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Juliaetta**
AND THE
7 Ridges

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What's Happening

Kendrick-Juliaetta and 7 Ridges Community News | Kjnewsletter@tds.net

JK Ambulance Who are we?



- ◆ We are an Emergency Ambulance Service who responds to medical emergencies and vehicle/ industrial accidents.
- ◆ We currently have on staff 1 Paramedic, 7 EMT's, 2 EMR's, 2 Certified CPR Instructors and 6 Drivers.
- ◆ JK Ambulance has proudly served our community for 50 plus years. We are a non-profit EMS unit comprised of trained and certified volunteers through the State of Idaho to assist people in medical emergencies.
- ◆ The current standards through the State of Idaho for recertification is 24 hours for EMT's, 72 hours for a Paramedic and 24 hours for EMR's through each certificate cycle.
- ◆ We are currently putting an EMT class together with interested applicants please contact Pam Rigney at jvolambulance@gmail.com or 289-4501.
- ◆ We are a dedicated group of members who have one goal and that is Caring, Professional Emergency Medical Response to individuals in need of medical care.

We are housed in the Kendrick Fire Hall and our Ambulance was acquired through a grant written by members of the Ambulance service with very little match cost to the group, as well as the Rescue truck which is used for accidents and first responses. All extrication equipment was acquired through a grant. We partner with the Fire departments from Kendrick and Juliaetta for extrication for all accidents and we respond for structure fires to assist one another. Hand in hand we help each other out. If you are interested in joining the Ambulance to assist us in serving your Community, please contact President Pam Rigney at jvolambulance@gmail.com. We also offer CPR and First Aid classes.

Save the Date: April 8th Sausage Feed and Auction Please come out and support us. It is an asset to our community to be able to continue to have an EMS Unit in our service area which runs in three counties: Latah, Clearwater and Nez Perce counties.

This is the year of our bi-annual Sausage Feed and Auction and we are supported by the Sausage Feed and Auction donations. It will be held at the Kendrick High School Gymnasium with dinner starting at 4:00 pm and the annual auction will start at 7:00 pm. If you have any silent auction donations please contact Pam Rigney or Lori Roberts at jvolambulance@gmail.com. Live Auction Items please contact Kim Cannon or James Truitt at jvolambulance@gmail.com. Pie donations please contact Tina Carlstrom at jvolambulance@gmail.com. We appreciate any support you can give our unit either by monetary donation or item donations for our auction. We will be out and about raffling off a whole pig cut and wrapped. Tickets are \$5.00 each or 6 for \$20.00. There will be one winner and it will be drawn on the night of the Sausage Feed and Auction on April 8th. Any additional questions please contact Pam Rigney at 289-4501.



*Sunday, April 23rd—1 to 4 pm
Kendrick Grange Hall*

*KJ Arts Committee invites you to join us to **celebrate the work of local artist Shirley Richey.***

We plan to share examples of recent committee projects and ask for your input about the kinds of projects we can do to bring the arts to our community. Refreshments will be served.



**Open House Reception
for
Lee & Beth Cannon
Saturday, March 25th—1 to 4pm
Kendrick Grange Building**

The Kendrick Grange and the JK Senior Meals will host an Open House reception to say “Good Bye” to Lee and Beth as they will be leaving our community and moving to Spokane in March. So come say good bye and wish them well for two outstanding citizens

KHS Fields Baseball Team

Kendrick High School is pleased to announce coaches for the 2017 baseball season. Head Coach Michael Boyer from Juliaetta and Assistant Coach Sam Frazier from Deary will lead the baseball team this season. So far, twenty players have signed up to join the team – six players from Deary and fourteen players from Kendrick.

The KHS baseball season includes fourteen games plus district play and there will be concessions at all home games.

This will be an exciting year with a team roster of several experienced high school seniors and partnership with Deary High School.

The first varsity baseball game is March 14th at the Juliaetta field starting at 4:00. The following four games are home games in the same location. Please check the Kendrick School District web page for the full game schedule.

There is no charge to watch home baseball games. Surrounded by the beauty of Juliaetta Park, having a children’s playground and concessions only steps away, makes each home game a family affair. Let’s play ball! -Michael Boyer



**Changing Seasons -
Changing Faces**

April will be a bittersweet month for me, as it is the last month I will be working at our library before retiring after more than 30 years of library service. While retiring can be a new adventure, I will surely miss my patrons, many who have become dear friends over the past seven years.

By now most of you have heard this news; however, to be sure everyone is aware of the upcoming changes at our library, I am also passing on the news here, through our Newsletter.

I know there will be questions and I would also like to answer a couple right away.

First, no, I do not know who will take my place; that will be up to the Latah County Library exploratory committee, and while I will have input as to the library’s needs, I do not have input as to who is hired. Regardless, whoever takes my place will have my FULL support and can count on me to be available if needed, including subbing and volunteering.

Second, yes, our annual Summer Reading Program and Bingo Night will continue and I will have everything in place for our new library manager.

I have been approached about a retirement/going away party. Although I appreciate the kindness immensely, I plan to stay active with the library; as a member of the Friends of the Library and the Community Library Project. Therefore, I am not “really” leaving and prefer to turn down the party offer and instead look forward to supporting the library and volunteering. I love our library and communities, and though I look forward to retirement, I’d miss all of you far too much to disappear to the Caribbean. Linda Weeks

Simple Joys Antiques & Gifts

609E. Main Street, Kendrick

Phone: 208-289-2614 ~ Email: simplejoys@tds.net

March through mid-April we will be open Tuesday through Saturday 10am to 5pm.

Starting mid-April we will be open Monday through Saturday 9am to 5pm for the busy gardening season.

“Like” us on Facebook for updates and specials.



The **Juliaetta Community Improvement Association** would like to ask for the community's support. We are currently trying to raise funds to upgrade our windows at our the Juliaetta Community Center.

We are dedicating all money raised from our annual **St. Patrick's Day Dinner** to this project. We would appreciate your patronage for this event. It is scheduled for **Saturday March 17th 2017 from 5:00pm to 9:00pm** at our Center located at 214 States Street in Juliaetta, Idaho. The cost is \$10.00 for adults and \$5.00 for 12 to 6 year olds and 5 and under free. The menu will be an authentic Irish corned beef and cabbage dinner with a delicious dessert. Music will also be provided for your entertainment. We hope to see you there. If you can't attend and would like to donate to this project please contact either Alice Henson 276-3381 or Kathy Groseclose 276-4791.

Also please remember us for all your party needs. We have a full kitchen and spacious up stairs area to accommodate almost any function. **Come to the dinner and check us out.** If anyone is interested in joining our organization we meet the first Thursday of each month at the Community Center at 7:00pm. We would appreciate any input you are willing to offer.

Community Organization Contact Guide Updated

The KJ7 Community Development Association is grateful to all those who provided information and support for our project of updating the KJ7 Organization Contact Guide. We are especially appreciative of the help given by students in the 21st Century Learning Center (JES After School Program), who worked to collate the document with the assistance of Lori Brocke and Dorothy Taylor. We also wish to thank Larry Haylett for printing the document.

The guide is a valuable resource for residents, as well as for the organizations that support our community and help to keep it strong.



Fire Department News

We have been busy during the winter months on fire behavior, pump operations and training new firefighters along with maintenance on our equipment. New to our departments are two Army surplus trucks received through the Department of Lands at no cost to us along with a 2500 gallon tank for the Kendrick Fire department. We will be working on getting these trucks ready for the upcoming fire season and for supplemental water for areas with water deficiencies in the towns and our impact zones.

In March we will be attending the Clearwater Fire Academy held in Orofino for continued training. Anyone interested in volunteering to help out is welcome to come by on the first and third Wednesday in Kendrick at the Fire Hall and the 2nd Wednesday at the Fire Hall in Juliaetta and the 4th Wednesday at the First Bank of Pizza.



If you see an emergency vehicle responding to a call, please give us the right of way as soon as it is safe for you to pull over.

Upcoming events:

Save the Date



Firefighter Breakfast March 26th from 7 am till 11 am at the Juliaetta Elementary School Cafeteria

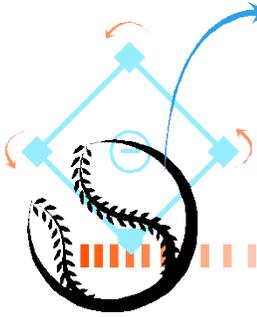
Come out and support your volunteer Fire departments and enjoy a delicious breakfast of Ham Scrambled Eggs, Pancakes Sausage, Orange Juice, Coffee and homemade syrup.

-Rose Norris

Southwick Community Center

Thank you to all that were able to attend the SCC Chili Feed & Dessert Contest 2017! It was great to see all those that were able to weather the road conditions and enjoy the Chili and most importantly the desserts! This year's winner was Priscilla Armitage whose name will be engraved on the community plaque. Doug Harris came in a very close second and Julie Cooper in third place. Please watch for our early spring yard sale at the center.

Play Ball!



The Juliaetta-Kendrick Baseball Association is hard at work preparing for another great season of youth baseball and fast-pitch softball. The Goal of the JK Baseball Association is to promote and support amateur baseball and softball in the communities of Juliaetta, Kendrick and the surrounding area

for the health and recreation of the youth living in the area.

Last year, over 100 Juliaetta and Kendrick children participated in these activities. The JK Baseball Association supported a Cal Ripken Majors and Minors team, Senior and Junior League softball teams, two pitch machine teams, and two T-ball teams. For the 2017 season, the Association will also have a Babe Ruth.

The JK Baseball Association also helps maintain the playing fields in our community. In coordination with the Kendrick School District, the Association made improvements to the baseball diamond at Juliaetta Elementary School. With more and more kids participating in youth baseball, this new playing field will allow for more games and practices.

There are many projects that have been done by the JK Baseball Association with the help of volunteers over the years. Keeping the fields maintained is an ongoing effort. Recent projects include having the dugouts painted, maintenance to the fence on Heimgartner Field including a new gate to in center-field, new Batter's Eye on both fields, a concession stand added to the end of the dugout on the Hitchcock field, so it's closer to the field. The Association would like to send a huge **Thank You** out to all the volunteers and coaches that have put their time in over the years. The success of the program would not continue without the support and donations from the community.

Special thanks to sponsorships from area businesses, the JK Baseball Association can keep out-of-pocket costs for our players to a minimum. In previous years, we have received generous donations from, the Juliaetta Market, Colter's Creek Winery, Brocke's, Taylor Gravel, Peggy Jones Windermere Realty, Phil's Family Foods, Wholesale Radiators Warehouse, and Wayne Agee Appraisals. Next time you're at a game, please take a glance at the signs in centerfield which represent our other business sponsors. If you would like to become a sponsor, please contact the JK Baseball Association at jkbassn@gmail.com or 208.791.2218. -Michael Boyer

Thank You From the J/K Good Samaritan Food Bank

It was a busy time around the food bank in November and December. We were busy with our normal schedule plus we prepared over 100 holiday baskets. We want to thank all of you that contributed by your donations of turkeys and cash that made it all possible.

We also had our Palouse Cares Food Drive in December and we thank everyone who donated to that food drive. We also want to thank Palouse Cares as they donated \$1500 to the food bank.

In talking to one of our volunteers recently they commented that they never realized everything it took to run a food bank. When one thinks of a food bank they think of handing out food but there is so much more to be done. All the food that is donated has to be sorted piece by piece checking expiration dates, categorizing each item and putting things in the right place on the storage shelves. Every week the shelves from which we serve the clients have to be stocked and inventory taken as to what food is needed. We get food from the Idaho Food Bank and that has to be ordered and picked up which is done almost every week. Just like you we have to take time to go to the grocery store a couple times a month but because of the quantity we cannot just get things off the shelves but have to go into the store and make special orders and then there is the return trip to the store to pick up those orders and putting all that food away.

And like with any business there is the endless paper work filling out monthly reports, applying for grants and doing reports for those grants we receive, and making up a weekly food list so the clients know what is available. Records have to be kept as to who comes and how often they come.

The only way all this can be done is with people volunteering their time. We are so thankful for the great crew of volunteers we have, but at the same time we are operating with the lowest number of volunteers that we have had in the last 15 years. If you would be interested in volunteering even just a couple hours a month on a Friday afternoon from 1-3 when we are open it would be a big help. If interested just give me a call at 276-4510 or Loeda Reil at 289-3001.

Pastor Larry Haylett

Youth Gardening Grants Available

The Hill and Valley Garden Club is excited to announce a grant program offering awards of up to \$100.00 in support of gardening and plant-related educational projects for local youth. The funds for this program were generated through the Soup, Bread, and Pie Sale held in conjunction with our club's annual Evergreen Sale. The total amount to be awarded is \$400.00.

The application will be available from March 1st at the offices of the elementary and junior/senior high schools. Proposals must be submitted by April 1st, and awards will be distributed by April 15th. Proposed activities should involve youths from Pre-K (3-5 years) to Senior (18years). Questions regarding the program or the application process should be directed to Youth Gardening Chairperson Polly Taylor Dennler at taylor dennler@tds.net or 276-4302.

7 Ridges Shootout Youth Basketball Tournament



- >March 10 4-9pm
- >March 11 8am-9pm
- >\$2.00 admission
- >Concessions and lunch
- >Raffle items
- >T-shirts

Games will be played at both the Juliaetta Elementary School and Kendrick High School gyms throughout the day. **Proceeds to benefit the Kendrick High School Varsity Baseball Team and Kendrick/Juliaetta youth basketball teams.** For more information please contact Michael Boyer



Kendrick Boosters Online Store

Our new online store for Tiger merchandise is now open!! It will be open in 2 week cycles. We are continuing to add to the options available. The link to the store is <https://stores.inksoft.com/kendrickboosters>. If there is something you would like to see in the store that is not available, please contact us and we will see what we can do about having it added.

With the school year winding down and some of our officers having students who are graduating, we will be in need of new officers for the 2017- 2018 school year. If this is something you would be interested in please let us know! Go Tigers!!

KJ7 Education Foundation Update

The KJ7 Education Foundation is pleased and proud to report on progress made and grants awarded through our popular and successful educational enrichment programs.

Teaching Resources Grants Three grant proposals were approved for 2017:

Eric McDowell and Dan Smith Project: "Construction of an Augmented Reality Sandbox" **Description:** This advanced equipment will serve as a teaching tool for science classes at KHS.

Angie Tweit, Jennifer Ingalls, and Jessica Clemenhagen Project: "Our History Project" **Description:** This project provides opportunities for students to learn about local history, and empowers them to conduct online research into their personal histories. It also creates opportunities for high school students to mentor elementary school students.

Suzanne Brammer Project: "Spheros" **Description:** This project provides students with a structured activity through which to learn about computer coding. Spheros are learning tools that help students to begin understanding how commands are coded and ultimately translated into movement and action.

Discovery Grants Seven Discovery Grants were funded for the Spring Semester, and awarded to the following students:

Kindergarten: Koehn Schwecke – Archeology/Gem Kit

1st Grade: Jayden Brammer – Chemical Reactions

2nd Grade: Zakery Hoiland – Windmill Project

4th Grade: Michael Brown – How Water Can Generate Electricity

4th Grade: Sawyer Hewett – What Makes Hand Warmers Heat Up When Shaken?

5th Grade: Taylor Boyer – Magnetic Slime

Senior: Dylon Sneve – Over 40 Fitness (Senior Class Project)

Exploring Social Media The Foundation Board is working with Media Consultant Josh King to develop social media strategies that will effectively utilize platforms such as Facebook and Instagram to communicate with community members, and provide information about valuable educational opportunities. We are also developing a Social Media Policy to provide guidelines for managing our social media presence.

Day of Giving Please mark the date of May 4th, the **Annual Day of Giving for the State of Idaho... The KJ7 Education Foundation will be participating again this year!** A donation to the Foundation is an investment in the KJ7 community, and it will pay dividends in the form of well-educated young people and energized educators. Here is what you can do to help make this Day of Giving a big success:

1. Mark May 4th on your calendar, and visit our site at <https://www.idahogives.org/organizations/kendrick-juliaetta-7-ridges-education-foundation>
2. Follow us on Facebook and help build the buzz about Kendrick Juliaetta 7 Ridges Education Foundation!
3. Spread the word... Share information with family and friends, with a personal note about why you believe in our work, and how they can help by giving on May 4th.



Superintendent's Report

Once again, it is time to support our important, annual levy. On March 14, 2017, please go to your local polling station and cast your vote in support of our children's education. The levy provides about one-third of the core funding for our school district. Without these resources, we would be forced to cut programs and staff, and defer critical maintenance projects.

Rural schools throughout Idaho maintain their educational programs and facilities by passing local levies. Here in Kendrick Jt. School District, we include our programs and facilities in our strategic planning and draw funds for these projects at levy time. Our constituents have supported us because we are very careful with these resources and use them to the best advantage. For example, during the past four years, we have systematically installed split-duct heating and cooling systems and solar panels at Kendrick Jr/Sr. High School and split-duct heating and cooling systems at Juliaetta Elementary School. Because these units are more efficient than oil-burning-furnaces, we have significantly reduced our heating costs year-over-year.

At Kendrick Jr/Sr. High School we have replaced interior classroom doors and door handles for safety and replaced classroom windows in three classrooms. We have seal-coated the parking lots at both schools preserving them for future use, and replaced antiquated kitchen lighting with LED lighting. We have maintained the roofs at both schools by applying WDG Silicone materials, installed a vacuum system and added a greenhouse at our agriculture-science building. Our facilities are more than 50 years old, but you wouldn't know that when you walk through and inspect them, because we maintain them so well. We remodel and upgrade instead of replace. We have also adopted a new language arts curriculum at Juliaetta Elementary School, which does a better job engaging our students in their learning. As a result, we serve our students well and manage within the resources provided to us. THANK YOU.

Our mission is *"preparing today's children for the challenges of tomorrow."* Simply put, we are preparing our children for the rigors of the digital age in a global economy. A quality education levels the playing field for the children we serve. I am proud of the well-rounded, education our highly qualified staff provide for all of our children. Every employee knows the important nature of our mission and is dedicated to serving our students. Our staff does a wonderful job and one that is worthy of your continued support. **This is our levy renewal message:**

- The Idaho State Legislature does not fully fund our district's basic educational programs
- The requested amount for next year is same as it was for this year – NO INCREASE
- We continue to need the supplemental levy to help pay for about a third of our core program
- The levy will not add any additional or unnecessary programs or materials
- We are asking our electorate to help us maintain the quality programs we have put in place
- An investment in our children's quality education is an investment in a better future
- Juliaetta Elementary and Kendrick Junior/Senior High are among the best schools in Idaho

Our School Board has done a great job keeping the levy rate level from year to year. We want you to know that the levy is crucial to maintaining the quality of our children's education. Education is not funded adequately at the state level. So, the local supplemental levy provides essential resources needed to keep our schools operating. Please protect our future and help Kendrick Joint School District #283 accomplish its mission of *"preparing today's children for the challenges of tomorrow."* Please join with us and vote to support our children on **Tuesday, March 14, 2017.** -

Dr. Lindsay Park



Kindergarten

REGISTRATION

and

CHILD FIND SCREENING

Thursday, March 9th

**Juliaetta Elementary
School**

Please call 276-3422 to schedule
your appointment time.

Kindergarten Registration for 2017-2018 school year: Parents must bring their child's Birth Certificate and Immunization Record to be able to register.

Child Find Screening: Includes important screening for fine/gross motor skills, hearing, speech and vision for infants through age 5 to determine the need for special services.

The Kendrick School District is conducting a survey to assess the need for a 3 & 4 year-old preschool program in the Juliaetta-Kendrick community. We are encouraging all patrons to complete a quick online survey. The survey address is:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/VMG2G7P>
or you can simply answer the following questions and drop them off at Juliaetta Elementary School 305 4th St. Juliaetta, Idaho 83535.

1. Do you feel there is a need for preschool in our community?
2. If there were a preschool program would you use it?
3. Are you willing to pay a fee for preschool?
4. How many days per week? Hours per day?

We appreciate your time and input. The survey has been added to the Juliaetta Elementary School homepage. www.dist283.org.

Missoula Children's Theatre at JES!

The Missoula Children's Theatre was at Juliaetta Elementary last week! Auditions for the production of Gulliver's Travels were held on Monday and the students were bubbling with excitement about being a part of this wonderful experience. There were about 45 students in grades 2-6 involved in the production, and they practiced every day after school with the MCT actors. They had an afternoon dress rehearsal and a nighttime performance on Friday, February 10th. The teachers and parents of our community would like to thank our JES PTO for bringing this wonderful experience to JES.

Here are a few comments from some of the students in



the musical:

Gulliver's Travels is a cool space play! These are some of the characters: a giant queen and king, also a giant princess and a giant wasp...which was me! I just like doing plays, they are =fun and it felt good doing the play. I loved it and I hope you did too! **By Andrea Bernstein-Rex**

This year I'm in Gulliver's Travels. I'm really excited to be in it because I'm a Robot. I can hardly wait to perform in front of the school and tonight. **By Callie Warner**

My favorite part of the play was that in Gulliver's Travels the princess gave Gulliver a giant toothbrush. In the play I was a giant King and I remembered my lines! In real life...pretty soon I will lose three loose teeth! **By Danika Koopman**

Fourth Grade News

These are the things I like to do at school: Coding.com on the computers, reading books, and doing plays. In fact there was a play on Friday February 10th, and I was in it! I played a Robot and the play was called...Gulliver's Travels in Space. I like the coding.com you can do an hour of coding which I do prefer! You can make Minecraft Mods! I made an Ender Chicken! I like reading. Reading is good for your mind...plus you can get AR points! **By Dalton Cope**

We got new laptop computers called Chromebooks. Mrs. Quigley wrote a grant and the second and fourth grade have these computers that we can learn new things on like coding. Coding is where you have to pick a game and if it was Minecraft you would click and drag words and say move forward or destroy block, and when you press run, it does the thing that you programmed it to do. In reading we are reading, *Shiloh*. It is a story about a boy and a dog that he names Shiloh. It is a great book. Last week the Missoula Children's Theatre people came and we did a play called Gulliver's Travels. It was about a boy named Gulliver and he wrecked his ship and travels to places in a teleporter and meets new friends. **By Hayden Kimberling**

I have been in 4th grade for about 130 days. We are on lesson 82 in math and today is Valentine's Day. So far 4th grade is fun and hard. We are in the middle of the book *Shiloh*. It is about a kid that finds a dog out in the woods and finds out that the dog is Judd Travers's dog. Judd is mean, so the kid ends up keeping the dog and feeding him his food. Last week some of the kids in our class were in a play. What really surprised me was that Brian in my class was Gulliver – the main character! My sister was a giant in the play. I like school and every part about it! **By Michael Lovejoy**

Third Grade News

Third grade students have spent the winter observing birds out the classroom window. Of course, we have also been busy learning and improving our skills in reading, writing, math, and science also!

Two, third grade students received a grant from the KJ7 Education Foundation to feed and observe birds outside our classroom window. We have been feeding them black oil sunflower seeds, thistle seed, and yummy peanut butter suit cakes. The trees and blackberry bushes outside our window makes the perfect habitat for winter birds. At times we are observing over 30 birds at a time. We have identified many different types including: white crowned sparrows, chipping sparrows, Oregon juncos, house wrens, towhees, doves, cassins finch, song sparrow, flickers, and a few quail. The class gets very excited when a new bird shows up at our feeding station. Bird books, lent to us, have been very helpful in identifying our feathered friends.



Business Professionals of America State Leadership Conference

By Harley Cope

As the first semester of the 2016-17 school year came to a close, members of Kendrick High School's Business Professionals of America chapter kicked into gear for the annual Regional Leadership Conference at Lewis-Clark State College. At the regional conference, members of Business Professionals of America (BPA) compete in a variety of events ranging anywhere from accounting and personal finance, to computer programming concepts. This year, the Kendrick chapter produced twenty-two promising participants who competed in all types of events. The chapter received great results, showing that ten members qualified for the state leadership conference in Boise, Idaho (five of which are returning competitors from last year).

Qualifying members are as follows: Harley Cope - Economic Research Individual/Legal Office Procedures/Parliamentary Procedures. Dylon Sneve - Administrative Support Concepts. Wyatt Hardin - Video Production Team. Cody Taylor - Video Production Team. Mason Hewett - Video Production Team. Peter Town - Human Resource Management/Management, Marketing and Human Resources. Jaiden Anderson - Management, Marketing, and Human Resources. Elizabeth Cope - Global Marketing Team. Mina Sandino - Global Marketing Team. Elizabeth Olsen - Global Marketing Team.

With half of the state participants being freshman, many of them are looking forward to this experience. "I've obviously never gone, so I'm really excited. Everyone always talks about how much fun it is and how many new people you meet, so it'll be really cool to finally be able to experience it myself. . ." freshman Jaiden Anderson says. As a senior who has qualified for state four times and nationals once, I can honestly say that BPA has been one of the most fun experiences of high school. Not only do you grow as a leader and speaker, but you meet people from all over the country, experience new culture, and make memories that last a lifetime.

Inner Workings of KHS Office

By Mina Sandino

The Kendrick Jr./Sr. High school has been around since 1959 and has taught hundreds of students over time. Today it is the source of education for only 98 students, but one of the perks of a small school is that everyone knows and is close with each other. Out of the 98, 69 students are in grades 9-12 while the other 29 are in junior high (grades 7-8). Kendrick high school has 11 teachers that run a variety of classes, but most of the action that happens at KHS happens in the office. Run by principal Steve Kirkland and office manager Amy Koopman, the Kendrick high school office is where much of the important work is done. What happens in the office exactly? Well you are about to find out.

The KHS office opens when Mrs. Koopman arrives for work. Mrs. Koopman oversees the daily office operations and maintains the daily/monthly reports. She also is tasked with the ASB bookkeeping, ordering supplies, and taking care a new student enrollment. Mrs. Koopman began her job as KHS Office Manager back in September of 2015. "I was very excited and nervous when I started working here," she says. "It was the first time I've rejoined the workforce after taking my absence to raise my three kids." Even though it was her first job in a public institution for schooling, all the students love her, and she loves them. She enjoys interacting with the students and their parents when they come in to keep up on school fees.

The KHS office usually opens up at 7:30 a.m. each morning and closes at about 4 p.m., but during that time, Mrs. Koopman goes through her daily routine. The routine begins with setting up the bulletin for the day. The bulletin is the schedule for that week's lunches and activities, and is read every morning to each class by student body president Peter Towne over the intercom system. After that, all the teachers send in the attendance for each class. She checks each one over and makes sure that if a student comes in late, that they get to their class. At lunch, she keeps track of who gets what and then prepares the bills for each individual student for the parents. If there was a sporting event the night before, she would also count the profits from that.

Sometimes things get a little busy. "Sometimes I feel as if I'm in a juggling act," she says. She has many jobs aside from the daily routine, she has to answer the phones, make copies for teachers, and help parents and students who come in. She says that one of the most challenging parts about running the office is maintaining balance between office duties and the interruptions that occur. But even when things get hectic, she pulls through and keeps a cheery smile on her face. "I love working here, I feel that it is very rewarding." She truly loves working at KHS because she loves the students (most of them have become friends with her). The office is where most of the action at KHS happens, and we're glad that we have someone like Mrs. Amy Koopman to help run it.

Helping Junior High Band

By Shelley Strickler

Two seniors, Shelley Grace and Alison Renee', have been in band their entire high school career, with the exception of this year. There was an issue with scheduling and they were left out of band for the entirety of the first semester of school. By the time, second semester came around, they were ready to be back in band no matter the price. They decided to join Jr. High band because it's the only way their schedule could fit around it. The two figured it'd be beneficial for the Jr. High students and for Mrs. Gertje, the band teacher.

Upon enrolling in Jr. High band, they've helped the students with their music and counting and helped Mrs. Gertje keep them in check. Mrs. Gertje, of course, is very fond of the two, as they are very dedicated to music, so she was more than happy to take them however she could get them. Shelley and Alison were very glad to be back in band.

The Jr. High Band is preparing for their music festival that's coming up. It's something that Mrs. Gertje has taken her bands to for years. They play a couple songs, get critiqued and sight-read a piece of music. A sight-read is basically a simple read-through of something you've never done before. The instructor picks a song that the band's never played before and then they play it as well as they can all the way through and get judged.

Usually, it takes a couple weeks to hear back from the judges to see how well they did, but Mrs. Gertje always does a fantastic job with her bands so they usually get high scores. With Shelley and Alison in the ensemble now, they're bound to get even better. Some kids just play their instruments better when they listen to a song by ear so when Shelley and Alison play the correct notes and rhythms, the students will hear how it's supposed to sound. They will strive to play it until they get it right.

The two seniors have expressed how much they adore band and Mrs. Gertje many times. It was surely not a surprise that they found some way into band. They are a pair of determined, focused students, though one is never without the other. They get along well with the students in Jr. High band and they love helping them with their notes and counting. They hope to accomplish careers in music.

The duo will be praised at the Cabaret at the end of the year where Mrs. Gertje always treats her senior students with flowers and a hug. It'll be a bittersweet goodbye but everyone will remember it fondly.

The next school concert the band will play in is the Spring concert which will be on the 21st of March. Cabaret will be on the 23rd of May.

Kendrick Boys Basketball

By Ellie Cope

With eight returning seniors and a full varsity roster of fourteen, the Kendrick High School boys basketball team is a force to be reckoned with. With an overall record of 15-5, four of the losses were to larger schools. Though some schools from higher districts were able to stop the Tigers, they still had an almost perfect record of 9-1 in their league. The one league loss was a home game against the neighboring Deary Mustangs. "Deary just came out ready to play. We dug ourselves into a hole in the first half, and tried to climb out and came pretty close. In the end, they just made more shots than we did." says head coach Morgan LeBlanc. When asked how the team was going to prepare for the Mustangs in districts, LeBlanc says, "I don't think we really need to do anything different, other than handle the ball better. I thought we got some good shots, they just didn't go down and Deary's did. You know we still held Deary to forty-six points and they shot the ball pretty well so I'm happy with our defensive efforts."

Although the boys suffered a hard loss to their neighboring rivals, they still have plenty to look forward to in the district tournament. A strong team overall, LeBlanc says, "Our team's pretty athletic. You know, we're fast and strong and tall, so I think our athleticism is probably one of the biggest advantages we have." The ultimate goal for their season is amenable: win a state title. Playing in a state championship is no stranger to these players or these coaches, considering they battled the Salmon River Savages in the fall for the 1A DII state title in football.

Coach LeBlanc says that the team hasn't had any major setbacks yet, given that everybody is healthy and that there have only been five losses, four of them to bigger schools. When asked what they need to improve on the most, LeBlanc answers, "Probably taking care of the ball better. Sometimes we struggle with turnovers, and we're a little careless with the ball."

The Tiger's first game will be held on Monday, February 20th at 8:00 p.m. in the LCSC Activity Center. The easiest road to state for the boys is two district wins (including the district championship). With all players ready to fight to win, we wish the Kendrick Boys Basketball team the best of luck in their district tournament and hope to see them return with another district championship win.

A Look Back to the Past



This picture came to us from Steven Shook. It is the first school erected on the "School House Hill" which is now 9th Street. It was located on the bluff above the current highway at the site of the Ron Morgan home. It served the students of the community from 1900-1912. It started small with additions being added until it was large enough for all the students.

Students in the first and second grade attended a school at the current site of the Hillbilly Tavern in Kendrick. Fifth and sixth grade students were instructed in a building at the west end of town. By 1904 there were 220 students enrolled in this school.

It is interesting that the commencement exercises were held in a newly constructed warehouse in 1905 for the eight girls and two boys who graduated.

The new school was constructed with bricks in 1912 and this school was converted to a gymnasium. Students used to cross the parking lot to attend music classes in a portion of this building in the 1950's.

Through each of Kendrick's fires, the School House Hill remained unscathed, and thus the perfect place for a school.

-Sharon Harris

History Club



*Back Row: Hunter Taylor, Nathan Tweit, Harley Heimgartner, Hailey Taylor, Taylor Boyer
Middle: Leyton Brown-Sherrill, Ralli Roetcis-oender, Cade Silflow, Mercedes Heimgartner, Jamie Roberts
Front: Emilea Dodge
Not Pictured: Danika Koopman, Tanner & Lane Clemenhagen, Savannah Feldman*

This group of young people has launched the community's first History Club. They meet twice a month after school to pursue learning about the history that formed this area. The Club was launched on January 9th at their organizational meeting. Since that time they have toured the Nez Perce Museum at Spaulding. Along with exploring Kendrick and Juliaetta's history they will be researching their family history through Ancestry.com.

The Club is under the direction of Angie Tweit, Jessica Clemenhagen, Gavin Burke, Jennifer Ingalls, and Sharon Harris. It is supported by J-K Heritage Foundation. Any contributions to support the club are tax deductible and may be given to JKHF and designated to the History Club.

The club has purchased T shirts which feature them in historical clothing. They are looking forward to the adventure of discovering the past. -Angie Tweit

Friends of the Juliaetta Community Library

The Friends of the Juliaetta Community Library (FOL) met last fall and made some structural changes to our group. The main changes include: Only one regular business meeting/community social each year, other business will be done via emails and phone as needed; A facilitator and a treasurer will be elected each year at the regular business meeting.

FOL focuses on providing help with the needs and services of our current library. Some of these include volunteering with the Summer Reading, library improvement projects, monitoring our Little Free Libraries, family and community events, and book sales. In addition, the FOL has partnered with the Community Library Project (CLP) to achieve the goal of a new library.

If you would like to be a FOL (volunteer to help our library in some way) please contact our FOL Facilitator, Dana Kelly at lotikelly@gmail.com or 208-650-0580, or contact our Librarian, Linda, at 208-276-7071 or juliaetta@latahlibrary.org.

Look for an announcement soon regarding this year's FOL Business meeting/Community social.

-Dana Kelly



A Heart for Service

Billy Candler has a desire to help others. As a volunteer fireman, he responded after midnight to a house fire at Farrington Drive when the Chapman family lost their home and all of their possessions. The

irony of the situation is that he was at home watching the movie "Burn." When his beeper went off, he thought it was part of the movie. Soon he realized it was for real and hit the floor running.

As a fireman, this was his first structure fire. He learned a lot and is grateful to Mike McGee and Rose & Val Norris for mentoring him.

The rescue truck is dispatched to automobile accidents and he has been a part of that rescue several times.

While he is still in training, he knows he is providing valuable service to his community. -Sharon Harris

Lions Club



Charter Member George Brocke gave a presentation in January about the well-attended program honoring the 1947 State Champion Kendrick Basketball team at a recent High School basketball game. Three members of the team as well as the coach, Ross Armitage, were charter members of the Lions Club. He also shared a picture of a Kendrick AAU basketball team that contained three charter members of the Lion Club: Allen Medallen, George Brocke, and Dee Miller. The team was sponsored by the Lions Club.

Darrell Brocke chaired a blood drive was held in February to help save lives. Darrell was honored at a February meeting for being a 50 year member of the club.

The club will sponsor a Membership Night March 22nd. Younger members are needed to perpetuate the important work of the club.

Plans are moving forward for the next annual Locust Blossom Festival. The club has chosen the theme "The American Spirit." -Sharon Harris



Soldier Stories from Foreign Wars

Everett L. Farrington

When young Everett Farrington received word he was about to be drafted, he quickly enlisted in the Marine Corp to serve his company. He had no idea what was in store for him. He figured he would be issued a rifle and sent into battle. Instead he was welcomed to boot camp and issued a blanket (which was insufficient to keep out the cold)



and boots that were too large. The issuing officer said that when his feet swelled from marching, they would fit fine.

He was first deployed to Melbourne, Australia. He remembers driving a truck into town to a bakery there to obtain bread for the troops. It was thrown into the back of the truck in loaves....no sanitary packaging.

When he arrived on the beaches in Peleliu, he noticed that many lives were being lost unnecessarily because troops had to bail out over the top of the amphibian units. They were easy targets for the Japs. Everett was responsible for inventing the Amph Trac into a moving medical station to aid in transporting and treating casualties. It saved many lives.

While he was in Okinawa in April, 1945, he hauled supplies to the front in the Battle for Shayari Castle. The bank was bombed out there and there was Japanese money everywhere. Everett grabbed several bags of it and traded it to the sailors for steak and potatoes. His unit ate lots of corned beef, even with maggots in it. He was sent to the medic for a dose of "med-icinal" alcohol, which was supposed to take care of the problem.

When they were evacuated, they had to be picked up by small boats and transported to the waiting ship which was several miles out at sea. Their boat had been hit and ripped open. The men stuffed all of their jackets into the hole and headed out to sea. The boat was becoming less and less seaworthy as it took on tremendous amounts of water. Everett couldn't swim and was mighty glad to see the hook of the ship descend to haul them aboard.

Everett was discharged in November, 1945 with many medals and citations. He married Freda Peters in February of 1946 and settled down to raise a family and operated his logging company. The couple has three daughters, Kathy, Barbara, and Betty. -Sharon Harris

Pastor's Corner

THE FIRST WORD IS “FORGIVENESS”

We find ourselves on a Lenten journey toward the despair of the cross of Good Friday and the joyful hope revealed in the empty tomb of Easter morning.

At the center of such hopefulness lies the tortured, crucified, abandoned, and resurrected body of our Lord Jesus Christ. “Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit.” [John 20:24 NRSV] The key to life, to abundant life, to life eternal, begins with death; specifically Jesus’ death on the cross. There can be no Easter without a Good Friday.

In his book, *Thank God It's Friday: Encountering the Seven Last Words from the Cross*, William H. Willimon notes that the first word from the cross is forgiveness: “Then Jesus said, ‘Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing.’” [Luke 23:34 NRSV] Forgiveness is where God begins. Willimon writes – “There will be no new world, no order out of chaos, no life from death, no new liaison between us and God without forgiveness first. Forgiveness is the first step, the bridge toward us that only God can build. The first word into our darkness is, ‘Father, forgive.’... Forgiveness is what it costs God to be with people like us.”

Rev. Willimon observes that throughout Jesus’ ministry, Jesus would say to those whom he met, “Your sins are forgiven;” very few however asked Jesus to forgive them. He also notes that “if God is going to wait until we know the wrong that we do, God will wait forever.”

No one sought forgiveness at Calvary. Instead, Jesus was first to say, “Father, forgive them.” Fortunately for us, God is proactive in our relationship. Willimon uses the term “preemptive forgiveness” to describe Jesus’ first words from the cross. Might we also call it “amazing grace?”

Pastor Craig Groseclose, Cameron Emmanuel Lutheran Church

SPRING AT CAMERON EMMANUEL

Craig Groseclose

The unusual heavy winter has had an impact on the scheduled calendar of events the past few months. With the coming of spring comes a renewed hope for the return to “normal.”

March 1st is Ash Wednesday, marking the beginning of the season of Lent. A special worship service, which includes the imposition of ashes, will be held that evening beginning at 7 PM. There will be a series of worship services held at 7 PM on Wednesday evenings during the Lenten season (3/8, 3/15, 3/22, 3/29, and 4/5). There are also special worship services planned for Palm Sunday (4/9), Maundy Thursday (4/13) and Good Friday (4/14). Easter Sunday (4/16) will be celebrated with the worship service beginning at 7 AM followed by the annual Easter breakfast; a long-standing tradition here at Cameron Emmanuel.

A six-part weekly study series entitled *Down & Out: Where Grace Takes You* will be held on Wednesday evenings at 6 PM and Thursday afternoons at 2 PM beginning March 8th and 9th.

The women's group (WELCA) will once again be collecting items for personal care kits throughout the Lenten season. The kits are part of *Project Promise*, a project of *Lutheran World Relief*. *Project Promise* is part of a worldwide distribution effort to aid those dealing with some of life's most difficult situations –the aftermath of natural disasters, fleeing home to escape violence and living in extreme poverty. If you would like to help, please contact the church for a list of items included in each kit.

You are cordially invited to join us for worship at 11 AM Sunday mornings. Sunday school for all ages begins at 9:30 AM each week. Choir practice is held at 7:30 PM on Wednesday evenings. Once again, a friendly reminder that the Holy Week worship schedule includes Maundy Thursday at 7 PM, Good Friday at 7 PM and Easter Sunday at 7 AM with breakfast following worship that morning.

Here's hoping that spring is soon upon us and the snow and ice are a distant memory!



CHURCHES COME TOGETHER FOR SUNRISE SERVICE

The Kendrick Assembly of God, Juliaetta Church of the Nazarene and Juliaetta Community Church will be joining together for an Easter Sunrise Service April 16th at Juliaetta Centennial Park. The service will be at 6:30 followed by a free breakfast at 7:00 at Juliaetta Community Church.

Kendrick Museum

This ugly old downspout caused a lot of trouble during the cold snap last month. It froze solid with ice and caused flooding to three floors in the building. The damage would have been much worse if not for the energetic shoveling of the Boys Basketball Team in cleaning off the 2½ feet of snow.



Leakage found its way into three floors. The first rupture occurred in the ceiling of the museum. Fortunately it occurred in an area of open space and did not cause damage to any exhibits. There will need to be sheet rock repair when we are sure there is no more danger of flooding.

Members of JKHF are saddened to see Lee Cannon leave the community. He has donated labor and been the driving force to rewire and upgrade the electrical service in the museum area. -Sharon Harris

A Sweetheart of a Breakfast

The Grange has two fundraisers a year. The February breakfast and the fall pork feed. These two projects help fund the ongoing maintenance of the building and new restoration projects. One of the front windows cracked during the cold snap and there are repairs to perform from the roof leaking.

The Sweetheart breakfast was offered on February 11th. It was complete with ham, egg omelet, tater tot casserole, fruit, pancakes, and all the trimmings. Thank you one and all for supporting the breakfast and this project. There was also a table offering cookies and homemade candies as well as fresh bouquets for Valentines Day.



Damage at the Garden Club

During the extended cold front that hung here in the valley, the downspout that drains the roof to the Fraternal Temple froze solid. We had a couple of melting days which turned the roof into a pool of water. That water found its way down to breach through three floors in the building with the Hill & Valley Garden Club area getting hit the hardest.



Carpets were soaked and ruined and had to be removed. The cellutex walls were saturated and had to be taken down to the original boards. Likewise several walls had to be stripped and inspected. The clubhouse is now in the "drying" stage and a committee is putting together a plan of action for renovation.

The mezzanine level, which is fondly referred to as the "club house," goes into production each year after Thanksgiving to prepare for the annual Evergreen Sale. A work crew is making progress with the help of three husbands: Scott McCutcheon, Dean Weyen, and Doug Harris.

Garden Club members are saddened that a key member, Beth Cannon, will be leaving us to move to Spokane. She was honored at their potluck meeting in February. She has been a hardworking, vital member and we will miss her. -Sharon Harris

Spring Clean Up at Juliaetta Cemetery

Saturday, April 22nd, 9am to 4pm

You are invited to join us! Wear your yard work clothes and shoes, bring your sunblock.

Some tools will be available, but you are encouraged to bring your rakes, shovels, tarps, wheelbarrows, gloves and other items

Please mark all your tools with your name
And mark your calendar

For more information, please contact
Justin Cope (208) 276-7174

70th Anniversary Honors



*Pictured:
Alan Medalen, Frank Dammarell, George Brocke and
Nellie (Fry) Millard.*

The 1947 Kendrick High School Varsity State Basketball Champions were honored on their 70th Anniversary with a full house at the KHS gym Jan. 5th. Moderator Tim Silflow introduced three original players: Frank Dammarell, George Brocke and Allen Medalen. Harold Halseth, who lives in Tacoma, was unable to travel. Nellie Millard was also honored as one of the cheerleaders for that year. The 2016-17 KHS Boys Basketball Teams presented a 1947 State Championship banner to the state players and it will be hung in the gym.

Frank Dammarell was credited with being the player who “really put Kendrick over the top to win the title”. Herb Miller and George Brocke were named to the all-star team in 1947. Coach Ross Armitage was a very successful coach during his time at KHS and was inducted into the Idaho Athletic Hall of Fame in 1995.

Those representing their 1947 family basketball player were: Chuck and Chad Easterbrook for Ray Easterbrook; Ron Jones and Wyatt Hardin for Harold Halseth; Dorothy Medalen for Boyd Thornton; Darrell Brocke for Eugene Brocke; Cody Taylor, Kenny, Danny, Jenny Brown and Mary Lou Taylor for Kenny Brown; Jon Miller for Dee Miller; Brendan and Nellie Millard for Herb Millard; TJ, Max and Chad Armitage for Coach Armitage; and Willy Kuykendall representing himself and his brother as the managers.

-Kathy Jones

Meet Your Neighbor

By Kathy Jones

If you look in the dictionary under “hometown boy”, you would find a picture of Frank Groseclose. Frank has been in Juliaetta all his life. “I don’t know anything I don’t like about Juliaetta. I can’t think of a better place to be.”

Frank was born at home, the sixth of eight children, in a house located between Kendrick and Juliaetta. His father was a truck farmer, and Frank spent many hours tending to the gardens and helping his father go from town to town and door to door selling produce.

Frank went to school his full twelve years in the Kendrick School District, graduating from Kendrick High School in 1972. He was an athlete playing football, basketball, baseball and track. Frank and Elaine Pery met at the annual FFA “Plow Boys Ball” while in high school and were married after she graduated in 1973.

Starting to work immediately after high school, Frank held several jobs in the J-K area: Browning Cut Stock, Gem State Lumber, Ridge Construction and seventeen years at Brocke & Sons. His next employer was the City of Juliaetta where Frank has worked as Public Works Director for 25 years. March 31st is Frank’s last day for the city as he celebrates retirement April 1st. Josh Luscombe and Justin Cope will take Frank’s position when he leaves.

As one of only two Certified Water Operators in Juliaetta, the responsibility of making sure the water for Juliaetta meets all quality levels required for clean drinking water, and checking the equipment and chlorine every 4 hours, 7 days a week, has weighed heavily on his shoulders. He wants community members to depend on their water system. He is on call every other weekend with retiree Bill Fey as the second certified person taking the other week-end shift.

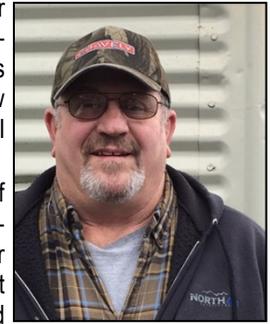
Frank’s certification in water & sewer treatment, distribution and collection has been a great asset because the Idaho Division of Environmental Quality and EPA guidelines continue to add more influences in water/sewer treatment procedures. Other responsibilities Frank holds for the city include dog catcher, street sweeper, lawn & grass mower, maintenance and repair.

When asked why he liked working in Juliaetta Frank replied, “I like working where I live. I like to help people out.”

Frank and Elaine have raised their three children in Juliaetta. Their daughter Lindsey lives in Seattle, daughter Serena lives in Kendrick and son Trevor lives in Clarkston. They have four grandchildren that they love to be around.

Retirement plans include doing the things he and Elaine love - camping, riding ATV’s, being with family and traveling. Last summer they took a trip to the Black Hills in South Dakota and especially enjoyed Mt. Rushmore, Devil’s Tower and the Bad Lands. Frank and Elaine want to continue traveling.

With retirement around the corner, Frank may have a little more time on his hands for a while. If you get the chance and haven’t already, you definitely want to meet your neighbor Frank Groseclose!



City of Kendrick

The City Hall office hours are Monday-Friday, 9am to 3pm.

- ◆ Please keep your utility bills current as we will be doing disconnections for past due accounts
- ◆ Beginning May 1st the city utility bills will no longer be accepted at the Latah Federal Credit Union. You may either drop your payment at City Hall in the drop box or mail to PO Box 195, Kendrick.
- ◆ A HUGE THANK YOU to Jake Lustig for doing such a great job of snow removal!!!!
- ◆ The City of Kendrick will be enforcing the Dog License Law. The city has been receiving citizen complaints about dogs running at large. PLEASE help correct this problem. Contact City Hall (289-5157) and make arrangements to get your dog licensed. *All dogs kept, harbored or maintained by their owners in the City of Kendrick shall be registered and licensed. No owner or keeper of any animal shall allow or permit such animal to be at large within the corporate limits of the city of Kendrick, whether licensed or un-licensend, at any time. Any person may take up said animal and deliver it to animal control in Latah County. The owner or person in charge of any animal impounded shall be responsible for any and all impound fees (Ord. 707.10-10-2005).*

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Lucinda Hites, Clerk, Treasurer

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Position for Road Commissioner, Kendrick Sub-district 3, is open. Applications may be obtained at Latah County Courthouse, Room 101. The deadline for filing is March 17th at 5pm. For more information contact Victoria Shortt at 208-883-2249.

ALL Roads in South Latah Highway District are on weight limit restrictions. Over-weight permits are required.
Call:
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City of Juliaetta

Clean Up Month

April is Clean Up Month at the Juliaetta bulky waste site! On Saturday, April 1 and Saturday, April 15, residents will be allowed free disposal of all waste, with the exception of electronic or hazardous waste, which must be taken to the proper facility. The bulky waste program allows year round disposal of inert demolition waste, which includes large yard waste, furniture, mattresses, carpeting, roofing, laminate flooring, drywall, bricks, hay, sawdust, sod, and untreated wood. There is a limit of two large appliances and four passenger tires without rims per Saturday. The bulky waste site **only** accepts household waste, plastic/rubber items, or small appliances **during clean up months**.

City Council

Upcoming City Council meetings will take place on Tuesday, March 14 and April 11, both at 7:00 pm. Agendas are posted in the window at City Hall one week before each meeting. The public is always welcome to attend these monthly meetings.

Snow Birds

Dark-eyed juncos are one of our most common winter birds. Their coloring can vary, but all have the distinctive white outer tail feathers that flash when they fly.



These are gregarious little birds generally seen in busy flocks, searching for seeds along the ground and scratching in the leaf litter in brushy areas. They will visit feeders and congregate on the ground below,

cleaning up scattered seed. The cheapest of the bird seed, millet, seems to be their very favorite, although they enjoy bread crumbs as well.

Juncos spend their summers in the north or at higher elevations and their winters as far south as Mexico, but not every one travels. While we have more juncos during the winter than at other times, many here are year-round residents.

-Nora Abbott

CLIP & SAVE CALENDAR

March

- 9th Kindergarten Registration & Child Find (p.6)
- 10th Youth Basketball Tournament (p.9)
- 11th Youth Basketball Tournament (p.9)
- 14th School Levy Voting Day (p.6)
- 14th KHS First Varsity Baseball Game (p.9)
- 14th Juliaetta City Council Meeting (p.15)
- 17th JCIA St. Patrick's Day Dinner (p.3)
- 17th Deadline for Road Commissioner App. (p.15)
- 22nd Lions Club Membership Night (p.11)
- 26th Firefighter Breakfast (p.3)

April

- 1st Youth Gardening Award Applications due (p.5)
- 8th JK Ambulance Sausage Feed & Auction (p.1)
- 11th Juliaetta City Council Meeting (p.15)
- 16th Community Easter Sunrise Service (p.12)
- 16th Cameron Emmanuel Easter Service (p.12)
- 22nd Juliaetta Cemetery Cleanup Day (p.13)
- 23rd KJ Arts Open House (p.2)

May

- 4th Idaho Annual Day of Giving (p.5)

KJ7 Business Listing Update

The KJ7 Community Development Association is updating and expanding its listings of all the businesses and services offered in the KJ7 area—from brick-and-mortar storefronts to teens providing lawn care. We ask the help of local business owners and service providers in submitting up-to-date information.

- **New Businesses:** We especially encourage new businesses and start-ups to respond so that we can add their information to our database.
- **Youth-Owned Businesses:** We are planning to include a special section for businesses owned and operated by local youth.

The new and updated listings will be posted on our website at www.kendrick-juliaetta.org, and a printed version will also be mailed to every household in our community—1,100 addresses.

We invite all those who are interested in adding or updating their business information to submit current data by **March 15th**. Please include any or all of the following details:

Business/Service Information

- Company or Provider Name
- Business or Service Type
- Brief Description
- Address
- Phone Number
- Email Address
- Website
- Facebook Page
- Additional Comments

**Please send your information by March 15th to
KJ7CDA, PO Box 204, Kendrick, ID 83537
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Thank you for your help in keeping our listings current!

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