## What's Happening Here In Days Ahead

Flu shots today Shasta County Pubic Health from hots are offered today,
from $1: 30$ p.m. to $4: 30$ p.m. at the Cassel Fire Hall, and again Thursday from $1: 30$ to $4: 30$ p.m. at the McArthur State Pre-
school and at the Public Health school and at the Public Heath
Burney office. The cost of a flu shot is $\$ 12$.
Neighbor watch There will be a Neighbornood
Watch conmunite Watch community meeting at 7 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 12, at
the Intermountain Community Center in Burney. Bill Price, the new community safety officer, and Donna Sylvester, Neighborhood Watch coordinator, will be av
questions.
Marines birthday The public is invited to cel-
ebrate the 228th Marine Corps birthday Monday, 6 p.m., at the VFW hall in Burney. Tickets for the turkey and ham dinner, catered by Main Street Cafe, are $\$ 15$. First Sgt. Edwin O. Saunders, USMC Ret., of Klamath Falls is the scheduled speaker. A special tribute and
memorial will be presented in memory of Capt. Matt Bancroft, killed in the war against terrorists in Afghanistan.

High school play Fall River High School's musi-
cal theater class will present Kal theater class will present
King Artie and the Knights of the Rad Table, Friday, 7 p.m., and Saturday, 2 and 7 p.m., at the high school cafeteria. Tickets are $\$ 5$ adults, $\$ 3$ students,
or $\$ 20$ per family. Children or $\$ 20$ per family. Children
under age 5 are admitted free.

## Pastel demo

Ruth Shannon is scheduled to show basic pastel techniques and landscapes at Saturday's Gallery \& Gifts holiday season Mills. The event is free to the Milis. The event is free to the
public. Telephone $336-5870$ por more information. Scheduled for Nov. 15 is a stained glass demonstration by John Malman.

## WEATHER

FORECAST
Today, partly cloudy with highs 49 to 54 . Lows 22 to 29 . Thursday, mostly cloudy with chance Highs 45 to 50. Friday, rain likely with lows in the 30s and highs in the 40s. Saturday, mostly cloudy with chance of showers. Lows in the 30s and highs in the 40s. Sunday, partly cloudy with slight chance of showers. Highs 45 to 55 and
lows in the 30 s. Monday partly lows in the 30 s. Monday, partly
cloudy with highs 45 to 55 and cloudy with highs 45 to 55 and
lows in the 30 s. A current forecast is updated about 4 a.m. cast is updated about 4 a.m.
and 4 p.m. daily on The News and 4 p.m. daily on The Ne
web site at im-news.com. TEMPERATURES


Fire commissioner's theater business burns


Burney Fire Chief Bob May describes to Mt. Burney Theater owner Donna Sylvester early
\$50,000 damage to movie theater
BY MEG FOX home and Sylvester was cleaning It was the early morning, bad nene dreads
"They knocked on my door, woke me up, and asked for the keys to the theater because it was on fire, said Mt. Burney Theater owne the snow-dampened pavement Monday, watching firefighters hack away at the side of her restored building. By mid-morning, most of the

## At 74, volunteer still fighting fires, travels to SoCal with other locals

BY MEG FOX
At 74, Bea Berchem, assistan
At 74, Bea Berchem, assistant
fire chief for the Cassel Volunteer fire chief for the Cassel Voluntee
 The call came at 3 a.m. las week to head to Southern California where 800,000 acres in five coun-
ties were on fire, and Berchem ties were on fire, and Berchem
joined some 14,000 other firefightjoined some 14,000 other firefight-
ers tackling what most have said were the worst fires they've seen in their careers.
"It was the first time l'd seen any thing like this," said Berchem, who has been a volunteer firefighter for
"It burned so many homes and put so many people into shelters
who were needing food and clothwho were needing food and cloth-
${ }^{\text {ing. }}$.We saw flames. Lots of flames "We saw flames. Lots of flames And then the rains came and saved us, she said Sunday, back at home Simi Valley, north of Los Angeles. Burney Fire Chief Bob May, who ed a five-engine strike team in San Diego County, called the Burney fire
hall mid-week to say he too, had

## never seen anything like the South ern California fires in his cereer

 ern California fires in his career. "You can't see. All you can do is eel heat," he told Lt. Rick Moore onthe phone, although by late Saturday he and the others had returned to Burney.
On Oct. 26, Cassel Engine No. 10, with Fire Chief Don Chaix, firefighter Jim Miguel, and Berchem joined five other engines from
Shasta County in a strike team led by Shasta Lake Fire Protection District Chief Fred Wyckoff. Chief May had Burney firefighters Lt. Courtney Cleckler, Lt. Matt
Scheckla, Brian Ludwick, and Scheckla, Brian Ludwick, and
Darryl Conover on his team, along with engines and personnel from Redding, Mt. Shasta, and Hammond Ranch fire departments. They were diverted en route "to a small community of about 3,000
people that was in danger," people that was in danger,", said
Moore, who was among the Burney firefighters assigned to "hard cover" at the fire station.
Moore, Larry Armstrong, Howard
Fincher, Zaylnn Baker, Rowabie

Firefighters tore down an exterio section on the side of the building to try to get to the source and deterpects the cause was electrical and pects the cause was electrical and
related to the pink neon lights lining the front of the building. In addition to two engines and an ambulance from the Burney Fire Protection District, where Sylvester
serves as a fire commissioner, the serves as a itre commissioner, the companies and an engine from the California Department of Forestry

into the fire hall for several days last
week to be available for additional week to be available for additional and immediate response if necesthe road," said Moore, adding that
this was the first hard cover assignthis was the first hard cover assignment anyone in the departmen could remember
Fincher and Baker were also ready to leave Friday to relieve
two Burney firefighters as the week wore on and firefighters wore out. May, the Burney firefighters, and the rest of that strike team arrived at the Ramona staging area Oct. 28
and were assigned to the 281,666 and were assigned to the 281,666fornia history.
've seen in most amount of fire lve seen in my career with burning vegetation and structures all at one time. people (losing their) homes and possessions," May said. His team "stayed on the line"
from 11 a.m. Oct. 28 to 8 a.m. Oct.
29 protecting about 100 homes

## College still in search of site

BY MEG FOX
The price might not be right for Shasta College, which is still considering whether or not to invest
in land Mayers Memorial Hospital District owns in Burney for a new Distance Education Center. A preliminary $\$ 380,000$ estimate to buy the land, prepare the site,
install a relocatable classroom, and pay water and sewer hook-up costs has caused some hesitation, said
Shasta College Interim President Shasta College
Tom Harris, Jr.
"That slowed us down, but noth "That slowed us down, but noth-
ing has been eliminated and it's still under consideration," Harris said. Leasing the three lots that the hospital owns off Commerce Way across from the Crossroads Clinic
is an option. is an option.
Shasta C
Shasta College is also looking
at other property in Burney, Harris at oid.
slans
center in the open the outreach macy building former Lyons Pharlege purchased, fell through when they learned the building does not meet the state's new seismic regu-

Few tickets available for train ride Tuesday
There are still a few tickets left Foundation's full moon dessert train Founda
Nov 11
The Foundation is serving a
variety of delectable desserts on its variety of delectable desserts on its
second evening excursion on the second evening excursion on the
McCloud River Railroad. Boarding begins at with the rains departing promptly at 6:00 p.m. from Black Ranch Road off Highway 299 east of Burney. The train will travel across the
Lake Britton bridge and through the Cake Britton bridge and through the trip moonlight excursion.

Tickets are $\$ 25$.
The event is a fundraiser for the Foundation's mini-grant program,
which funds special projects and which funds special projects and
equipment in local schools. equipment in local schools.
The Foundation hosted cessful train ride with hors d'oeuvres Oct. 21.
For tic call Evalee Nelson at $335-3627$ or Bill Johnson at 336-6169

Full agenda on tap for F.R. trustees

## The trustees for the Fall River

 Joint Unified School District have afull agenda tonight - including considering approval, again but in open session, the controversial one-time distribution of funds to teachers and other staff - when they meet at the District office in Burney.
The board is The board is also expected to
take action on establishing a minitake action on estabicishing a miniletic teams. Five student expulsion hear-
ings are slated ings are slated at $5: 30$ p.m. before
the public portion of the meeting the public portion of the meeting begins.
Also on
Also on the agenda is a request
for class size relief, an update on for class size relief, an update on
the district's athletic fundraising activities, and a request to buy a activities, and a request to
copier with one-time funds.

## SHERIFF'S LOG BOOK

A caller reported Sunday ing
at 4:30 p.m. a dark-haired
male was striking a blonde
female near Big Bend Road male was striking a blonde
female near Big Bend Road


■■■■■■■ caller An anonymous caller
reported Sunday at $3: 59$ p.m two adults wearing helmets
and riding 4 -wheelers were and riding 4 -wheelers were
trying to push an abandoned car into the creek near Orchard Way and Tamarack

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Three subjects were reported in a verbal argu-
ment Sunday at $11: 21$ am near Oak and Woods streets in Burney.
A Cedar Stremп Burney reported Sunday at blocking her driveway and she was unable to get her
 A caller reported Sunday at 12:35 a.m. smelling a fou
 A caller at the 37000 block of Orchard Way in Burney reported Saturday at 8:04 during the night. A caller reported Saturday at 1:49 a.m. a 15 -year-old girl was breathing but unre-
sponsive near Highway 299 sponsive near Highway 299 and Long Street in Fall River
Mills. Medical personnel transported a female with a cut to the hospital. A prowler was reported Saturday at 1:15 a.m. a
the 20400 block of Carberry
 A youth was booked
nto juvenile hall Friday for into juvenile hall Friday for alleged public intoxication
at Park Avenue and Bartel Park Avenue and Barte ■■■■■■! A caller reported Friday at
8:42 p.m. eight to nine juve8:42 p.m. eight to nine juve niles near Arrowood Stree and Bailey Avenue in Burney

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 A Carberry Street residentreported Friday at 6:12 p.m.
five trick-or-treaters outside five trick-or-treaters outside
her door just sitting there. A woman reported Friday A woman reported Friday
at $12: 42$ p.m. being harassed by another female at the
37200 block of Main Street Burney. One woman reported being assaulted by a second
woman at the 20200 block of woman at the 20200 block of

An elderly man was found unconscious Friday morning at the 36700 block of Main
Street in Burney. However when medical personnel arrived and attempted to assist him, he reportedly was uncooperative and deputies
were called. A trespasser was reported A trespasser was reported
Friday at $12: 41$ p.m. at the Friday at 12:41 p.m. at the
29700 block of Ranch Road

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A transient was reported wandering around Mayers at 11:29 p.m. annoying staff and patients. He was asked

## - miniman

 Deputies arrested Thomas Glazzard for alleged publicintoxication Thursday at 9 : 31 p.m., however, he was released when no transportation to Redding County jail

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A verbal disturbance was p.m. at the 21600 block of Garden Lane in Johnson

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 A caller reported seeingtwo 16 - to 17 -year-old males leaving through a bathroom window at the 36700 block of Woods Avenue in Burney Thursday at $1: 18 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. The caller yelled at the two and
they dropped a DVD player


Fall River High School reported locating a suicide
note from a subject, who was in the school's office Thursday at 11:58 a.m.
 A Mt. View High School victim of domentestic being a at home at the hand of a 20 -ear-old Thursday morning
 A verbal disturbance was eported Oct. 29 at 5:32 p.m.
at Plumas Street and rior Avenue in Burney.

An intoxicated youth was cited at Burney High School cited at Burney High School
Oct. 29 at $1: 59$ p.m. and ■■■日ா■■ Three
remales were taking property Oct. 29 at 10 10 a.m. from a vehicle towed the previous night and stored
 A verbal disturbance was
reported Oct 28 p.m. at the 24800 block of Mechanic Street in Fall River
Mills. ■■■■■■■
Four males and females staying at Dusty Campground near Lake
Britton Oct. 28 were found have a large amount of ailroad track parts at their campsite. A juvenile responreturn the items after being admonished by deputies.
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Shellisa Moore reported Oct. 27 signs were torn down at the 37400 block of En
 A juvenile at Burney High
School reportedly put an arm through a window Oct. 27 .
 Tina Fregoso reported a
mailbox vandalized at the 20100 block of Hudson Street
 Total incidents handled by the Shasta County sheriff's
office throughout the unincorporated areas of the county: Nov. $2-114$
Nov. $1-123$ Nov. $1-123$
Oct. $31-176$ Oct. $31-176$
Oct. $30-110$
Oct Oct. $29-116$
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## WIN-WIN AGREEMENTS

When you are ready to negotiate a home purchase agreement, it's important to remember that a successful negotiation does not necessarily mean everyone gets what they want and no one goes home disappointed. "Win-win
is an easily misunderstood term. In a reall-ie "win-win" situation, some compromises are inevitable in the procss of is an easily misunderstood term. In a real-lie "win-win" situation, some compromises are inevitable in the process of
all parties coming to a fundmental agrement The secret to all parties coming to a fundmental agreement. The se
to make some concessions at the bargaining table.
Approach the meeting with a positive, open-minded attitude. Try to listen and stay sensitive to the other's point of
view. Be clear about your prioritiss but dont enpect to prevail view. Be clear about your priorities, but don't expect to prevail on every point. The more you remain flexible, the ebetter
your chance for a fair compromise. When you become suak on popoint of contention as minor as the cost of painitg your chance for a fair compromise. When you become stuck on a point of contention as minor as the cost of painting
the picket fence, be willing to split the difference. Above all, rust your real estate agent, who has the expertise to ane picketence, be wing to spit we afterence.
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In Burney Superior Court
Oct. 24, Robert Oct. 24, Robert Jensen
Boynton of Belmont was Boynton of Belmont was unleashed dog into the Rim Campground, an area conrolled by the Department of Parks and Recreation. Boynprior to being cited by R.J.

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 Cases against Stephan Lee Macey, of Fall River Byrd of Montgomery Creek, both charging vehicle viola tions, were dismissed. Several cases againstBrandon Wayne Drenon of Burney were dismissed. He one of the cases. A misdemeanor case charging public intoxication under the influence of tolu ene and riding a bicycle on highway while under the dismissed. in possession of alcohol on Main Street in Burney May 5 was dismissed.
A case charging disturb offensive language at a teen dance in Burney July 13 was dismissed.
In another case, Drenon entered a guilty plea to a
count of driving when the privilege had been sus pended for a prior DUI conviction and a count of driving while having a .08 percent o higher blood alcohol level. charges of attempting to evade a pursuing peace officer while operating a motor vehicle and driving under he influence. Deputy Jason Gassaway made the stop of a four-wheeler on Oregon

Drenon was sentenced to 10 days in county jail, with redit for time already served probation.
He was ordered to pay to attend and complete a sixmonth Level II alcohol treatment program.
An interlocking ignition
device was imposed and his driving license was sus pended for one year. He was ordered to submit to the warrantless search for alcohol and chemical testing Anderson exonerated the bail bonds in each case.
Douglas Gene Hazeltine o Big Bend was fined $\$ 477.50$ after he pled no contest to
driving with a suspended icense, a charge that the court reduced from a misdemeanor to an infraction. A charge of removing forest products without a permit at Smith Camp on Big

## dismissed.

 The court received a letterfrom the property giving the defendant permission to cut the wood. Hazeltine was given 80 hours in the alternative work program at the Big Bend Fire Depart

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 Jack Dee Oilar, Sr. ofMcArthur was fined $\$ 155.50$ on an amended charge of disturbing the peace, an infraction. He was cited by
CHP Officer John Cannon Feb. 6 at Hiway Garage in Feb. 6 at Hiway Garage Kevin Dale Phelan of Redding pled guilty to driving while having a .08 percent
or higher blood alcohol leve or higher blood alcohol leve
and was sentenced to 48 and was sentenced to 48 credit for time served, and to report for work release. He was ordered to attend and complete a three-month program and had his driving license restricted for 90 days except to drive to and from alcohol treatment and mployment
He is to pay fees and fines totaling $\$ 1,752.50$. A DU Officer Kevin Luntey made the traffic stop Aug. 30, 2003


## Michael Ryan Rowland

 a charge of taking property a car stereo, from James Walker's vehicle. A charge of possession of burglary tools was dismissed.He was booked and
released to complete six days of work and fined $\$ 305$, plus $\$ 100$ in restitution and 128 in booking fees. Judge Anderson ordered he court to destroy Rowhis tools. Rowland is not to have contact with Walker. Deputy
Reverse calling program in place for emergencies

## SHASCOM (the 911 head- quarters) now has a reverse

 calling program, where in mune of a fire or other comevery phone in a given area and leave a message about evacuation routes and other information. However, SHASCOM only hasIf you only use a cell phone, call SHASCOM at 245-6540 and give them your number to be included in the area directory.
SHASCOM
SHASCOM will also
include directions to your resand fines and sentenced to 48 hours in county jail, changed to work release, after entering a plea of guilty to driving while having a . 08 hol level. A DUI charge was dismissed.
She was placed on 36 months probation and had her driving license restricted
for 90 days.
CHP Officer John Cannon made the traffic stop on Highway 299 at Sierra Center

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David Uriel Velador of Tuledays in county jail and put on work release after entering a guilty plea to driving with a .08 percent or higher blood alcohol level and admitting to the past seven years, in Modoc County in 1999. He had his driving privileges revoked for 26 months and was ordered to complete
the Level II SB 38 alcohol he Level II SB 38 alcohol He was fined $\$ 2,316$ and charged $\$ 100$ in restitution, $\$ 128$ in booking fees and a $\$ 20$ security fee. He was ordered to submit for alcohol and to chemical testing.
Deputy Jason Gassaway made the traffic stop on High-
way 299 at the Hat 2 Park way 299 at the Hat 2 Park on
Aug. 23 and turned it over to Aug. 23 and turned it over to

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pled
Wo contnest to driving without insurance and an added misdemeanor count of driving Judge Anderson dis-
missed a count of driving with license that was suspended
where emergency response rews could have difficulty finding you. Finally, the Montgomery Creek Volunteer Fire Dept. is selling street number signs for just \$10. These reflective numbers can easily be spotted by To sign up for this, call Drew Witham at 337-6788.

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arrest on Marquette Street in for a prior DUI and a count $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Mpril } 24 \text {. } & \begin{array}{l}\text { of driving an unregistered } \\ \text { vehicle. }\end{array} \\ \text { Kathy Jean Stout of Fall }\end{array}$ Kathy Jean Stout of Fall She was fined $\$ 1,680$ and pay a total of $\$ 1,862$ in fees bation. CHP Officer Roger

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PAGE 4-NOVEMER 5, 2 battle SoCal
fires, return -From Page 1 scattered on the hil "We witnessed flames tha were 70 to 80 feet high," May said. Burney resident Jim
Casaurang of the California Casaurang of the California Fire Protection in Johnson Park also led a strike team in San Diego County, according to Battalion Chief Tim behind as operations chief on Monday's local 1,100-acre Whitmore Fire.
In fact, Berchem said the Cassel crew saw Casaurang on their way to Simi Valley, ood to see a face we knew. The Lassen National Forest, Hat Creek Ranger District, also sent engines and personnel to Southern aaifornia, where fires were burning on the San Ber-
nardino, the Los Padres, the Cleveland, and Angeles National Forests.
CDF and the using the Service for perimeter control 0 work the edges to con said. Local fire department engines and crews were on he structure fires Debbie Mayer, field manCreek Ranger District, said Thursday that forest service personnel were rotated and reassigned during the fire. We had a strike team Whitmore fire and then they vere reassigned to Southern California," she said. Some were on the $91,281-$ acre Old fire in San Ber ardino County, others, like were on the 63,991-acre Piru fire on the Los Padres National Forest in Ventura County.
Another group, including Billy Morgan, Les White, Jes-
sica Saltzman, Mike Gaither and John Wheeler wer sent on Engine No. 31 to the Paradise fire in San Diego
Berchem is proud of the fact that the strike team she was with structure.
"We were in several areas where flames were shooting no houses, but everyone congregates and foams down and we did not lose a house We were in the right place at the right time (for those struc ures)" she said.
Because an energetic, firefighting woman in her on a fire, Berchem attracted some media attention and was filmed by ABC and NBC elevision.
She and Shasta County also had a mention in the
Oct. 28 edition of the Ventura County Star in the following from an article by reporter David Montero:
"Kevin Day asked aloud where the fire department was. Down the street, fire threatening homes in a cul-de-sac. He said he feared the


Cassel Volunteer firefighters, from left, Jim Miguel, Bea Berchem and Cassel Fire Chief Don Chaix after returning from fires in Southern California.
firefighters might be too late save his home.
He went back inside.
"A few minutes later, he was on the roof with the garden hose again. A Shasta engine rumbled down the street and stopped in front of Day's house. Two firefighters unrolled hoses and bolted down the side of the home
and into the back yard "The truck driven 74 -year-old volunteer Bea Berchem, was greeted with cheers by the Day children. A helicopter buzzed over and dumped more water on
the fire. Orange flames were the fire. Orange flames were eplaced by white smoke. The
Shasta firefighters opened up their hoses and soaked a few hot spots. Then, another "Nice shot," Kevin Day hot," Kevin Day The Cassel volunteer department is one of 19 Shasta County companies on a rotating call list.
"If you can get enough offered the chance you're offered the chance to go
(when mutual aid is needed)," Berchem said, and then thought about whether an offered chance was the right phrase to use in this case.
"They need you, so you go. It's a grueling experience, but one that makes you fee good," she said.
A lot of what fire crews do is 'grunt work.' We're not always putting out fires.
Sometimes we'd go in after Sometimes wed go in after area, looking for embers We're "also chopping and cutting." Fourteen hours after leaving Redding, the Cassel crew saw flames near Six Flags "The next day the wind got the fire moving and from there on it was a job and a half. The fire traveled 26 miles. The
whole Simi Valley was on fire, all the way around," Berchem said.

The Cassel firefighters were also dispatched to save
the town of Mentryville pioneer oil town established in 1876 in the Santa Clarita Valley and home to the first commercially successful oil

## well in States.

"Flames were shooting right over the top of us. About 60 engines covered both
sides of the town and we sides of the town and we
saved every single building It was one really big save and absolutely remarkable," she said.
Cassel Fire Chief Don Chaix said being boxed into a little canyon surrounded
by fire at Mentryville was the worst fire he has been in in his 20 years of firefighting. Adding to the intensity was
the strike team person who the strike team person who
told each of the firefighters told each of the firefighters
at Mentryville that they could at Mentryville that they could scene) no matter what." Berchem, on 24 -hour coverage, had her first shower on her third day out. "A trailer
comes by with five portable comes by with five portable
showers and they hand you showers and they hand you
a paper towel. "They gave us rest peri-
ods, but we always had to be ods, but we always had to be Sometimes she slept outside on the ground in a
sleeping bag. When she and other firefighters were lucky enough to spend a night in camp, they were up at 6 a.m. and were fed breakfast and given a lun
"It was not the Waldorf, but it kept you alive," said Berchem.
But the
But the locals treated the firefighters better than any first-class hotel staff.
treated us. They brought treated us. They brought
truckloads of pizzas, and truckloads of hamburgers. Someone had 100 dozen doughnuts and went from group to group giving them delivered a carton of food to

## Community events

## NOVEMBER

Nov. 5 - Flu clinic, McArthur State Preschool, 1:30-4:30 p.m. McArthur, 225-5591
Nov. 6 - Flu clinic, Public Health office, 8:30-noon, 1-4:30pm, Burney, 225-5591
Nov. 7 - Brown Bag at Burney Veterans hall, 10 to noon, 335-4971
Nov. 8 - Gallery \& Gifts, basic pastel tech., landscapes, $1: 30$ pm FRM, 336-5870 Nov. 10-228th Marine
Nov. 11 - Education Foundation Dessert \& Wine Train ride, 5:30 p.m., 335-3627
Nov. 12 - Neighborhood watch presentation, Community Center, Burney, 335-2605 Nov. 15 - Gallery \& Gifts, hands on stained glass demo, 1:30 p.m. FRM, 336-5870 Nov. 22 - Gallery \& Gifts, handmade velvet bows for wreaths-1:30 pm, FRM, 336-5870
Nov. 27 - Thanksgiving Day Nov. 27 - Thanksgiving Day
Nov. 28 - Brown
Nov. 28 - Brown Bag at Burney Veterans hall, 10 to noon, 335-4971
Nov. 29 - VFW Christmas Bazaar, 10-4, Burney VFW Hall, Pat 335-3210
Nov. 29 - Community Tree Lighting Ceremony - Burney

## DECEMBER

Dec. 5 - Brown Bag at Burney Veterans hall, 10 to noon, 335-4971
Dec. 7 - Wayside Garden's stew feast/holiday greens boutique $11-3$ Vets hall FRM
Dec. 13 - Gallery \& Gitts, collage, paper fun. 1:30 p.m., FRM, 336-5870
Dec. 13 - VFW American Legion Christmas Ham Dinner 6-8pm in Burney
Dec. 13 - Fall River Valley Country Christmas Light Parade
Dec. 20 - Santa scheduled to visit at Burney Veterans hall. 335-4971
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Whitmore fire suspect in hospital
BY MEG FOX
A suspect in last week's A suspect in last week's
Whitmore fire was in critical
condition at Mercy Medical condition at Mercy Medical
Center in Redding Monday Center in Redding Monday
following a traffic accident on following a traffic accident on I-5 near Cottonwood
Fire
Prevention Fire Prevention Capt.
David Harp of the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection headquarters in Redding said the $1,100-$ acre blaze six miles northeast of the community of Whitmore was human-caused. suspect's name. In record 90-degree heat Oct. 27, someone in Whitmore smelled smoke and called 911 at $11: 15$ p.m.
Twenty-three hours later. the blaze that broke out on the blaze that broke out on
WM Beaty \& Associates land was contained.
"It's a success story and we were very fortunate," said
Battalion Chief Tim McCam Battalion Chief Tim McCam-
mon of CDF in Johnson mon of CDF in Johnson
Park.
"We put a line around it, corralled the fire and put it out. That's the way it's sup-
posed to work," said McCamposed to work," said McCam-
mon, who was operations mon, who was
chief on the fire.
Along with the local CDF the Cassel, Old Station, Hat Creek, and Montgomery Creek volunteer fire companies responded with personnel and water tenders and fighters on the scene.
Timber loss was estimated Monday at \$2 million, according to Harp.


Berchem said.

urday. It rained and then it snowed. Happy day! been burning merrily the had before, got three inches. If they hadn't gotten that precipitation, they said we would have been there for three more weeks."
As a Red Cross volunteer, Berchem said she might
also have been someone also have been someone
assigned to help in the shelters if she hadn't first been called out as a firefighter. And having worked in
emergency shelters, she emergency shelters, she for the 100,000 people who were evacuated.
"Halloween was Friday and a company donated 1,000 costumes for the kids panies gave away candy and prizes and games. It was pretty touching," she said. She was also touched by the support from passers-by as the Cassel engine and
crew were heading home on
"People were honking and waving to all the firefighters and holding up signs to their
windows that said 'Thank windows that said 'Thank
You.'
Home meant clean sheets,

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Citizens standing up for
Yreka have met for the last three months talking about the effect on crime，busi－
nesses，social services， Ernie Neveu has traded as a biology professor at
Gross Mont in La Mesa for wine making in Montague． Becoming a student again ary for growing vines and he intricacies of wine making has been a challenge for him but with good friends that are wine making will be a the cess，according to the Ft． Stop by the Neveu Vine yards for wine tasting and
purchases．Call $459-3906$ for wine tasting hours．

Assemblyman， $\begin{gathered}\text { Doug } \\ \text { Malfa fell for Siskiyou }\end{gathered}$ County in the dunking tank
during the County Fair， according to the Ft．Jones attempts to dunk him and raising $\$ 100$ from several donors，it was Frank Watkins accomplished the deed．
SHASTA COUNTY The first ever－human case mported case of West Nile Virus has been confirmed in Shasta County resident， according to the Shasta Lake
The woman traveled to Colorado in August where
it is believed she contacted the virus from an infected mosquito．
miologist for Shasta County
Public Health says that since
the case did not originate the case did not originate
here and because the virus does not spread from person
to person，the incident is not
something to be overly con－

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ans and librarians who were
scheduled to lose their jobs or have their hours cut．
The school board The school board noted hey are cash poor but
people rich and have found people rich and have found
alternatives to eliminating positions．
Salaries would come Salaries would come
from the staff development and restricted maintenance Other savings would come
funds． from changing heater filters
three times 4 Fire Company received a
grant in amount of $\$ 189,000$ for a firefighing vehicle from the 2003 Assistance to Fire－ fighters from the Homeland security for Emergency pre－ program，according to the
Shasta Lake Bulletin． The grants will ultimately total $\$ 750$ million in direct assistance to fire depart－
ments to purchase firefighting equipment，fund firefighters health and safety programs， enhance emergency medical services programs，and con－
duct prevention and safety duct prevention and safety programs．
Anderson is all abuzz about Anderson Union High
school District having had four out of the last five teach－ ers of the year，according to Lorna Manuel was selected by Shasta County Office of Education as 2003－ 2004 Teacher of the Year for high schools．
Anderson Mayor Norma Comnick officiated at the Anderson Skate Park Oct． 28，according to the Ander－ son Valley Post．
A bouncing frog jumped up missing from the playground
of the Cottonwood Com－ munity Center．John Helfrich said someone either broke
it off or cut the frog from its it off or cut the frog from its
base，according to the Ander－ base，according to the Ander－
son Valley Post．
If anyone has seen the If anyone has seen the
frog hopping around，they
are urged to call John at are urged to call John at
$347-6765$ or on his pager at $347-6765$ or on his pager at
$516-4348$ ． The Wild Horse Sanctu－
ary offered 45 horse colts for adoption Nov． 1 at the ranch in Shingletown．The horses
and fillies vary in ages of 3 and fillies vary in ages of 3
to 4 months and have been to 4 months and have been
recently weaned from their recently
mothers．
Dianne Nelson，sanctuary
operator said the horse adop－ tion program is a humane way for the Wild Horse Sanc－ tuary to effectively manage
its heard of 250 head of wild its heard of 250 head of wild
mustangs，according to the mustangs，according
Anderson Valley Post．
Adopters must meet cer－ tain criteria，have the ability and financial means to care
for a wild horse，and under－ stand the adoption rules． Interested parties should call 335－2241 for more informa－

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Mt. Burney Coffee Company has been in business for six years with the same menu they started with. If it's not broken don't fix it. They serve gourmet coffee, tea, iced coffee, hot
chocolate, and snow cones. Start your day with a tasty cup of their coffee in a different flavor everyday. Say hello to the owners, Ramona and Dan Warren and staff members Sharon Ybarra and Jude Colby.
You want a copy of something? Davis Copy Center can and can copy just about any- have been in business six years thing from pictures on T-shirts to Christmas Calendars made to order. There are three copy machines for the do-it-your-
selfers and a supply of basic office material available in the store. She said they have fair competitive prices and can special order computer parts and supplies. You can count with a smile from Davis Copy Center.

Kam Magnuson, RN, BSN, is a massage therapist or light massage full body massages by appointment
 PATRICIA DAVIS and the transformation it brings to people with a disease process or those that just need to relax. She is located behind the
former Lyons Pharmacy building next to Mt. Burney Storage.


Adelphia Cable is running an installation special this
month for new subscribers month for new subscribers
for $\$ 10$ that is normally $\$ 35$ and if a subscription to any
digital digital service is received,
the first month of the digital the first month of the digital
service is free. Kelly Babajan said Adelphia will be bringing high speed Internet connections into the Burney area soon. Besides the nine dif-
ferent cable services offered, ferent cable services offered,
they have a 24 -hour service they have a 24 -hour service
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$\$ 20$ account credit. Stop by a $\$ 20$ account credit. Stop by
and say hi to Kelly and sign ap for the high speed Interne service.


Russ and Dorothy Phelhart and Debbie and Dennis Crone have a novel idea. It's Novel T's. They sell T-shirts, sweat shirts, dresses, gift items, Australian crystals, and incense a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturdays. Screen printing on T-shirts and embroidery are two of their specialties and special print projects are welcome. A handicap ramp is available in the back ects are welcome. A handicap ramp is available in the back ahead at $335-5535$ so help can be provided for access to the
store. store.

A rose by any other name would smell as sweet. Shawna
Smith took the name for her business, Rose Cottage Nails because the store looks like a Shawna said she is a full service nail salon with maniwith three levels of foot care. The basic pedicure is toenails rimmed with a foot soak. The pampering foot care icludes a foot soak, cuticle care, callus reductions, and of foot care is the Spa care It includes everything from the pampering care but adds a scrubbing mask (a facial for your feet) and takes about two of Main Street and Plumus, Locate on the corner
of MAWNA SMITH Shawna said to please call
$335-5562$ for an appointment


Lahey Enterprises is new mail order wholesale gift catalogue business with a variety of gift items for the whole family.
You can call James Lahey at $335-4588$ and he'll deliver a catalogue to you so you can get a jump on your Christmas shopping. To receive gifts in time for Christmas, orders need to be placed by Dec. 2 .
Potluck Trading Post has new items weekly. Ron and Mindy Gray say you'll get the best prices in Burney and many items are less than a $\$ 1$. Items include goodies for the kitchen
toys, blankets, canned food, personal, cleaning, bath products, pet supplies, jewelry, air fresheners, candles, picture frames, and seasonal items. Remember Christmas is coming so check with them weekly.
Hovis Hardware is starting their Christmas sales, which will begin November and continue through December. Weatherization needs for your home, plastic trash bags, outdoor and Decker power toose in your family desiring such, Black manager, said to come by and take a peek at all their sale manag.

By PATTY BLEDSOE

## Little Valley man indicted for child porn; awaits separate trial on Burney molestation

## Sacramento indicted a Little than $\$ 250,000$. according to Shasta County date was delayed when Stein <br> Stein is also charged with

 Sacramento indicted a LittleValley man Oct. 23 for child pornography, as he sits in Shasta County jail waiting for a separate trial to begin on charges of child molestation Moshe ining four Burney girls. Moshe Stein, 54, was
arrested at his residence Nov. 12, 2002, where sheriff's deputies seized his sequently found a hard drive containing sexually explicit photos of minors. been shipped through interstate and foreign commerce and Stein was indicted on the federal charges of possessing and transmitting child pornography, according to
Shasta County Deputy District Attorney Erin Dervin. If convicted on the federal charges, he faces a maximum sentence of five years
in prison and fines of more
six counts of committing children and one count of indecent exposure.
Although he was arrested in Lassen County, the crimes occurred in Burney and Stein
previously lived in

## All families with small children

 invited to monthly R.M. event
## All families with chil- dren ages $0-5$ are

 dren ages $0-5$ are invitedto Acorn's Monthly Family Event on Thursday, Nov. 20 from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. in the Head Start building at the Cedar Creek School in Round Mountain. The program, held jointly
with Cedar Creek Head Start, begins with an overview of job search resources avail-
able through the SMART

Sheriff's deputy Anthony Bertain,
case.
case. victims, four unrelated young girls who were 11, 8,6 , and 5 -years-old at the time of his court to appoint a new the court to appoint a new attor-
ney for him, Dervin said in an earlier interview. His jury trail was recently been rescheduled to Jan. 16, 2004 in Shasta County Superior Court.

Community Employment eat lunch before they come. Center followed by a lesson At the Dec. 18 meeting, in how to make bread loaves the focus will be on
that are great gifts for the art and creativity. holiday season.
During all event All children are welcome, we'll be looking this year and have the chance to play bring in elements how to while safely supervised, or reduction and relaxation they can be with parents through the activities we $\begin{array}{ll}\text { during the activities. } \\ \text { A substantial snack will be } & \text { cover. }\end{array}$
served around snack will be If you've got questions, served around 2 p.m., but please give us a call at 337 -
families are encouraged to 6736 .

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Ssis manv Minni Jokes
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Randy: What is
Frances: 20-20-20-20!
Ca Clem Clam: How did you get that black eye? Carl Clam: I got it from a guided mussell:

Becky: When are your eyes not your eyes?
Nancy: When a hard wind makes them


## Mini Spy

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Mini Spy and her friends are visiting the puffins at the


Gus Goodsport's sopart Supersport: Rulon Gardner Born: 8-16-71 Bir Weight: 264
Rucon Cardnec, a Wyoning farm boy uto grew into an


 be startid cumpting in when be was 6 years old He became a danpion
 Aloman divisien to win the gild medal. Kareclin hadinl lost in 13 years. Gindrees who hopes to compete in the 2004 Ohymises grew up on a dairy farm with eipht oldier bruthbrs and sidevers He wirksed hard on the farm. He ales worked hard at wresline, und the dedication paid off He became a


From the 1600 s to the early 1900 s, hunters seeking food or feathers kill most of the puff
Modern scientists feared the species could be at risk if anything happened to the remaining puffin colonies in the North Atlantic.
Project Puffin
Project Puffin helpers moved puffin chicks, or pufflings, from
Newfoundland, Canada, Newfoundland, Canada, to Maine.
When these pufflings grew up they When these puffings grew up, they
returned to their new home to breed. The Maine colony has been restored.


Scientists can use what they learned from
restoring the Eastern Egg Rock colony to

## Roont Cookies Recipe



1. Mix cream cheese, may cheese in a medium bow
2. Spread mixture on saltine crackers
3. Place crackers on an ungreased cookie sheet.
4. Broil fufty.

Note: You will need an adult to help you with this recipe

## Meet Hilary Chaplain



Jump and wigple She is a down makd actress and tesches clowning at New York University She
also helps make sure the clowno in the Disney Channe lave the right moves. In
une TV show, Joio is a 6 -vear-old circus clown. She the TV show, Joio is a f-year-old circus clown. She asks kids watching the show to belp her not of
jams by shaking and wiggling themselves like clowns da
Hilary perfurms for kids herself. In New York, she entertains
children in hospitals as Nurse Nice of the famous Big Apple Circus Clown Care Unit. Before beocming a Jown, she studied theater arts at Hampshire College in Amherst, Mass. She has three sihhings who are also talented artista. Her hrother is a photographer; one sister is a singer and the other sister is a
silversmith. Her mother ran for U.S. Congress in New Hampshire
. in the 1970
Hilary live Hilary lives in Brooklyn, NY. and likes to practice yoga in her
free time.

## Everybody Loves the Puffin



# Cardinals still undefeated; Tulelake latest to fall, 49-0 

The Big Valley Cardinals moved their Evergreen League record to 4-0 after defeating the Tulelake Honkers 49-0 Friday night in Bieber. In photo at right, Cardinal Tel Fulfer (33) moves through Cardinal blockers Timmy Fritsch (54), Cody Leventon, and Mikey Hernandez (68). Fulfer racked up 80 yards for the night and scored a touchdown. Below, assistant coach Steve Gagnon gives advice to Big Valley's David Leventon (27) and Fritsch, among others.


Big Valley's Juan Escalante holds onto Tulelake's Jared Heiney as Timmy Fritsch (54) loses in from behind. Escalante also scored a touchdown for the Cardinal offense. Big Valley returned after wo-weeks without playing a game, only o continue where they left off -- in the winner's circle. Senior fullback Mike Blue, leading the Evergreen League in rushing, scored two touchdowns. Quarterback J.C. Hunsaker also scored a TD and passed for two more. The Cardinals will finish the regular season when they travel to Happy Camp Friday.


Reserve all-around honor to Bidwell

Blaire Bidwell, of Hat Creek, received the Reserve All-Around Cowgirl award after garnering a total of
112.5 points in the California High School Rodeo District 1 competition Oct.19-20 in Yreka.
Tera Strickland, of Burney, was 3rd place runner-up with a total of 68 points.
Bidwell took first place in breakaway roping, competing against 19 other riders for
the top time of 6.96 . She was also first out of 27competitors in goat tying with a time of
21.16 She and her partner, Jes sica MacDonald, of Palo Cedro, scored 137 points in the Girls Cutting event to take fifth and sixth place.
Bidwell partnered with Bidwell partnered with Jared
Ferguson of Cottonwood, for Ferguson, of Cottonwood, for place finish in team roping. First place in team roping went to Chad Bidwell, of Hat Creek, and his partner Jessica Hemphill, of Tulelake,
with their time of 17 with their time of 17.26 .
Christjan $\quad$ Bidwell, Bieber, and partner Cyndie Parsons, of Montague, took fifth place in team roping with a time of 56.47
Tera Strickland took third place in barrel racing with
her time of 37.249 . Jackie McArthur, of McArthur, rode in behind her with a time of 37.280 for fourth place.

The next two District I high
school rodeos will be at the school rodeos will be at the
Redding Rodeo Grounds on Nov. 8 and 9 and on Dec. 13 and 14.

## Handa

 is 2nd at Modoc meetBY BILL BROWN
Fall River High School's Brent Handa took second place in the Boys' Varsity event at the Modoc Cross Alturas.
Fall River's cross country team members Calie Schneider and Brent Handa led the junior and senior high teams to high finishes at the
Modoc Cross Country Invitational at Arrowhead Golf Course in Alturas Oct. 21.
In the junior high run of around 1.1 miles, Calie finished second with a time of 8 :
50 . Michelle Vaughn placed 50. Michelle Vaughn placed
third with a time of $9: 01$ and third with a time of 9:01 and
teammate Whitney Kellum placed fifth in 9:13.
For the high school runners, Mimi Brown placed third in the varsity girl's race with a time of
3.3-mile course
In the last race of the day, Brent ran a quick time of 22 : 29 to place second in the
Fall River spikers defeat Cougars
Fall River defeated Weed, $3-0$, Thursday, winning their games $25-17,25-15$, and
$25-23$. Jessica Caldwell had 9 Katie Camarata had 8 digs, 2 kills, and 1 ace.
Jessica Hero added 6 kills, 5 digs, 1 block, 1 assist and 1 5 blocks, 2 digs, 2 aces, and 1 assist. Brittany Shelton had 5 kills, 2 aces, 10 assists, 3 blocks and 3 digs.
The Bulldogs area in second place in the Shasta
Cascade League and will most likely hold onto it if they beat Modoc Tuesday at press time. Their last game for the League season is Thursday League season is
against Mt. Shasta.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Security in living

You talk about a secure
place to live．How about Johnson Park which sets on a lava flow？Tresp asily forgiven！
Even Bankers and Reve nuers are fairly safe．Nobody gets buried there！
－Bob Nunn

## Thank you

ditor：
The family of Dan Porter wishes to hank all the people and participated in Dan＇s Cel－ ebration of Life．
He would have
bled but proud．
The Lioness Club，the mens Club and Burney Ele－ to make the afternoon suc－ cessful and a positive occa－ sion．We thank you！！！

Dana \＆Nathen Howard
Richard \＆Veronica

## Holiday tree permits available on Lassen forest

Christmas Tree Permits Mailed requests for permits are available now．In a
change from prior years， this year，a family household
will be able to purchase two
Christmas tree permits． Christmas tree permits．
Permits will sell for Permits will sell for $\$ 10$
each．Along with the Christ－ mas tree permit tag，purchas－ ers are provided a Christmas ing a map of cutting areas and helpful tips．
Permits may also be pur－
chased through the mail

## Street signs for sale in M．C．

The Montgomery Creek selling street number signs
or $\$ 10$ to residents in their or $\$ 10$ to residents in their numbers that can easily be spotted by emergency crews． To sign up，call．Drew
Witham at $337-6788$ ．

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## Can too

## Saving round barn in Little Valley urged

To save the Little Valley round barn，it must be moved， and moved soon． The ideal would be to

restore it where it stands in restore it where it stands in
Little Valley as the landmark it is，but unscrupulous indi－ viduals are taking it apart， piece by piece，for their per－ sonal use－most likely fire－ wood－and the site affords no security．
within a year if it is not moved and restored．For the round barn to stand long enough to be moved，it behooves every－ one to be mindful of anyone in the area attempting
remove any more boards． Efforts are underway muster the resources disassemble the round barn
and reassemble it at the Fort and reassemble it at the Fort
Crook Museum to restore it to

## a usable structure．

The round barn is being
deeded to the Fort Crook His torical Society．Plans are to replace the farm equipment building and use the round barn to house its contents as
well as other pieces that have been donated for which there has not been room．
To accomplish the restora－ tion，the Fort Crook Historical Society needs three things： money，volunteers，and barn tact the Fort Crook Museum at ftcrook＠yahoo．com or
$336-5110$ if you can help in any way or send donations to PO．Box 397 Fall River Mills C．O．B6028．
Fort Crook Histori－
cal Society vice president cal Society vice president
Robert Ingram reported at the October board meeting
that several individuals and that several individuals and
businesses have indicated that equipment will be avail－ able for the project，but some needed equipment is not commonly used in the area and may have to be rented． exists through the efforts of

## Top 10 runners place in cross－country races

BYILL BROWN

In a very successful con－
clusion to the cross country season for Fall River＇s junior high school team，all of our
runners placed in the top 10 of their respective races．
Four runners competed
with students from schools throughout Redding at the Oct． 23 Whiskeytown Lake
Junior High Championship Junior High Chamt
Cross Country Meet．
Two Fall Runners com－
peted in the 1.5 －mile fifth and sixth grade girl＇s race， with Whitney Kellum taking second place among sixth
grade girls with her time of grade
Teammate Calie Sch－
neider was close behind with neider was close behind with
a time of $9: 47$ ，good for fifth place．
Two eighth grade runners， in their last junior high run also did well competing with
seventh and eighth grade seventh and eighth grade
runners on the 2．2－mile course that features steep
hills． Ning waughn has been in this race placed eighth among the eighth grade run－ ers with a time of 17：14．
Lydia McDemos，after missing several weeks of the surgery，had a strong finish to place ninth in 17：31．
I am looking forward to
seeing these two and some


Gina Cantu of Burney shot this $4 \times 4$ deer on Hatchett Mountain on September 20， 2003
of their classmates on our
high school team next year along with our sixth grade
runners and their friends runners and their friends
moving up to the junior high school up to the junior high

Christmas in November at VFW hall in

## Burney

their annual Christmas Bazaar，November 29 from 10 a．m．to $4 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$ ．at the VFW
$\qquad$ We are also having a raffle， White Elephant sale and our soup，bread kitchen．Price 1 bowl／bread $\$ 2.50$ ，all you can
eat $\$ 5$ ． We have some very tal－ ented people in our commu－ nity．Come out and show your support for their hard work and talent．
Christmas is just around the corner．If you are inter－
ested in renting a table call Pat Redding at 335－3210， Betty Zwyczak at 335－5103

## Nut sale slated

BY ELLINOR HALTER Mu Zeta Chapter of Beta
Sigma Phi are taking orders for our annual fundraiser nut
We have used the same supplier from Chico for many years and his product is very
fresh and delicious．We have the usual walnuts，pecans， almonds as well as macada－ mia and pistachio and mixed
nuts． This is our only fundraiser and the proceeds are used by organizations and projects． For price quotes and to
place orders for delivery first part of November call Marge at 335－4396，Fay at 335－3229
or Ellie at 335－3549．
needed to replace boards
and for any work or equip－ ment rental not volunteered． If you can help with any
part of the project or want to know what you can do， please contact the Museum who can get your information to Robert Ingram．
The sooner work can be
started，the more of the round
started，the more of the round
barn can be saved and the
quicker it can be resurrected at its new site．
fortunate to intermantain area is building Fort Crook Museum The Fort Crook Historical stories while raising money to place historical markers and for a building fund for years before the Museum． donated land for the Museum in memory of her husband and then money was raised
through dinners，smorgas－ bords and dances for its construction． Little Valley barn as the model for the Fort Crook Museum building，and then worked nights，Sundays and every available moment many others who recognized the importance of retain
the history of the area． The site is large enough hat it has afforded expan－ sion，with construction of the
James Showcase the farm equipment building（also shaped like a round barn） and the mechanical barn cal structures of the Pittville School，the Fall River Mills
jail，two log cabins the round barn．
The Little Valley round
barn will serve as much as a major landmark at the Fort Crook Museum as in Little Valley since it will be placed and an their volleyball season comes to a close on Thursday against Etna，
the number one team in the Shasta Cascade League． The Raiders beat the
Modoc Braves 3－2 in Alturas Modoc Braves， $3-2$ ，in Alturas
26－24，25－15，16－14． ＂All of a sudden we started better，＂said Coach Pete Gia－ chetti．＂It was pretty exciting．＂ It was also exciting because Modoc is the one team Etna has lost to so far
this season． Burney was back in form
Thursday sending the Trinity Wolves scampering， $3-1$ ，in
Weaverville and scoring $25-$ 12，23－25，25－20，and 25－11．
＂Even in the game that we lost we were at $21-10$ at one point and came back to lose
（by only two points）．The girls were playing very well．Our serving，with 19 aces，made
the difference，＂Giachetti said． $\qquad$ Against $\begin{aligned} & \text { Trinity，Burney＇s } \\ & \text { Rocksann Barba had } 10\end{aligned}$ B aces， 9 assists， 6 service points，and 3 kills．
well，＂Giachetti said well，＂Giachetti said． Spencer，who stepped in to serve for her sister Amanda Spencer，who was ill and didn＇t play．
＂Amy really did a great job，＂he said．Spencer had
5 service points， 3 aces， 1 block， 1 assist and 1 kill． Robbie Fulk had 12 kills， 3 blocks， 2 service points and 1 ace．Aimee Ayers had 10
kills， 4 aces， 2 blocks and 1

## Correction

News，Blaire Bidwell is the student in the photograph
taking orders for McArthur FFA＇s apple pie fundraiser． Also，once ordered，the Nov． 16 after $3 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$ ．at the Intermountain Free Evangeli－ cal Church at 44185 High－ way 299，across from Bruce Equipment，in McArthur
（and not at the Seventh－Day （and not at the Seventh－Day
Adventist Church as was incorrectly stated．）

## Call the Fall River High

 School Ag Department at 336－5952 to order a \＄9ney had 18 assists， 1 kill，and 1 service point．Kayla Stover
had 4 kills， 2 assists and 1 service point．
In the R In the Raiders＇game
against Modoc，Angela Hiller had 5 aces．Robbie Fulk had 9 kills， 5 aces， 3 service points and 1 block．Aimee Ayers had 4 kills， 2 assists， 2 aces， 1 service point，and
2 blocks．Rocksan Barbal had 3 aces， 4 service points， had 3 aces， 4 service points，
6 assists and 1 kill．Kristen Churney had 2 aces， 4 ser－ vice points， 13 assists，and 1 kill．Kayla Stover had 3 kills， 2

Tobacco sessions scheduled to quit habit
Quit smoking or quit chew－ in a four－session program offered by Shasta County Public Health．The program
begins Monday，Nov． 10 from begins Monday，Nov． 10 from
6 p．m．to 7：30 p．m．and con－ 6 p．m．to 7：30 p．m．and con－
tinues on Nov． 12,17 and 19 at Hill Country Community
Clinic on Highway 299 in Round Mountain．
One half of all living Ameri－
cans who have smoked haver cans who have smoked have quit． Within last tobacco use，your risk of heart attack begins to decrease，and within 72
hours，your lung capacity hours，your lung capacity begins to improve．

## Red Road

 programs now in Burney ery from alcohol，substance abuse，domestic violence or co－dependency now haveanother area resource． another area resource．
Red Road to Recovery meetings，a 12－step program， are every Thursday from noon to 1 p．m．at Pit River
Health Services Annex Health
Burney．

Red Road to Recovery is a discussion meeting that
incorporates Native Ameri－ can readings and materials aimed at sobriety and spiri－
tual health．The meetings tual health．The meeting
are open to everyone．


August ceremony in McArthur of Fall River Mills，married Velda Diaz daughter of Angela Diaz of McArthur and Mateo Diaz of Santa Maria，on August 16，2003．The ceremony Rook place at the McArthur Fairgrounds Gazebo． Reception was at the George Ingram Hall．Maid－ were Sandra Diaz，Stacy McFarlin，Jill Schroeder， Cheryl Bruce and Jr．Bridesmaid was Kayla Rus－ sell．Best Man was John Hutchings and the Ushers and Rile Webster．Flower Girls were Kamille Rus－ sell and Monica Reynoso．Ring Bearer was Dylan Young．Jeremy graduated from Fall River High chool in 2000 and attended Shasta College．He is Fever in Redding Velda graduated from Fall River High School in 1998 and attended Shasta College． She is currently employed at Shasta Healthcare in Redding．The couple took a honemoon trip to the

Raider spikers on roll as season nears end

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## Stuffed moles assist in chemistry class

Senior High School English teacher Kenneth Howes submitted the following article about a unique mole project
in Barbara Sugaya Jones chemistry class.
The article is in keeping with the school's goal of improving communication, stated as part of its Western
fion, to give the community and parents a view inside he school, - and because

BY KENNETH HOWES That woman has certainly got moles. She's got a lot of moles. She's got moles oming out everywhere!
queen bursting with marks to prove it, nor a leper huddled This is a at in Beirut. sional, working to ted profes sional, working to teach your
children chemistry, and in children chemistry, and in
doing so the students in Bardoing so the students in Barstry classes at Fall River High School in McArthur have been creating moles for many years.

These moles have all been hand-fabricated by interested dents. There is one mole riding There is one mole riding in a hot air balloon, one
mole speeding along in its Batmolebile, and a James Brown mole sporting a tremendous Afro. There are various caped
and crusading Super Moles,


Students provide shoulder for furry friends used in Fall River High School chemistry class.

delicate moles in evening attire, assorted surfer moles,

and even an amoebae mole with clear plastic sides for easy viewing of the mole's innards, which leads us to
the reason for this chemistry the reason for this chemistry moles in the first place: Avogadro's number is the number of things in one "mole," and this number is
6.02 multiplied by 10 to the 6.02 multiplied by 10 to the
23rd
power. For the uninitiated, this is the number 602 followed by 21 zeros.
This nearly unimaginable number has become nearly
mundane to the mundane to the chemistry
students in Sugaya-Jones students in Sugaya-Jones
class, as it is vital to their study of chemistry.
One mole of carbon-12
atoms has a mass of 12.0 atoms has a mass of 12.0 grams and is made up of 6.02
$\mathrm{x} 10^{23}$ atoms of carbon. If $\mathrm{x} 10^{23}$ atoms of carbon. If
that's confusing, don't worry: ask your child when they get to chemistry.
In the meantime, understand that in the construc-
tion of these tion of these handmade
moles the student is to take a nano-pico mole of ordinary a nano-pico mole of ordinary
beans (that's 602 beans, if you hadn't figured it out), and create a stuffed mole of the animal variety.
should have personality should have personality,
hence the hairdo choices hence the hairdo choices
and variety of activities the students have their moles undertake.

Student Jackie McArthur,
breeding a mole and a cow for some burrowing bovine,
says, "l'm not very creative, so it's hard for me, but it's fun and different with the sewing and bean counting to under-
stand the mole, instead of stand the mole, instead of And Tim Arnold, another student, with his Bob Marley Reggae mole, said, "This project allows the students to escape everyday home-
work while still learning about chemistry," Sugaya-Jones believes that since the mole is so fundamental to the study of chemistry, that creating the
stuffed moles themselves, stuffed moles themselves, and eating food in relation to moles makes an emotional connection between the kids and the subject matter. And with ginger molasses
cookies and guacamole and cookies and guacamole and
chips served on Mole Day, Oct. 23, chemistry does find its way into the heart through the stomach.
Sugaya-Jones
has
ping that another motive in hoping that
the population of Moletown the population of Moletown reaches a mole of moles, she will be able to retire. In case you're alarmed at losing such a great teacher, don't worry. At a growth rate of 20
moles per year, it will take her just about $3 \times 10^{22}$ years to leave her classroom... overflowing with cute, happy and intelligent moles.


## Some statistics on Southern California fires

According to fire incident
reports, the first fire to sart eports, the first fire to start
in Southern California was the Robler 2 fire on the Camp Pendleton Marine Camp base also started Oct. 21 and is under investigation. It The more devastating the Grand Prix fire, located two miles west of Mira Loma in
San Bernardino County, was tarted Oct. 21. It burned 59,448 acres
and 135 homes before it was

## Volleyball champs to be determined this week

Volleyball games this week
will determine the League will determine the League
winners and the teams that will go on to the playoffs, though on Friday Big Valley was a shoe-in, and Fall Rive oo too go on, too.
Etna is
top of the Shasta Cascade League at 9-1-0, while no one in the Evergreen League has been able to topple Big Valley, holding strong at $9-1$
$0-0$. was to Modoc, a team that Burney, beat on Oct. 28. Burney is third in League
$(7-4-0)$ and their day of
 against the Etna Lions. Fall River is second place League ( $7-3-0$ ) and they were set to play Modoc Tuesday, likely the only team left in the League
The Bulldogs final League game is Thursday against last place Mt. Shasta, in last place (0-9-0). Big Valley was taking on
second place Surprise Valley second place Surprise Valley
$(7-2-0)$ Tuesday at press time for their final game of the season and perhaps the Evergreen League champi-

It resulted in 23 injuries.
About 1,038 firefighters were About 1,038 firefighters
assigned to the Piru. assigned to the Piru.
On Oct. 24, the arsonblamed Verdale fire started and burned 8,680 before it was contained. Three fires broke out on
Oct. 25-the Cedar fire in Oct. 25 - the Cedar fire in San Diego County, the Old fire in
San Bernardino County, and the Simi Valley/Moorpark Fire in Ventura County

## The Paradise and the Dulzura fires in San Diego

## Big Valley spikers secure Evergreen League top spot

## The Big Valley Cardinals

 had only one game left, against Surprise Valley Tues-day at press time, before securing the championship in the Evergreen League. Big Valley had a 3-0 win over Tulelake Oct. 28, put-
ting point after point ting point after point onto the
scoreboard at 25-11, 25-6 and 25-14.
Jackie Heryford slammed 8 kills over the net, served 4 aces, and had 3 digs, 1 block and 1 assist.
Cydnie Juranits added 6 kills, with 6 assists, 4 aces,
and 2 digs and Katie Pope and 2 digs and Katie Pope
landed 7 kills, 2 aces and 2 digs, with 1 block and14 assists.

County started Oct. 26. Fire officials said the
Cedar and Paradise fires were human caused. The Simi, Dulzura, and Old fires are under investigation. A firefighter and 13 civilians died in the Cedar fire, which burned 281,666
acres and was 81 percent acres and was 81 percent
contained Sunday. It also destroyed 2,207 structures, 22 commercial $\begin{aligned} & \text { structures, } \\ & \text { properties }\end{aligned}$ and 515 outbuildings.
The Dulzura fire, which
burned
tained. ained.
The The Mountain fire in River6 and is contain started Oct. 26 and is contained. It burned 10,331 acres and destroyed under investigation Four people died and five Four people died and five
people were injured in the Old fire. The 91,281 -acre fire destroyed 850 structures and 10 commercial properties. It was only 45 percent con-
tained Sunday. Two people Two people died and 14
people were injured in the 56,700 -acre Paradise fire, listed as 60 percent contained Sunday.

Thirteen injuries have been reported in the Simi Incident. Thirteen structures and 17
vehicles were destroyed in the 108,204-acre fire. It was listed as 85 percent contained. Resources included 4,275
firefighters on the Cedar fire firefighters on the Cedar fire,
1,608 on the Paradise, 1,449 on the Simi, and 3,812 on the Old fire.
The The Cedar fire was 10 miles east of Ramona. The Paradise fire was six miles Piru was 14 miles northwest of Santa Clara and the Padua was six miles northeast of
Claremont.

## OBITUARIES

Alice Patzke

## Boyd

Homemaker, 83
$\qquad$ Boyd of Cottonwood were held Saturday.
She died at her Cottonwood residence Oct. 24. She was born Nov. 3, 1919
in Devils Lake, North Dakota. in Devils Lake, North Dakota.
Survivors include husband James of Cottonwood; sons Buz of Cottonwood and Byron of Hat Creek; daughter

Sharon Morgan of Redding;
sisters Doty McGinnis of sisters Doty McGinnis of
Klamath Falls, Ore., Betty Mitchell of Greensboro, North Carolina, and Joyce Ausherman of Redding; eight grandchildren and 23 greatgrandchildren.
Memorial may be made to Cottonwood Community Church, P.O. Box 1159, Cottonwood, CA
96022 . A memorial fund has 96022. A memorial fund has
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