



THE FLAME



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*Thank
you!*

Thanks to all the volunteers, bakers, and those who donated at the various places around town that helped make the Camas Valley and Tenmile Volunteer Fire Department's

23rd Annual

Easter Egg Hunt

another memorable event for the younger set. Without their support it would not be possible to do this event. We have some special thank you's to our local major donors –

- 1) J. T. and Elaine Berk
- 2) Ketti Walker of B.K.
Storage
- 3) Plikat Logging
- 4) Juanita Saul
- 5) Kinnan Engineering.

It was a fun time with lots of Easter baskets and bicycle helmets given away. Because of our local bakers we had plenty of baked goods at the cake walk. The rain didn't seem to dampen anyone's spirits for a fun time.

Birthday Calendar Time

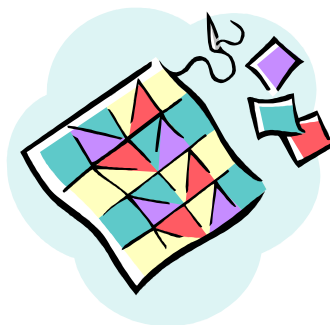
It is time once again to put together our **Camas Valley Pyro's Birthday Calendar**. We will be doing this during the month of May. This is a very good fundraiser for our 4th of July fireworks show. I am encouraging everyone to put their birthdays and anniversary on the calendar. Please let me know if you have any changes from this year's calendar.

If there is someone who would help me call it would be great. I will start calling soon. If we could get money up front it really helps when time to deliver in August. Please call Mary Helen [541-643-6317](tel:541-643-6317)



Quilt Raffle Winner

The drawing for the butterfly quilt was held at the **Bravo Bakery and Café** on Saturday April 19th. Troy pulled out the winning name—**Berniece McClellan**. If the name sounds familiar, she heads up the Winston Dillard Food Pantry. Her husband loves butterflies and just beamed when they won.



The beaded flag bracelet for selling the most tickets was won by **Betty Wittrock**. A total of **\$675** was added to the **Fire Dept. Building fund**.

Thank you for supporting our Fire Department!

Grange-where the community meets, greets and grows

- ♦ **Tues. May 6th** Ladies' Luncheon at **noon** with bingo after.
- ♦ **Tues. May 13th at 10 AM**, is the business meeting to plan the next luncheons.
- ♦ **Tues. May 27th** Senior Luncheon at **noon** with bingo afterwards for the Scholarship fund for students of Camas Valley High School.



There is no time when food is cheap anymore. It is a long time until gardens start producing. Take the time to share with your neighbors by donating non-perishable goods to the **W/D Food Pantry** barrel in the Post Office.

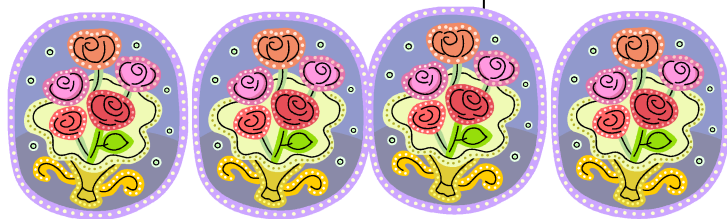
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Email allows you to keep friends and family that have left the valley to keep up with the events that affect this community. **Or maybe you would just like to get the Flame (in color!) early—by the 26th.**

Send name and email address to:

jwickham52@gmail.com

and an electronic copy will be sent to them each month, free.



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Robert Looney

this month.

Remember our Flame is published using donations only. They may be mailed to:

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Camas Valley, OR 97416

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THE FLAME

The Flame is a monthly publication of the Camas Valley Rural Fire District Auxiliary. The mission of this newsletter is to keep the residents of Camas Valley informed about the events and activities of the fire department, churches, school and civic organizations that are in Camas Valley.

The Flame is provided free to all residents of Camas Valley by mail and anywhere by email.

To submit articles:

Items must be in by the **25th** of
the month before the issue
publish date.

Submit to:

Jan Baker at **541-680-5616**
Judith Wickham at **541-733-6940**
jwickham52@gmail.com or
150 Buck Springs Rd. Camas Valley

Can we find you when you need to be found?

The grass and brush is growing by leaps and bounds with the alternating bouts of rain and warm sunshine. Remember to trim around your reflective house numbers so they are clearly visible if the ambulance or fire truck need to find you. If you do not have reflective house numbers to place at the base of your drive, contact the fire hall to get a sign.



Camas Valley Business Directory

To have your business included in the **Flame**, please fill out the form below and mail or email it to the address listed. *If you missed the opportunity to get your business listed, now is the time to get your information out before our readers!*

The directory will be printed when space allows through-out the year. We encourage our readers to patronize local businesses and support your neighbors!

Type of
Business _____

Name of
Business _____

Owner/
Contact person _____

Phone
Number(s) _____

Days open _____

Hours open _____

Mail form to: Judith Wickham
150 Buck Springs Rd.
Camas Valley, OR 97416

Or email information to : jwickham52@gmail.com



**Camas Valley United Methodist
Church** will be holding its annual

**Rummage Sale on
Friday, May 23rd and
Saturday, May 24th.**

Donations of household goods, tools, furniture, gently used clean clothing, toys, etc, are still being accepted. The proceeds go toward supporting the community outreach programs of the CVUM Church, such as parties to acknowledge class achievements at CVCCS, Winston-Dillard Food Pantry, community garden, neighborhood suppers, quilts to Roseburg Mission, community firewood donations, etc. Please call

**Mike Cay 1-541-207-7282
or Betty 541-445-2855**

if you need items
picked up or wish
to donate items.
Thank you for
helping us help
others.



Fewer Weeds Equals More Quality Forage and Other Desirable Plants: Weed Control

Call if you need help. For more information and assistance, please call Shelby at 541-672-4461 or email her at shelby.filley@oregonstate.edu

By Shelby Filley,
Regional Livestock & Forage Specialist,
Oregon State University Extension Service

WEED CONTROL

With the weed properly identified you can begin a control program. At OSU we advocate integrated pest management (IPM) for all pest control whether they are plant, insect, or other pests. This IPM method uses a combination of control methods to improve success of control and be economically sound and environmentally friendly. There are several methods in IPM. The general idea is to do all you can to favor desirables and disfavor the undesirables. For a pasture that would mean proper selection and management of forages and direct weed control. Educate yourself on which methods actually work and be careful not to make the problem worse by applying the wrong control method to your weeds.

FORAGE MANAGEMENT

The key to keeping weeds controlled in forage (and other sites) is proper site management. Learn all you can about this topic and practice what you can. You will not only have healthy forages, but also have fewer weeds. It is very difficult for weeds to invade healthy, dense stands of perennial grasses and legumes. Here are the basic forage management steps to follow:

- Take a soil sample and submit it to a lab for testing
- Fertilize according to soil test results; you can broadcast amendments over the forage, but it is better to incorporate them into the soil before planting.
- Choose plants that are appropriate for your soil type (irrigation, drainage, shade, etc.)
- Choose plants that are appropriate for the grazer (finishing lambs, mature cattle, etc.)
- Control harvesting (rotational grazing, grazing or mowing height and timing)
- Irrigation Management (avoid excess or deficit)

DIRECT WEED CONTROL

Direct methods of weed control include:

- Prevention: import only clean seed, soil, and rock to your farm
- Annual cropping followed by establishing perennial forages
- Mechanical: pulling weeds or chopping root beneath soil surface
- Tillage: can spread some weeds
- Chemical Control: effectiveness varies; follow label, timing, and rate.

For more detailed information, see the publication "Improving Pastures" on the Livestock and Forages Website at <http://extension.oregonstate.edu/douglas>. Click on Livestock & Forages, click on item A) Information; scroll down to the green box which contains forage information. Also, check out other OSU publications.



From the Superintendent's Desk

"Striving for Greater Academic Achievement"

Parents from other communities are sending their kids to our school in large numbers to take advantage of what they feel will be a better education for their children. It is imperative that our district deliver on that expectation for all students in our school. Raising academic expectations, increasing community support for academic achievement, and providing more opportunities for students to get college credit before graduation are all key parts of how Camas Valley Community Charter School is trying to deliver a better education for all.

Our **Academic Awards Night on May 1st** is an event that will highlight our renewed focus on academic achievement. I also hope it will create more support for academic achievement in our school and community. Reserved seating at a table with a meal is now closed, but families are still welcome to attend in general seating to support this event at 6:00 p.m.

The school board has invested heavily into our expanded options program to help our high school students get more college credit while in high school. We have gone well above and beyond the state requirement for supporting this program so that our students can begin getting college credit while still receiving support from their regular teachers. Through this program, the district pays for the tuition and fees for the students to receive a generous amount of college credit. We will be expanding the program next year and expect the majority of our seniors to take advantage of it.

We have created a tutorial period in the day to support student academics. This is a 40-minute period where students who have fallen behind in their work can go to their teacher's classroom and get support to bring up their grades. Students who are on track get to attend an enrichment class. We plan to keep this program and refine it for next year to make it even more impactful on student achievement.

These are three of the cornerstone pieces we are building upon to create motivation and support around academics. Let's continue to show our students that we as a school and community want them to be academically successful so we can help them get the most out of their future.

Camas Valley School

Honor Roll

3rd Quarter



12th Grade

4.0
3.50-3.99

Ryan Gallagher, Weston Tilton
Kattey Hall

11th Grade

3.50-3.99

Sara Hall, Kai Wolfe, Marisa Williams,
Kaitlyn Beans, Nicole Lewis, Ciara Colvin,
Whitney Lindsey
3.0-3.49
Keeghan Lally, Kayla Tilton

10th Grade

4.0

Darren Bringhurst

9th Grade

4.0
3.50-3.99
3:00-3.49

Robert Eggleston
Jazmin Wilberg
Nickayla Schiro

8th Grade

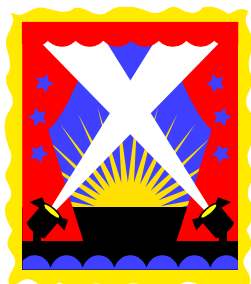
4.0
3.50-3.99
3.00-3.49

Devan Ewing
Jessie Ashton, Morgan Carter
Ryland Brown, Bentley Grove, Seth Maliglig,
Jeffrey Wright

7th Grade

4.0
3.50-3.99
3.00-3.49

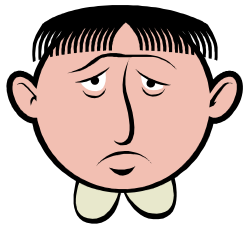
James Beans
Ethan Hilger, Nathan Powell, Natasha Hibdon
Matt Powell, Bridger Godfrey



The Stars Will Be Out

Academic Awards Night is Thursday, May 1st and is a venue in which to recognize our academic all-stars. General seating is still available to support these students at this event, starting at 6:00 p.m. in the gym.

Didn't make the grade...



The goal was to meet or beat the 1100 pounds of canned foods donated at the Christmas food drive. We fell far short of the mark at just 292 pounds. Despite the disappointment, that is 292 more pounds of food that the **Winston-Dillard Food Pantry** has to distribute to hunger neighbors.

The 4th-5th grade class brought in the greatest percentage of food items. While the Bravo Pizza party is not in the cards, the winning class will receive a party hosted by **Camas Valley United Methodist Church**.



Job Opportunities

Camas Valley School has a part-time opening for a **bus driver**. Applicants must have a valid CDL license. An S Endorsement is preferred. Applicants must be able to pass a criminal record check. Camas Valley is an equal opportunity employer. Position is open until filled. For more information please call [541-445-2131](tel:541-445-2131)



Camas Valley School has a **part-time evening custodial position** opening. High school diploma or GED is required. The position is open until filled. Please submit a letter of interest outlining experience and a District non-licensed application to the district office. This position may be combined with other job openings. For more information contact Camas Valley School at 445-2131. EOE



FREE LABOR!

Do you or someone you know need...

- ♦ painting,
- ♦ minor home repairs,
- ♦ ramps and/or porches built or repaired,
- ♦ landscaping,
- ♦ yard clean-up?



Community Baptist Church of Winston is partnering with LifeWay Christian Resources to bring 250 teenagers and their sponsors from all over the western United States to provide free labor for these and other types of projects.

Contact **Steve Schenewerk** at
541-784-8901

for more information or at
<sschenewerk@gmail.com>.

Camas Valley Business Directory

*Want to add
your business?
Form on page 3.*

Alpacas, stock/fiber/ merchandise

Turkey Gulch Alpacas

LaVon Newman
Sun.-Sat., 10-5
541-445-0804

Art, private painting lessons

Lang Crk Studio

Kay Ganieany
Mon.-Thurs.,
by appt.
541-445-2867

Autobody repair/paint

Green Collision Repair/Horizon Autobody

Marvin & Rennae
DeVoogd
M-F, 8-5
541-679-6100

Beauty, health and gift

Lord and Lady Lavender

Beth McNamara
Online 24/7

lordandladylavender.com

408-857-8782
anytime

Beauty products

Avon

Mary Helen Banks
call 8am—8pm
7 days a week
541-643-6317

Beauty shop

Scissor Trix

Jennie Plikat
By appt.
541-733-1919

Bookkeeping

Rose Mary's

Bookkeeping
Rose Mary Cooper
Call for appt.
541-784-8788
rosemcooper
@gmail.com

Christmas trees, U-cut / wholesale

Calico Christmas Trees

Wayman Schmidt,
owner
Nov. & Dec.
7 days/wk 9-4:30
Contact:
Shari White
**541-445-2350/
541-670-0458**

Construction, building

AMSI

Bill Lindsey
Mon.-Sat., 8-7
541-643-0366

Eng. consulting design/ drafting

TV Design, LLC

Troy I. Vanderhoof,
P.E.
M-F, 9:00-17:00
541-643-0138

Garbage hauling/yard help

Helper Hands

Jacob Hunt
Open to calls
541-643-5454

Lanakila Peck
Open to calls
541-643-2313

Honey bees, hive remov- al, classes on honey bees

Phill the Bee Guy

Phill Moulton
phillthebeeguy
@gmail.com
503-349-8463

Horse blankets, mainte- nance

Horse Blanket Wash & Repair

Jeanette Day
541-445-0800

Horse, boarding/ consulting/ training

Blue & Gold Stock Farm

Marge Vilas
Every day, 10-5
541-430-4225

Housekeeping

Maid in the Shade

Lisa Muller
541-430-1974

Jewelry, decorative/ therapeutic

Mommy & Me Jewelry

Janna Vanderhoof
M-F, 9-5
or by appt.
541-643-1934

Locksmith, keys and locks

Camas Valley Key Shop

Bruce Jehning
7days/wk
24 hr. emerg.
541-445-2014

Machine quilting

Sew Fun

Linda Underhill
Call for appt.
541-580-2814

Museum/restaurant

Noah's Ark

Irvn & Shirley
Thrush
S-F, 9-dark,
Sat. 2-dark
541-784-1261

Portable sawmill service

Backwoods

Custom Milling

Harvey Saul
**541-671-1993
541-445-2888**

Real Estate, broker

Prudential Real Estate

Professionals
J.T. Berk
24/7
541-430-6078

Rental, carriage

Day's Carriage Service

George &
Jeanette Day
541-445-0800

Rental, Storage.

BK Mini Storage

Ketti & Bill Walker
7 days/wk.,
daylight-dark
541-445-2902

Sewer/underground utilities/roads/pads

Scott Standley Const.

Scott & Darla
Standley
Mon.-Sat., 8-5
541-445-2245

Shoe repair /leatherwork

Art's Shoe Repair

Joe Ferrara
T-F 9-5:30,
Sat. 9-5.
541-673-8541

Water delivery, Bulk

Quiet Mt. Water

Rick/Rinda
Quesenberry
M-F 8-5,
S-Sun. by appt.
541-817-3132





A gentleman is a man who
can play the accordion, but
doesn't.—Author unknown

May

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

				1 Awards Night 6 pm Gym	2 No school HS Track @ Sisters 3:30	3
4	5 S.M.A.R.T. breakfast @ UCC	6 Grange Ladies Lunch Noon / Bingo HS writing assessment HS Track @ Bandon 4 pm MS Track @ Riddle 4 pm	7 Fire Dept. Training 7pm	8 MS/HS UCC Field trip	9 No school (inservice) HS Track @ Oakland 5	10
11 Mother's Day 	12 Fire Dept. Bd. Mtg. 6pm	13 Grange Bus. Mtg. 10 am @Grange MS District Track mt. @ Glide 4:30	14 4th/5th Field trip Douglas Co. Museum Fire Dept. Training 7pm	15 4th/5th Field trip Glide Transfer Site School Bd. Meeting 7pm	16 No School	17 HS Track Districts TBA
18	19	20	21 Fire Dept. Training 7pm	22	23 No School	24
25	26 No School  Memorial day	27 Grange Senior Lunch 12 w/ Bingo	28 Fire Dept. Training 7pm	29	30  HS Graduation 4th/5th Field trip Douglas Co. Museum	31