugar and nutmeg evenly on top.
 3. Cover evenly with small dots of butter or margarine.
 4. Bake 30 minutes in a preheated 350-degree oven.
- Serves 6 to 8.



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Goldie Goodsport's Report Supersport: Natalie Coughlin

Birthdate: 8-23-82 Birthplace: Vallejo, Calif.
College: U. of California Height: 5-8

Natalie Coughlin made swimming history last August. At the National Swim Championships, she broke the world record in the 100-meter backstroke. She became the first woman to swim it in under one minute.

She won four other races at the same meet, becoming the first woman in 24 years to win five races at the national championships. The other races she won were the 100- and 200-meter freestyles, the 200-meter backstroke and the 100-meter butterfly. Her time in the 200-meter backstroke set a U.S. record.

Natalie, who grew up in Concord, Calif., likes surfing and playing with her dog, a boxer named Jake. She is studying psychology in college.

Meet Vertical Horizon

The group Vertical Horizon has been together for 11 years. It gained fame when its song "Everything You Want" became a big hit.

The members are Keith Kane (vocals, guitar), Sean Hurley (bass), Matt Scannell (vocals, guitar) and Ed Toth (drums).

Matt and Keith met in college in Washington, D.C., and performed as a duo. A few years later, Sean and Ed joined them.

Keith, 31, wrote his first song when he was 9 and later sang in high school shows. Sean, 29, began playing bass when he was 11 and formed his first group the same year. Matt, 32, got his first guitar at 7. Ed, 33, began taking drum lessons at 6. He played in his high school marching band.

MIGHTY FUNNY'S Mini Jokes

All the following jokes have something in common. Can you guess the common theme or category?

Stanley: What kind of doctor treats ducks?
Tina: A quack!

Dorothy: How do ugly ducklings live?
John: Swan day at a time!

Dennis: What time do ducks wake up in the morning?
Maggie: At the quack of dawn!

Wampanoag TRY 'N FIND

Words and names that remind us of the first Thanksgiving feast are hidden in the block below. Some words are hidden backward or diagonally. See if you can find: WAMPANOAG, PLANTATION, MASSACHUSETTS, RHODE ISLAND, NATIVE, HUNTERS, FISHING, PLANTING, CROPS, HIDES, FEAST, DEER, CORN.

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Mini Spy ...

Mini Spy and Rookie are in charge of making this year's Thanksgiving meal. See if you can find:

- carrot
- elephant head
- question mark
- man in the moon
- sailboat
- peanut
- frog
- cat
- letter U
- banana
- ladder
- comb
- fish
- letter T
- bird
- letter D
- heart
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Thanksgiving in 1621

A new look

Today, experts at Plimoth Plantation are taking a new look at what has been called "The First Thanksgiving." Most of the stories about this event have been told from the English point of view. The view of the Wampanoag has often been overlooked.

The staff of Plimoth Plantation is also turning to the the Native Americans' spoken history that has been passed down through the years.

The Pilgrims

The Pilgrims were English people. They left England so they could worship as they wished in a colony they would set up.

Many were called "Separatists," who did not believe in being members of the Church of England. But even though they were going to a new land, they wanted to keep many of their English ways.

The Mayflower

The Mayflower put to sea on Sept. 6, 1620. It took 66 days before the brave travelers reached land on Nov. 11.

There were 101 people on board the Mayflower. Thirty-five of them were Pilgrims. They liked to call themselves "saints." The other 66, called "strangers," were along to help set up a colony.

For a month, members of the crew sailed around the area in a small boat, looking for the right place to settle. On Dec. 25, they decided on a site that they named New Plymouth.

Edward Winslow, one of the Pilgrims, wrote this in a letter in 1621:

"Our harvest being gotten in, our governor sent four men on fowling (hunting for birds) so we might after a special manner rejoice together after we had gathered the fruits of our labor."

Patuxet

The area the Pilgrims decided to settle in had already been developed by the Wampanoag. They called it Patuxet. The Wampanoag had abandoned the area. The natives left behind grave sites, houses, farmed fields, and even buried heaps of corn.

Explorers from Spain, England and France had visited that part of the world before. Many of the natives died when they were exposed to diseases brought by the sailors, traders and fishermen.

Pilgrims and Wampanoags

During the harsh winter of 1621, about half of the Pilgrims died.

The Pilgrims were surprised when, in March, one of the native people, Samoset, walked into the settlement and spoke to them in English. He had learned it from British sailors fishing off their shores.

Later, he brought Squanto to visit. Squanto could also speak English. Squanto stayed with the Pilgrims and helped them as a friend and translator. He showed them how to use fish as a fertilizer when planting corn. Another Wampanoag called Hobbamock and his family also moved to the settlement.

Massasoit, one of the chiefs of the Wampanoag, met with the English governor. They agreed to abide by a treaty to protect each other. It lasted for 50 years.

The feast

The Pilgrims celebrated the harvest with games, entertainment and three days of feasting with their Wampanoag guests. The Wampanoag were used to celebrating good harvests with storytelling and dancing and singing.

To do: Look through your newspaper for signs of Thanksgiving.

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Thursday Evening November 21, 2002

Table with columns for time slots (8:00-12:30) and TV channels (ABC, CBS, NBC, FOX, A & E, DISC, DISN, ESPN, HGTV, HIST, LIFE, NICK, TBS, TLC, TNT, USA) listing various programs.

Friday Evening November 22, 2002

Table with columns for time slots (8:00-12:30) and TV channels (ABC, CBS, NBC, FOX, A & E, DISC, DISN, ESPN, HGTV, HIST, LIFE, NICK, TBS, TLC, TNT, USA) listing various programs.

Saturday Evening November 23, 2002

Table with columns for time slots (8:00-12:30) and TV channels (ABC, CBS, NBC, FOX, A & E, DISC, DISN, ESPN, HGTV, HIST, LIFE, NICK, TBS, TLC, TNT, USA) listing various programs.

Sunday Evening November 24, 2002

Table with columns for time slots (8:00-12:30) and TV channels (ABC, CBS, NBC, FOX, A & E, DISC, DISN, ESPN, HGTV, HIST, LIFE, NICK, TBS, TLC, TNT, USA) listing various programs.

Monday Evening November 25, 2002

Table with columns for time slots (8:00-12:30) and TV channels (ABC, CBS, NBC, FOX, A & E, DISC, DISN, ESPN, HGTV, HIST, LIFE, NICK, TBS, TLC, TNT, USA) listing various programs.

Tuesday Evening November 26, 2002

Table with columns for time slots (8:00-12:30) and TV channels (ABC, CBS, NBC, FOX, A & E, DISC, DISN, ESPN, HGTV, HIST, LIFE, NICK, TBS, TLC, TNT, USA) listing various programs.

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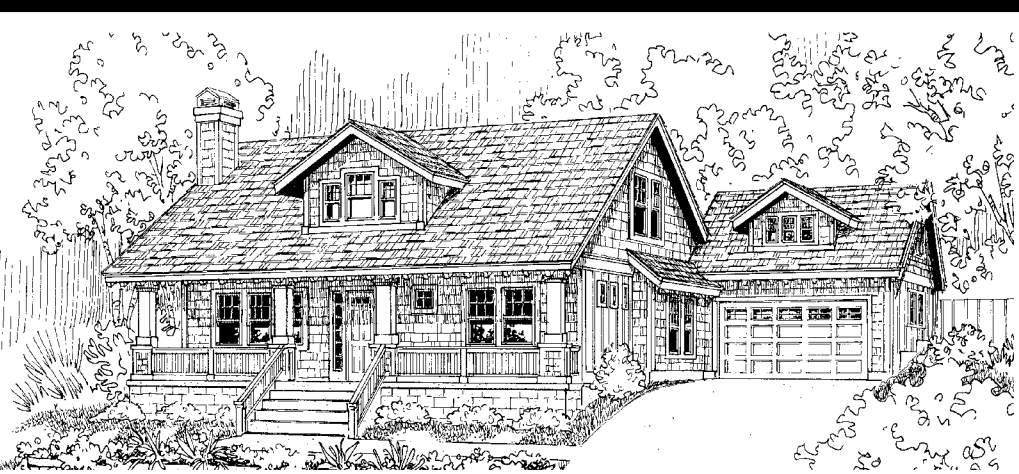
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appeal, and the full front porch has a welcoming appearance. Entering, you step into a wide foyer brightened by sidelights and a row of small windows high on the door. The right hand hallway leads to the den and dining room.

Decorative columns on the left mark the passageway into a living room with a fireplace flanked by Craftsman windows. Another walkway at the rear of the room leads to the master suite, stairs, and kitchen.

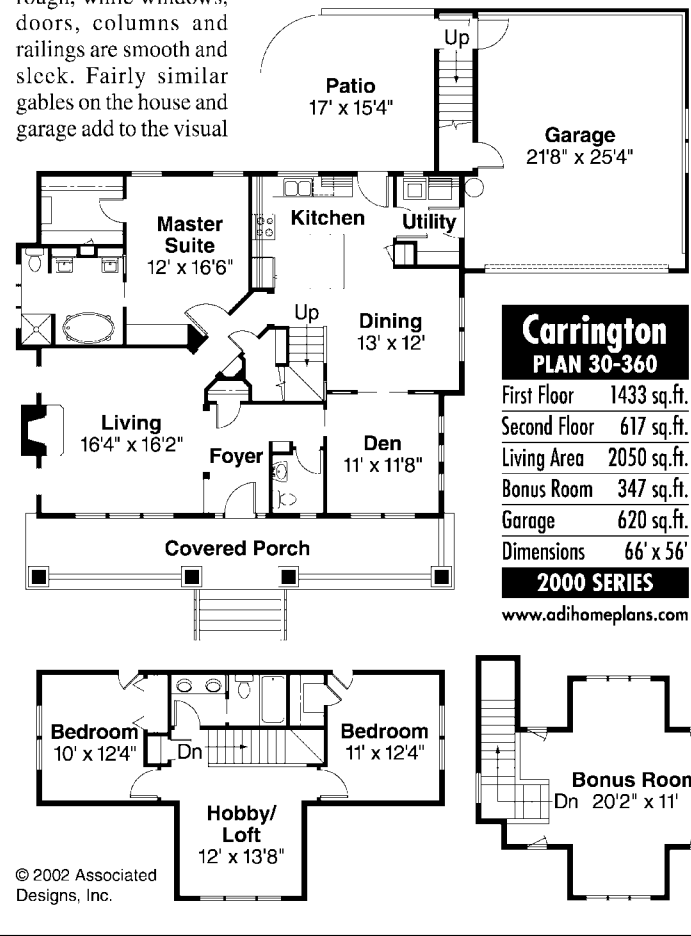
And a spacious, well-equipped kitchen it is, with a large work island at center and an open link to the dining room. The eating bar that rims one edge is handy for meals on the run, homework supervision, and keeping folks who just want to chat out from underfoot.

Lazy Susan shelving makes the corner shelves entirely accessible, and a walk-in pantry is just around the corner. Laundry appliances, too, are mere steps away in a large pass-through room that connects to the garage. The utility room can also serve as a mudroom.

A huge walk-in closet and luxurious bathroom expand the Carrington's master suite. An alcove can hold either a built-in dresser, or another of the owners' choice.

Upper bedrooms share a two-section bathroom, and a loft that could be outfitted as a study area or hobby space. A bonus room, plus storage space, is over the garage.

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