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Fallon Recognized with Top Honor at Statewide Rural Roundup



Back row, left to right: Kelly Frost, Ty Whitaker, Lucy Carnahan, Merlene Ward, Jo Petteruti. Front row, left to right: Ava Case, Shania Brown, Jane Moon, Kathryn Stratz, Elizabeth Hill. Photo courtesy of Jane Moon.

By Shania Brown

Fallon earned statewide recognition at this year's Rural Roundup in Elko, where Visit Fallon was named Best Business Partner for the Pony Express Territory. The award highlighted the community's growing influence in Nevada's rural tourism strategy.

The annual conference, hosted by Travel Nevada from April 21-23, brought together tourism and community leaders from across the state. Fallon's delegation included representatives from the Fallon Chamber, city leadership, and local tourism officials, reflecting one of the strongest community showings at the event.

Visit Fallon's award recognized the city's consistent leadership in presentations, panels, and regional planning efforts. Director of Tourism and Special Events Jane Moon and City Councilwoman Kelly Frost also spoke during the

conference's final day, representing Fallon before a statewide audience and reinforcing the city's role in shaping tourism discussions.

Director of Tourism and Special Events Jane Moon noted that Fallon's growing tourism efforts "would not be possible without the leadership of Mayor Ken Tedford, whose support for local tourism includes a commitment to helping it grow beyond the city and county."

Agritourism was a major topic throughout the event. Fallon was represented directly on the panel "Agritourism: The What and the Why," where two of the four speakers were local residents. Blane Merkley of the Nevada Department of Agriculture and Kelli Kelly of the Nevada Small Business Development Center outlined how agritourism connects agricultural production with visitor experiences. The session focused on reducing marketing barriers so

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100 Youth Exhibitors Shine at CCJLS



Katrina Laca (mom), Grace Laca—a senior showing at CCJLS for the last time—Avery Laca (sister), Jared Laca (dad), and Reese Laca (sister). Photo by Nancy Chapman.

By Nancy Chapman and Lori Kaiser

100 youth exhibitors filled the Churchill County Fairgrounds April 23-26 for the annual Churchill County Junior Livestock Show and Sale (CCJLS), showcasing animals, agricultural mechanics projects, and months of hands-on work in a cornerstone event for local 4-H and Future Farmers of America (FFA) members.

This year's total includes 12 Pee Wee participants, ages 5 to 9, who took part in the show's youngest age division. Exhibitors at the main show ranged in age from 9 to 19, representing youth agriculture programs throughout Churchill County.

The event opened Thursday, April 23, with the breeding show, where participants presented animals they raise for long-term projects. Breeding classes included beef, sheep, hogs, goats, dairy goats, and dairy cattle.

The show also welcomed approximately 400 fourth-grade students for the annual Ag in the Classroom field trip, which introduces elementary students to agriculture, livestock care, and the work exhibitors put into their projects. This field trip took place on Thursday, April 23.

Friday's schedule featured the market show, with exhibitors showing steers, hogs, lambs, goats, chickens, turkeys, and rabbits. All market animals were judged on Friday in preparation for Saturday night's auction.

A growing addition to the event is the Ag Mechanics competition, now in its second year. Exhibitors who showed livestock could enter projects in metalwork, woodwork, or crafts, expanding the show's hands-on learning opportunities.

A total of 73 animals were sold during Saturday night's auction. Final buyer information is still being compiled as organizers close out the show.

One of the standout moments of the CCJLS came when 15-year-old exhibitor Neel Bhakta,

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Kelli Kelly Earns Statewide Entrepreneurial Spirit Award

By Amber Hardin

Kelli Kelly has been named the statewide recipient of the Entrepreneurial Spirit Award of the Year, recognizing her work supporting Nevada's agricultural and food-based businesses through the Nevada Small Business Development Center.

Kelly, an agriculture and food systems business advisor with the Nevada SBDC, received the honor during the Small Business Administration's annual awards ceremony held as part of National Small Business Week. The award highlights her efforts to identify gaps in Nevada's food systems, reduce barriers for small producers, and strengthen connections between farmers, consumers, and policymakers.

"I knew it was a competitive category," Kelly said. "So, I felt really grateful to be nominated and excited to be selected."

Kelly is well known in Fallon for her support of local farmers and food-based entrepreneurs, as well as her weekly "What's Cooking in Kelli's Kitchen" column. She began working with the Nevada SBDC in 2021 in a part-time role, assisting agricultural clients, and transitioned to a full-time position in 2024. She now works with about 170 clients statewide.

Her work includes helping modernize Nevada's cottage food, cottage cosmetics, craft food, and farm-to-fork programs. She has collaborated with state leaders to identify regulatory barriers and contributed to legislation aimed at expanding opportunities for small producers. Kelly said passing a bill is only the beginning, and that implementation and continued support are just as important.

Her efforts also extend into agritourism

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FROM THE PUBLISHER

Captain's Log:
Freedom of Speech

By Rachel Dahl

I have thoughts. They're not very organized; we've had a lot going on, but this whole topic comes to the surface in light of the White House Correspondents' Dinner events the other night.

A room full of journalists. A shooter. A manifesto.

A country built on the tenet that we should be able to say what we want and the government won't chop off our heads or burn us at the stake.

That's what used to happen in many of the places we came from. Some of the world's greatest art, paintings, stories, and poetry exist because you couldn't come out and say what you believed without ending up dead. You had to figure out how to make these important statements in a way that kept you safe and that you could defend – but you could get the message across, nonetheless.

Embedded meaning inside acceptable subjects.

Take the Last Supper by Leonardo – Christ at the center of everything, groups of three echoing the Trinity, and a basic, grounded human style unlike prior religious art that included glowing halos and exaggerated divinity. The master artist of the Renaissance presents deep truths in an innocent, earthy way, avoiding personal harm.

Of course, we also have Orwell's Animal Farm and 1984 in their bombastic way, warning us of the

dangers of communism and government surveillance. Slightly less subtle but equally impactful are songs by Billie Holiday and Bob Dylan, who, in their prime, made statements that pushed their social commentary into the mainstream.

If we can say what we want in this country, why then do people feel the need or utter desperation to go around shooting people – Donald Trump, Charlie Kirk, JFK, Abe Lincoln. This isn't new and not likely to stop because we've evolved somehow into better-behaving humans.

I have no answers, but it behooves us to remember the First Amendment doesn't protect us from "yelling fire in a crowded theater," or saying something dumb on social media that damages the credibility of the company that writes our paycheck or inspires the big guy at the bar to punch us in the face. Not protected speech, none of it.

"My right to free speech" ends at jail, or being fired, or a blackened eye when we seek to hide behind the First Amendment. Poor decision-making is not protected by the Constitution.

So, while we noodle the vagaries of human nature, we'll always be right here...

...Keeping you Posted.

— Rachel

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a member of the Oasis FFA chapter, performed the national anthem before the auction. Churchill County 4-H Coordinator Karen Bogdanowicz said he blew the audience away with his talent.

Bogdanowicz also said the camaraderie among exhibitors remains one of the show's greatest strengths. "I always think it's a highlight when you see the youth helping the younger kids, and the older, more seasoned showmen — the older youths — teaching the younger ones," she said.

Bogdanowicz further recognized Ted Guazzini, who has served as the show's auctioneer for more than 40 years, guiding generations of youth exhibitors through the sale with his steady presence and trademark professionalism. She also praised longtime spotter Mickey Laca, whose experience and sharp eye have helped keep the auction running smoothly year after year.

Although the CCJLS is not connected to the Nevada Junior Livestock Show, many Churchill County exhibitors will continue on to that event, scheduled for June 11–14 at the Reno Livestock Events Center.

Results of the CCJLS will be posted when they become available.



Louie Pellandini leads a pink show steer during the Churchill County Junior Livestock Show and Sale. Holt Bogdanowicz is also pictured. Photo by Nancy Chapman.



PETS OF THE WEEK

Available for Adoption

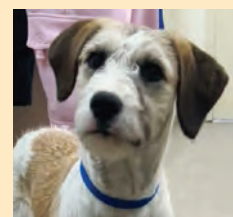
Saddle up, space ranger — there's a new outlaw in the galaxy, and his name is Whiskey.

At about six months old, Whiskey is a rootin'-tootin', tail-waggin' poodle mix blasting through life at hyperspeed. This cosmic cowboy runs on pure zoomies and stardust, always ready for his next adventure — whether that's chasing toys, exploring new planets (also known as your backyard), or lassoing your heart with a success rate of 100 percent.

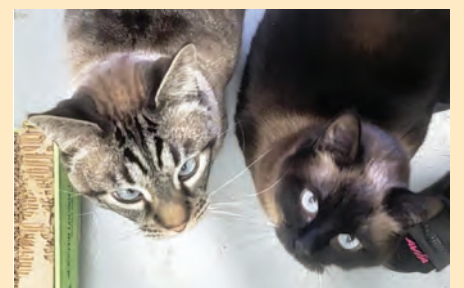
Like any young space cowboy, Whiskey still needs some training before he can patrol the galaxy on his own. He has mostly lived the rugged outdoor frontier life, so he's learning the finer points of indoor potty etiquette. With patience, consistency, and a treat or two as bounty, he'll catch on faster than a comet streaking across the sky.

Whiskey also tends to wander like a lone drifter, so he'll need to stay on leash until he masters recall. Think of it as keeping your rookie pilot in the simulator before handing over the spaceship keys. He hasn't had much experience with other dogs, so proper introductions are important. The same goes for cats — he seems neutral but will need a slow meet-and-greet. As for livestock, Whiskey views cows as "high-speed chase opportunities," so a home without farm animals is best.

If you're ready for a high-energy, fun-loving pup, Whiskey is ready to ride shotgun on your next adventure.



Meet Max and Molly!



This loving brother and sister duo are about 5 years old. Molly has a beautiful Burmese coat, and Max has a handsome lynx point coat. They're both fixed, vaccinated, microchipped, and ready to go home.

Max is outgoing and will even stand up to ask for pets, while Molly is gentle and reserved, but just as affectionate once you get to know her.

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FEATURES

State Engineer Outlines Priorities and Challenges for Nevada Water

By Sydney Trainor

Nevada's new state engineer, Joe Cacioppo, says improving communication, transparency, and efficiency will be his top priorities as the state works through a backlog of more than 2,000 water applications.

Cacioppo, who began the role on March 30, 2026, spoke during a recent Central Nevada Regional Water Authority meeting. He said the Division of Water Resources must balance limited water supplies among competing uses while modernizing the office's operations.

"We're trying to make sure we're communicating better, being more transparent, and working through applications as efficiently as possible," Cacioppo said.

He outlined several modernization efforts, including digitizing records and updating outdated internal systems. The division is developing an application tracking system that will first be used internally, then opened to the public so applicants can track the status of their requests. He said the office is also strengthening staff training and reviewing applications earlier to identify complex cases and reduce delays. Focusing on "ready for action" applications, he said, will help move simpler cases through the system more quickly.

Cacioppo said staffing shortages remain a major challenge. The office has 115 positions when fully staffed, but 15 are currently vacant. He added that overall experience levels have dropped as longtime employees retire, leaving newer staff still building expertise. To help stabilize the department, he is bringing in additional support, including former state engineer Jason King.

The division processes about 1,000 applications each year while managing a backlog of more than 2,000 pending requests. Roughly half involve protests or legal challenges. About 30% of applications are completed within six months, another 30% within a year, and the rest can take one to two years or longer.

Board members offered feedback following Cacioppo's update. Jeff Fontaine pointed out gaps early in the application process, Norman Frey suggested extending the application timeline, and Brian Gale noted the high number of extension requests. Commissioner Perez said clearer communication and a public tracking system would help applicants and local governments better understand project status.

Cacioppo said he is still settling into the role and looks forward to addressing the challenges ahead. "Getting the opportunity to come to work for the Division of Water Resources was quite an honor," he said.

Northern Nevada Faces Opportunities and Challenges as Data Centers Expand

By Sydney Trainor

According to reporting by Fallon Post journalist Amber Hardin, data centers are rapidly expanding across northern Nevada, bringing both economic opportunity and growing pressure on local infrastructure, a central theme at this year's Western Nevada Development District summit.

Panelists described data centers as essential infrastructure powering cloud computing and artificial intelligence, with demand accelerating faster than many communities can plan for. "Data centers are a really important part of this conversation," said Tatjana Vukovic, deputy director of the Northern Nevada Development Authority.

Speakers emphasized that all data centers require significant resources, including fiber-optic internet, power, water, staff, and land, and that newer AI-focused facilities require even

greater energy capacity. Even a single large facility can place substantial demands on utilities.

Some concerns, however, stem from misconceptions. Many modern data centers use closed-loop cooling systems that recycle water rather than continually drawing from fresh supplies. "You're filling the system at first, but you're losing less than 10% a year," said Raymond Zavalla of Helix Electric, noting that most Nevada facilities are designed to minimize long-term water use.

Economically, data centers can bring investment, tax revenue, and, in some cases, hundreds of jobs, though they typically require fewer permanent employees once operational. Panelists also noted that different types of facilities have different impacts: large hyperscale centers can drive major infrastructure investment, while smaller co-location centers can support local businesses and may be a better fit for rural communities.

Competition for data center development remains high, and Nevada is one of many regions seeking growth. Officials stressed that successful projects require coordination among local governments, utility providers, and private developers, with land use, zoning, infrastructure, and incentives all influencing whether a project moves forward.

"There are no winners and losers," said Justin Brandon of Quanta Services, emphasizing that partnerships between public agencies and private developers can benefit all sides.

As northern Nevada continues to grow, data centers are expected to remain a key part of regional planning discussions — bringing both promise and complexity. Next week: energy demand, infrastructure, and whether Nevada can keep pace with rapid growth.

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producers can concentrate on their operations while still benefiting from tourism.

Conference data underscored the importance of rural destinations. Roughly 40 percent of outdoor recreation's economic impact occurs in rural counties, even though those areas make up only a small share of Nevada's population. For Fallon, the findings align with ongoing efforts to attract visitors through agriculture, outdoor recreation, and community events.

Travel Nevada officials encouraged rural communities to actively promote their assets to ensure they

are included in statewide marketing campaigns.

That message carries immediate relevance for Fallon as signature events such as the Cantaloupe Festival continue to anchor local tourism. The festival was nominated for Best Event within the Pony Express Territory, signaling growing statewide visibility.

Fallon Chamber representatives, including Executive Director Lucy Carnahan, board members Ava Case and Shania Brown, and Ambassador Jo Petteruti, participated in the Rural Roundup bus and familiarization tour ahead of the conference. The tour included stops at Rye Patch State Recreation Area, Winnemucca's downtown murals, and the Battle Mountain Cookhouse Museum. Board

member Merlene Ward joined the group in Elko.

Experience levels among Fallon attendees ranged from first-time participants to long-time conference veterans. The mix reflected both continuity and new engagement within the community's tourism leadership.

Across the three-day event, the message to rural communities was consistent. Those that embrace their distinct culture, landscape, and people are the ones gaining momentum in Nevada's tourism economy. Fallon's reputation for leading that effort was evident throughout the conference and affirmed by its statewide recognition.

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development and statewide planning to reduce challenges for agricultural producers. Through these initiatives, she works to connect farmers, business owners, and policymakers to create an environment where small businesses can succeed.

Kelly's passion for food systems is rooted in her culinary background. She began her career in restaurants before moving to Fallon, where she gained a deeper appreciation for local agriculture.

"It wasn't until I moved to Nevada that I really started to hone in on the importance of supporting local agricultural producers," she said.

Working in kitchens that relied on ingredients grown on site or delivered directly by farmers shaped her understanding of the connection between producers and consumers. That experience continues to guide her work today.

"It's all about shrinking the distance from farm to table and increasing the amount of the food dollar that goes to the person who actually grows the food," she said.

Kelly emphasizes collaboration as a key part of her approach.

"I don't do anything by myself," she said. "It's hugely important to find your people and bring them to the table to create positive change."

She credits Nevada's collaborative spirit for much of the progress she has seen, describing the state as a place where strong connections and shared problem solving drive results.

Kelly recently completed her master's degree and will begin a doctoral program in public policy this fall. She hopes the recognition brings greater awareness to the importance of local and regional food systems.

"I hope a wider audience becomes aware of the very important work happening in local and regional food systems in this state," she said.

As Nevada continues to explore opportunities in agriculture, small business, and rural development, Kelly's work is helping build a more resilient and connected future grounded in creativity and community.

"Here in Nevada, there is very much this 'Battle Born spirit', which is all about understanding that though our resources may be limited, we are going to figure out a solution with what we have available for us," she said.

ORGANIZATION OF THE WEEK

Indigent Defense, Water Resources and Community Support

By Sydney Trainor

Churchill County's indigent defense, water resources, and community support programs each play a distinct role in serving residents, from ensuring legal representation for those who cannot afford an attorney to managing water agreements and supporting local organizations. Commissioners reviewed the budgets for all three areas as part of this year's county budget process.

Indigent defense funding covers contracted attorneys and public defense services for individuals who cannot afford legal representation. This year's budget includes several contract adjustments, including a requested 20% increase from a long-standing attorney who has not received a raise in several years. Other increases reflect anticipated costs for public defender services and compensation updates, though staff noted that some contracts historically have not reached their full allocated amounts.



The water resources program oversees agreements, conservation efforts, and coordination with outside organizations, including federal agencies. Most of its budget consists of contract amounts and reimbursement-based programs, with several costs fully or partially offset by outside funding. Commissioners also discussed the Transfer of Development Rights program tied to Navy conservation easements. The county typically participates in a cost-share arrangement, with final contribution amounts determined by budget decisions and project timing.

The community support budget funds local organizations and events that contribute to the county's civic, cultural, and recreational life. Staff recommended keeping the budget flat from last year with no new funding requests. Commissioners also discussed restructuring how funds are distributed by moving some groups out of a miscellaneous category into individual line items and shifting small amounts of funding between organizations.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Students Prep Art, History Projects for School Fundraiser

By Rigin Stonebarger

Students in grades 3–8 at Fallon Adventist Christian School are preparing living history performances and original artwork for a May 3 fundraiser featuring historical figures and an exhibit of student-made art.

Excitement filled the classroom on April 14 as 20 students settled in for another session with “Mr. Ron,” a retired graphic designer from Los Angeles who has taught art at the school for nearly seven years. Their spinning canvas project creates bright, symmetrical paint patterns that will be displayed and sold at the event. Students

experimented with water to paint ratios and tested spin speeds to create the most balanced designs.

Each student will portray a historical figure—from Benjamin Franklin to Marie Antoinette—standing as an animated statue for visitors.

“I want to teach these kids how to bring creativity out of themselves,” Ron said. “Everyone is an artist—it’s just about getting it on the paper.”

Principal Wanda Brimmer, a retired district teacher with 15 years of experience, said the fundraiser supports campouts, skiing, swimming, and mission opportunities. While the school

serves K–8, this project is for the older students.

Brimmer said the school, part of the Seventh-day Adventist education system, welcomes students from many faith backgrounds. At the Nevada Utah Conference on Assessment (NUCA), students ranked second in math and met expectations in science. Students are taught by ability rather than grade level.

Founded in 1908, the school is the oldest private school in Nevada. Registration for the 2026–27 school year is now open.

The fundraiser begins May 3 at 4 p.m. in the multipurpose room, with a spaghetti feed offered free or by donation.



Kyle Petty Charity Ride to Pass Through Nevada on May 1

Staff Report

The Kyle Petty Charity Ride Across America will celebrate its 30th anniversary with a coast to coast motorcycle trek May 1–9, traveling from Sonoma, California, to Charlotte, North Carolina. The ride will cross 11 states, including Nevada, with an overnight stop in Ely on May 1 before continuing east along historic U.S. Highway 50.

Although the ride does not stop in Fallon, the group is expected to pass through the Fallon corridor between noon and 3 p.m. on Friday, May 1, as riders travel from Sonoma to Ely on Day 1. Local residents driving Highway 50 may see the group of nearly 150 motorcycles led by former NASCAR driver Kyle Petty.

The annual ride raises money for Victory Junction, a camp for children with serious medical conditions. More information is available at kylepettycharityride.com.

FALLON COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Movie Day
Coalition for Senior Citizens
The Fallon Theatre
Every third Friday at 1 p.m.

Night of Fights
Greenwave Takedown Club
Rafter 3C Arena
May 1 at 5 p.m.

Swing into Victory 1940s Gala
Churchill Arts Council
Oats Park Art Center
May 2 from 6 to 10 p.m.

Spring Market & Seedling Sale
Green Goddess Collective
448 S. Maine St.
May 3 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.



May the Fourth Costume Party
Churchill County Library
553 S. Maine St.
May 4 at 3 p.m.

Wellness 2026
Churchill Community Coalition
Rafter 3C Arena
May 5 from 3 to 7 p.m.

Job Interviews Workshop
EmployNV
Churchill County Library
May 7 at 4 p.m.

Market Fundraiser
Greenwave Garden
Churchill County High School Greenhouses
May 9 from 9 a.m. to noon

Bad Art: Recycled Bookmarks
Churchill County Library
553 S. Maine St.
May 11 at 2:30 p.m.

Author Talk: Kurt Winans
Churchill County Library
553 S. Maine St.
May 12 at 6 p.m.

A Broadway Revue
Performing Arts of Churchill County
Oats Park Art Center
May 15 at 7 p.m. and May 16 at 1 and 7 p.m.

Student Art Show Reception
Western Nevada College
160 Campus Way
May 14 from 4:30 to 6 p.m.

Inaugural Spring Clinic
Reining & Ranch Horse Association
Fifty Horse Ranch
May 16 at 8 a.m.

Pitch Hit & Run Skills Competition
Fallon Elks Lodge
Oats Park
May 16 at 9 a.m.

Bark in the Park 5K
Churchill Animal Protection Society
Churchill County Fairgrounds
May 16 at 7:30 a.m.

WNC Graduation
Western Nevada College
Rafter 3C Arena
May 20 from 7 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Oasis Academy Graduation
Oasis Academy
Rafter 3C Arena
May 20

Plant Bingo
Churchill County Parks and Recreation
255 E. Stillwater Ave.
May 22

Beginner Gift Wrapping
Churchill County Library
553 S. Maine St.
May 28 at 3 p.m.

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Lunch Served Monday - Friday 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. | Lunch is \$6 for those under 60 and a suggested donation of \$3 for those 60 and older.

Monday, May 4
BBQ Chicken Burger
Onion Ring
Potato Salad
Herbed Green Beans
Pineapple Tidbit

Tuesday, May 5
Lasagna
Chopped Spinach Salad
Garlic Bread
Fresh Oranges

Wednesday, May 6
BBQ Pork Riblett w/Pineapple
Au Gratin Potato
Comstock Corn
WW Bread
Spiced Peaches

Thursday, May 7
Lemon Baked Fish
Capri Veg Blend
Brown Rice
Tossed Salad
Grapes

Friday, May 8
Mother's Day
Shrimp Louie Salad
w/Hard Boiled Egg
Tomato-Basil Soup
WW Roll
Fruit Ambrosia

FALLON DAILY BREAD

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Meals are served Mondays and Thursdays from 5 - 6 p.m. All meals are subject to change. All are welcome.

Monday, May 4
Beef Stroganoff
Salad & Dessert

Thursday, May 7
Meatloaf
Potatoes & Veggies

Monday, May 11
Ham
French Toast & Fruit

Thursday, May 14
Sub Sandwiches
Chips & Fruit

Volunteer groups needed to help serve once per month, 3 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. Call for information.

OBITUARIES

KAREN RAE CLINE, "NAMA"

Feb. 27, 1953 – April 21, 2026



Karen Rae Cline, "Nama," 73, of Fallon, Nev., passed away peacefully on April 21, 2026, with her family by her side.

Born on Feb. 27, 1953, in San Jose, California, Karen was the beloved daughter of Ray Delaney and Faye Qualls. She was a devoted spouse to

Richard Cline and a loving mother to Jeff Cline, Tammi LeCave, and Chris Cline.

Karen was larger than life—a tiny woman with a huge heart and personality, a quick wit, and a laugh you could hear across the room. She never met a stranger, and if she did, they didn't stay one for long. Known for her sass, her honesty, and her ability to keep everyone on their toes, Karen brought energy and humor wherever she went.

She dedicated her life to her family, her many grandchildren and great-grandchildren, our country's active-duty military and veterans, and the American Legion Auxiliary. Nothing made her happier than watching her grandchildren play, learn, and grow—except maybe cheering on her Raiders with over-the-top enthusiasm. She had a gift for making people feel loved, welcomed, and especially like family.

She is survived by her children, Jeff Cline, Tammi (Larry) LeCave, and Chris (Lyndsey) Cline; her sisters, Connie Case and LaRae Sibley; 11 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Richard Cline; her mother, Faye Qualls; her father, Ray Delaney; her sister, Paula Jean; her brother-in-law, Jeff Sibley; and several close friends whom she considered family.

A memorial service will be held on May 9, 2026, at 11 a.m. at The Gardens in Fallon, Nev. A celebration of life will follow immediately after at the American Legion Post 16. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the American Legion Auxiliary.

If you knew Nama, you knew you were loved and eventually became another piece of her family.

She will be deeply missed and never forgotten.

FRANK ROBERT KROLL

Frank Robert Kroll, 72, longtime resident of Fallon, passed away April 15, 2026, of heart complications from a bacterial infection. He is predeceased by his parents, Robert and Wanda (Hill) Kroll, his sister, Karen (Kroll) Bane, and his brothers, Trent and James Kroll. He is survived by his wife, Mary, sister, Kate Kroll, son, Ronald (Becki) Kroll, and grandson, Jase Kroll, as well as many beloved nephews, nieces, in-laws, and cousins.

Frank was passionate, multi-faceted, and a self-trained expert in all his endeavors, be it boat and car racing, motor homing, gardening, cooking, hunting, or in his business. He managed these myriad interests all while treasuring his friendships, his family, and his beloved wife, Mary. With Frank, it was all or nothing. And you were included.

Frank had a long time love affair with speed. He came to his marriage in 1976 equipped with a '67 Chevelle and a '40s Willys. It was a package deal his wife was glad to accept that lasted nearly 50 years. A five-time world champion boat racer, Frank knew the edge and walked it naturally. Frank raced a multitude of cars, including the Willys, and thrilled audiences with his wheelies. Frank enjoyed the comradery of the many racing teams, especially his own racing team that included his son, Ron.

That love affair with speed began early in his life with his brother Trent as they worked on Trent's '56 Chevy and built his '32 Ford T-bucket roadster that started with a Moon Foot gas pedal placed with intention in their bedroom closet. When Frank played center in high school football, he was as speedy on his feet as he was later on asphalt and water.

Frank graduated from Churchill County High School in 1971. He was a hard worker during his high school years. Frank had his own patch of garden that he tended between football practice, milking cows, and building fast cars with his brother Trent. The corn from his garden ended up for sale in his Uncle Jack's Country Store in Fernley.

Frank was wicked smart. He could puzzle out a problem even if he had never seen it



before. This ability to troubleshoot stood him in good stead with his business as an electrical contractor. Frank and his son Ron opened and ran Lahontan Valley Electric in Fallon and the surrounding communities for nearly 40 years.

When Frank was not racing or wiring houses, he was an avid outdoorsman in hunting and fishing.

He enjoyed stream and lake fishing for trout and largemouth bass. He caught sturgeon and salmon in California's rivers and rockfish from the Pacific Ocean. He hunted big game such as elk, deer, and antelope in the farthest reaches of Nevada and Montana. Frank also went pig hunting with his nephew, Ronnie (any excuse for a road trip). The highlight of his hunting career was a safari in South Africa. He came home with trophy heads of five antelope species. During these journeys and adventures, Frank made many more friends in the hunting and fishing communities.

All this meat-gathering led Frank to further his BBQ and smoker finesse. He was an aficionado of meat and could cure it, brine it, grill it, smoke it — as long as it could be cooked outdoors, it was his delight to present the finest. He was so skilled that the ranchers at his grandson Jase's graduation party, all diehard beef eaters, said his BBQ chicken was the best they'd ever eaten.

Frank's interest was not only in meats. In his later years, his youthful passion for gardening turned into a carefully curated garden each year, which he used to complement his meals and to share with many. Every time someone visited, they left laden with sacks of vegetables, fruits, and herbs.

Frank was admired and loved by many. We will miss his sense of humor, his zest for life, his wisdom and timing, and his steadfast and comforting presence. We say, "Farewell and see you later," to our hero.

Please join us for services at Smith Family Funeral Home, 505 Rio Vista Drive, Fallon, Nevada, on May 1, 2026, at noon. There will be a viewing from 11 a.m. to noon. Refreshments and snacks will be provided following the service.

JOHN "STEVE" HANCOCK

Steve was born July 21, 1942, to John Henry Hancock and Constance Shirley Prentice, at a time when the United States was mobilizing for World War II, with families making sacrifices through rationing to preserve the liberty and freedom so deeply valued by this nation. Those ideals of patriotism, service, and love of country would remain with Steve throughout his life.

Steve carried a deep love for America, profound respect for those who protect our freedoms, and a true spirit of adventure. He loved his Harley-

Davidson motorcycles and treasured traveling the open roads of America—feeling the wind, seeing the country he loved, and embracing the freedom of the journey. For Steve, riding was more than a pastime; it was part of who he was—independent, spirited, and fully alive.

Steve lived a full and honorable life, rooted in family and service. He was a devoted husband, proud father and grandfather, loyal friend, and true American who leaves behind a legacy of hard work, devotion, and love.

After graduating from Churchill County High School in 1960, Steve attended trade school in Los Angeles before marrying the love of his life, Kathryn Elaine Boyd, in 1962. Together they built a beautiful life, first in Silver City, Nevada, and later on their 40-acre ranch in Fallon, where they raised their family and created a home filled with hard work and purpose.

Steve gave thirty years of dedicated service to the Nevada Highway Department before retiring in 1992. He believed in honest work,

dedication, and serving others. That same spirit led him to become a charter member of Churchill County Search and Rescue, which he helped form in 1967. He served his community with courage and humility for many years, including as Operations Officer during the 1983 Carson River flood, always answering the call when help was needed. His many years of service were recognized with an award, though those who knew Steve understood he never served for recognition—he served because it was simply who he was.

Steve also found joy in mentoring young people through the 4-H Equestrian Junior Riders program, sharing his knowledge, encouragement, and love of the outdoors with the next generation.

Steve and Kathy raised three children—John, Teresa, and Doug—who were among his greatest blessings. He cherished family traditions, especially the annual Christmas tree hunts, and could out-hike most people for the greater part of his life. He had a warm smile, pure honesty, and a steady presence that made others feel at home. Whether serving his community, riding the highways, or gathering with family, Steve lived with purpose and gratitude.

He will be remembered as a man of honesty, strength, adventure, and devotion—a husband who loved deeply, a father who led by example, a grandfather who adored his family, and a friend whose kindness will not be forgotten.

On April 15, 2026, Steve rode beyond the horizon. Though he has taken his final earthly journey, his love and legacy remain in every life he touched.

Until we see him again, in the next adventure, we will honor his legacy by the way we live.

TAMMY KAY (MOORE) SLATON

March 5, 1961 – April 24, 2026

Tammy Kay (Moore) Slaton was born in Reno, Nevada, to Lonnie and Janice Moore on March 5, 1961, as the first of three children. She spent her early years in Virginia City, where she enjoyed selling rocks to gullible tourists. At 7 years old, her family moved to Fallon, where she had lots of adventures with her siblings, Darin and Lani. Tammy devoted her life to the Lord at a young age and enjoyed her relationship with Jesus as He sourced every aspect of her life. She graduated from Churchill County High School in 1979 and, a few months later, married the love of her life, Paul Slaton. They welcomed their daughters, Rachel and Carmen, in 1981 and 1984. Tammy



was a homemaker who spent her time caring for their daughters.

She spent thirty years as a pastor's wife, pouring into the communities of Reno, Nevada; Los Alamos, New Mexico; and Sacramento, California, ending the last twenty-five years of ministry in

Fallon, Nevada. Her passions were worship, teaching, gardening in her yard, and spending time with her family, including her brothers and sisters in Christ. In her lifetime, she was a dedicated wife, mother, grandma, sister, daughter, and follower of Jesus. Tammy was truly a friend to all.

On April 24, 2026, at the age of 65, Tammy went home to be with Jesus, surrounded by loved ones, after losing her battle with cancer. She is preceded in death by her father, Lonnie Moore. She is survived by her husband of forty-six years, Paul Slaton; mother, Janice Moore; brother, Darin Moore; sister, Lani Moore; and children, Rachel (Nathan) Crary and Carmen (Mike) Stafford. She is also survived by seven grandchildren (Aria, Ayalyn, Asa, Asher, Mikey, DJ, and Micara). Tammy was loved and will be missed by those she has left behind.

Tammy's memorial service will be held Sunday, May 3, at 2 p.m. at the Fallon Church of the Nazarene, located at 1520 Grimes Street, Fallon, Nevada, with a potluck fellowship to follow the service.

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COMMUNITY

Young Chautauquans Bring Nevada History to Life

Staff Report

Seven young performers from fourth grade through high school brought Nevada history, humor, and grit to the stage Saturday, April 18, during the Young Chautauqua final performance at the Churchill County Museum. Museum Director Mel Glover served as master of ceremonies, introducing each student as they stepped into character for the Lahontan Valley Literacy & Artistic Society program.

This year's theme, "The Art of Storytelling", highlighted how history, imagination, and performance help connect generations. As the program's introduction noted, "Storytelling is one of the oldest and most powerful ways we connect with one another. It helps us understand the past, share perspectives, and inspire the future."

Students researched their historical figures for weeks, developing first-person monologues that blended fact, personality, and local color.

Mark Twain (Charlie Samaguey) opened the program with a lively account of his Nevada years from 1861-64 — from failed mining attempts to his early newspaper days in Virginia City. His retelling included sharp humor, a coyote anecdote straight from Twain's writings, and the duel challenge that ultimately sent him to San Francisco.

Laura Mills (Emma Slentz) followed with a warm portrait of the beloved Fallon teacher and photographer. She described Mills' early years, her one-room schoolhouse in Owyhee County, her strict but fair classroom style, and her award-winning iris photography that became a local hallmark.

Mary Walker Foster (Aspen Fisher) shared stories of a life spent behind the camera, from childhood adventures in Colorado to running photo studios in Ely and Fallon. Her monologue traced long days in the darkroom, photographing mines and miners, and raising three children while keeping the business afloat.

Robert Laxalt (Ander Fisher) recounted the Nevada author's journalism career, Basque heritage, and memorable assignment to Argentina for National Geographic. His story included being detained and questioned under military rule before traveling to the Pampas to document gaucho culture.



From left, Melody Plank, Charlie Samaguey, Valerie Antus, Andy Samaguey, Ander Fisher, Aspen Fisher, and Emma Slentz gather for the Young Chautauqua final performance Saturday at the Churchill County Museum. Photo by Lori Kaiser.

Georgie Sicking (Valerie Antus) delivered cowboy poetry and personal history with the humor and toughness that defined the famed Nevada cowgirl. She spoke about breaking horses as a child, leaving school to ranch full-time, writing poetry on paper bags, and becoming the first Nevada woman inducted into the National Cowgirl Hall of Fame.

Mary Nevada Walker Lambert (Melody Plank) reflected on growing up as a "Maine Street brat" in Fallon, helping her mother in her photo studio, and developing the work ethic that shaped her later career as an artist and writer. She shared memories of one-day photo development, childhood chores, and the lively rhythm of Main Street in the 1930s and '40s.

Firmin Bruner (Andy Samaguey) closed the program with a portrayal of the longtime local figure, rounding out a lineup that celebrated the region's storytellers, artists, and everyday history makers.

After the performances, the students took questions from the audience and shared what drew them to their historical figures. Several

said they were intrigued by names on the project list that had little or no information attached, prompting them to dig deeper into local history. Valerie Antus chose Georgie Sicking after noticing her name stood alone without dates or accomplishments, and later discovered that she was a cowboy poet and feminist icon.

Others selected their characters for personal interests, from military history to photography, or for their admiration of the resilience and creativity of the people they portrayed. Many said the research process was their favorite part, especially when local archives, family stories, and community connections helped bring their characters to life.

The museum's Young Chautauqua program emphasizes research, performance, and confidence-building, giving students a chance to embody the people who shaped Nevada's past. Glover thanked families and community members for supporting the performers and encouraged the audience to continue celebrating local history.

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"A Broadway Revue" Musical Coming Soon

By Sydney Trainor

Performing Arts of Churchill County will bring a lineup of familiar Broadway favorites to the stage beginning Saturday, May 9, with its upcoming production, "A Broadway Revue."

The show brings together a collection of well-known musical numbers performed by local artists. Selections include songs from "Chicago," "My Fair Lady," "Les Misérables," "Annie," and "Oklahoma!" and more, showcasing a range of styles and eras from the Broadway stage.

Performances will start in Yerington at the Jeanne Dini Center on Saturday, May 9 at 6 p.m. The show will then move to Fallon for two days of performances at the Barkley Theater inside the Oats Park Art Center, scheduled for Friday, May 15 at 7 p.m., and Saturday, May 16 at 1 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Tickets are available online at paccnv.org/tickets.html. Any remaining seats will be sold at the door.

America 250 Art Contest

By Sydney Trainor

The Nevada Mining Association is inviting students across the state to take part in an art contest tied to the national America 250 celebration, encouraging young artists to explore how mining has shaped Nevada and the country.

Participants will create original artworks that reflect the prompt, "How has mining in Nevada helped build America – and what does the future look like?" The contest is open to students K-12, and submissions are due May 15, with winners to be announced May 22.

The grand prize includes the opportunity to throw the first pitch at the Reno Aces' Mining Night game on June 27, along with suite tickets and a one-night hotel stay in Reno. An additional 15 students will have their work selected for a public exhibition.

Entries may include drawing, painting, mixed media, or digital art, and must be original work submitted with a short artist statement. Photography, AI-generated art, and copyrighted images are not accepted. Submissions must include the student's name, county, grade, artwork title, artist statement, and a photo or scan of the artwork.

For more information, visit nevadamining.org/america-250-art-contest.

BUSINESS

City Council Candidates Outline Priorities at CEDA Forum

By Rachel Dahl

Fallon City Council candidates Lori Norcutt and Ryan Swirczek shared their views on economic development, workforce training, and community growth during a candidate forum hosted last week by the Churchill Entrepreneur Development Association Business Council at the Fallon Convention Center.

The event, moderated by newly named CEDA board president Steve Ranson, focused on issues impacting local business and development as candidates seek the Ward 1 seat currently held by Councilwoman Kelly Frost, who is term-limited.

Two of the three candidates in the race, Norcutt and Swirczek, participated in the forum. Candidate Daniel Doty was unable to attend due to illness.

Throughout the discussion, both candidates emphasized the importance of collaboration among the city, CEDA, the Fallon Chamber of Commerce, and local businesses to support economic growth.

“I feel that they are here to help strengthen our local economy,” Norcutt said of CEDA and the Chamber. “Help small businesses with licensing, funding, and give them guidance on what they can do ... and keep in touch with them to help them continue to grow.”

Swirczek echoed that theme, pointing to partnerships as a key to maintaining Fallon’s business environment.

“When everyone works together, we can continue to grow in ways that support opportunity while preserving the qualities that make our city special,” he said.

Workforce development and career training emerged as a central topic, particularly in addressing labor shortages in skilled trades.

Norcutt emphasized the need to expand vocational education pathways, including programs in construction, HVAC, and mechanics.

“The blue-collar workforce is really hurting

right now,” she said. “If we can get students into certification programs right out of high school, it’s going to help our workforce and help keep our kids here.”

Swirczek drew on his twenty-five years in public works with the City of Fallon, highlighting the value of internship programs that connect students with real-world experience.

“I’ve had the opportunity to work with students ... and several have gone on to careers in public works and the Fallon Police Department,” he said. “By investing in our students today, we create a stronger workforce for tomorrow.”

Both candidates also stressed that supporting existing businesses is just as important as attracting new ones.

“It’s important to not forget the small businesses that we have now,” Norcutt said. “Talk to them, see what challenges they’re facing, and work with them.”

Swirczek added that maintaining a “clean, safe, and affordable” community is essential to both business retention and recruitment, as well as to continued partnerships with organizations such as CEDA and the Nevada Small Business Development Center.

When asked how CEDA could better communicate its programs, both candidates pointed to the need for more direct outreach.

Norcutt emphasized improving communication through updated websites, social media, and stronger relationships with local businesses.

“Word of mouth is big,” she said. “If your local businesses are doing great, that helps spread the message.”

Swirczek suggested expanding outreach through social media, email newsletters, workshops, and participation in community events.

“By staying visible, approachable, and engaged, CEDA can build stronger awareness and trust,” he said.

The candidates also addressed challenges related to nonprofit development and business

licensing, with both calling for clearer, more streamlined processes.

“I think it’s important to get feedback from current nonprofits to find out where the issues are,” Norcutt said, adding that simplifying procedures could help reduce barriers.

Swirczek proposed creating step-by-step guides and offering staff support to help applicants navigate permitting requirements.

“My goal would be to make Fallon a place where nonprofits can succeed and serve our community,” he said.

Housing and development pressures were also raised during audience questions, with both candidates acknowledging the challenges tied to growth.

Norcutt suggested reviewing permitting processes to reduce delays while maintaining infrastructure and community standards.

“It’s about balance,” she said. “Trying to make it easier for developers while keeping what we love about Fallon.”

Swirczek said he would work within existing city policies while looking for ways to support development.

“I believe in change, but if something is working, you don’t have to fix it,” he said.

Asked about their overall goals if elected, both candidates focused on service and accountability.

“My goal is to listen and be the people’s voice,” Norcutt said. “I can’t promise I can change everything, but I can promise you’ll be heard.”

Swirczek emphasized transparency and the need to maintain Fallon’s character.

“My goal would be to work for the people, to be transparent, and to make sure the city stays clean, safe, and the unique community we have today,” he said.

The forum was part of a broader effort to inform voters ahead of the upcoming election, with an additional candidate event planned for May 12 at 6 p.m. at the Convention Center.

Ribbon Cutting Marks Grand Opening of Wendy Helene Photography

Wendy Baker, owner of Wendy Helene Photography, cuts the ribbon with her husband, Nick, and daughter, Ember, during a ceremony celebrating the studio’s opening on Friday, April 17, at 131 South Maine Street, Suite 205, in Fallon. They were joined by friends, family, community members, and Chamber of Commerce ambassadors. Wendy Helene Photography is a licensed, insured, and published local business offering newborn, maternity, wedding, and family photography. Photo by Shania Brown.



Muse Tattoo Ribbon Cutting Marks Artistic Homecoming

Story and photo by Nancy Chapman

Family, friends, Chamber Ambassadors, and supporters gather with Amanda “Mandy” Olsen during the ribbon cutting celebration for Muse Tattoo on Monday, April 27, at her newly opened studio on South Maine Street. Olsen, a Fallon native who discovered her love of drawing before she learned to write, returned home after several years in Reno to build a creative future for herself and her two young sons. She opened Muse Tattoo in 2022 and has since developed a following for her custom realism, American traditional pieces, blackout work, and an extensive collection of flash designs. The ribbon cutting marked both a milestone for her business and a homecoming for an artist determined to grow her craft in the community that shaped her, transforming the once vacant building into a vibrant creative space.



LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Contract with Cooper Approved at School Board Meeting

Trustees also approve tentative budget for 2027

By Rachel Dahl

The Churchill County School District Board of Trustees last week approved a new contract for incoming Superintendent Blake Cooper and unanimously adopted the district's tentative budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2027.

Trustees voted unanimously to approve Cooper's contract following minor amendments discussed during the meeting. The agreement establishes a two-year term beginning July 1, 2026, and running through June 30, 2028, with a built-in review after the first year. Under the revised terms, the board will consider extending the contract by one or two additional years prior to July 1, 2027.

Board members also included a provision tying the superintendent's compensation adjustments to employee negotiations, specifying that if any bargaining unit does not receive a step increase in a given year, the superintendent would not receive one either.

Following the vote, Cooper addressed the board and community, emphasizing his connection to Fallon and the district.

"It's an absolute honor to be the next superintendent of Churchill County School District," Cooper said, noting his roles as a parent, community member, and educator. He said he plans to lead with those perspectives and is committed to working closely with staff and trustees while maintaining a focus on integrity and service to the community.

The board then turned its attention to the district's tentative budget, which was also approved unanimously after discussion. District staff described the document as a conservative, "worst-case scenario" plan designed to ensure financial stability amid ongoing uncertainty in state funding and enrollment trends.

Finance officials noted that the budget accounts for declining student enrollment and the loss of federal relief funds that had supported programs

in recent years. Trustees emphasized that the district has worked proactively over the past several years to align staffing and spending with enrollment levels, including limiting hiring to necessary positions and prioritizing core student services.

Administrators expressed confidence that the district is entering the next fiscal year on a stable footing, with one trustee noting Churchill County may be among the few districts in Nevada currently operating with a balanced budget.

At the same time, board members acknowledged potential financial pressures ahead. Projections indicate that fiscal year 2028 could present tighter conditions if spending is not carefully managed. Trustees emphasized the importance of continuing conservative budgeting practices to avoid future shortfalls.

Several factors contributing to uncertainty were discussed, including changes to state funding formulas and ongoing costs associated with special education, transportation, and support for at-risk students.

District officials highlighted recent changes in how the state determines funding for at-risk students, resulting in a reduction of approximately \$260,000 compared to the previous year. They also noted that districts are often required to provide services beyond the funding they receive, particularly in areas such as special education and English learner programs.

In addition, the district continues to manage rising operational costs, including fuel and expanded transportation services, while balancing the need to maintain programs valued by the community.

Staff explained that budgeting for a school district requires accounting for a wide range of potential variables, leading to conservative projections in areas such as special education transfers. While some line items may ultimately come in lower than budgeted, officials said the approach is

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Library Meeting Updates

By Sydney Trainor

The Churchill County Library Board of Trustees accepted the resignation of board member Jessica Rowe on April 23 while reviewing programming updates, funding, and community engagement efforts.

During public comment, Library Director John Hong read Rowe's resignation letter, in which she cited work obligations. "Serving on the Churchill County Library Board during the last two years has been such a meaningful and formative experience for me," the letter read, "I am deeply, deeply thankful for the opportunity to learn alongside and from this remarkable community."

The board also received updates on a \$27,000 Library Services and Technology Act grant that was approved and will fund new shelving, display equipment, and other materials expected to arrive in May. Trustees additionally reviewed the library's five-year plan, focusing on customer

service, partnerships, education, responsible growth, and community awareness. Members agreed that the plan remains relevant and requested an agenda item to review the director's evaluation process in the future.

Hong reported on expanded programming, introducing adult program librarian Magdalena Baer and highlighting author talks, adult craft events, science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics (STEAM) activities, and story times. He also noted ongoing facility improvements and plans to launch the Ancestry Library Edition database earlier than expected, with genealogy programming in development. Hong is also serving on the planning committee for a statewide library directors summit scheduled for May 13-15 at the University of Nevada, Reno's Lake Tahoe Campus.

Trustees shared positive feedback on recent programs, including the "Bad Art" series and growing demand for game nights. Sari Koehler

thanked the public for supporting the recent Meet the Director event.

Library staff also presented awards for the second annual bookmark design contest. All Churchill County School District schools, Oasis Academy, Logos Christian Academy, Veritas Preparatory School, Fallon Adventist Christian School, and the Naval Air Station Fallon Child Development Center participated. A new category was added this year for homeschool students and adult residents. Winning bookmarks are on display at the library.

The board approved the monthly budget report and library gift fund report for March 2026. Trustees also discussed whether the secretary position outlined in the bylaws is still necessary, given that minutes are now handled by county staff. Deputy District Attorney Cecilia Blue advised keeping the bylaws as-is, and the board voted to do so.

Fallon City Council Approves Gaming, Food Vendor Licenses at Packed Meeting

By Riggan Stonebarger

On Tuesday, April 21, the Fallon City Council approved multiple business license applications, including a nonrestricted gaming license for Boomers Sports Book LLC doing business at Stockman's Casino. The meeting drew a large turnout of local residents and business owners.

Council members asked the applicant, Joseph Asher, whether the sports book and race book operations would use clerks or machines. Asher said the business would use machines. The license was approved.

The council also approved a mobile food vendor license for George Chandler of Shijo's Grill LLC. Councilwoman Kent asked whether the "permitted locations" listed in the application referred to areas where food trucks are allowed. City Attorney Trevor DeBraga clarified that the language identifies areas where food trucks are prohibited.

A second mobile food vendor license request, submitted by David Colburn for DNC Enterprises LLC doing business as Battle Born Ice Cream, passed with little discussion. Mayor Tedford noted that while he grew up with ice cream trucks and appreciates the idea, safety must remain the No. 1 priority. City ordinances prohibit food trucks from driving through residential neighborhoods.

Council then considered the possible abandonment of approximately 3,812 square feet of city-owned easement on both sides of Timber Way at the intersection of Keddie Street.

The council also approved the terms of engagement with the city's designated auditor, Silva, Sceirine & Associates LLC, to conduct the annual audit for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, at a cost of \$98,000.

The meeting concluded with council and staff reports. The next Fallon City Council meeting is scheduled for May 5 at 9 a.m.

CNRWA Approves New Data Center Water Disclosure Policy

By Sydney Trainor

The Central Nevada Regional Water Authority (CNRWA) approved a new policy April 17 requiring data centers to disclose how much water they use and where that water comes from, a move aimed at improving transparency as the facilities expand across the state.

Board members said the policy focuses strictly on water use, not on whether data centers are good or bad. CNRWA Executive Director Jeff Fontaine said it is often unclear how much total water these facilities use, including cooling systems, energy use, and manufacturing.

Laurel Saito, Nevada water strategy director for the Nature Conservancy, suggested adding language requiring identification of water sources. Norm Frey raised concerns about unclear sourcing and possible effects on downstream users, warning that companies could buy up water rights.

Commissioner Mancebo moved to approve the policy, adding the requirement to identify water sources, and the board unanimously approved it. Members also supported sending it to counties as a template for local implementation.

Newly appointed Nevada state engineer Joe Cacioppo provided an update on the Division of Water Resources. Cacioppo began his role March 30 after previously working as a principal civil engineer at Resource Concepts Inc. and serving on the Carson City School Board.

He said the division faces staffing shortages

and a long backlog of water rights applications. The department has about 15 vacancies and more than 2,000 pending applications, which can take months to more than a year to process.

Cacioppo said his priorities include "responsible communication... more transparency and just overall efficiency."

Legislative issues also came up, with members outlining topics likely to surface in the next session. Fontaine said the CNRWA legislative working group is focusing on issues that can realistically move forward, including finding a funding source for water rights retirement programs that currently have no funding.

He also raised concerns about potential tax impacts tied to those programs. Fontaine said there may be interest in bringing back legislation related to nonconsumptive water use, which would require permits for uses such as geothermal systems or lithium projects, even if water is returned to the source.

The board also discussed several active working groups, including the Joint Interim Standing Committee on Natural Resources, the Nevada Water Law Working Group and a governor's office group focused on improving efficiency and reducing application backlogs. Data centers were again mentioned as a growing concern due to the demand for both water and energy.

The board addressed monitoring, management and mitigation plans, known as 3M plans, which are used to track and respond to water impacts

from projects. These plans are often required by federal agencies during environmental reviews and may also be required by the state engineer for certain water applications.

Fontaine said 3M plans are meant to address unknown impacts but should not be used to approve projects when conflicts with existing water rights are already known. Under Nevada law, projects cannot be approved if they conflict with existing water rights, even if a mitigation plan is in place.

Members also noted that 3M plans can place a burden on existing water users and often lack clear standards.

The board approved its fiscal year 2026-2027 budget, which stays mostly the same as last year. Adjustments include increases for legal services and government affairs work as members prepare for the next legislative session.

Additional updates included a report on recent water rights applications filed with the state. The board also received an update on an appeal tied to a proposed pipeline project in Utah that would move water across basins.

Members discussed how pumping and transfers related to the project could affect groundwater levels in Nevada basins, specifically areas in White Pine County.

The board also discussed a possible shift to a flat fee contract for administrative services, which will be considered at a future meeting. The next CNRWA meeting is scheduled for July 24.

COURT

Tenth Judicial District Court

The Tenth Judicial District Court convened Tuesday, April 21, with Judge William Maddox presiding.

By Teresa Moon

Jason Manuel Rothert appeared for sentencing on the Category C felony of Non-support of a Spouse, Former Spouse, or a Child, to which he pleaded guilty in September 2024.

Deputy District Attorney Priscilla Baker told Judge Maddox the defendant has made his monthly payments; therefore, Rothert was allowed to withdraw his plea to the Category C felony. An amended information was filed, changing the charge to a gross misdemeanor of Conspiracy to Commit Non-support of a Child, to which the defendant pleaded guilty.

Baker noted Rothert has "exceeded the agreement of paying on time and in full for over a year." The State asked for probation with an underlying sentence of 364 days in the Churchill County Jail.

Churchill County Alternate Public Defender Wright Noel agreed with the State, saying his client has made all his payments and has made significant changes in his life. The defense also requested a suspended sentence.

Rothert gave a detailed explanation of the history of the case to Judge Maddox, who found a factual basis for the charge.

Judge Maddox sentenced Rothert to 30 days in jail, suspended, and placed him on probation for 12 months with the condition that he continue to make timely payments.

Justin Poindexter, in custody, pleaded guilty to Non-support of a Spouse, Former Spouse, or a Child, a Category C felony punishable by 1-5 years in prison and a fine up to \$10,000.

As agreed in the plea agreement, both the State and the defense requested that sentencing be set for one year. If, during that time, the defendant makes consistent payments as set by the court, the charge may be amended to a gross misdemeanor.

Judge Maddox set sentencing for April 27, 2027, to allow Poindexter to demonstrate consistent child support payments and ordered Poindexter to be released on his own recognizance.

Teasha Marie Arrich-Rupley, in custody, pleaded guilty to two gross misdemeanor counts.

Count I – Battery on an Officer, Provider of Health Care, School Employee, Taxicab Driver, Transit Operator, or Sports Official. Count II – Abuse, Neglect, or Endangerment of a Child not causing substantial physical or mental harm. Each count is punishable by up to 364 days in the Churchill County Jail and a fine of up to \$2,000, and may run concurrently or consecutively.

Churchill County Public Defender Jacob Sommer addressed his client's custodial status, noting Arrich-Rupley has been in custody since January 28. He requested that she be released and provisionally placed into the Western Nevada Regional Specialty Court with Court Services supervision.

Senior Deputy District Attorney Chelsea Sanford agreed with Sommer's recommendation, stating that based on the totality of the circumstances, the state supports provisional placement in Specialty Court.

Judge Maddox granted the request and provisionally placed Arrich-Rupley in Specialty Court, ordered a PSI, and set sentencing for June 23.

Daniel Alexander Dinwiddie-Porter, in custody, pleaded guilty to Possession of a Controlled or Prohibited Substance (methamphetamine), a Category E felony punishable by 1-4 years in prison and a fine of up to \$5,000.

Judge Maddox set sentencing for May 19 and provisionally placed Dinwiddie-Porter into the Western Nevada Regional Specialty Court program.

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necessary to avoid financial shortfalls during the year.

Trustees also pointed to efforts to improve financial management practices, including leveraging district funds to generate additional interest revenue and increasing transparency in the budgeting process.

Overall, board members described the tentative budget as a responsible plan that reflects both current realities and long-term challenges facing public education funding in Nevada.

"This is solid information," Superintendent Derild Parsons told the board, adding that the district has moved toward more reliable and transparent financial planning.

The budget approval represents an early step in the process, with additional opportunities for review and refinement before final adoption later this year.

Together, the contract approval and budget adoption signal a period of transition for the district, pairing new leadership with a continued emphasis on cautious financial management as schools navigate changing enrollment, funding structures, and rising costs.

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Justice Court

New River Township Justice Court in Fallon convened for a short calendar on Thursday, April 26, before Justice Court Judge Benjamin Trotter.

By Leanna Lehman

Joshua Douglas Elderton appeared for arraignment on three misdemeanor counts: Driving While License Suspended, Revoked, or Canceled; No Proof of Insurance; and Unregistered Vehicle. Each charge is punishable by up to six months in jail and a fine of up to \$1,000. Elderton pleaded no contest to all three counts.

During sentencing, Deputy District Attorney Priscilla Baker advised the court that the defendant was previously convicted in multiple cases and had received suspended sentences conditioned on no new criminal violations. Based on the new charges, the state requested that those suspended sentences be revoked and additional time imposed.

Elderton told the court he drove because his wife called and asked him to pick her up. He made it clear he knew he shouldn't have been driving and said there was no good excuse for it. He then added that he believed the situation was set up and said that while he was in jail, his wife took property from his home.

He requested the opportunity to obtain counsel after learning jail time was being considered; however, Judge Benjamin Trotter found the plea was entered knowingly and denied the request to withdraw it.

Judge Trotter sentenced Elderton to 180 days in jail, suspended for two years, on the condition that he does not drive without a valid license. On the remaining counts, the court imposed fines totaling \$855.

The court also ordered \$440 in previously suspended fines from a prior case to be reinstated. A separate prior suspended sentence of 180 days remains in effect, with the condition that Elderton complete his remaining community service hours and commit no new violations.

Judge Trotter warned Elderton that any future violations could result in more than one year of jail time being imposed consecutively.

Miles C. Miner, in custody, appeared via Zoom for an initial hearing on three gross misdemeanor counts: Unlawful Occupancy of Real Property, Indecent or Obscene Exposure, First Offense, and Destroy or Injure Real or Personal Property of Another. Each is punishable by up to 364 days in the Churchill County Jail and a fine of up to \$2,000.

Miner, who was arrested on March 3, waived formal arraignment after reviewing his rights with counsel.

Churchill County Public Defender Jacob Sommer requested release on his own recognizance, noting Miner has been in custody since his arrest and has family traveling from Redding, California, to take him into their care.

Senior Deputy District Attorney Chelsea Sanford did not object, provided Miner is released to a responsible party.

Judge Benjamin Trotter granted the request and ordered Miner released on his own recognizance to the custody of a responsible party. Miner must appear for all hearings, maintain weekly contact with counsel, and check in daily with Court Services by phone.

Judge Trotter set a status hearing for May 14, 2026, with permission for Miner to appear via Zoom.

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EDUCATION

CCSD Cool School News

By Kaitlin Ritchie with photos courtesy of CCSD



Steve Johnson and his Chem 122 students from Churchill County High School tour the University of Nevada, Reno's nuclear science facilities during a visit led by CCHS graduate Jade Beland, far left.

CCHS

Students from Steve Johnson's Chem 122 course attended a nuclear science tour at the University of Nevada, Reno. They observed how a scanning electron microscope is used to assess the effectiveness of nuclear waste encapsulation and toured four laboratories dedicated to making nuclear power safer. "Our tour guide was our very own Jade Beland, a 2020 graduate of CCHS who is now working on her Ph.D. in nuclear waste management," Johnson said. "It was incredibly special to see a former student leading my current students through this experience. It was a full-circle moment and truly amazing to witness."

CCMS

Churchill County Middle School proudly celebrated the Month of the Military Child with meaningful events that honored the strength, resilience, and connections of military students. During a special movie day at the Fallon Theatre, military students were invited to bring a guest, creating a fun, inclusive opportunity to celebrate together as military kids and share the experience with a friend. In addition to this celebration, students participated in Purple Up Day, showing visible support across campus. The celebration continued with a schoolwide dance on April 23, where students showed up dressed to the nines and filled the cafeteria with energy, laughter, and impressive dance moves. "A heartfelt thank you goes to our Purple Star Committee, Student Council, and dedicated staff for creating such memorable opportunities to recognize and celebrate our military-connected students," Principal Dr. Deana Porretta said.

NUMA

Students in Vickie Purrell's class were introduced to the unit Chemical Change by completing an investigation on milk and soda. Students created a hypothesis on what would occur if 20 mL of whole milk were added to a bottle of Coca-Cola. Every 10 minutes, students made observations and recorded them on their data sheets. On day two, students made a final observation. Students then researched the properties of milk and Coca-Cola and predicted what could have created the substance found after 24 hours.

Next week, students will share their findings and conclude whether two edible substances can combine to create an inedible substance.

E.C. BEST

Kirsten Perez's class brought learning to life this April, focusing on all things plants. Students observed the germination process firsthand by soaking bean seeds, placing them in a sunny window, and watching closely as new growth emerged. Students also started a garden just outside their classroom, planting a variety of vegetable seeds in growing containers. As the week progressed, students continued the process by assembling a garden bed and preparing to transplant their sprouts, turning the lesson into a thriving outdoor learning space.

LAHONTAN

April was a month full of meaningful experiences for students in Monica Franks' kindergarten class. During Ag Day, students explored the important role agriculture plays in our local community, gaining a deeper appreciation for an industry that surrounds them every day. The excitement continued with a field trip to the Terry Lee Wells Nevada Discovery Museum, where students spent the day exploring, experimenting, and fully immersing themselves in discovery through interactive exhibits. It was a month that sparked curiosity, connection, and a genuine love of learning. Northside Early Learning Center Families were recently welcomed into a pre-K art gallery hosted by Octavia Merritt and Montana Koplun, where young artists proudly showcased their original creations. During the event, parents had the opportunity to "purchase" their child's unique paintings using playful, pretend currency. The gallery highlighted the importance of child-created art in early learning, giving students a meaningful way to express their thoughts, feelings, and ideas beyond words. Through the creative process, students built confidence, independence, and essential developmental skills, all while embracing imagination and individuality. By focusing on creativity over perfection, the event allowed each child to take pride in their work and share a glimpse of their personality with those who matter most.

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EDUCATION

Bighorn Bulletin

By Angela Viera, with photos courtesy of Oasis Academy.

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT: ELIZA DERVO

The path to graduation has been more than just academic for senior Eliza Dervo; it's been transformational. Graduating with both her high school diploma and an Associate of Science degree from Western Nevada College, Dervo leaves Oasis with an impressive academic record and a deep appreciation for learning — something she admits wasn't always the case.



Oasis Academy Eliza Dervo.

"When I started at Oasis, I had very low self-esteem, I hated school, and I didn't believe I was capable of accomplishing much of anything," she said.

That perspective quickly shifted thanks to the supportive environment she found.

"This school is full of teachers who care about their students, not just their paycheck," she said. "Patience, kindness, and sincerity are carried in their voices and in their classrooms. It was exactly what I needed to flourish. I went from getting almost all Fs to getting almost all As."

One of her favorite memories captures the simple joys of her time at Oasis.

"My favorite memory at Oasis is getting to do schoolwork outside," Dervo said.

Her passion for understanding the world led her to her favorite class, an anthropology course at Western Nevada College.

"I loved the anthropology course I took at WNC because it contained topics of early human evolution and early human culture. I've always believed modern-day life is anything but natural, so I really enjoyed getting to examine the culture and natural lifestyles of early humans," she explained.

The class also made her further examine humanity.

"Since taking this class I have devised a question: Are we really living unnaturally if invention is what comes natural to us? Would it be better for our minds and bodies to live as we did in early human history, or are we designed to live in a world generations of human thought built for us?" she said.

Outside the classroom, she immersed herself in hands-on learning opportunities. She attended Nevada Youth Range Camp in both 2024 and 2025, studying the state's diverse ecosystems. Her dedication earned her the Trail Boss award and an impressive 104% score on the plant identification test.

Dervo also participated in INBRE, conducting biomedical research on cyclooxygenase in M2a

macrophages and presenting her team's findings at a conference in Las Vegas.

Dervo especially wanted to express her gratitude to one Oasis Academy staff member.

"With my whole heart, I would like to thank Counselor Andy Lenon for what he has done for me and the entire school body," she said. "If it wasn't for Mr. Lenon I would not be the student I am today."

She credits his patience and understanding for helping her find confidence in an academic setting.

"Because of Mr. Lenon, I have the drive and confidence to chase dreams of societal and environmental improvement," she said.

As she prepares to graduate, she leaves future students with thoughtful advice.

"Learning to love learning and appreciate knowledge is a process, but it is a process worth enduring. I urge you to view every event, every simple interaction you have throughout your day, as an opportunity to learn," she said.

After graduation, Dervo plans to attend Humboldt Cal Poly Tech, where she will major in environmental science and management with a concentration in energy and climate. She is also considering double-majoring in biochemistry.

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT: NEVEAH ROUTT

Senior Neveah Routt has been attending Oasis Academy since first grade. The senior has many memories from her long tenure at Oasis, but one stands out.

"Going to Disneyland with the High School Student Council is my favorite memory," she said.

Routt describes her overall time at Oasis as nice.

Throughout her time at school, she found enjoyment in hands-on learning, especially in ceramics.

"Ceramics was my favorite class because it was fun," Routt said.

She did not have a particular teacher in mind to thank, but was appreciative of all who helped her along the way.

"I'd like to say thank you to all of my teachers I've ever had," she said.

After graduation, she plans to serve her country by joining the Army National Guard, a path that reflects both commitment and courage.

As she prepares for the future, she offers simple but meaningful advice to younger students.

"Take advantage of all opportunities given to you," she said.

OASIS ACADEMY STUDENTS SHOW SUPPORT ON PURPLE UP DAY

Students and staff at Oasis Academy came together in a sea of purple on April 16 to celebrate Purple Up Day, a nationwide effort to honor military-connected students and their families. The day served as a meaningful reminder of the unique challenges and sacrifices made by those who serve their families.

Held each April, Purple Up Day is part of the Month of the Military Child, a time dedicated to recognizing the strength, resilience, and contributions of children in military families. Throughout the month, communities across the country take time to acknowledge the important role these students play as they navigate frequent moves, family separations, and the uncertainties of military life.

At Oasis Academy, classrooms, hallways, and common areas were filled with shades of purple as students and staff proudly participated by wearing the symbolic color. Purple represents all branches of the military, combining the colors of each service into one unified show of support.

In addition to wearing purple, Oasis Academy recognized the military-connected students. These students were presented with small tokens of appreciation, including yo-yos and bracelets, to acknowledge their resilience and the sacrifices their families make.

"Being a Purple Star School near Naval Air Station Fallon isn't just a title; it shapes the day-to-day culture of the school in a very real way because our school serves a large number of students who are stationed at the base," said Dane Nott, K-12 school leader.

"As a Purple Star School, we can actively appreciate the sacrifice of our local military families by offering unwavering support, build awareness of military life realities, and provide a welcoming community for their children," Nott said.



Shannon Gracia, Teagan Lienhardt, Charlotte Coombs, Spencer Hampton, Lily Laue, and Colton Franks.

Weekly Highlights at Logos Christian Academy

By Brenna Goings with photos courtesy of Logos.



Logos Christian Academy students stand in front of the black bear exhibit at Animal Ark.

"God saw all that he had made, and behold, it was very good," from Genesis 1:31, set the tone for Logos Christian Academy's 4K through second-grade field trip to Animal Ark in North Reno. Students spent the day learning about wildlife and observing animals up close, including a black bear and a tiger, while exploring the outdoor exhibits with classmates and teachers. The visit offered a hands-on opportunity to appreciate the wonder of God's creation and enjoy time together outside the classroom.



A Bengal tiger walks through its exhibit at Animal Ark during a field trip for Logos Christian Academy students.

Veritas Preparatory School

Classical and Christian

By Gretchen Felte

Students, families, and supporters of Veritas Preparatory School gathered on Saturday, April 18, at the Churchill County High School track for a high-energy walk-a-thon fundraiser — an event that combined school spirit, friendly competition, and a shared vision for the school's future.

The goal of the walkathon was clear: to raise funds for new classroom space as Veritas continues to grow. With several classes already at or near capacity, the need for expansion has become increasingly urgent. The planned additions will provide a larger, dedicated space for the seventh- and eighth-grade class and allow the current third/fourth-grade combination class to split into two separate grade-level classrooms.

The event drew an enthusiastic crowd, with 57 students participating alongside siblings, parents, and other family members. Over the course of two hours, students walked an impressive 964 laps, covering a combined total of 241 miles.

Through donations and pledges, the walkathon raised more than \$18,000, bringing the school one step closer to its goal of expanding its facilities and serving more students.

Adding to the excitement, the Unite Parent Group organized a variety of themed laps and activities to keep students engaged throughout the event. These special laps brought energy and laughter to the track, transforming the fundraiser into a memorable day for all involved.

Students participated in activities such as tossing reusable water balls, spraying with squirt guns, balancing candy on spoons, completing timed races, and playing a lively game of limbo. The variety of activities kept spirits high and encouraged students to keep moving.

Several students distinguished themselves with impressive individual achievements. Seventh-grader Addie Munoz recorded the fastest time in the 400-meter race, finishing in 1 minute, 20 seconds, while also completing 33 total laps. Meanwhile, fifth-grader Clara Ernst logged the most laps of any participant, completing 46 laps — a total of 11.5 miles — over the two-hour event.

Additionally, several students raised more than \$1,000 on their own, with some reaching \$1,500. Their efforts, along with those of their classmates, reflected determination, endurance, and a strong sense of purpose.

The success of the walkathon highlights the strength and unity of the Veritas community. As the school continues to grow, events like this play a vital role in supporting its mission and ensuring that students have the space and resources they need to thrive.

With full hearts and tired feet, participants left the track knowing they had contributed to something meaningful — helping build the future of Veritas Preparatory School, one lap at a time.

SPORTS

Greenwave to Host Regional Tournament Series This Weekend



Fallon's Kanani Mauga delivers a pitch during the second game of a doubleheader against Fernley on April 22.

By Robert Perea

Two wins in Fernley last week earned the Churchill County High School softball team the home-field advantage for the first round of the 3A Northern Region Tournament.

The Greenwave beat Fernley 19-18 on April 21, then came from behind to win the second game of the April 22 doubleheader, 21-14, in eight innings. That earned the Greenwave the No. 3 seed from the Northern 3A East Division with a 7-8 record.

As the No. 3 seed, the Greenwave will host a best-of-3 series against Debbie Smith Academy, the No. 4 seed from the West Division. The first two games of the series will be played on Friday, starting at 1 p.m., with the third game, if necessary, at 10 a.m. Saturday.

Fallon coach Kasey Chu said the performance at Fernley was good for her team's confidence. The Greenwave had been outscored 41-15 while being swept by Lowry in a three-game series the previous weekend.

"We had a rough weekend last weekend, so it's good for the girls to go into the playoff series with this," Chu said.

In the first game of the Fernley series, four different players hit home runs as the Greenwave overcame a pair of 7-run deficits. Trailing 9-2, the Greenwave scored four runs in the top of the fourth inning, capped by a 3-run homer by Kanani Mauga to get within 9-6.

A grand slam by Fernley's Janessa Robinson in the bottom of the fourth

made it 13-6, but Jocelyn Pimentel, Audrey Fruzza, and Kalaya Downs each homered in the top of the sixth as Fallon took a 16-13 lead with a 10-run rally. Fallon scored three more runs in the top of the seventh inning to take a 19-14 lead, but Fernley's rally in the bottom of the seventh came up a run short, in part because Mauga threw out a runner at home plate.

Fernley won the first game of the next day's doubleheader 18-6, doing most of its damage with six runs in the first inning and nine in the fourth.

In the second game of the doubleheader, Fallon again came back from a 7-run deficit. Fernley led 10-3 after four innings, but Fallon scored once in the top of the fifth, then exploded for nine runs in the sixth inning. Fruzza, Downs, and Peyton Prinz had key hits to help start the rally, and the Greenwave took advantage of two Fernley errors and a bases-loaded walk to finish it with a 13-10 lead.

Fallon took a 14-10 lead into the bottom of the seventh inning, but Fernley scored four times to tie the game at 14-14 and force extra innings.

Fruzza hit a 2-run home run in the top of the eighth to regain the lead for Fallon, and Prinz punctuated the 7-run rally with a 3-run homer.

"We've had quite a few injuries throughout the season, so we've had some JV kids really step up," Chu said. "Peyton has really stepped up and helped us out a lot."

The winner of this week's best-of-3 series moves into the 8-team double-elimination bracket May 7-9 in Dayton, where they will face West. No. 2 Truckee at 8 a.m. on May 7.

A year ago, Fernley turned the East No. 3 seed into a state championship run. Fallon is now aiming to follow the same route.

"You never know, that's what happened last year," Chu said. "Anyone can win a softball game on any day. It depends on who shows up."



Fallon coach Kasey Chu talks to her infielders during a timeout in the second game of a doubleheader against Fernley on April 22. Photos by Robert Perea.

Stix Lee Earns Top Score at Fallon High School Rodeo



Fallon's Stix Lee competes in the reined cow horse event during the Fallon High School Rodeo, April 18, 2026. Lee earned third place in the event average. Photos by John Baker.



Fallon's Stix Lee earns third place in the boys' cutting competition at the Fallon High School Rodeo, held on April 18, 2026.

By Nancy Chapman

As part of the Fallon High School Rodeo (FHSR), April 18-20, high school and junior high school rodeo athletes from across the state competed in the Reined Cow Horse and Cutting events, which took place on Friday, April 18.

Both events were born out of working ranch traditions, each testing different skills and partnerships between horse, rider, and cattle.

In cutting, the goal is simple: separate one cow

from a herd and keep it from returning.

The reined cow horse competition is more complex. The three-part event includes reining the horse to stop patterns such as circles, spins, and sliding stops; boxing, which involves controlling a cow at one end of the arena; and fence work, in which the horse and rider drive the cow down the fence and turn it at speed.

The Reined Cow Horse event was introduced into high school rodeo in Nevada in 2014-2015 season after being approved by the National High

School Rodeo Association.

The Fallon High School Rodeo Club has seen its share of talented riders. This year, making a top showing for Fallon was Stix Lee, who earned third-place rankings in the boys' cutting competition and in the reined cow horse event average.

Check out last week's edition for the full FHSR results and rankings, where ten local rodeo athletes placed in the top five across multiple junior and high school events.

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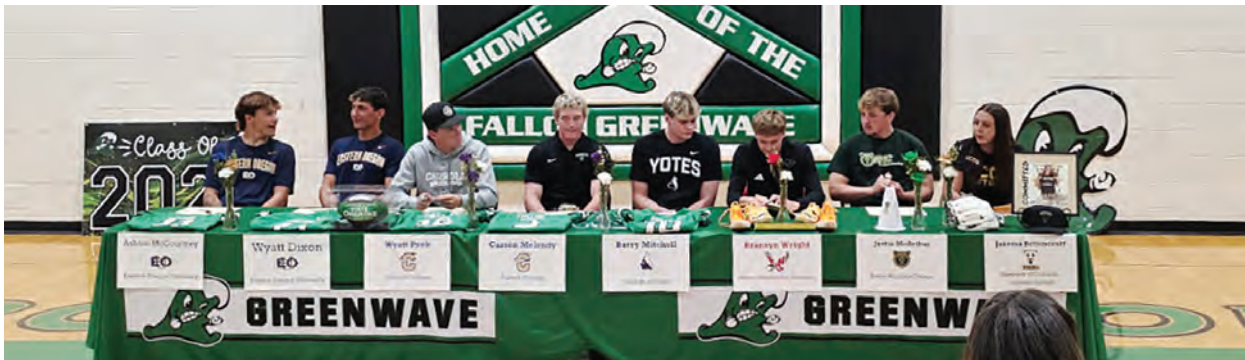
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SPORTS

Greenwave Athletes Make it Official on Signing Day



Athletes at the Churchill County signing table, from left, are Ashton McCourtney (football), Wyatt Dixon (football), Wyatt Peek (football), Carson Melendy (football), Barry Mitchell (football), Bransyn Wright (track and field), Justin McArthur (cheer), and Janessa Bettencourt (softball). Photo courtesy of Nevena Kaiser.

Staff Report

Churchill County High School celebrated a new class of college-bound athletes Thursday as families, coaches, and teammates gathered in the gym for an afternoon signing ceremony recognizing students who are committing to compete at the next level.

The event, held on April 23 at 3:15 p.m., highlighted the academic discipline, training, and community support behind each athlete's achievement. Athletic Director Brian Mello opened the ceremony by noting that signing a letter of intent "is more than a commitment to playing a sport. It's a reflection of years of discipline, resilience and passion" and the "early mornings, late nights and sacrifices" that led to the moment.

Coaches from multiple programs spoke, offering short tributes to their athletes' work ethic and leadership.

Football Calvin Conners thanked families and supporters, calling the signings a milestone for a group that helped rebuild the program. He said the athletes "set the foundation for future

Greenwave athletes" and helped advance a vision that began when the staff took over two years ago.

Coach Sean Lacow recognized senior Bransyn Wright for his versatility and commitment, praising his ability to adapt to demanding training cycles and excel in multiple events. One coach described Wright as "a leader that has skill and passion," adding that Eastern Washington University is "going to get a man that is very qualified in sprinting [and] jumping."

Coaches also honored athletes in cheer,

softball, and other programs, noting their growth, leadership, and contributions to younger teammates. Cheer coach Darlene Robinson described Justin McArthur as someone who "doesn't want to be out front, but when it's time to take care of business, he does."

Families were invited to join the athletes at the signing tables for photos, followed by dessert and time to celebrate.



Justin McArthur sits at the signing table as cheer coach Darlene Robinson leans on his shoulder. Photo courtesy of Nevena Kaiser.

Churchill County Signing Day Scoreboard

FOOTBALL

- Ashton McCourtney — Eastern Oregon University
- Wyatt Dixon — Eastern Oregon University
- Wyatt Peek — Carroll College
- Carson Melendy — Carroll College
- Barry Mitchell — College of Idaho

TRACK & FIELD

- Bransyn Wright — Eastern Washington University

SOFTBALL

- Janessa Bettencourt — University of Colorado, Colorado Springs

CHEER

- Justin McArthur — Rocky Mountain College (Montana)



Barry Mitchell sits at the signing table, with his family standing behind him, from left: sister Brooke, father Tim, and mother Jenny. Photo courtesy of Julie Richards.

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COLUMNS

What's Cooking in Kelli's Kitchen:

Skillet Gnocchi with Asparagus and Miso Butter

By Kelli Kelly

If you've ever taken a look at my pantry, you might reasonably conclude that I'm preparing for a long-term, bean-forward future. There are beans for soups, beans for salads, beans for meals that start as one thing and quietly become another. It's a system. It's an obsession. It's also, if we're being honest, a bit of a pattern.



Kelli Kelly, Slinger of Produce. Slurper of Dumplings. Person of the Bean.

If you know me, you know that I love legumes.

But what you may not know is that there's another shelf-stable ingredient I reach for almost as often when I want something fast, flexible, and a little more comforting.

Enter Gnocchi ... Think of gnocchi as small, soft pillows of potato-based dough. When cooked, they're tender and a little chewy. When pan-seared, they crisp up on the outside while staying soft in the center. Either way, they land squarely in the category of uncomplicated, satisfying food.

If you've only had gnocchi fresh or frozen, the shelf-stable version might seem like a compromise. It isn't.

A package can sit quietly on the shelf for months, waiting for the night when dinner needs to come together without much planning. And when that night comes, gnocchi delivers.

Shelf-stable gnocchi is fully cooked, and that's the key. You're not building dinner from scratch; you are finishing. That means dinner can look a few different ways depending on how much time and energy you have:

- Boiled and tossed with olive oil, garlic, and whatever greens are still in the fridge
- Pan-crisped until golden on the outside, soft in the center
- Simmered or baked directly in sauce, where it absorbs flavor and anchors the dish

It's forgiving. Hard to overthink. And it pairs well with almost anything you already have.

Once you start keeping gnocchi on hand, the next question is what to build around it. The short answer is almost anything. It's a good anchor for both pantry and fridge ingredients, especially the ones that tend to linger

until you figure out what to do with them.

Olive oil, butter, and garlic are the baseline. From there, it opens up. A spoonful of miso adds depth. A jar of tomato sauce turns it into dinner. Red pepper flakes, dried herbs, or anchovies can shift the direction quickly without much effort. And yes, this is where the beans come back in.

White beans or chickpeas can stretch a skillet of gnocchi into something more substantial, adding protein and making it feel like a complete meal rather than a side.

It also works well with the odds and ends in the fridge. Greens like spinach or kale wilt right in. A handful of herbs changes the whole tone. That half-used block of cheese melts into a sauce or finishes a baked dish. Seasonal vegetables, like asparagus in the spring or roasted squash later in the year, give it some structure and keep it from feeling repetitive.

A simple way to think about it: something rich, something bright, something with texture.

Gnocchi takes care of the base. The rest is flexible.

Ingredients:

- 1 tbsp. Vegetable oil
- 1 package Shelf-stable potato gnocchi
- 4 tbsp. Unsalted butter, softened
- 2 tbsp. White miso
- 2 tsp. Sherry vinegar
- Black pepper
- 1 bunch Asparagus, trimmed and cut into 1/2-inch pieces
- Salt
- 2 cups Baby arugula

DIRECTIONS

1. In a large nonstick or cast-iron skillet, heat the oil over medium-high. Break apart the gnocchi and add to the skillet in an even layer. Cover and cook, undisturbed, until the gnocchi are golden brown and no longer sticking to the skillet, 4-ish minutes.
2. Meanwhile, in a small bowl, smash together the butter, miso, vinegar, and some black pepper.
3. Add the asparagus to the skillet and season with salt. Cook, stirring occasionally, until the asparagus are bright green and crisp-tender (2-3 minutes). Turn off the heat and add the miso butter in spoonfuls. Stir until the butter has melted and the gnocchi are glossy with sauce. Season to taste with salt and pepper, then stir in the arugula until combined. Serve right away!

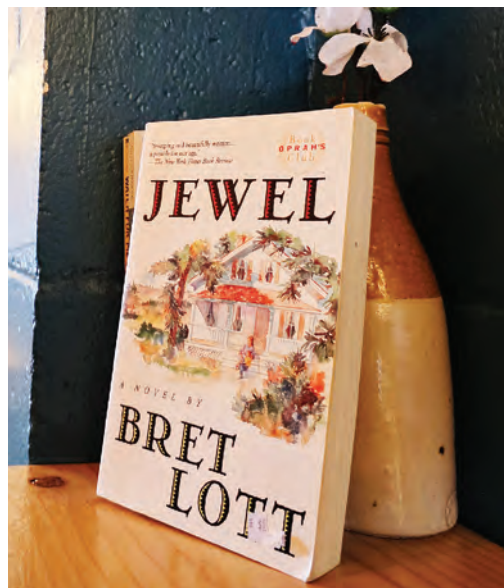
Allison's Book Report: "Jewel" by Brett Lott

By Allison Diegel

I was hanging out with my kids at Rush Coffee last week when a familiar book on one of their counters caught my eye. I first read "Jewel" by Brett Lott about 23 years ago, and I remember it being such a wonderful story. I knew I needed to share it with you in this week's Book Report!

This novel is one of those rare, quiet treasures that manages to be incredibly powerful without ever needing to shout. Set in the Mississippi bayou, it spans the life of Jewel Hilburn, a woman whose resilience and capacity for love are nothing short of extraordinary. The story begins in the 1940s, a time and place where life was complicated, and for Jewel, it becomes even more so when her daughter, Brenda Kay, is born with Down syndrome.

What makes this book so deeply affecting isn't just the historical setting or the beautiful, evocative descriptions of the landscape, though those are certainly present. It is really about the unshakeable bond between a mother and her child. In an era when children like Brenda Kay were often misunderstood or hidden away, Jewel refuses to compromise. She approaches motherhood with a fierce, steady determination that feels both timeless and deeply personal. As you follow Jewel through the decades, you really get a sense of the sheer endurance required to raise a child against the backdrop of societal judgment and the changing tides of the mid-20th century.



Lott's writing is intimate and grounded. He captures the mundane details of daily life—the heat of the Mississippi summer, the rhythm of a household—and weaves them into a larger tapestry of survival and devotion. You aren't just reading about Jewel's life; you are practically sitting on her front porch, feeling the weight of her choices and the warmth of her triumphs. It is an exploration of what it means to love someone unconditionally, regardless of the challenges or the opinions of the world around you.

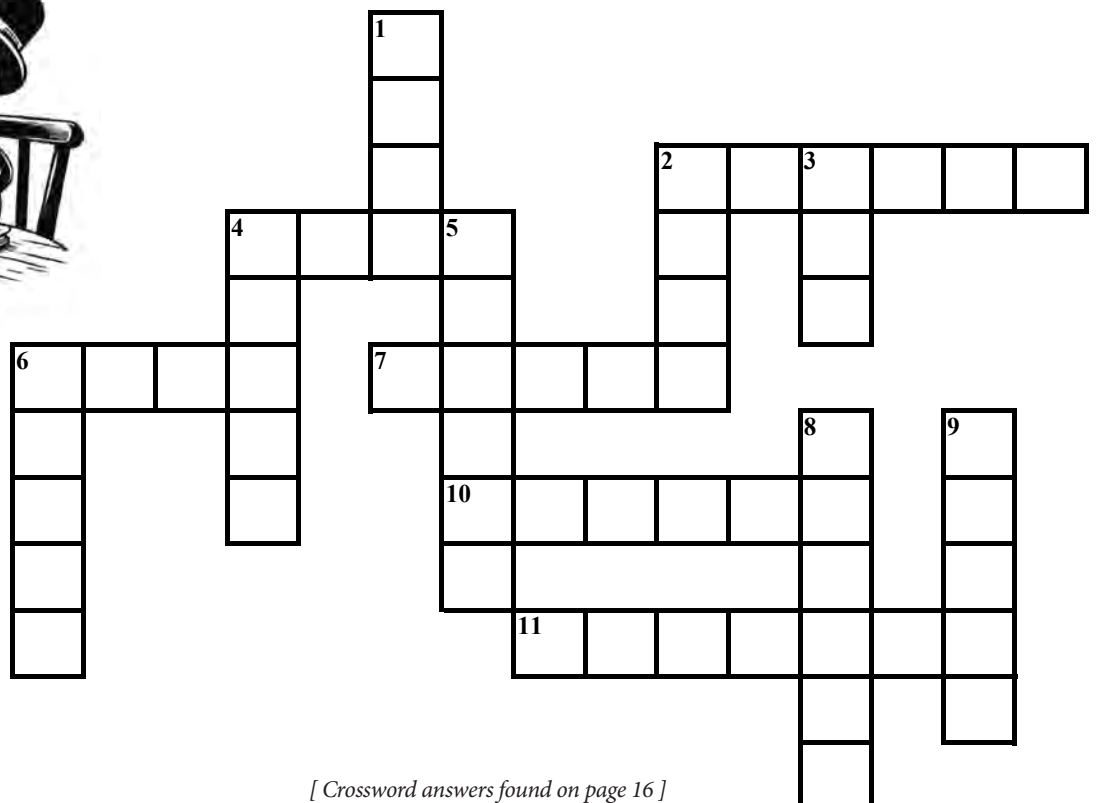
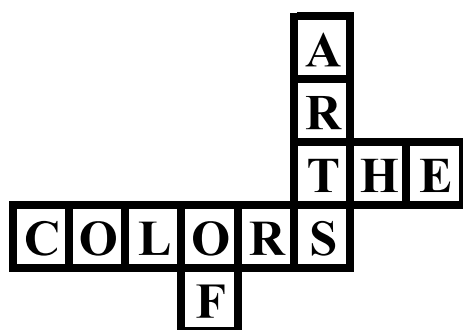
This isn't a fast-paced thriller, and it doesn't rely on cheap twists to keep you turning the pages. Instead, it relies on the quiet strength of its characters. If you appreciate historical fiction that prioritizes emotional depth, complex family dynamics, and the resilience of the human spirit, Jewel is going to stay with you long after you turn the final page. It is a beautiful, bittersweet, and ultimately uplifting reminder of the power of maternal love. I honestly cannot recommend it enough to anyone who wants a story that feels genuinely real and deeply human.

I hope you enjoy this blast from the past as much as I did – twice! Don't forget to pop over to my Instagram @allison.the.reader for more book recommendations!

Allison Diegel is the Executive Chaos Coordinator at the Diegel Home for Wayward Girls. She has been reading since before she could talk, and now she likes doing lots of both.

Crossword

By Peanut



Across

- 2. Hendrix's Haze
- 4. James' Fifty Shades
- 6. Gainsborough's Boy
- 7. Eagles' Magic Woman
- 10. Burgess' Clockwork
- 11. Hawthorne's Letter

Down

- 1. Vinton's Velvet
- 2. Clouseau's Panther
- 3. Rawls' Fern
- 4. King's Mile
- 5. Elton's Road
- 6. Myles' Velvet
- 8. McCartney's Submarine
- 9. London's Fang

[Crossword answers found on page 16]

COLUMNS

Fallon Theatre Movies & More

By Kelli Perez

May the Fourth be with you. We are kicking off the month at the Fallon Theatre with a weekend of Star Wars films in partnership with the Churchill County Library, bringing a mix of classic movies and community activities to start May on a high note.

The fun begins Friday, May 1, at 5 p.m., when the library sets up in the lobby for a lightsaber building activity, a fitting way to prepare for the evening ahead. The first 50 participants will receive free admission to the movie of their choice either night, giving families and fans an early incentive to stop by, build a lightsaber, and enjoy the start of a themed weekend.

At 6 p.m. on both Friday and Saturday, the theatre presents “Star Wars: Episode IV — A New Hope” (1977), the film that launched the saga and introduced audiences to a young farm boy, a princess, a smuggler, and a mentor who set out to challenge the Galactic Empire. Rated PG, it runs 2 hours and 1 minute. At 7 p.m. both nights, the theatre screens “Star Wars: Episode V — The Empire Strikes Back” (1980), widely regarded as one of the strongest sequels ever made. This chapter deepens the story, raises the stakes, and includes one of the most memorable moments in film history. Rated PG, it runs 2 hours and 4 minutes.

One of the theatre’s most anticipated spring events is also approaching.

The Toiyabe Chamber Music Society returns Saturday, May 16, at 7 p.m. for the Loneliest Road Chamber Music Project. The Berkelium String Quartet from Berkeley, California, will open its Nevada tour on the Fallon Theatre stage with a program featuring Schubert’s “Death and the Maiden,” a new composition by Daniel Darmesin Flanagan, and a Beethoven quartet, accompanied by projected images. Admission is by donation, and children are welcome to attend and experience live chamber music in a setting that highlights both performance and visual presentation.

Looking ahead to summer, Ventura Highway — The Music of America performs Saturday, July 18, at 8 p.m. The concert brings the harmonies and classic sound of the band America to the Fallon Theatre stage, offering an evening of familiar favorites and rich vocals. Tickets are \$10.

The Fallon Theatre remains committed to keeping its doors open and its screens lit for the community. Free moviegoing is something the theatre continues to work toward whenever possible. Concessions will be available with popcorn, candy, and other favorites that make a night at the movies feel complete. If you are interested in hosting a celebration or placing a message on the marquee, the theatre welcomes inquiries at 775-423-6210 or thefallontheatre@gmail.com.



What’s “Growing” on in Plant Systems This Week?

By Jamie Sammons

Mrs. Sammons here as the contributing columnist this week. If you’ve been a longtime supporter of The Fallon Post, you might remember me from the “Raven’s Rant” gardening column that I was fortunate enough to write for a year. I am grateful my students are gaining the chance to share their love of plants as well — thank you, Rachel. They are proud of their columns, and I sure am, too. I only wish I had an old school typewriter so they could get the full experience.

I still grow peppers on our small farm south of town, but my focus has shifted to helping grow plants and people. Watching a student run into class to check whether their seeds have germinated is bliss. They cherish time in the greenhouses and look forward to it daily. What a resource the greenhouses have been for our school and our town.

Speaking of greenhouses, they are full of plants. Our third annual Plant Sale is right around the corner. This sale is our main fundraiser, and all funds we raise go directly back to supporting our growth. On Saturday, May 9, from 9 a.m. to noon, we’re selling a school year’s worth of hard work. I try very hard to let students grow what interests them most, so our inventory is wide-ranging.

You will find Joshua trees grown from seed that the Walker Basin Conservancy shared with us after visiting our class to talk about native Nevada plants. Annual flowers like California poppies, petunias, and geraniums were grown from cuttings that friends of the class shared with us — thank you, Yellow Petal Flower Farm and the Oakden family. We have lemon cucumbers, squash, and wild asparagus grown from seed collected locally on pasture edges and ditch banks. And yes, we have lots of tomatoes for sale. The great news is that some already have fruit. The bad news is we need to do a better job of tagging and documenting which types we are growing and selling. Personally, I haven’t met a homegrown tomato I didn’t like, and we think you’ll love these “surprise” tomatoes, too.

Many more plants will be available that support a great cause at a great price. Most 4-inch containers will be \$3, and most gallon pots will be \$5. May 9 is also the pickup day for preorders from the Lahontan Conservation District sale. If you preordered bareroot trees and shrubs, they will be available for pickup in our greenhouses. Plant Systems students help tag and bag orders and will carry them to your car that day. If you missed the chance to order, there will be a limited amount of extras, including black currants, lilacs, buffaloberries, chokecherries, American plums, poplars, and green ash bareroots. It would be difficult to describe in a single column the impact that Christy Sullivan, Marlee Jenkins, and the Conservation District have had on our class. We are so grateful they adopted us.

MEETINGS

May 7 – July 8, 2026

Board of County Commissioners

Meets the first Thursday and third Wednesday of each month
155 N. Taylor Street
Next Meeting: May 7 at 8:15 a.m.

CC Communications

Meets the first Thursday of each month at 11 a.m.
155 N. Taylor Street
Next Meeting: May 7 at 11 a.m.

Churchill County School Board

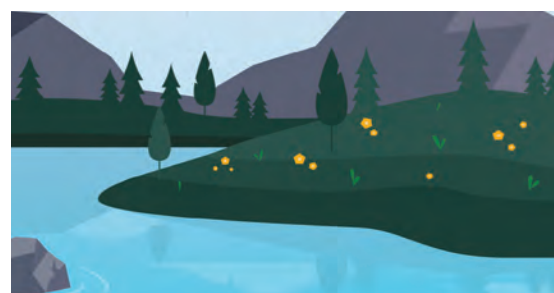
690 S. Maine St.
Next Meeting: May 19 at 5:30 p.m.

Central NV Health District

155 N. Taylor Street
Next Meeting: July 8 at 3 p.m.

Library Board of Trustees

Meets the third Thursday of each month at 3 p.m.
155 N. Taylor Street
Next Meeting: May 28 at 3 p.m.



WATER LEVELS Measurements Taken April 27 at 8:30 a.m.

Lahontan Reservoir	233,600 af
Carson River Below Lahontan	621 cfs
Truckee Canal at Wadsworth	66.3 cfs
Truckee Canal at Hazen	13.9 cfs
Carson River at Ft. Churchill	403 cfs

April 27, 2024	282,069 acre feet
April 27, 2023	74,414 acre feet
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PostCards: Earthquake Territory

By Michon Mackedon

In the wake of the recent rattling in Fallon, a backward glance at our earthquake history is in order. The year was 1954. The earthquakes were quite large, all three of them sending the Richter scale over 6.5. The first occurred on July 6; the second, on August 23; and a third, on December 16.

The July 6 quake (designated online as the Rainbow Mountain earthquake) left quite a trail of damage in Churchill County. It measured 6.6 on the Richter scale. Several people were injured and scores of businesses damaged. On Maine Street, the upper story of the Bank Club fell into the Glad Shop below, and stones from the Woodliff building tumbled onto First Street. The back wall of the I.H. Kent Company was moved outward. The Fraternal Hall suffered damage to the masonry. Throughout the valley, chimneys toppled and irrigation canals cracked, spilling water onto fields and roads. Coleman Dam was put out of commission altogether for a while. Twelve sailors were injured at the Naval Auxiliary Air Station when heavy steel lockers fell on them. President Eisenhower declared the Newlands Project a Federal Disaster Relief area, opening the door to federal funds for reconstruction.

Reactions in the community ranged from panic to laughter. One man in the Island District reported that his first thought was, "At last, the Russians are here." A Fallon police officer reported that following the quake, the streets filled up with people without any clothes on. The owner of a bar at Salt Wells said, "The last time I saw my bar, it was headed toward Hawthorne." ("In Focus," Volume 13, p. 99)

As with the recent swarm of quakes, the number of recorded aftershocks (or, in the case of the 1954 cluster, foreshocks) was high. A news article printed on July 31 reported that 108 separate shocks had been recorded in Stillwater following the July 6 "big one." Then, on August 23, another one, designated as the Stillwater earthquake, hit, measuring 6.6 on the Richter Scale. By then, the earthquake damage in the county had exceeded one million dollars. The new quake also totally wrecked much of the repair work done after the July quake. But earthquake season was not yet over.

On December 16, yet another major quake struck the county, this time centered about 30 miles east of Fallon, in Dixie Valley. It has been designated the Fairview earthquake and was the largest of the three quakes, measuring 7.3. The shaking intensity, as measured on the Modified Mercalli intensity scale, reached X (extreme). The quake was felt strongly in



Coleman Dam on the Carson River was damaged so badly in the 1954 earthquake that it had to be completely replaced. Cal Berkley Library via Ernie Schank.

Reno, and in Carson City, plaster fell from the State Capitol Building. Fault lines could be seen for about twenty miles along the eastern slope of the Stillwater Range and in regions around Fairview Peak. Artesian waters welled up from the depths of the earth here and there throughout Dixie Valley, and dry springs were given new life. The dramatic visual aftermath of the earthquake still attracts geologists and visitors to the area.

On March 23, 1959, what is categorized as an aftershock to the earlier Dixie Valley quake, reached 6.3 on the Richter scale.

I have always bragged that in Fallon, we don't have to live with the fear of hurricanes or tornadoes. But we do live in earthquake territory.

Please send your stories and ideas for stories to mackedon@phonewave.net.

Michon Mackedon is a native of Fallon and a retired professor of English and Humanities (WNC). She loves her family, her home, her dog, reading, writing, making good food, and sipping a glass of fine white wine. Beyond that, she refuses to be categorized.

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Legal No FP0003
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following Ordinance was passed and adopted by the Churchill County Board of Commissioners on April 15, 2026:
TITLE: AN ORDINANCE MAKING CORRECTIONS, DELETIONS, ADDITIONS, AND MINOR REVISIONS TO TITLE 9 - PUBLIC PEACE, MOREALS, AND WELFARE, SECTION 9.12 ADULT ENTERTAINMENT, TITLE 14 - BUILDINGS AND CONSTRUCTION, SECTION 14.04 BUILDING PERMITS, SECTION 14.12 BUILDING CODE, SECTION 14.16 MANUFACTURED HOMES AND MOBILE HOME INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS, TITLE 16 - CONSOLIDATED DEVELOPMENT CODE, SECTION 16.08 ZONING AND LAND USE, SECTION 16.12 DIVISION OF LAND, SECTION 16.16 DEVELOPMENT STANDARDS, SECTION 16.24 DEFINITIONS, AND DEVELOPMENT OF A CHURCHILL COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS DESIGN MANUAL DOCUMENT WHERE DESIGN STANDARDS AND STANDARD DETAILS WILL BE MOVED FROM THE CODE TO THE NEW DOCUMENT.

SUMMARY: An ordinance amending, adding and deleting definitions, regulations, and procedures related to the Consolidated Development Code and other items related to the Churchill County Code.

At the final reading of the above listed Ordinance, the vote was as follows:

AYES: Myles Getto, Chairman

Eric Blakey, Commissioner

Matt Hyde, Commissioner

NAYS: None

ABSENT: None

Copies of the Ordinance are available at the Churchill County Clerk's Office, 155 N. Taylor Street, Suite 110, Fallon, Nevada 89406, for inspection by all interested persons.

Dated this 16th day of April, 2026.

Tara Adams, Deputy Clerk

Published in the Fallon Post April 24, May 1, 2026 (Churchill)

CROSSWORD ANSWERS

Crossword found on page 14

- BLACK
- BLACK
- BLUE
- BLUE
- GREEN
- GREY
- ORANGE
- PINK
- PURPLE
- RED
- SCARLET
- WHITE
- YELLOW
- YELLOW



NOTICE OF TRUSTEE PROPERTY SALE

Churchill County Treasurer

Will be conducting an online sale of delinquent tax properties to be held on Thursday, May 14 thru Friday, May 15, 2026

Bidding will begin at 8:00 AM on May 14th and conclude at 12:00 PM on May 15th

The auction website is www.Bid4Assets.com/Churchill

See website for registration and bidding instructions

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005-251-06	REMPEL, HUGO H ET AL	20.662	SECTION 13 TOWNSHIP 24 RANGE 35	800	\$ 1,128.19
005-251-08	REMPEL, HUGO H ET AL	20.662	SECTION 24 TOWNSHIP 24 RANGE 35	800	\$ 1,128.19
005-571-03	REMPEL, HUGO H ET AL	20.406	SECTION 35 TOWNSHIP 25 RANGE 36	800	\$ 1,157.16
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006-122-39	HOUSE OF SHALOM	20.750	15000 DUN MOVIN WAY	100	\$ 1,479.31
006-122-64	HOUSE OF SHALOM	19.900	SECTION 11 TOWNSHIP 18 RANGE 26	285	\$ 1,360.34
007-091-28	WAGONER, MARILYN O ET AL	160.000	SECTION 33 TOWNSHIP 19 RANGE 27	100	\$ 4,235.58
007-551-26	SWIFT, INGRID C ET AL	29.970	1435 N HARMON RD	282	\$ 4,216.16
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