The Flame

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Pyros to put on another great fireworks display!

Gates open at the football field at **6** on July 4th, fireworks start at dusk! Bring a blanket or chair, warm jacket, and all your ooohs and aaaahs!

The Pyros put on a great show every year. The calendar supports these efforts. Call **Mary Helen Banks** at **541-643-6317** if you need to make changes ASAP.

CAMAS VALLEY CASH DAYS START THE SUMMER SEASON JULY15-17!

Mark this weekend for fun for the whole family! Mud drags, obstacle course, kids and adult bike and ATV races, side-by-side drags, flat track, and barrel races will keep your adrenaline (and heart) racing all weekend! And you thought the ambulance was there in case of accidents! There is camping available, with food and retail vendors on site.



The action is all taking place at **1086 Main Camas Rd, Camas Valley.** All proceeds go to support the **Camas Valley Rural Volunteer Fire Department.**

Check out the flyers at **Market Plus** for more information!



Fire Season Started 12:01 am Friday May 24th!

Another timely reminder—

The grass in the driveway dries quicker than you think. Keep it mowed so the mail carrier can drive over it without worrying about starting a fire! They have the right to refuse delivery if there is a concern. Mowing the drive is a win-win situation. You want your packages and they don't want to have to take them back to the Post Office!



We appreciate your Support!



No Donations this month

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

Vonnie Wallace
1200 Westside Road
Camas Valley, OR 97416

Please make checks payable to
Camas Valley Rural Fire District
and designate them for

Winston Dillard Food Pantry

The Dillard-Winston Food Pantry volunteers were very pleased that we had four new clients from Camas Valley and Tenmile during June. Everyone must be reading the Flame!!!!! Our pantry helps low-income clients from Winston, Dillard, Tenmile, Camas Valley and Green. Hours still the same: Monday and Wednesdays from 9:30-11:00 and the first and third Wednesday afternoons from 4:30-5:30. Closed on the Fourth of July.

We are getting a generous donation of skin and hair soap so if that is something you can use, be sure to ask for it.

Thanks for all the support of donations being left at the Camas Valley Post Office. Everything helps!!

So, come see us. We are still temporarily in the pavilion at Riverbend Park on Thompson Street in Winston.

Call **Vonnie Wallace** at **541-445-2355** or let her know you are leaving items at the Camas Valley Post Office.



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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

Submit to:

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



Email Flame issues are handy!

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**.

So just what does fire season mean?



The following fire prevention measures will be in effect:

· Smoking is prohibited while traveling, except in vehicles on improved roads, in boats on the water, and at other designated locations.

· Backyard debris burning, including the use of burn barrels, is prohibited.

· Open fires are prohibited, including campfires, cooking fires and warming fires, except at designated sites:Susan Creek Campground, Tyee Campground, Scaredman Campground, Eagleview Campground Cavitt Creek Campground, Amacher Park, Douglas County Fairgrounds, Pass Creek Campground, Stanton Park, Chief Miwaleta Campground, and Whistler's Bend Campground, Seven Feathers RV Resort and Umpqua Riverfront RV Park & Boat Ramp.

· Charcoal and pellet BBQs are only allowed at fully developed and maintained residential home sites when used in areas that are free of flammable vegetation. A charged garden hose or a 2 ½ pound or larger fire extinguisher must be immediately available. Portable cooking stoves using liquefied or bottled fuels are allowed elsewhere.

· The use of fireworks, exploding targets, and tracer ammunition is prohibited. In addition, the use of sky lanterns is prohibited year-round in Oregon.

· Motor vehicles, including motorcycles and all-terrain vehicles, are only allowed on improved roads that are free of flammable vegetation. This restriction is waived on private lands during low fire danger or when vehicles are used for the culture and harvest of agricultural crops. In addition, each vehicle with three or more wheels traveling on forest roads must have an axe, a shovel, and one gallon of water or one operational 2½ pound or larger fire extinguisher. Motorcycles must be equipped with one gallon of water or one operational 2 ½ pound or larger fire extinguisher.

· Any electric fence controller in use shall be listed by a nationally recognized testing laboratory or be certified by the Department of Consumer and Business Services and be operated in compliance with the manufacturer's instructions.



Superintendent's Message

When students and teachers leave for the summer every year, it is time to start all the building projects and repairs on the school. This year is no different; We have a lot of projects going on.

- We are remodeling our kitchen. After years of Geraldine working in a small cramped space, she will have a new workspace for the start of the year.
- The crow's nest on the football field is being replaced. It will have nice windows and will be heated, so if you are looking for an excellent warm seat for football games talk to Tina about being the scoreboard operator for our football games. 😉
- We are also remodeling the bathrooms in the middle school building and the 2nd and 3rd grade annex.
- The softball dugouts and scoreboard should be ready for next softball season.
- The big news is that we will building a new track around the football field. After years of our students having to practice either on the road out front of the school, driving to a different location, or running in the mud, they will now have their own track! Completion is planned for the opening night of the home football opener on Sept. 9.

I want to thank everyone who has made these projects possible. The cooperation of the school board, **Knife River, Beynon Sports company, TNT Construction, S&B James Construction,** and many of our people have helped make Camas Valley School a place our kids and families can be proud of.

With Care,
Mr. Wonsley



July

July is hot afternoons and sultry nights and mornings when its joy just to be alive. July is a picnic and a red canoe and a sunburned neck and a softball game and ice tinkling in a tall glass. July is a blind date with summer.

—Hal Borland

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 International Joke Day	2 International Cherry Pit spitting day
3 Eat your beans day	4 **CV fireworks Football field** 	5 Apple turnover day	6 Fried Chicken Day Booster Club 6:30 pm Deli Market	7 Chocolate Day Free commu-nity clothes closet 1-3 Fellowship Parking lot	8 Chocolate with almonds day	9 Sugar cookie day
10 Kitten day	11 Free Slurpee day **Fire Dept. Board Mtg. 5** **Fire Dept. Training7pm**	12 Pecan Pie day Summer Library & Activities	13 French Fries day	14 Mac 'n Cheese Day Field trip	15 Gummi Worm day CV Cash Days →	16 Corn Fritters day
17 Peach ice cream day ← Cash Days →	18 Hug your kids day **Fire Dept. Training7pm**	19 Stick our your tongue day Summer Library & Activities	20 Hot dog day	21 Junk food day School Bd. Mtg. 7 pm Field trip	22 Penuche fudge day	23 Vanilla ice cream day
24 Cousins day	25 Hot fudge sundae day **Flame Deadline!** **Fire Dept. Training7pm**	26 Coffee milkshake day Summer Library & Activities	27 Crème Brulee day	28 Chili dog day Field trip	29 Lasagna day	30 Cheesecake day
31 Raspberry cake day						

Free Community Clothes Closet

When: 1:00 - 3:00 pm,

First Thursday following the first Monday of the month.

Where: Parking lot of Camas Valley Christian Fellowship

What: Providing free clothes for the community.

Why: Because we love you!

For clothing emergencies please call (503) 302-6323.

We can:

- pick up items,
- meet you or
- you may drop off items .

We accept clean gently used clothes, bedding, small appliances etc.





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

Do you have a new business in the valley? Have you expanded your business services? Is there information about your business that you need to get out to valley residents? While **THE FLAME** is a non-profit publication and cannot advertise, we can *inform* our readers about what services you offer, changes in your business, etc.

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Alpacas, stock/fiber/ merchandise
Turkey Gulch Alpacas
LaVon Newman
Sun.-Sat., 10-5
541-445-0804

Animal caretaker
The Animal Care-taker
Offering Pet/livestock care when you are on vacation
Elissa Eckman
(541)784-6428

Art, painting lessons
Lang Crk Studio
Kay Ganieany
Mon.-Thurs.,
by appt.
541-445-2001

Auto Repair
C&C Diesel & Auto Repair
David Chadwick
M-F, 9-6
541-445-0005

Autobody repair/paint
Green Collision Repair/Horizon Autobody
Marvin & DeVoogd
M-F, 8-5
541-679-6100

Beauty
Lord and Lady Lavender
Jerry Ashford
Online 24/7
lordandladylavender.com
Anytime
408-857-8782

Nails by Crystal
Crystal Cummings
541-643-7253
Thurs.—Sun., 9-4

Scissor Trix
Jennie Plikat
By appt.
541-733-1919
Or in Green at 4886 Grange Rd.
541-236-7086

Christmas trees, U-cut / wholesale
Calico Christmas Trees
Shari White
Nov. & Dec.
7 days/wk 9-4:30
541-445-2350
541-670-0458

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

Dump truck/rock haul
Kevin Wilson Trucking
Kevin & Michelle Wilson
541-670-6589
541-430-9851

Electrical Contractor
Alan Sabin Electric
Alan Sabin
Generac generator Sales/maintenance/ Installation/repair
M-S 7am-6pm
541-440-3792
541-445-2070

Eng. consulting design/ drafting
TV Design, LLC
Troy I. Vanderhoof, P.E.
M-F, 9:00-17:00
541-643-0138

Fire Equipment
Dia-Cast Fire Equipment
Sales and Rentals
Don/Diane Casteel
541-643-8556

Garbage Disposal
Camas Valley Disposal
Scott & Darla Standley
Wkly. Wed. pick-up
541-445-2245
541-445-2055

Handcrafted gifts
Country Crafts & Graphics
Janna Vanderhoof
M-F, 9-5 or appt.
541-643-1934

Handcrafted gifts, cont.
Frosted Treasure Designs
Lori Ross
541-637-9774
Frostedtreasuredesign @gmail.com

Handyman, lawn/garden equipment
Quiet Mtn. Tinker
Mike Moore
By appointment
541-580-2524

Health and wellness
Plexus worldwide Supplements
Charman Shields
541-430-3600
www.plexusslim.com/ charmanshields

Horses
Boarding/consult/train
Blue & Gold Stock Farm
Every day, 10-5
541-430-4225

Housekeeping
Maid in the Shade
Lisa Muller
541-430-1974

Local Artist, consignment
Local Art
Toby Teachman
Open anytime (within reason) Ring door bell on shop or call
541-243-3315

Locksmith, keys /locks
Camas Valley Key Shop
Bruce Jehning
7days/wk
24 hr. emerg.
541-445-2014

Machine quilting
Quiet Mtn. Quilting
Missy Jackson
Appt/consult
541-696-5562 (h)
541-671-3174 (c)

Sew Fun
Linda Underhill
Call **541-580-2814**

Music
Charity Rose Music
Vocal & Instrumental (piano/guitar/ukulele/ others) All ages.
541-643-1872
charityrosemusic@ gmail.com

Parker Piano
Lessons for all ages
LeAnn Parker
541-671-3238

Notary/Post Office
CV Post Office
Vickie Farmer
M-F 8-3 Sat 10-2
541-445-2177
541-643-5059

Portable sawmill service
Backwoods Custom Milling
Harvey Saul
541-671-1993

Real Estate, broker
Berkshire Hatha-way Homeservices Real Estate Professionals
J.T. Berk
541-430-6078

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

Small engine repair
Hunt's Chainsaw
Theran Hunt
Mon.-Fri.
541-430-7283

Camas Valley Churches

Camas Valley Missionary Church	Camas Valley Christian Fellowship	Camas Valley United Methodist
Sunday	Sunday	Sunday
Coffee Fellowship 10:00 am	Morning Worship & Sunday School 10:00 am	Morning Worship & Children's Sunday School 9:00 am
Morning Worship 10:45 am	Monday	Fellowship w/ beverages and snacks 10:00 am
Youth Church 11:00 am	Intercessory Prayer 9:00 am	
Wednesday	Youth Group 6:30 pm	
Bible Study 10:00 am		

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