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Home of Ronda Worrall

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50th Anniversary ...

CNCC will celebrate its 50th anniversary this Saturday with a rededication ceremony starting at 10 a.m. Please read the special section in this week's *Herald Times* for more details. Happy anniversary CNCC, thank you!



MHS HOMECOMING ...



Meeker High School juniors Dylan Mobley and Mariah Jensen were crowned king and queen for the 2012 homecoming. Seniors Anne George and Scott Smith were first attendants and Jeremy Musgrave and Linda Olivas were second attendants.

BOBBY GUTIERREZ

The Future: "It's all about resource sharing"

By **BOBBY GUTIERREZ**
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RBC I A meeting called by Rio Blanco County commissioners was held in Rangely Tuesday at Colorado Northwestern Community College to bring all the taxing districts in the county together to discuss current and future projects and how they can take

advantage of opportunities by working together. "It's all about resource sharing," Rangely town manager Peter Brixius said of the dinner/meeting. "It was well attended, I think most all of the districts were represented by their director and a board member or two," Brixius said. RBC commissioners Shawn Bolton, Ken Parsons and Kai

Turner, along with commissioner-elect Jon Hill and RBC administrator Kimberly Bullen were in attendance. "The meeting was to get the ball rolling and discuss ways we can share resources, work on projects together and quit duplicating services," Bolton said. "If the county has an asphalt project and so do the towns of Meeker and Rangely, well let's come together

and get a better price and save some money." "I think it's a beginning," Brixius said. "The county has always been a great partner, cost sharing with us and we can pass this along and work with the special districts and maybe take it up a notch." Bolton said they plan to create a website for districts to post their

needs and communicate better with the county, towns and other taxing districts to take advantage of opportunities to increase their buying power by working together. He gave an example using vehicles. "The county could post the vehicles they need and maybe the towns are also looking at vehicles, we could bid them out together and have more

buying power or maybe a vehicle we are trading in would work for one of the districts and they could buy it for the trade-in value," Bolton said. Bolton said the county and all the special districts are currently working on their budgets but they would begin working on a website and get together afterward and "see where we're at at the first of the year."

Collins family has positive impact

— Family has been part of Rangely community for more than 50 years —

By **HALLIE BLUNT**
Special to the Herald Times

RANGELY I From the classroom, to the visitor center, to the Radino Senior Center, and so many areas in between, Tommy and Dorothy Collins have made positive contributions to all ages of people in Rangely. Tommy came to Rangely in June 1946, when he was 12. When he and his brother Donny, who was 10 at the time, started school in Rangely, they only went on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays as the oil boom had brought in more students than the school could handle and kids were split into two groups — a Monday, Wednesday, Friday group, and a Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday group. When Tommy began the eighth grade, it was in a one-room school, it was later moved to the park and used as a "teen canteen" and then a museum. The building was moved to the outdoor museum at the east end of town where it remains today. Tommy remembers the town being "wild and woolly" during the boom, with about 10 bars and no jail. "The sheriff would handcuff offenders to the light poles until they sobered up and then they would turn them loose," he said. While in high school he wrestled and participated in boxing and rode his bike or a horse everywhere he went, including his job at the theater making popcorn in the first concession stand. In the summer Tommy worked in the ice house and for Smith's Chevrolet servicing cars. His first car was a Model A Ford given to him by his grandfather. He was graduated from high school in 1952 and began working for C & R



COURTESY PHOTOS

Tommy and Dorothy Collins have three children, seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren, with another one on the way and have been part of the Rangely community for more than 50 years.

Drilling Company until he was drafted. He served 18 months in Germany in the peacetime army. When he returned home he went back to work for C & R Drilling. One evening he went on a blind date with Dorothy Belt and the two were married a few months later. Tommy worked for Joy Motor Company and then went into business for himself doing automotive repair in a little tin building behind the Snak Bar. He started working for the school in maintenance before receiving a bachelor's and a master's degree from Fort Collins A & M. He worked for the school for 25 years, teaching

auto mechanics, sponsoring the pep club and cheerleaders for several years and serving as the activities director before retiring in 1992. Tommy was active in the Elks at one time and served as the exalted ruler at one time. He serves on the Museum Board and in the winter months while in Mesa, Ariz., he plays guitar and sings at country jams about four days a week. Dorothy came to Rangely in 1956. She had been teaching in Fort Collins but decided to come to Rangely as they offered \$5,200 per year compared to her previous \$3,000 salary.



She saved \$1,000 that year and it was used as a down payment for the house she and Tommy would later buy. There was a great deal of pipeline work going on in Rangely at the time, so the overflow students from grades one through three were put in a transient room where Dorothy began teaching. At the beginning of the year she had nearly 20 students, by January there were only six left as families came and went with the work. She took over art for the teacher that was taking a leave of absence. In the next school year she was back teaching first grade and remained for 29 years before retiring in 1992. Dorothy is also a member of the museum board and has been involved in the Epsilon Chi Sorority for more than 50 years. While in Mesa, she enjoys taking oil painting classes, reading, crafting and scrapbooking. She and Tommy have volunteered at the Colorado Welcome Center in Dinosaur for 19 years, and have earned almost 5,000 hours of

volunteer time. "We have really enjoyed meeting and helping the many visitors who come through, it is a very rewarding experience," Dorothy said. They are also very active at the Radino Senior Center. They have served as officers and simply enjoy the company the center offers. They have been members of the Rangely Christian Church for more than 55 years. Tommy has been the choir director and Dorothy has played the piano for more than 25 years. Tommy currently serves as an elder. They have seen so many friends move from the area but appreciate the new ones they have made, and the ones that have stood the test of time. Tommy and Dorothy have three children: David, Tim, and Michelle. They have six granddaughters and one grandson. They also have two great-grandchildren with another little girl due anytime. They feel lucky to have them close and said, "They keep us young." The two have been very busy since they retired. They travel to see their youngest grandchildren and take time to enjoy the sights along the way. They travel to Arizona for the winter but feel that Rangely will always be home. "Rangely has been very good to us and we have some wonderful memories of past teaching experiences, and wonderful friends," they agreed. They have truly given so much to the community of Rangely, as former teachers and as current volunteers, they have impacted people for more than 50 years. Their longevity in education and dedication to helping others through service still is amazing and greatly appreciated.

WEATHER



Saturday: 50s/30s Partly sunny



Sunday: 60s/30s Warmer

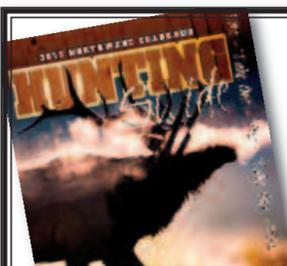


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BRIEFS

Veterans home celebrating 25 years

RIFLE | The Colorado State Veterans Home at Rifle is celebrating its 25th anniversary and open house on Saturday, Oct. 13. The program begins at 10 a.m. and festivities last through 2 p.m. that includes a barbecue from 11:45 until 1:30 p.m. Former U.S. Representative for Colorado's District 3 Scott McGinnis will be the guest speaker. The Colorado State Veterans Home is located at 851 E. Fifth St., Rifle, Colo. Call 970-625-0842 for more information.

Capitol Christmas Tree celebration

MEEKER | Mark your calendars for Saturday, Nov. 3 to celebrate the Capitol Christmas Tree coming from the White River National Forest. The celebration will be held in downtown Meeker and will include a 5K run/walk, street fair, music, bounce houses, stilt walkers, Ute Indian dancers, children's holiday music performances, dignitary speeches, parade of lights, fireworks and more. Festivities start at 2 p.m. and go until after dark. Look for a detailed schedule of events as the days get closer. Join our community celebration as we send Colorado's "gift to the Nation" on its nationwide tour. Celebration events brought to you by the Meeker Chamber of Commerce, ERBM Rec and Park District, Town of Meeker, Forest Service and the Christmas Tree committee.

Capitol Christmas Tree opportunities

MEEKER | The Meeker Chamber of Commerce is currently taking vendor applications for the street fair, scheduled for Saturday, Nov. 3, 2-7 p.m., in downtown Meeker. The street fair is open to all businesses, not-for-profit organizations and groups needing a fundraising opportunity. The Meeker Chamber is also accepting entry forms for the Parade of Lights, scheduled for the evening of Nov. 3. For more information, or to pick-up an entry form, visit www.MeekerChamber.com, call 970-878-5510, or stop by 710 Market St. Plan on participating in the street fair and/or parade of lights to help celebrate Colorado's "gift to the nation"!

Meeker Craft Show Nov. 2-3

MEEKER | The Meeker Craft Show will be Friday, Nov. 2, 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Saturday, Nov. 3 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the old elementary school. Please call 970-878-3361 for more information or to request a registration form.

Veterans Memorial needs donations

MEEKER | Contributions to the County Veterans Memorial can be sent to: VFW POST 5843, Rio Blanco County Memorial Fund, Mountain Valley Bank, 400 Main St., Meeker, Colo., 81641.

**HOME OF:
Ronda Worrall**

RANGELY | Ronda Worrall of Rangely is this week's "home of" honoree. Her parents moved to Rangely in 1964, when her dad Donald VanCleave was the State Farm agent. Her father is deceased and her mother Jeannette currently lives in Grand Junction.

"I moved moved back and forth between Denver and Rangely several times, but have been a full-time Rangely resident since 1985," stated Ronda.

Ronda has worked at Rangely District hospital since 1992. "I just made my 20 year mark. I'm the RN manager for Rangely District Hospital Home Health/Hospice. I am very grateful to Rangely District Hospital for helping with my continuing education. I have an advanced certification in wound care and RDH is sending me to Chicago in November for advance certification in diabetic wound care. I won an all-expenses paid trip to the National Wild On Wound Conference which was held at Caesar's Palace in Las Vegas last month because I was registered for the Chicago certification," Ronda explained.

Ronda has four children: daughter Tayah Anderson, husband A.J. And their three daughters Cianna, Cerenity, and Tayliyah of Denver; Heidi Lucero, husband Andy, son Tyce and daughters Saige and Reese of Rangely; son Lance Worrall of Grand Junction; and son Clark Worrall of Rifle.

"I enjoy spending time with my family. I love to cook, travel and work on my family history/genealogy. I stay actively involved with the Rangely community. I also take exercise and yoga classes at the rec. center," said Ronda.

"I like the small town atmosphere of Rangely. Everyone pulls together for everybody in times of need," Ronda added.

Editor's note/correction: Zachary Eatherton is the son of Clint and Lynn Eatherton. He was misidentified as the son of his aunt and uncle in the Oct. 4 "Home of" article. Our apologies to the Eatherton family.

RIO BLANCO COUNTY

BLESSING ...



COURTESY PHOTO

Parishioners of St. James' Episcopal Church in Meeker brought their pets and assorted livestock to church this past Sunday for the annual blessing of the animals, celebrating and honoring St. Francis of Assisi, the patron saint of animals and the environment. Pictured are Father Scott Hollenbeck, Macy Collins, Cathy Collins, Connie Nelson with Mini, Carmella and Strawberry, in addition to a good number of assorted dogs.

PUMPKINS GALORE ...



COURTESY PHOTO

The 2012-2013 Rangely High School FBLA Chapter met Sunday, Oct. 7, 2012, for a community service project at the Rangely Community Gardens. Members present were (left to right) Cassie Kenney, Chris Staley, Tessa Slagle, Mandy Duong, Kymberlie Hemphill and Leslie Hernandez. The chapter is looking for more community service projects throughout the school year, contact Tessa Slagle if you have any suggestions or requests.

Correction

MEEKER | The "Sterry" last name was misspelled in the article "The History of the Lime Kiln Region" in last week's *Herald Times*. We regret the error.

Screenings coming to Meeker

MEEKER | Residents living in and around Meeker can be screened to reduce their risk of having a stroke or bone fracture. Life Line screenings will be held at the Rio Blanco County Fairgrounds on Oct. 17, 2012.

Four key points every person needs to know:

- Stroke is the third leading cause of death and a leading cause of permanent disability

- 80 percent of stroke victims had no apparent warning signs prior to their stroke

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Screenings identify potential cardiovascular conditions such as blocked arteries and irregular heart rhythm, abdominal aortic aneurysms, and hardening of the arteries in the legs, which is a strong predictor of heart disease. A bone density screening to assess osteoporosis risk is also offered and is appropriate for both men and women.

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NOTICE

Rio Blanco County Weed Department has COMPLETED the annual sale of HERBICIDES for the year 2012.

MHS grad looks to state house

By **CALVIN SHEPHERD**
Special to the Herald Times

RBC | Flipping through the pages of the 1965 Meeker High School yearbook, one will stumble upon a young Lorna Idol. Who would ever guess this smart, attractive girl played sports, hunted with her brother, loved to dance with her friends and enjoyed math would one day be running for the House of Representatives, fighting strong for what she believes in.

Dr. Lorna Idol was graduated from Meeker High in 1965 and continued on to the University of Denver on a Methodist Church scholarship. She later received a Ph.D. from New Mexico. She taught for five years in

special education.

"Teachers are not paid enough," Idol said after being ask what she would do change high school and help high schoolers. "Five day school weeks and full day kindergarten for students are very important."

Lorna Idol is fighting even against the darker side of high school, attempting to throw the brakes on the drinking, drug, and tobacco use in high school. She believes that by not legalizing marijuana, that schools would drop in the amount of drug use. "High school is the future of America."

Environment, education, healthy living and supporting working class families is the center of the campaign. One of her primary concerns, howev-

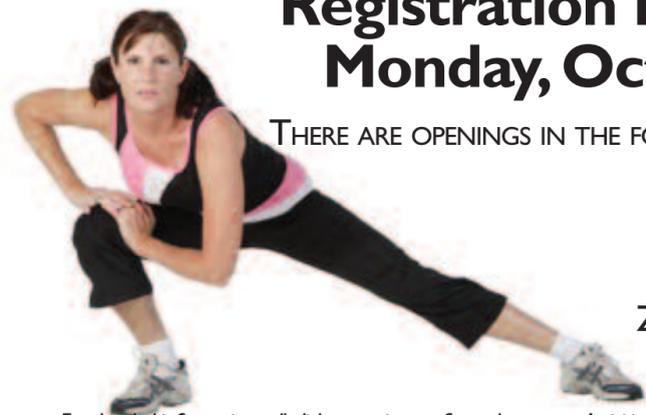
er, is the high cost of campaigns and how big money is now running the political process. Idol believes that spending too much money on a campaign should be unconstitutional.

For other campaign issues, Dr. Idol wants to use the trees killed from beetles for construction to invigorate the Colorado economy and because too much construction wood is currently being imported Canada. She also wants to increase the amount of money spent on mental health.

Lorna Idol has come a long way from the little town of Meeker and shows a Cowboy can do anything. Anyone interested in the Lorna Idol campaign can visit <http://www.lornaidolcampaign.com/>.

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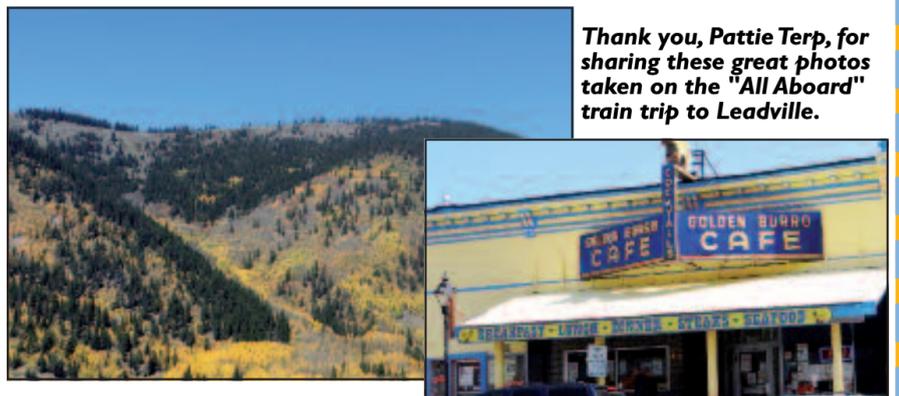


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- Body Blitz
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Thank you, Pattie Terp, for sharing these great photos taken on the "All Aboard" train trip to Leadville.

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The energy diet: Nice and easy

By RICH BEASON
Special to the Herald Times

RBC I Recently, Yampa Valley Data Partners and the Northwest Colorado Energy Steering Committee have published an Energy Diet Challenge Checklist that will help you take the first of many steps required to assess and take action in an Energy Diet for your home or business.

Developing electric and natural gas or propane usage history requires you to retrieve your monthly electric and gas bills from 2011 and year to date for 2012. It is the quantity of usage of electric and gas, not the cost, that is recorded on the backside of your energy diet challenge checklist. Once you complete the record to the most recent month, enter your future month's usage. This record is the starting point for measuring the cost effectiveness of your energy diet actions.

The next step is to tackle some nice and easy actions to start your saving today. Turn off lights when not in use.

"Who left this light on?" has often been said in many homes and offices. If only turning off lights worked with our children, spouses, neighbors, co-workers and, mostly ourselves. The simple reaching for the wall switch, the turning off of an on-off cord or TV/Radio power when no one is present is a logical, reasonable personal action. Turning on the bathroom light, brushing your teeth, washing your face, turning off the bathroom light as you leave, are all part of your daily routine. Actions that turn into habits can be achieved by repeating the action for 30 days. The Energy Diet challenge is to make the action of turning off all lights and power when not attended as much a habit as turning off your bathroom light in your morning routine.

The "turning off" can also be applied to other devices. A 42" LCD HDTV has an energy star wattage consumption of 100 watts per hour,

but the energy is wasted if no one is watching the TV. 100 watts per hour does not seem to be much usage, yet most busy family homes have two to three TVs on at any one time. The usage is then 300 watt hours for 12 hours a day is 3600 watt hours. Assuming a kilowatt hour cost is approx. \$0.09, three TV usage costs are estimated at \$0.34/day, \$2.38/week, \$10.20/month. This cost can only be lowered when these devices are turned off when not attended. A quick walk around your home will help you look for the large usage devices that can be turned off. By simply turning the power switch off on all unattended electronics you will find the potential savings will surprise you.

There are many tools that are built into Energy Star electronics that help control usage. We recommend reading your owner's manual to make the most of these power usage control tools. Or, ask the sales person in the store where the device was purchased. Next week: More actions you can take right away to reduce your energy costs.

The Northwest Colorado Energy Diet Challenge Checklist can be found in your local library, city hall, courthouse or chamber or at YampaValleyDataPartners.com.

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RECORD BREAKER ...

Rangely local Tom Walz recently learned that he made the Boone & Crockett records book with the mountain lion he harvested last Christmas Eve with Wayne Pennell of Cathedral Creek Outfitters. The cat, which was shot with a .223 at East Douglas Creek, scored 14 10/16." Sharing the moment with son Jordan made the experience even more memorable, Walz said.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Wake up, CDOT

Dear Editor:
The Oct. 4 edition of the *Herald Times* reported that three auto accidents had occurred along SH 64 (Meeker-Rangely) in the space of a week and a half resulting in two serious injuries and others less serious. Driver's actions preceding each accident were similar, including possible lack of full attention, and in one case excessive speed. However, SH 64 is a very unforgiving highway where a small mistake can lead to tragedy. Not having had significant safety improvements for 60 years or so, the highway lacks shoulders, guardrail, wide lanes and in some areas includes surprise curves and short sight distances. A few miles of the

highway could be classified "paved wagon road." Unfortunately, this is the story for hundreds of miles of rural highways on the state highway system which have not been significantly improved since constructed in the 1930s and 40s. Highway users are being injured and killed unnecessarily.

Similar tragedies can happen any day along SH13 (Meeker-Rifle) especially between the intersection of Rio Blanco County Road 5 (Piceance Creek) south to Rifle, some 18 miles. Heavy slow truck traffic and few opportunities for passing make drivers take chances. Passing lanes are needed. The intersection of County Road 5 and SH13 could be the site of a multi-fatal accident at any time.

Our spineless legislators, who care more about getting reelected than about solving real problems, are partly to blame, but the finger also

needs to be pointed at CDOT. By adopting an ill-conceived scheme of accepting priorities set by Transportation Planning Regions instead by CDOT professionals, roundabouts at the Edwards interchange (about \$10 million) are being built instead of real problems being solved. Poor design decisions resulted in a documented waste of nearly one million dollars on a SH13 project completed about two years ago.

Highway problems are being ignored during the current political climate, but the carnage continues.

*Dick Prosenke
Meeker*

Thank you

Dear Editor:
Thank you to the Garcia family, Tyrell Turner and Dave Brown for helping the preschool prepare for homecoming. We would also like to thank the Pretti family, "Pretti Trucking," for donating the truck

and trailer and for driving the preschool float.

The teachers appreciate your generosity and the children had a great time.

*Thank you,
Meeker Preschool*

Fond farewell

Dear Editor:
A heartfelt farewell to the community and friends in Meeker. My wonderful wife Sharon and I came to Meeker in 2000, with the intentions of staying here for the rest of our lives.

The community and the folks who breathe life into the heart of Meeker have touched our lives forever more. As we will truly miss your embracing us as neighbors.

And thank you sincerely for all. Our hopes are to regain our composure from the downturn of the economy and perhaps return to the beautiful state of Colorado, and to be neighbors once again. Amen.

A special thank you to our friends for sharing a part of your lives with us. For this we are truly blessed. We would like to say thank you to Dave and Jenny Morland, you were there for us during the passing of Ross, my father. Thank you to Gus and Christine Halandras for including us in sharing special occasions, to Jim and Theresa, thank you as well. Also Scott Isenhower, Jodine and Shane Gardener, and kids, for your help during our move. We couldn't have done it without you. Also (Professor) Phil and Bobby, Cheryl, Mike, Chevy and CJ, the best neighbors on the planet! An extended thank you to our friends Frank Cooley, Bill Jordan, Lew Livingston, (may he rest in peace).

Thank you to First National Bank of the Rockies, Dave, JH and Todd in your support in helping us to create The Flying Guest House, one of the top 10 properties in Meeker. Also thank you to Shawn

and Brian Welder for the opportunity to become the cowboy I've always dreamed of becoming.

A special thank you to The Vet Clinic, Dr. Stacey, Dr. Paul and Carol for taking care of and watching over our animals. To Arlene Estes for keeping Abby and Poppy so well groomed. Thank you to Frankie, across the street "good man." Thank you to Lt. Mike Washburn for watching over and keeping our home safe when we were absent. Also the smiling faces of Angie and Joann at Meeker Video.

There are so many more folks that we have not mentioned, but you are not forgotten. Thank you, thank you, thank you.

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By **HALLIE BLUNT**
Special to the *Herald Times*

RBC I The Rio Blanco County Historical Society had their quarterly meeting Sunday and 27 people showed up to enjoy the Cowboy Heritage theme.

John and Virginia Barton and band members Sam Stranathan, Jeanne Newman and Jimmy D. McFarland entertained everyone with their classic country songs. The meeting got underway with a very positive treasury report from Trudy Burri. The organization raised \$1,300 in the museum donation jar and had more visitors than last year during construction. The Pennies Plus project has been a success and will conclude Nov. 15. The goal was to pay off the loan used to print copies of "This Is What I Remember" and that will be done very soon thanks to the support of the community as well as a grant received.

"We appreciate the community

for pitching in and the community appreciates us for keeping history going," said historical society president Ellene Meece.

Rio Blanco County also donated money and part of that will go toward the gates for the Milk Creek Park. They are hoping to get \$6,000 for signage in the future to complete the project.

The school committee that has been working so diligently for the past four years completed their brochures in time for the sheepdog trials and handed them out. They are looking into a grant to pay for signage for their self-guided tour of the old rural schools. During the sheepdog trials many great contacts were made, inviting people to the museum and promoting our history. Many books were sold and the museum saw a great deal of visitors.

Following the meeting, the group gathered to share stories while Bob Amick filmed the interaction to capture oral history. The Capturing Our Culture Committee is committed to documenting stories and lives of our area historians. John Barton shared a

great story of a bull purchased because of his gentleness and quality but the stress of branding, vaccination and the whole ordeal was more than the bull could bear and he dropped dead when released. Laughing, Barton said, "Them that got em' lose em', them ain't, can't." Joe Sullivan shared a story about a bull coming toward Ethel when she was grainning her horses and how fast she could move under the circumstances. He was asked about farming in his time and said he leased land after World War II and had some good wheat crops. He was very astute regarding what worked and didn't at the time, trying to get more than the average 20 bushels of grain off the designated piece of land. He was very complimentary of Lucy Jane Howey who was hired by the Department of Agriculture at the time and did a marvelous job for 31 years. She remembered the details of the grain, which had 16-19 percent protein in those days. The cowboy days of Frank Hicken were recalled as there was a picture of him from the 1920s and his horse named Pershing,

perhaps after General Pershing of WWI. It was said Frank could roll a cigarette with one hand on horseback. Norma Oldland shared great stories from the time when she, her new husband at the time, Ruben, and their crew would push 450 yearlings down an incredibly steep trail from their camp at 10,000 feet off Rohn Creek into Rifle to load on the railroad. The trail was little more than a deer trail and dropped 2,000 feet. Norma said, "My horse's stomach hung over the edge and in some places the trail was washed out and we would follow the cattle along the side hill." That was just one example of courage and perseverance, as the family has owned and operated a cattle business since they homesteaded the land more than 100 years ago. She talked of growing only oats to feed their 40 head of horses, horses known for their quality, from the Hancock and Paycheck breeding lines. Anybody that owned an Oldland horse knew they had a good one. She shared stories of the original Steward School where a teacher rode 12 miles every day even in -20 degree weather to teach. Her husband died of tuberculosis and she moved away. Dick and Merle Dean Moyer shared the story of growing barley on Lime Kiln and raising pigs to trail to Rifle as well. The stories had to be cut short after an hour but they will hopefully continue at the next meeting as they left off with the benefit of both sheep and cattle using the land. "Sparky" Pappas has a story from her paternal grandparents coming from Price, Utah, after working for a sheep man. The history is exciting and absolutely priceless. We are fortunate to have people willing to share their stories and the dedicated people like Ellene Meece and her husband David, and Bob Amick to capture the valuable tales.

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SADD helps students make informed decisions

By **CARRIE SANDSTROM**
SADD National Student of the Year

RBC I Originally, the mission of the SADD chapter was to help young people say “no” to drinking and driving. Today, the mission is expanded. Students have told us that positive peer pressure, role models and other strategies can help them refuse more than drinking and driving. That is why SADD has become a peer leadership organization dedicated to preventing destructive decisions, particularly underage drinking, other drug use, impaired and risky driving, and teen violence and suicide.

to provide students with the best prevention tools possible to deal with the issues of underage drinking, other drug use, risky and impaired driving and other destructive decisions.

For 30 years, SADD has been committed to empowering young people to lead education and prevention initiatives within their schools and communities. Founded as Students Against Driving Drunk in 1981 in Wayland, Mass., SADD has grown to become the nation’s dominant peer-to-peer youth education, prevention and activism organization with thousands of chapters in middle schools, high schools and colleges.

In 1997, in response to requests

from SADD students themselves, SADD expanded its mission and name and now chapters are called Students Against Destructive Decisions. SADD continues to endorse a firm “no use” message related to use of alcohol and other drugs. With its expanded focus, SADD now highlights prevention of many destructive behaviors and attitudes that are harmful to young people including underage drinking, substance abuse, impaired driving and teen violence and suicide.

SADD’s unique approach involves young people delivering education and prevention messages to their peers through school- and com-

munity-wide activities and campaigns responsive to the needs of their particular locations. Projects may include peer-led classes and theme-focused forums, teen workshops, conferences and rallies, prevention education and leadership training, and awareness-raising activities and legislative work. Independent studies have shown that students in schools with an established SADD chapter are more aware and informed about the risks of underage drinking, other drug use and impaired driving. Students in schools with a SADD chapter are also more likely to hold attitudes reflecting positive reasons not to use alcohol.

The national office of SADD, Inc.

supports the growth and development of SADD chapters across the country and promotes awareness of youth issues. SADD National assists chapters via a network of state coordinators funded through government or charitable organizations to deliver education and prevention materials and programming to youth. SADD National also distributes an electronic newsletter and program information; hosts two websites (sadd.org and parent-teenmatters.org); runs an annual national conference; conducts national research on teen attitudes and behaviors, advocates on the national level for teen traffic safety, underage drinking and other drug use, and teen vio-

lence, suicide, and mental health; sponsors a Student Leadership Council and Student of the Year; and raises funds for dissemination of information and programming.

SADD National has worked with many federal and state agencies and other nonprofit groups and foundations to maximize the energy and resources of SADD chapters. Through these joint efforts, SADD has built strong leadership among adolescents, mobilized statewide collaborations with community partners, fostered awareness of and support for youth initiatives, and organized the efforts of those beyond the SADD chapters to promote youth health and safety.

Boettcher Foundation elects three new trustees

Special to the Herald Times

RBC I The Boettcher Foundation Board has announced the election of three new trustees. Comprised of 11 Colorado business and community leaders, trustees are responsible for the oversight of the Boettcher Foundation, including support and preservation of its vision and mission.

New trustees include:

■ **Russell George**, president of Colorado Northwestern Community College (CNCC)

George is an alumnus of the Foundation’s Boettcher Scholarship Program and previously served as trustee of the organization from 2005-2007. From 1976 until 2000, George practiced law in the Rifle, Colo., law firm of Stuver and George, P.C., which handled water, real estate, oil and gas, business and other legal matters. In 1999, he was elected by his peers to be Speaker of the Colorado House of Representatives. He was first elected to the House in 1992 from District 57 representing Moffat, Rio Blanco, Garfield and Pitkin Counties in Western Colorado. George has served as executive director of the



Russell George

of the Colorado Department of Transportation.

He is a graduate of Rifle High School, Colorado State University, where he was a Boettcher Scholar, and Harvard Law School. He was admitted to the Colorado Bar in 1972 and the Montana Bar in 1975.

■ **Cile Chavez**, president of Cile Chavez Consulting, Inc.

Chavez provides motivation and expertise to organizations in the private and public sectors on leadership and human development. Chavez served as superintendent and deputy superintendent of Littleton Public Schools; assistant dean of the College of Education, University of Northern

Colorado Department of Natural Resources having been appointed by Governor Bill Owens in 2004 and concluding in 2006. From 2007 through 2010, he was appointed by Governor Bill Ritter to serve as executive director



Cile Chavez

Public Relations and has made it the most recognized public relations firm in the Rocky Mountain Region, including receiving the honor of Boutique Agency of the Year 2012 from PR Week. She has been involved with many great organizations throughout her career including, the Council of PR Firms Board, Worldcom Americas Board, Junior Achievement Board, Boy Scouts Board of Trustees, Craig Hospital

Colorado; and as chair of the board of trustees of the State Colleges of Colorado.

■ **Sharon Linhart**, founder and managing partner of Linhart Public Relations

Linhart founded Linhart Foundation trustees, visit www.boettcherfoundation.org.



Sharon Linhart

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The Old Paths (7)
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We once again consider Jeremiah’s challenging words: **Thus saith the LORD, Stand ye in the ways, and see, and ask for the old paths, where is the good way, and walk therein, and ye shall find rest for your souls. But they said, We will not walk therein** (Jer. 6:16). Having considered first the **old paths of doctrine**, we flip the coin over to see the other side.

The Old Path of Duty

Again, a popular mantra nowadays is that doctrine is not practical. Such statements demonstrate either a total ignorance of Scripture at best or deliberate deception for ulterior motive at worst. *Doctrine is most certainly practical.* A case in point (or actually cases) is the consistent practice of Paul in his Epistles of first presenting *doctrine* and then *duty*. In Ephesians, for example, chapters 1—3 deal with *doctrine* (our riches in Christ), while chapters 4—6 apply that doctrine to *duty* (our responsibilities in Christ).

Of the many duties of the Christian, for example, the chief is godliness. Salvation is a transforming experience, and the result of true conversion is godly behavior. Paul made this clear in Ephesians 2:10: “For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them,” which he then enumerates in chapters 4—6. He also made this clear to the Corinthians: “Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature: old things are passed away; behold, all things are become new” (2 Cor. 5:17).

It is doctrine, therefore, that results in the production of *godly behavior*. Writing again to Timothy, Paul declared: If any man teach otherwise, and consent not to wholesome words, even the words of our Lord Jesus Christ, and to the doctrine which is according to godliness; He is proud, knowing nothing, but dotting about questions and strifes of words, whereof cometh envy, strife, railings, evil surmisings, Perverse disputings of

men of corrupt minds, and destitute of the truth, supposing that gain is godliness: from such withdraw thyself” (1 Tim. 6:3–6).

The principle here could not be clearer: *There is a definite correlation between truth and godliness and error and ungodliness.* In other words, right doctrine will produce right conduct, while wrong doctrine will produce wrong conduct. *Period.* This truth is not only biblical, but also logical. Why? Because how can we live right and do right unless we know right? And knowledge *always* comes by doctrine. Truth cannot be *discovered*; it must be *revealed*.

Another duty of doctrine is *obedience*. The modern teachings of easy-believism, no lordship, no repentance, and others are simply additional heresies that have further contributed to the decline of the true Christian message. *Obedience is implicit in the Gospel.* Our Lord made the issue clear: “If ye love me, keep my commandments. . . . If a man love me, he will keep my words . . . He that loveth me not keepeth not my sayings” (John 14:15, 23, 24). The Apostle John picked up on this and wrote in his first Epistle: “Hereby we do know that we know him, if we keep his commandments. He that saith, I know him, and keepeth not his commandments, is a liar, and the truth is not in him. But whoso keepeth his word, in him verily is the love of God perfected: hereby know we that we are in him. He that saith he abideth in him ought himself also so to walk, even as he walked” (1 John 2:3–6).

All this is *duty* that flows from *doctrine*. Is duty the *cause* of salvation? Of course not, for that would be works salvation. But duty (like works) is most certainly the *result* of salvation and evidence of it.

We will conclude next time.

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Transcontinental cyclist Aart Huijg's travel update

By AART HUIJG
Special to the Herald Times

RBC I It has been a while now since I left Prudhoe Bay, Alaska. My cycling journey started 15 months ago in the deserted and most northern oil village on the American continent. In one week, I cycled 440 miles over the unpaved Haul Road to Fairbanks while carrying all food necessary to survive the sparsely populated plains of the North Slope. Today, things look quite different. I have transformed into a super-efficient battle machine. Over the months, I have already fought several rounds against my number one opponent, Mother Nature. Snow, rain, wind and heat tried to get me down. Time after time, Monster and I showed to be as resistant and strong as steel. In the most recent fight, nature bundled all its powers for its last attempt to stop me. In the Amazon rainforest, the sun heated up the red gravel road transforming the steep roller coast into a never ending tunnel of dust. The winner looks back. The first night along the Trans-Amazónica Highway sets the rhythm. Clouds of red dust whirl down on my tent. I only notice next morning. Minutes before sunrise, I

prepare my granola breakfast by mixing water with milk powder. My headlight illuminates the red cup vaguely since the beam of light is blurred by the fine bauxite dust coming down from the sky. While roosters and dogs wake up, Monster and I set foot on the bumpy gravel road for the first time. Directly, a steep climb lies ahead of us and not long after the first truck passes by. I am glad that I am wearing a mask preventing dust from entering my nostrils. I make sure I breathe in through the nose so that the air will be filtered. Though, an hour later, breathing becomes impossible. My cotton mask is soaked with sweat and air hardly comes through. Another truck passes by raising a curtain of dust around me. While going down the hill at full speed, I realize that I am in a dangerous situation. God knows where the truck is right now. It might have stopped to pass one of the countless narrow wooden bridges. I keep my coolness and slow down gradually. Amazon life is different from what I am used to so far. Let me give you a little snapshot. Digital Casio watches may sound pretty old school to you, but here everyone wears them. My thoughts go back to the mid-'80s when, as a kid, I



COURTESY PHOTO

Aart Huijg, who traveled through Meeker in November of last year on his journey from Prudhoe Bay, Alaska to Ushuaia, Chile in South America is pictured riding in the Trans-Amazónica "Highway." Follow his journey by visiting his website at www.today-you-can.com.

proudly wore my last one. The dense jungle adds a new dish to my daily menu. Acai is the name of the thick purple fruit juice made out of palm tree berries. As always people make my day. And unexpectedly many of them live along the unpaved highway. With the girls I stand no chance. Most of them are married and have

children while being teenagers themselves. They don't know any better. I realize I am rich. Not directly in terms of monetary wealth, but mostly in the education I enjoyed back home in the Netherlands. It made me independent and fearless. It gave me the opportunity to enjoy and learn before settling down. Anyway, I am

not here to find love. So, I enjoy the local hospitality and play pool at an open bar next to the wooden church. Just like the rest, I throw the empty can outside without wondering who will clean it up. Everyone is driving motor bikes around here. Roads are bad and cars are expensive. Sadly, drinking and driving leaves its marks on society. Deeper down the Amazons, I enter a small town. Forty years ago there was nothing, but that changed in the '70s when the Brazilian government constructed the BR-230. It made the interiors accessible and land available for everyone willing to migrate. At the time, one could work as much soil as means allowed you to. In the town Apui most people came from the border region with Paraguay and have German ancestors. I forget about their Nazi background and enjoy the smell of freshly baked bread. Only Germans can bake something that nutritious. Together we eat, drink and pray. Role patterns are traditional on the countryside. Karien takes care after the household while her husband works. Carl represents the local farmers and is upset with the Americans. Probably, he means all Western nations when he criticizes their

hypocritical demands. "They want us to preserve the Lungs of the Earth for the world's future generations. But where does that leave us? And who are the United States to tell us what to do when they have already cultivated most of their land?" I realizes he has a point there. Back in the jungle, rare parrots fly in pairs. I don't fear the jaguars everyone is warning me for. They fear me. Well that is at least my guess since I do not see any. The last bell rings and my eyes fill with tears when I hand out the last punch. Another 250 miles of dust lie ahead of me. My leg muscles are ready for the decisive Knock Out. Even though I am about to win the final round, I feel sad. 1,500 miles of gravel made me tired. I have been giving it the fullest day after day. And while I have hardly time to enjoy, I realize that back home my best friends are raising their first kids. I am not part of it. Though, I think ahead and raise my head. At the end of the Trans-Amazónica lies the Hualla Hualla pass. Not just an exotic or a 12,000 foot pass, no, it is the start of a new episode with amazing views and cold nights in the Andes mountains.

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Special to the Herald Times

RBC I Red Ribbon Week® is the oldest and largest drug prevention campaign in the country. In 1988 after the murder of a DEA agent, parents, youth and teachers in communities across the country began wearing red ribbons as a symbol of their commitment to raise awareness of the destruction caused by drugs. This year, families can get involved by entering a contest to promote awareness in their neighborhoods and win a drug prevention grant for their schools. Families can enter Red Ribbon Week's® contest to win a \$1,000 grant for their school and a new iPad for their home. To participate in the contest families and students will decorate the front of their homes with this year's message: "The Best Me Is Drug Free™." *Here's how students and their families can enter to win \$1,000 for their K-12 school and a new iPad:* Students bring the Red Ribbon Week® message home by working alongside parents to decorate their front door, mailbox, fence, etc. with this year's theme "The Best Me Is Drug Free™."

Take a photo with the family and their Red Ribbon Week® decoration, then upload to www.redribbon.org/contest or www.facebook.com/RedRibbonWeek by Nov. 2 (must be parents or 18+ to upload photos). Ask family and friends to vote for your entry at www.redribbon.org/vote Nov. 2-16. Ten lucky winners from regions across the U.S. will win. Winners will be announced at events at their winning schools in December. The DEA is co-sponsoring this year's national contest. "DEA is excited to partner with the National Family Partnership® on this contest that empowers communities to come together to talk about the drug problem," said DEA Administrator Michele M. Leonhart. "Red Ribbon Week® is also when we honor DEA Special Agent Enrique 'Kiki' Camarena, who made the ultimate sacrifice to keep our communities safe." Adds the NFP's Peggy Sapp: "Take the Red Ribbon Week® pledge across America to help children grow up safe, healthy and drug free." Visit www.redribbon.org/contest for contest information.

RANGELY SCHOOL DISTRICT "PARENT INVOLVEMENT" CALENDAR						
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	1 MS Football 1 p.m. fun stuff.	2 Board work session 6:15 EEC All welcome Build an Ornament @ PVE 6:30 p.m. Family Ed Night Capitol Christmas Tree	3	4 District Accountability Comm RJSHS Library 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. All welcome	5 Staff Computer Class Parkview @ 2 p.m. google docs and more HS Volleyball 4 p.m. All welcome	6 MS Football w/ Meeker 9 a.m. MS Volleyball 9 a.m. GO PANTHERS!
7	8	9 PTO Meeting 6:30 p.m. Parkview Elementary Everyone Welcome!	10	11 End of Quarter	12 HS Football 7 p.m. It will be fun!!!	13 HS Volleyball 1 p.m. Awesome fun!!
14	15	16 School Board Meeting 6:15 p.m. EEC Boardroom Everyone Welcome!	17	18	19 HS Football 7 p.m. Join us!	20 HS Volleyball 1 p.m. Exciting games!!
21	22	23	24	25	26 Parent Free Computer Class word/excel and more no reg required no charge--see ya there 3 p.m. at RJSHS library	27
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By **HEATHER ZADRA**
Special to the Herald Times

RANGELY I The Rio Blanco BOCES Feeding Our Future backpack program, now in its third year, has friends in quite a few places.

On Saturday, Oct. 22 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., one of those places will be the Rangely Area Chamber of Commerce's Shred It! event, where participants can have up to two boxes of confidential personal, legal or business documents shredded by Colorado Document Security, a professional document destruction firm out of Grand Junction. The event will take place at the Early Education Center's west parking lot. The suggested donation for the shredding service? Single-serve items to help stock the Feeding Our Future pantries.

The backpack program sends food home with approximately 50 children in Meeker and Rangely each weekend and is sustained by donations from private individuals and local

businesses. Children receive single-serve items they can easily prepare themselves, from macaroni and cheese and cereal bars to fruit cups and jerky.

Human Resource Council (HRC) president Tami Dorris said the non-profit organization has accepted tax-deductible cash donations for Feeding Our Future since the program's inception in 2010. The HRC gives money directly to the program or uses funds to purchase discounted items through the Food Bank of the Rockies.

"Some families may not qualify for free and reduced meals for their children (at school), but a lot of them are close," Dorris said. "So they do need that extra help on the weekends."

Former BOCES executive director Donna Day, who started the Feeding Our Future program in 2010, said that hearing about a backpack program in Grand Junction motivated her to start something similar in Rio Blanco County.

"People were extremely receptive," Day said. "We had people in the communities who

donated monthly. Churches in Meeker donated quite a bit of food, along with the grocery store here in Rangely. I was truly amazed at the community responses in Rangely and Meeker, their willingness and excitement to participate."

Now, nearly three years later, the program continues to serve families on a single income, parents working odd shifts who may not be home to make meals, and kids who are simply hungry.

Though the backpack program welcomes non-refrigerated, non-perishable foods in single-serve portions, it can currently use more breakfast and snack foods, including cereal bars, granola bars, fruit snacks, cookies, jerky, and crackers, than lunch items. Cash or checks and food items are equally helpful, BOCES finance director Jessica Fortunato said.

A simple application form for the program is available at the BOCES and school offices. The form requires no income verification information.

OBITUARY

Brenda Walker

May 12, 1965 ~ Oct. 5, 2012



Brenda Walker

Brenda Darlene North Walker, 47, of Meeker, Colo., passed away at Pioneers Hospital in Meeker on Oct. 5, 2012.

She was born in San Bernardino, Calif., on May 12, 1965, to Thomas and Jesse Kathy McFarland North.

Her family moved to Meeker in 1967. Brenda attended school in Meeker and after high school she moved to Phoenix, Ariz., where she worked at the Venetian Resort. She married and divorced James Walker and then moved to Glenwood Springs where she worked at the Hotel Colorado until she became disabled and moved back home to Meeker.

Brenda loved the mountains, fishing and her faithful dog B.J. She also enjoyed TV game shows.

She is survived by her mother Kathy of Meeker, father Tom (Debbie) of Palisade,

Colo., sister Tammie North of Parachute, Colo., brothers Tom North of Seabeck, Wash., Eric North of Meeker, Steve North of Orlando, Fla., and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her grandmother and grandfather, older sister Leona and two nephews. A memorial service will be held Saturday, Oct. 13, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Faith Baptist Church in Meeker at 11th and Garfield. Arrangements were entrusted to the care of the Blackburn Mortuary.

Donations can be made to the Meeker Animal Shelter in memory of Brenda.

STATE OF COLORADO COUNTY OF MOFFAT NOTICE OF 2012 GENERAL ELECTION

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 1-5-205(2), COLORADO REVISED STATUTES TITLE 1, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE GENERAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD IN THE COUNTY OF MOFFAT, FROM 7:00 A.M. TO 7:00 P.M., ON TUESDAY, THE SIXTH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2012, FOR THE ELECTION OF THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES AND BALLOT ISSUES TO WIT:

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OFFICIAL BALLOT MOFFAT COUNTY, COLORADO November 06, 2012		
GENERAL ELECTION Precinct 001		
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER Instruction Text: Please use a black or blue ink pen only. Completely fill in the box provided to the left of your choice. Make no stray marks on the ballot. Do not use inks that soak through the paper. To vote for a write-in candidate, completely fill in the box provided to the left of the words "Write-in" and write in the name of the candidate on the line provided.	REPRESENTATIVE TO THE 113TH UNITED STATES CONGRESS - DISTRICT 3 (Vote for One) <input type="checkbox"/> Sal Pace Democratic <input type="checkbox"/> Scott R. Tipton Republican <input type="checkbox"/> Gregory Gilman Libertarian <input type="checkbox"/> Tisha T. Casida Unaffiliated (Signed declaration to limit service to no more than 3 terms) <input type="checkbox"/> Write-in	COUNTY COMMISSIONER - DISTRICT 2 (Vote for One) <input type="checkbox"/> Chuck Grobe Republican <input type="checkbox"/> Write-in
	JUSTICE OF THE COLORADO SUPREME COURT (Vote Yes or No) Shall Justice Nathan B. Coats of the Colorado Supreme Court be retained in office? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS (Vote for One Pair) <input type="checkbox"/> Virgil H. Goode Jr. / Jim Clymer American Constitution <input type="checkbox"/> Barack Obama / Joe Biden Democratic <input type="checkbox"/> Mitt Romney / Paul Ryan Republican <input type="checkbox"/> Gary Johnson / James P. Gray Libertarian <input type="checkbox"/> Jill Stein / Cheri Honkala Green <input type="checkbox"/> Stewart Alexander / Alex Mendoza Socialist, USA <input type="checkbox"/> Ross C. "Rocky" Anderson / Luis J. Rodriguez Justice <input type="checkbox"/> Roseanne Barr / Cindy Lee Sheehan Peace and Freedom <input type="checkbox"/> James Harris / Alyson Kennedy Socialist Workers <input type="checkbox"/> Tom Hoefling / Jonathan D. Ellis America's <input type="checkbox"/> Gloria La Riva / Filberto Ramirez Jr. Socialism and Liberation <input type="checkbox"/> Merlin Miller / Harry V. Bertram American Third Position <input type="checkbox"/> Jill Reed / Tom Cary Unaffiliated <input type="checkbox"/> Thomas Robert Stevens / Alden Link Objectivist <input type="checkbox"/> Sheila "Samm" Tittle / Matthew A. Turner We the People <input type="checkbox"/> Jerry White / Phyllis Scherrer Socialist Equality <input type="checkbox"/> Write-in	REGENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO - AT LARGE (Vote for One) <input type="checkbox"/> Stephen C. Ludwig Democratic <input type="checkbox"/> Tyler Belmont American Constitution <input type="checkbox"/> Brian Davidson Republican <input type="checkbox"/> Daniel Ong Libertarian	COURT OF APPEALS (Vote Yes or No) Shall Judge Laurie A. Booras of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	REGENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO - CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT 3 (Vote for One) <input type="checkbox"/> Jessica Garrow Democratic <input type="checkbox"/> Glenn Gallegos Republican	Shall Judge James S. Casebolt of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	STATE SENATE - DISTRICT 8 (Vote for One) <input type="checkbox"/> Emily Tracy Democratic <input type="checkbox"/> Randy L. Baumgardner Republican <input type="checkbox"/> Sacha L. Weis Libertarian	Shall Judge Dennis A. Graham of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	STATE REPRESENTATIVE - DISTRICT 57 (Vote for One) <input type="checkbox"/> Bob Rankin Republican <input type="checkbox"/> Jo Ann Baxter Democratic <input type="checkbox"/> Dan Enright Libertarian	Shall Judge Gale T. Miller of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	DISTRICT ATTORNEY - 14TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT (Vote for One) <input type="checkbox"/> Brett Barkey Republican	Shall Judge Daniel Marc Taubman of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	COUNTY COMMISSIONER - DISTRICT 1 (Vote for One) <input type="checkbox"/> David DeRose Republican <input type="checkbox"/> John Kinkaid Unaffiliated	Shall Judge John R. Webb of the Colorado Court of Appeals be retained in office? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

OFFICIAL BALLOT MOFFAT COUNTY, COLORADO November 06, 2012	
GENERAL ELECTION Precinct 001	
DISTRICT JUDGE - 14TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT (Vote Yes or No) Shall Judge Michael O'Hara of the 14th Judicial District be retained in office? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Amendment 65 (CONSTITUTIONAL) Shall there be amendments to the Colorado constitution and the Colorado revised statutes concerning support by Colorado's legislative representatives for a federal constitutional amendment to limit campaign contributions and spending, and, in connection therewith, instructing Colorado's congressional delegation to propose and support, and the members of Colorado's state legislature to ratify, an amendment to the United States constitution that allows congress and the states to limit campaign contributions and spending? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
Amendment S (CONSTITUTIONAL) Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution concerning the state personnel system, and, in connection therewith, expanding the veterans' preference; increasing the number of candidates eligible to be appointed to a position; adjusting the duration of allowable temporary employment; allowing the flexibility to remove a limited number of positions from the system; modifying the residency requirement; adjusting the terms of service for members of the state personnel board; and requiring merit-based appointments to be made through a comparative analysis process? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
Amendment 64 (CONSTITUTIONAL) Shall there be an amendment to the Colorado constitution concerning marijuana, and, in connection therewith, providing for the regulation of marijuana; permitting a person twenty-one years of age or older to consume or possess limited amounts of marijuana; providing for the licensing of cultivation facilities, product manufacturing facilities, testing facilities, and retail stores; permitting local governments to regulate or prohibit such facilities; requiring the general assembly to enact an excise tax to be levied upon wholesale sales of marijuana; requiring that the first \$40 million in revenue raised annually by such tax be credited to the public school capital construction assistance fund; and requiring the general assembly to enact legislation governing the cultivation, processing, and sale of industrial hemp? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	

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GENERAL INFORMATION:

Moffat County Polling Places
GENERAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 6, 2012
(Polling place hours 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.)

Electors may cast their ballot at any Vote Center. Vote Centers will be located at the following locations:

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MAYBELL CO

DINOSAUR LIBRARY
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DINOSAUR CO

HAMILTON COMMUNITY CENTER
HAMILTON CO

Early/Absentee
Moffat County Clerk and Recorder's Office
221 West Victory Way, Suite 200
Craig, CO 81625
Early Voting hours 8:00 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.
OCTOBER 22 - NOVEMBER 2, 2012

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HEREUNTO SET MY HAND AND AFFIXED THE SEAL OF MOFFAT COUNTY THIS 10TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2012

Lila Herod
Moffat County Clerk & Recorder

(County Seal)

Your local election office is:
Office of the Clerk and Recorder
221 West Victory Way Suite 200
Craig, Colorado 81625
(970) 824-9104

Office hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

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Local veterans Brice Glasscock and Sonny Eatherton led the 2012 homecoming parade down Meeker's Main Street last Friday, in front of parade marshals Ed and Bonnie Coryell, arguably Meeker's biggest fans. Hundreds of kids, parents and alumni lined Main Street, where even some of the trees sported Cowboy colors. BOBBY GUTERREZ



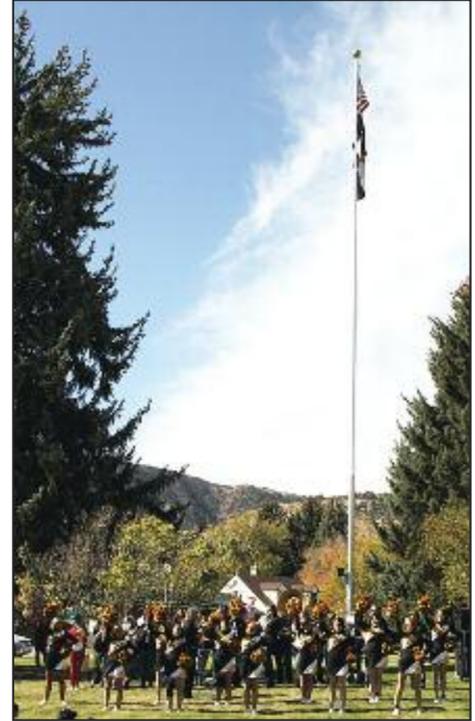
One of the homecoming events is the annual powder puff football game. The pictured junior/senior team lost to the underclassmen team.



The MHS marching band marched in the parade and performed at halftime of the football game.



Many school spirit contests are held during homecoming week, including parade floats. This year's junior class was judged to have the best float and were the overall 2012 winners.



The MHS cheerleaders have added enthusiasm to all the home games this year and at the homecoming pep rally on the courthouse lawn underneath the American flag.

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Cowboys nipped by Paonia at homecoming 21-20

— Exciting game ends in one-point loss for the Cowboys against the Eagles —

Special to the Herald Times

MEEKER I The Meeker Cowboys drove 87 yards on their last drive to narrow the score down to 21-20. They went for the 2-point conversion and the win, but came up short. The long drive took nine minutes and 17 seconds off the fourth quarter clock.

The Black and Gold had the lead at the end of the third quarter. The visiting Eagles then had their longest drive of the night, going 60 yards in eight plays. They scored and then went for the two-point conversion to take the lead at 21-14 with 9:37 left on the clock.

Jake Phelan hit Scott Smith with a 4-yard touchdown pass to end the Cowboy's last drive with 20-seconds left on the clock. An incomplete pass ended the two-point attempt and saddled the 'Boys with the defeat.

On the 87-yard drive the offensive line, coached by Brandon Aven, showed great poise and strong blocking technique. These young men do the tough work on the offensive side of the football. We have played 11 men in the offensive line on a consistent level during the season. These men consist of Devon Pontine, Noah Overton, Joe Newman, Ricky Jeffrey, Austin Brown, Nakoma Bailey, Adrian Shroyer, Kash Atwood, Ruben Royball, plus Tyler Pollock. Six of these men are freshmen, two are sophomores, one is a junior and two are seniors.

The defense held the Eagles to 230 yards in total offense, and allowed only one run in 48 attempts to go over eight yards. The 'Boys held the Eagles to two completions for 39 yards. Leading tacklers for the Black and Gold were No. 25 Willis Begay, who had 10 stops for the night. He was followed by No. 44 Tala Atoafa, a senior linebacker, with nine, No. 28 J.C.



Referee Mike Bullen leads Meeker High School senior captains Nate Walsh, J.R. Crawford, Fernando Olivas, (Austin Brown behind Olivas) Adrian Shoyer, Alex Smith, Tala Atoafa and Scott Smith, out for the coin flip before the 2012 homecoming game against the Paonia Eagles. The grandstands at Starbuck Stadium later cheered on the Cowboys in an exciting game they fought hard to win, yet lost by one point. Meeker will play in Cedaredge this Friday.

Henderson and No. 70, J.R. Crawford, each with eight. Senior defensive tackle, and the strongest man in the defensive line, Fernando Olivas, added seven tackles. Crawford and Olivas man the inside tackles position on the defensive line and this is a tough place to play. Both of these seniors have done an outstanding job. Senior defensive end Alex Smith, No. 22, and his twin brother, Scott Smith, No. 21, added three tackles each. The twins are also the team's top two receivers.

Junior linebacker Aaron Cochran, No. 32, chipped in with six tackles. Raul Lopez and Jake Phelan totaled three each. Overall, the

stop-unit limited the Eagles to 13 first downs and two touchdowns, with six points coming from the Eagle's outstanding field goal kicker.

Leading tacklers for the season are Arron Cochran with 43, Scott Smith 40, 10 of which are behind the LOS. Third on the list is Fernando Olivas with 35, Jake Phelan with 34, followed by T.J. Shelton's 31, Nate Walsh's 30, J.C. Henderson's 27, J.R. Crawford's 24, and Atoafa and Begay with 23 each. Alex Smith is the 11th member of the Cowboys to have 20 or more tackles in the season and he has 21.

Sebastian Clarke scored 8 points, with a

TD and a two-point conversion. Jake Phelan ran in a touchdown and threw a touchdown strike to Scott Smith. Phelan led the 'Boys in rushing, with 71 yards and hit on 10 of 18 passes for 148 yards. Clarke leads in scoring for the season, with 46 points from six touchdowns and 10 extra points. He is followed by freshman fullback T. J. Shelton, No. 16, who also has six touchdowns for 36 points. Clarke also leads in rushing, covering 565 yards on 73 carries for a very good 7.7 yards and carry average. Shelton is second with 488 yards on 76 carries and an impressive 6.4 average running inside. He also has the two longest runs of

the season, going 72 and 55 yards, and the second longest pass catch with a 39-yarder.

Dylan Mobley, No. 9, leads in passing, throwing 73 times for 336 yards, a 36 percent passing average. He also has the most total attempts, having put the ball in play by the pass and run 102 times for 381 yards. Second in passing is Jake Phelan, No. 11, with 21 attempts, 11 completions for 213 yards and a 52 percent passing average. Phelan has 72 total offensive plays for 412 yards.

Alex Smith leads in receiving, with 21 for 213 yards. He is followed by Scott Smith who has eight catches and 144 yards plus the longest pass play of the year, 65 yards from Jake Phelan. T. J. Shelton has three for 96 yards. Raul Lopez, a strong-legged kicker, has a 33.6 punting average off of 10 kicks. His longest is 39 yards. Clarke has the longest punt of the season with a 48-yarder.

J.C. Henderson leads the team in total plays, with 644 for the year. Second is Clarke with 629, followed by Phelan 588, Shelton 578, Scott Smith 572, Alex Smith 570, Devon Pontine, No. 50, with 534, Noah Overton No. 68, with 443, Nate Walsh, No. 5, 430, Joe Newman, No. 55, 395 plays, Aaron Cochran 371, Fernando Olivas, No. 30, with 356, and Dylan Mobley, with 340 plays in the season. Ricky Jeffrey, No. 63, rounds out the top 14 totals and men over 300 plays with 316.

Did you know? The Kickoff Golf Classic was a big success and much of it was due to hard work done by the senior parents and Debbie Cook. Thanks to all and a special thanks to Jeff Bollig and Evelyn Reynolds of Flat Tops Fuel for the pig they donated for the Kickoff Golf Classic Pigskin Cook Out.

MHS graduate passes PAT test

By **BOBBY GUTIERREZ**
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MEEKER I Meeker High School graduate Trey Morris, a freshman enrolled at the University of Colorado at Colorado Springs (UCCS), took and passed the Player's Ability Test (PAT) last week in Pueblo.

Morris is majoring in business with emphasis in marketing and professional golf management (PGM). He needed to pass a PAT in order to graduate with the PGM emphasis.

"I had to take the PAT as many times before I passed it in order to graduate from my program," Morris said. "Only 20 percent of those who attempt to pass the PAT actually pass, so in general, it's pretty difficult."

The PAT is a 36 hole test and Morris didn't pass it when he took it at City Park Golf Course in Denver, before starting college but did when he took it at Elmwood Golf Course in Pueblo Oct. 2.



Trey Morris

"I missed my target score by four the first time I took the PAT," Morris said.

Morris said he beat the target score (151) by three strokes.

"I shot a one under 69 the first 18 and a nine over 79 the second 18," Morris said. "I was eight over for a total of 148 and made the cut by three strokes."

Morris said he is enjoying college and Colorado Springs but passing the PAT did not make him a golf pro, which is his goal.

"I am not a golf professional, I do not have professional status or anything that has to do with being a pro, I know a lot of people get that mixed up including myself. I won't be a professional until I graduate and am elected into the PGA of America."



SPORTIN' THE OCT. PINK ...



The Meeker varsity volleyball team wore pink shorts in honor of October being national breast cancer awareness month in their homecoming game against the visiting Hotchkiss Bulldogs last Friday, which the lady Cowboys won in three games. Meeker beat Plateau Valley last Saturday and Hayden Tuesday to remain undefeated in league matches at 7-0. Meeker will host Paonia this Friday. Playing varsity for the lady Cowboys are Bailey Atwood, Katie Dinwiddie, Kacey Collins, Aly Ridings, Piper Haney, Jordan Brown, Amanda Kendall, Taylor Neilson, Kaysyn Chintala and head coach Christy Atwood.

BOBBY GUTIERREZ

RBC harriers battle tough course

Special to the Herald Times

RBC I Most people think runners are just a little bit crazy. And then there are days like this past Saturday that runners begin to have those same thoughts. After beating a trail to their Suburbans before sunrise (some got there a little earlier than others) the runners traveled to Aspen to tackle the course that starts at 8,000 feet where the air is both cold and thin. With an uphill start, this course makes you think about the stories your grandpa told you about walking uphill both ways too and from school in the snow. Yes, the kids got up willingly to tackle what is considered one of the toughest 5K cross country courses in Colorado and yes, perhaps they are little bit

crazy.

Along with Meeker and Rangely, 15 other schools towed the line as 110 runners readied themselves for the challenging course on mountains of Aspen, Colo. There wasn't much of a sprint at the start of this race as most runners set into motion a pace that would allow them to survive the course, however that didn't keep Rangely's William Scoggins and Meeker's Lathrop Hughes from setting out with the leaders. From there on the race was mostly up hill on winding paths cut out with mowers the day before that weaved through open fields and trees. We were able to catch glimpses of the runners but it wasn't until they made it back to the high school that we knew how they fared.

The first runner to come out of the trees and head to the finish line was Scoggins who completed the course 26 seconds in front of his nearest competitor in a time of 18:15. With a strong finish, Hughes passed several runners in the final stretch to finish 25th with a time of 20:31. The two seniors from Rio Blanco County had great runs that left their legs a bit rubbery as they led the way for their respective teams.

The Panthers had several outstanding performances. Running the Aspen 5K course for the first time, freshman Chris Hogan had a time of 20:43, earning a 28th place finish. He has been improving every week and has the sixth fastest time run by a freshman at the 2A level this year.

Mitchell Webber crossed the finish line in 71st place with a time 22:37 and helped lead the team to 12th place finish. Daniel Connor and Kaycee Freeman worked together during the race and finished less than one-half second apart as Connor finished in 25:07.3 and Freeman in 25:07.6 earning 98th and 99th place respectively.

The Cowboys did not have a full team for this event but were led by strong performances as Caleb Lange finished in 77th place in a time of 22:52 after an amazing sprint at the finish. Sam Lange ran a solid time on the devilish course and finished in 26:29 and earned 108th place.

Both teams will be preparing for the regional meet that will be held in Delta Oct. 17.

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CHAMPIONS of the WEEK



Colton Coombs, Senior Rangely High School

Coombs (carrying the football) scored 20 of his team's 30 points, including three touchdowns and rushed for 124 yards. Coombs also recorded four quarterback sacks in the Panther victory over the Vail Christian Saints.

Trey Morris, Freshman University of Colorado ~ Colo. Spgs.

Morris, a freshman at the University of Colorado Colorado Springs, passed his Player's Ability Test (PAT) by shooting three shots better than his target score on Pueblo's Elwood Golf Course last week. Morris need to pass the PAT in order to earn his Business degree with the Professional Golf Management emphasis.



Volleyball teams battle in Rangely

By HALLIE BLUNT
Special to the Herald Times

MEEKER I The middle school volleyball teams from Meeker and Rangely played in Rangely Saturday for exciting matches. Both teams have shown a great deal of growth throughout the season as they demonstrated hard fought volleys and some exciting plays at the net. The seventh grade A and B games were both won by Meeker behind solid serving from Avery Watt, Macey Collins and Kascia Cochran. The girls improved their

serving a great deal over the season, serving 85 percent the last match. The seventh grade B teams are done, finishing with a 4-2 record. The A teams will finish their season with a tournament this weekend. The eighth grade games were both won by Rangely who showed tremendous team work and solid play at the lead by Katie Allred. In the eighth grade A game, Rangely came out strong winning the first game handily over a seemingly nervous Meeker team. Meeker settled in and battled back to take an early lead in game two before

Rangely tied the score at 16-16. Rangely gathered momentum after a big block and put the match away with a game two win. Rangely and Meeker not only had a great deal more attack and blocking attempts but also showed solid defense with great passing by several players.

The athletes from both teams worked hard all season and the level of play increased tremendously from start to finish. The competition proved to be a sneak preview of years to come for Rangely and Meeker and judging from the reviews, it will be a great show.

RHS beats Vail Christian



TRACY ENTERLINE

The RHS Panthers played Vail Christian Friday on their home field. The Panthers won the game 30-6. Senior (No. 22) Colton Coombs rushing. (Left) Junior (No. 88) Ryan Wilczek blocking.

By BOBBY GUTIERREZ
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RANGELY I The Rangely Panthers football team won their third game of the season with a 30-6 win over the Vail Christian Saints, who were undefeated until the Panthers came marching in.

"I think our guys played their best all around game of the year," head coach Paul Fortunato said. "Our offensive and defensive lines were the deciding factor in this game and our guys wanted it more than Vail did. Vail was 5-0 so beating them was a good confidence builder going into the last two weeks of league play."

Neither team scored in the first quarter but senior Colton Coombs scored twice on two-yard runs after long drives in the second quarter.

"All of our drives were long drives with our line and backs working hard to continue to move the chains," Fortunato said.

Chas Byerly added a two-point conversion on one of the touchdowns and Rangely led 14-0 at halftime.

The third quarter was also scoreless but both teams scored in the final 12 minutes of play.

Coombs scored his third touchdown of the game, this time on a 40-yard run and Tobie Gasper added the two-point conversion to go ahead 22-0 before allowing the Saints to score

on a 98-yard pass after Rangely blitzed trying for a safety.

Byerly made the final touchdown for the Panthers on a 4-yard run and Coombs ran in for the two extra points.

Coombs scored three touchdowns, rushed for 124 yards and had four sacks on defense. Byerly ran for 144 and caught two passes for 17 yards. Luis Contreras had five sacks and Ethan Allred got to the quarterback three times behind the line of scrimmage.

Coach Fortunato asked the fans to support his team in the final to regular season games, both at home on Yaeger Field, starting with Soroco (4-2) this Friday.

RHS wins on the road

By BOBBY GUTIERREZ
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RANGELY I The lady Panthers lost to Vail Mountain at home last Friday but traveled to Walden the next day and beat the lady Wildcats in five games.

"Overall we played well against Vail Mountain, just not good enough to pull out a win," head coach Jimmie Mergelman said. "Brittany Babineaux played well and stepped up her leadership role also."

Babineaux led the team with 14 kills and eight blocks against Vail Mountain.

Rangely lost the first game 17-25, then won the second 25-22 before losing the next two and the match 22-25 and 17-25.

The long trip to Walden did not seem to affect the lady Panthers at first, as they easily won the first two games 25-13 and 25-18 but then lost the next two 15-25 and 18-25, forcing a fifth and deciding game.

"The first two sets we played well

and then kind of let up in games three and four but pulled out the win in game five," Mergelman said. "Myriah Moreno played really well, stepping up and setting for us because Aimee Hogan was out with a hurt hand.

Babineaux led the team again with 20 kills and eight blocks. Senior Quincey Thacker recorded 19 kills in 83 attempts and five blocks.

Rangely will travel to Hotchkiss this Friday and host Plateau Valley Saturday for parents' night. The JV start at 1 p.m.



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Rio Blanco Funeral Homes, Cochran Memorial Chapel of Meeker and Rangely

We would like to send out a special thanks to Jackie and the ladies in the vital records department at the Rio Blanco County Clerk's Office for all their help and professional kindness over the years. The assistance they have provided with filing and obtaining death certificates for us and the families we serve is so appreciated. So on behalf of Mitch and TyAnn Blackburn, the late Ran Cochran, Rhonda Cochran, Joe and Teresa Swiger, and all other staff members, we send our sincere thanks.

We would also like to remind the residents of Rio Blanco County that we are here and available to assist you and your loved ones when we are needed. We are still only a phone call away to support you in any way we can, no matter where or when a death may occur. We know how stressful and hard it is when losing a loved one and the worries that come with it. Be comforted to know that we will help you through this most difficult time with our professional staff and affordable plans for everyone. We provide the same traditions and services provided in the past.

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RMS showing school spirit

By SAVANNAH NEILSON
Special to the Herald Times

RANGELY I The homecoming week at the Rangely Middle School turned out to be a success, no matter how wacky it really was! STUCO sponsored all the crazy dress up day's competition and activities. On Monday, we had duct tape day. The costumes ranged from small strips of tape to full dresses crafted from only duct tape. On Tuesday, our middle school was full of kooky rock stars. Thick eyeliner, big earrings, and boots were not rare. Wednesday was full of peace. Long hair, headbands and beads made our hippie day really successful. Panther Pride day was the final competition day. Jerseys and Panther gear were sported and a drive to beat all our opposing teams who dared to cross us filled our school.

The last 15 minutes of our Thursday classes was a pep rally

where our cheerleaders pumped us up for all the games and tournaments and we did our graduation year cheer. Seventh grade screamed their way to top and then we had one more cheer from our cheerleaders before we all went home and got ready for the annual chili dinner and bonfire. The bonfire was at the old location of Parkview. The high school ran the stage, introducing all high school sports and classes. Flares were flown into the fire and the entire location started glowing from the warmth and light from the fire and the enthusiasm of the crowd.

Friday began with a homecoming parade where all our sports teams and other classes and clubs had colorful and original floats. Our middle school had their own green and white float. At seven that evening our Panther football team jogged out on to the field with only the thought of beating Nucla on their minds. The music



Savannah Neilson

teacher, Mr. Heaps, had his band out in the stands playing our school song and other songs to get everybody pumped up. The results of the game were incredible. Our team won by a landslide, 66:6!

Saturday the middle school had football and volleyball games. Middle school volleyball did awesome and won all of the games they played. Our football team was beat just barely 22-20.

The homecoming dance was Saturday from 9 p.m. to midnight. With homecoming over, all the presidents and parents took a deep breath and started preparing themselves for next year!

RANGELY PANTHERS

GO PANTHERS!

RHS Volleyball

10/12 @ Hotchkiss - 4, 5, 6pm
10/13 @ HOME vs. Plateau Valley - 1, 2, 3
10/19 @ Meeker - 4, 5, 6pm

RHS Football

10/12 @ HOME vs. SoRoCo - 7pm
10/19 @ HOME vs. South Park - 7pm
10/26 @ Districts - TBA

RHS Cross Country

10/11 @ Rifle
10/20 @ Regionals
10/27 @ Denver - State

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10/13 @ Steamboat Springs



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675-3010

Colorado CPA
Services, PC
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First National Bank
of the Rockies
222 W. Main, Rangely, CO
675-8481

W.C. Striegel
17030 Hwy. 64 Rangely, CO
675-8444

Silver Sage RV &
Mobile Home Park
259 Crest, Rangely, CO
675-2259

MEEKER COWBOYS

MHS FOOTBALL

10/12 @ Cedaredge - 7pm
10/15 @ HOME vs. GJ JV (JV Only) - 4pm

MHS VOLLEYBALL

10/12 @ HOME vs. Paonia - 4, 5, 6pm
10/13 @ SoRoCo - 1, 2, 3pm

MHS CROSS COUNTRY

10/11 @ Rifle - 3:30pm
10/17 @ Regionals (Delta)
10/27 @ Colorado Springs - State Meet

BMS VOLLEYBALL

10/13 @ Steamboat Springs

MEEKER GOLF COURSE

10/21 - Frostbite Tournament



LET'S GET READY TO
RUMBLE COWBOYS!



SUPPORT YOUR
LOCAL BOOSTERS!

With the support of the business community, we are able to provide this space for weekly schedules of athletic activities. The support is greatly appreciated. If we missed contacting you as a booster, please contact the Herald Times at 878-4017. We can add your name next week.



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Watt's Ranch Market
271 E. Market
Meeker, CO
878-5868

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485 Market St., Meeker, CO
878-5026

Go-Fer Foods & Deli
812 Market St., Meeker, CO
878-5381

RIO BLANCO COUNTY DAYS GONE BY

The Meeker Herald — 125 years ago

■ Joseph H. Thomas has sold his Spring Creek ranch on the lower White River to Leroy White who intends to go into fruit culture on a larger scale than ordinary.

■ One fellow, bolder than the average, rode into town Sunday night with a deer behind his saddle (covered by a saddle blanket, all but the hooves); got his mail and went on his way.

■ District Attorney Gentry left Wednesday to attend court at Aspen. At this sitting of the court for Pitkin County, a large criminal docket is to be disposed of, among the complaints being two murder cases. Gentry will get 'em.

■ Messrs. Lou Milner, John Story and Sam Tucker, went hunting in the Miller Creek regional last Saturday, and — caught a blizzard, then bad colds, lots of experience, but nothing else worth noting.

■ Railroad building rumors are again in circulation. Grand River to Meeker. But we will not use much red ink till dirt begins to fly on this side of the divide.

■ Bank robbery 16 years ago tomorrow (Oct. 13, 1912). If you are not an old timer, see David Smith or Ben Nichols; either will re-tell the tale.

The Meeker Herald — 50 years ago

■ The worst fire that has struck this community for several years occurred on Wednesday night (Oct.

10, 1962) of this week when the Purkey Packing Plant, three miles west of Meeker, was completely destroyed.

■ A carload of Meeker ladies drove to Denver last weekend to see the play "My Fair Lady." Those making the trip were Ann Gentry, Caroline Cooley, Jean Dindley and Eva Oldland. They returned home Sunday.

■ A real estate deal was made this past week whereby Mr. and Mrs. Robert Metzger have purchased the Donald Tagert home on Cleveland Street. Mr. and Mrs. Metzger plan to move from their ranch home to their new town home in the near future.

■ The Meeker Board of Education has set the following hunting season policies for Meeker High School students: Students will be excused on Oct. 22-24 if they have their work made up in advance and a written excuse from their parents. No other excused absences for hunting will be allowed.

The Meeker Herald — 25 years ago

■ Efforts to recall Rio Blanco County Commissioner Kenneth Kenney failed Tuesday as voters in Meeker and Rangely elected to keep him in office by a vote of 665-396.

■ Mrs. Bette L. Chambers of Houston, Texas, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Conni Ann, to Nicholas Joseph Lines of Meeker, son of Tom Lines.

■ Bill and Dorene Keele returned home to Meeker after four months this summer spent in Fairbanks, Ala. On the route home they spent six days fishing at Browns Park.

■ Joy Cox was up from Clifton this past weekend to visit her parents, sisters, Bud, Helen Cox, Penny Brown and Kitty Caulfield, Jason and Jennifer.

■ Expected hunting season guests of George, Peggy, Jason and Denielle Back are George's uncle and aunt, Tom and Louise Back from Fort Jones, Calif. The Tom Backs will be here a month.

■ Meeker's gymnasts took advantage of having their first full team and won the dual meet with Highland High School in Thornton. Pegge Halandras won the all-around competition in her best showing this season. Teammate Carla Seely came in a close second in the all-around.

■ Twice this season, Cowboys' head coach Rick Myers has had to fall back on that old familiar saying, "It wasn't pretty, but it was a win." However, the Cowboys found themselves on top of Roaring Fork, 21-0.

■ Winners of the Yugo of America Pro-Am team competition last weekend in Meeker was the four-some headed by Bookcliff pro Brett Winder, Mark Montgomery, Steve "Power Pod" Nieslanik and Larry Talkington. The four rallied the last day to win by one stroke.

Rangely Times — 45 years ago

Middle school county rivalry alive

By HALLIE BLUNT

Special to the Herald Times

RBC I The middle school football teams from Meeker and Rangely completed their seasons on a morning that felt like football season. The temperature was in the mid-30s and the wind was blowing, but the chill didn't stop the kids from playing hard as Meeker's seventh and eighth grade boys defeated the Panthers in Rangely.

The seventh-grade team, led by quarterback/kicker/linebacker Logan Hughes, had an outstanding team effort with tough offensive blocking from the line and a team

defense that was extremely tough. Jake Pelloni had another hard-hitting game, along with several other defensive players for Meeker.

The Rangely team is preparing for the eight-man format when they get to high school and their limited number of kids certainly played a part as they played the eighth grade game with several players from the seventh grade team.

In their first meeting, the Panthers would play eight-man offense and 11-man defense but this time they played 11-man on both sides of the ball and the extra men proved very beneficial to the Meeker team. An outstanding team

effort by the eighth-grade boys, including a catch by Tell Blanke, a touchdown run by Hunter Garcia, and several defensive plays by the entire team gave the Cowboys the win to end their season.

The coaches were very proud of the effort the athletes put in and their improvement was evident. The option is a hard offense to run at any level and Meeker certainly showed it was possible, and they backed their offense up with tenacious team defense. Congratulations to both Meeker and Rangely teams for outstanding seasons. Good luck moving on to the next sport.

■ Mrs. Minta Gerry, Rangely, Colo., postmaster is attending the 63rd annual convention of the National Association of Postmasters being held at San Juan, Puerto Rico.

■ Mr. and Mrs. Don Dunn announce the arrival of their first grandson, Darin Richard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Fogg.

■ Butch Young and family from San Jose, Calif., have been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M.M. Young of Rangely. Butch is a Rangely graduate and has lived in San Jose since his discharge from the U.S. Navy in 1959.

■ Kenneth Tripp attended a Little League football game in Vernal Saturday.

■ Mrs. and Mrs. Don Neve of Santa Clara, Calif., were the proud parents of a baby boy, born Oct. 6. He was named Donald Christopher and has two sisters Karen and Kayleen. The Neves are former residents of Rangely.

■ Dr. R.J. May is attending a Judicial meeting this week at the Broadmoor Hotel in Colorado Springs.

Rangely Times — 35 years ago

■ James Doohan who played Chief Engineer Scott on the popular T.V. series Start Trek, will present a program which the public is invited to attend.

■ A delightful Saturday afternoon coffee was held at Betty Gilbow's for former resident and teacher Mary Lou Angus.

■ Vikingsholm Castle, Emerald Bay, South Lake Tahoe was the setting for the Sept. 24 wedding of Denise Lynn Jefferson and Lloyd "Skip" Smuts.

■ Sandy and Asa Evans are the parents of a baby girl, named Mary Jo, born Oct. 2 at 2 p.m. at the Vernal Hospital.

■ Seventy-three Rangely youngsters participated in the annual Punt, Pass and Kick contest sponsored by Valley Ford Company of Meeker. Following is a list of those who placed: Kirk Henderson, Todd Shults, Leif Joy, Blake VanCleave, Justin Seely, Mark Wilczek, Eugene Ary, Bobby Hanson, Chris Powell, Eric Blanke, Mike Lennon, Tim McFarland, Alva Abney, Cody Morris, Chris Chessani, Les Anderson, Dee Bailey and Joe Whalin.

■ The young lady chosen as the Girl Student of the Month for September at the Rangely Middle School is Laurie Bock. Dee Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. V.E. Bailey of Rangely, has been selected as the Boy Student of the Month.

Rangely Times — 25 years ago

■ A big "thank you" to Rita Reich for her hard work and valuable assistance in planning the September celebration.

■ Mr. and Mrs. James Lollar announce the birth of their baby boy, Christopher James. He was born Sept. 16, 1987, at 3:57 a.m. He joins his big brother Chad. Maternal

grandparents are John and Sharon Gabossi of Carbondale. Paternal grandparents are Cecil and Pat Lollar of Rangely and Floyd and Marlene Hooley of Mesa.

■ Suzanne Chapin, a native of Tacoma, Wash., is the new Chapter I reading teacher in the Rangely School District.

■ This year's homecoming attendants were for the freshman class, Geri Gunderson, the daughter of Ray and Edity Gunderson, while Brian Newland, son of Ray and Valerie Mallett, was chosen male freshman attendant. Sophomores Rena Claybough, daughter of James Claybough and Nick Lancaster, son of Wally and Jayne Kuck and Mike Lancaster, represent the Sophomore class. This year's Junior attendants are Shae Brown, daughter of Jack and Charleen Brown, and John Hume, son of John and Beckey Hume. The female senior attendants are Shelly Bayles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Slavens; Carmen Rivas, daughter of Lynn Jenkins; and Leona Hazelwood, daughter of Evelyn and Junior Hazelwood. Escorting them will be seniors Andrew Paul, son of Del and Paulette Zwim; Jim Shuckers, brother of Mac and Linda Shuckers; and Clete Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Long. This year's crownbearers are Brooke Ashley Smith, age 5, daughter of Chri and Mark Smith; and Travis John Peterson, age four, son of Diane and Lyle Peterson.

October is National Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Schedule your \$80 screening today

During the month of October, The Memorial Hospital at Craig has partnered with Rocky Mountain Radiology to offer \$80 (regular price \$350) screening mammograms.

All women over the age of 40 should have annual screening mammograms. Annual mammograms lead to early detection of breast cancers, when they are most curable and breast-conservation therapies are available.

To schedule a mammogram, patients will first need to get an order from their doctor. The \$80 must be paid at the time of service and cannot be combined with any other discounts. Insurance will not be billed.

To schedule a screening mammogram, call the Scheduling Department at 970-826-3150.



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MEEKER VOLUNTEER FIRE & RESCUE



Meeker Volunteer Fire Department Urges Residents to "Have Two Ways Out"

Fire Prevention Week, October 7-13, 2012

If you woke up to a fire in your home, how much time do you think you would have to get to safety? According to the nonprofit National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), one-third of Americans households who made and estimate they thought they would have at least 6 minutes before a fire in their home would become life threatening. Unfortunately, the time available is often less.

That's why the Meeker Volunteer Fire Department is teaming up with NFPA during Fire Prevention Week, October 7-13, 2012, to urge residents to "Have Two Ways Out!" This year's theme focuses on the importance of fire escape planning and practice.

In 2010, U.S. fire departments responded to 369,500 home structure fires. These fires caused 13,350 civilian injuries, 2,640 civilian deaths, and \$6.9 billion in direct damage.

"One home structure was reported every 85 seconds in 2010," says Steve Allen, Fire Chief of the Meeker Volunteer Fire Department. "Fire is unpredictable and moves faster than most people realize. Having a tried and true escape plan with two ways is essential to ensuring your family's safety should fire break out in your home."

The Meeker Volunteer Fire Department recommends the following tips for planning your family's escape:

- Make a map of your home. Mark a door and a window that can be used to get out of every room.
- Choose a meeting place outside in front of your home. This is where everyone can meet once they've escaped. Draw a picture of your outside meeting place on your escape plan.
- Write the emergency telephone number for the fire department on your escape plan.
- Have a grown-up sound the smoke alarm and practice your escape plan with everyone living in your home.
- Keep your escape plan on the refrigerator and remind grown-ups to have your family practice the plan twice a year or whenever anyone in your home celebrates a birthday.

SHRED IT!

Brought to you by
The Rangely Area Chamber of Commerce and
Colorado Document Security

Monday, Oct. 22
10 am- 1 pm

EEC Parking Lot, West side
(402 W. Main, Rangely)

This free onsite document shredding event is open to the public. Protect your identity and recycle by shredding old checks, credit card receipts, files, and more!

No plastic or cardboard allowed
Limit 2 boxes per person

Donations being accepted for the BOCES Backpack program to benefit local kids in need! Asking for single sized packaged food (granola bars, single sized cereal, fruit cups, Cup-A-Noodles, Easymac, etc), or make a money donation directly to BOCES.



Questions?
Contact Brooke
at 970-675-5290



RBC WARRANTY DEEDS ~ SEPT. TRANSACTIONS

Seller: Elk Creek Ranch Development INC
Buyer: M/R White River Ranch LLC
Description: SECT 22 TWN 1S RANGE 92W
Transaction Price: \$2,500,000

Seller: William H Wheeler
Buyer: GOPHISH LLC
Description: SECT 10 TWN 1S RANGE 93W
Transaction Price: \$4,500,000

Seller: James A and Patricia M Cook
Buyer: Pelloni Family Living Trust
Description: SUBDIVISION/MAP SHELTON
MINOR SUBDIVISION 285132 PARCELA
Transaction Price: \$29,000

Seller: Warren J II and Christina Lee Becker
Buyer: Joshua and Vallerie Jackson
Description: SUBDIVISION/MAP TAMARRON
SUBDIVISION 194871 LOT 12,13
REMARKS 252 E RAVEN AVE
Transaction Price: \$150,000

Seller: Matthew W and Jennifer M Noel
Buyer: Michael J Elder
Description: SUBDIVISION/MAP HILDEN-
BRANDT SUBDIVISION 69613 LOT 4,5
BLOCK 7 REMARKS 110 W RIO BLANCO
AVE
Transaction Price: \$150,000

Seller: James Clark Urie and Gary W Roth
Buyer: Russel D and Sheila R Purvis
Description: SUBDIVISION/MAP TOWN OF
MEEKER LOT 10,11,12 & B E 1/2 BLOCK
16 REMARKS 223 MAIN ST
Transaction Price: \$225,000

Seller: Brad and Michelle Casto
Buyer: Jon and Erin Willis
Description: SUBDIVISION/MAP HILLCREST
SUBDIVISION AND ADDITION 162563 LOT

47 REMARKS 240 RIDGE RD
Transaction Price: \$200,000

Seller: First National Bank of the Rockies
Buyer: Ellingwood Park LLC
Description: SUBDIVISION/MAP UTAH OIL
SUBDV 1ST AMND RESUB LOT C 281618
LOT 8 REMARKS 505 W MAIN ST
Transaction Price: \$450,000

Seller: Mountain Valley Bank
Buyer: White River Lodge LLC
Description: SECT
15,16,21,22,27,28,29,20,30 TWN 2N RANGE
94W REMARKS 6316 COUNTY ROAD 7
Transaction Price: \$2,900,000

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Found at Samuelsons 10/9: Older female border collie. Currently in foster care. Please call 756-4762 or 878-5555.

Call Meeker Animal Control at **878-4968** and leave a message or ac@town.meeker.co.us

MEEKER
School Lunch Menu

WEEK OF OCT. 15-19, 2012

Mon. Oct. 15 - Chicken Salad Sandwich, Chips, Pears, Vegetable Medley

Tues. Oct. 16 - Pig in a Blanket, 3-Bean Salad, Fruit, Cookie

Wed. Oct. 17 - Chicken Nuggets, Rice Pilaf, Seasonal Fruit, Green Beans

Thurs. Oct. 18 - Lasagna, Salad, Breadstick, Blueberry Parfait

Fri. Oct. 19 - Hamburger, Broccoli, Pickles

RANGELY
School Lunch Menu

WEEK OF OCT. 15-18, 2012

Mon. Oct. 15 - Chicken Panini or Grilled Cheese, Fruit & Salad Bar, Milk or Water

Tues. Oct. 16 - Burrito or Egg Salad Sandwich, Fruit & Salad Bar, Milk or Water

Wed. Oct. 17 - Lasagna, Green Beans, Roll or Turkey & Cheese Wrap, Fruit & Salad Bar, Milk or Water

Thurs. Oct. 18 - Sub Sandwich, Tator Tots, Fruit & Salad Bar, Milk or Water

The Rio Blanco County lunch menus are sponsored by:

Barone Middle School
Volleyball Only
10/13 @ Steamboat Spgs.
8:00am

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10/13 @ Steamboat Spgs.
8:00am

Colorado gas prices falling

Special to the Herald Times

RBC I Average retail gasoline prices in Colorado have fallen 1.5 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$3.69/g yesterday. This compares with the national average that has increased 0.6 cents per gallon in the last week to \$3.80/g, according to gasoline price website ColoradoGasPrices.com.

Including the change in gas prices in Colorado during the past week, prices yesterday were 27.8 cents per gallon higher than the same day one year ago and are 10.5 cents per gallon

higher than a month ago. The national average has decreased 1.3 cents per gallon during the last

month and stands 37.2 cents per gallon higher than this day one year ago.

"Thanks largely due to the situation in California, the national average rose slightly in the last week," said GasBuddy.com Senior Petroleum Analyst Patrick DeHaan. "The good news

for Californians is to expect relief this week. Around the rest of the nation I expect a mixed bag, with prices not moving significantly in either direction from what I can see at this

time. Nationally, prices remain much higher than last year, especially in California, where the average now stands 88 cents per gallon higher than a year ago," DeHaan said.

Middle Elk fire area closed

Special to the Herald Times

MEEKER I The Middle Elk Fire on the Blanco Ranger District is located some 30 miles north of New Castle, Colo., to the west of the Buford New Castle Road at Hiner Springs. For safety reasons the area of the fire remains closed at this time. Hunters need to be made

aware that this closure does not apply to other portions of Game Management Unit 23. You can find a map of the closure area on www.inciweb.org under the "Middle Elk Fire" closure notice and <http://wildlife.state.co.us/Hunting/Pages/Hunting.aspx> on the Colorado Parks and Wildlife website.

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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF A PROPOSED PROJECT OR ACTIVITY WARRANTING PUBLIC COMMENT

Oldcastle SW Group, Inc. dba United Companies of Mesa County proposes to construct and operate one (1) hot mix asphalt plant. This source is located at the Berry Pit, near Meeker, Rio Blanco County, Colorado. This source is classified as a Synthetic Minor Source as the emissions Carbon Monoxide (CO) would exceed Prevention of Significant Deterioration (PSD) limits (250 tons per year) if this source did not accept federally enforceable limits on emission control equipment and production limits. This source has restrictions on hours and production of asphalt and emission control equipment requirements written into the permit that will restrict the hours of operation and the production of asphalt to control the CO emissions to below TV and PSD levels. Because this source has the potential to emit greater than 250 tons per year of CO, but is willing to accept operational limits to bring the emissions of both pollutants below 100 tons per year, this source is considered to be a synthetic minor source for CO. As such, this permit is subject to public comment per Regulation 3, Part B, Section III.C.1.d. The Division has determined that the proposed source will comply with all applicable regulations and standards of the Colorado Air Quality Control Commission and has made a preliminary determination of approval of the application. A copy of the applications for the emission permits, the preliminary analysis of said applications, and accompanying data concerning the proposed project and activity are available for inspection at the office of the Clerk and Recorder of Gunnison County during regular business hours and at the office of the Air Pollution Control Division, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, 4300 Cherry Creek Drive South, Denver, Colorado. A copy of the draft permit and preliminary analysis are available on the Air Pollution Control Division's website at: <http://www.cdphe.state.co.us/ap/airpublicnotices.html> The Division will receive and consider the written public comments and requests for any hearing for thirty calendar days after the date of this Notice. Additional information regarding this action can be found at the Rio Blanco County Clerk's office and on the Division's website at: <http://www.cdphe.state.co.us/ap/airpublicnotices.html> or by contacting Charles N. Pray, P.E.-P.L.S. at 303-692-3133 of the Division.
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LEGAL NOTICES

Notification of meeting for the Rangely Town Council, Board of Trustees

The Town of Rangely Town Council meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month starting at 7:00 p.m. in the Court Room at 209 E Main, Rangely, CO 81648. Agendas are posted in the lobby at Town Hall and at the Rangely District Library. The meetings are televised live on channel 3 through Bresnan Cable TV. All meetings are open to the public.

District Court
Rio Blanco County, Colorado
Court Address: 555 MAIN STREET, SUITE 303 MEEKER, CO 81641
In the Matter of the Petition of:
Parent/Petitioner: TRISTA RALEY for
Minor Child: STEVEN ALONZO JOHNSON
to Change the Child's Name to:
STEVEN NOEL RALEY
Case Number 12CV33

NOTICE TO NON-CUSTODIAL PARENT

Notice to: STEVEN WAYNE JOHNSON, non-custodial parent.

Notice is given that a hearing is scheduled as follows:
Date: OCTOBER 19TH, 2012
Time: 2:00 PM
Location: 555 MAIN STREET, SUITE 303 MEEKER, CO 81641

for the purpose of requesting a change of name for STEVEN NOEL RALEY.
At this hearing, the court may enter an order changing the name of the minor child.
You may attend the hearing and participate or voice objection to the proposed change of name.
Date: 9/7/2012
/s/ Trista L. Raley
233 Cottonwood Ln
Rangely, CO 81648
970-620-1091
Publish: Sept. 13, 20 and 27, 2012 and October 4 and 11, 2012
Rio Blanco Herald Times

NOTICE TO VOTERS
General Election - November 6, 2012
(7:00am to 7:00pm)

MAIL-IN (ABSENTEE): Mail-in ballots (formerly absentee) will be mailed the week of **October 15th, Tuesday, October 30th**, is the last day to apply for a mail-in ballot to be mailed. **Friday, November 2nd**, is the last day to apply for a mail-in ballot in person at the County Clerk's office. The mail-in ballot application form is available at the County Clerk's offices, on the Clerk & Recorder page of the county website www.co.rio-blanco.co.us, or at www.govotecolorado.com

Important Reminder: Return your mail-in ballot early. Mail-in ballots must be received by the County Clerk by 7pm on Election Day (Nov. 6th) in order to be counted. Postmarks do not count as received. After voting and mailing a ballot, you can verify that your ballot has been received by the office by checking on www.govotecolorado.com.

EARLY VOTERS: Early voting begins Monday, October 22nd and continues through Friday, Nov. 2nd, 8:30am to 4:30pm, at the Fairfield Center in Meeker and the Western Annex in Rangely.

REGISTRATION STATUS: If you have moved or if you wish to verify the status of your voter registration, please call the County Clerk's office at 878-9460 or check on www.govotecolorado.com.

POLLING PLACES (ID Required):

Precincts 1 & 2 Radino Center 403 N. White - Rangely	Precinct 3 & 4 Fairfield Center 200 Main St. - Meeker
Precinct 5 Mail-In Polling Precinct County Clerk's office 555 Main St./PO Box 1067 - Meeker	

Be prepared at the polling place by bringing your ID and reviewing a sample ballot to determine your choices ahead of time. **Sample ballots** are available on the Clerk's page at www.co.rio-blanco.co.us

OFFICE CLOSED EXCEPT ELECTIONS: The County Clerk's offices in Meeker & Rangely will be closed to all business except elections on Tuesday, November 6th.

Results on election night will be updated as received at www.co.rio-blanco.co.us.
Nancy R. Amick
Rio Blanco County Clerk & Recorder
Publish: October 11, 2012 in Rio Blanco Herald Times

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF BUDGET

Notice is hereby given that a proposed budget has been submitted to the RANGELY HOSPITAL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS for the ensuing year of 2013. That a copy of such proposed budget has been filed with the office of the administrator of Rangely District Hospital located at 511 South White Avenue, Rangely, CO 81648, where same is open for public inspection. That such proposed budget will be considered at a regular meeting of the Rangely District Hospital Board of Directors to be held at Rangely District Hospital, 511 South White Avenue, Rangely, CO 81648, **Wednesday, December 12, 2012 at 6:00 p.m.**

Any interested elector of Rangely Hospital District may inspect the proposed budget and file or register any objections thereto any time prior to the final adoption of the budget.

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All real estate advertised herein is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act, which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference, limitation, or discrimination because of race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status, or national origin, or intention to make any such preference, limitation, or discrimination." This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. All persons are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised are available on an equal opportunity basis.

LEGAL NOTICES

MEEKER SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1 Board of Education Meeting - 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, October 16, 2012
Regular Meeting @ Central Office
555 Garfield
AGENDA
Check the District website www.meeker.k12.co.us for updates to the agenda.
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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF BUDGET

Notice is hereby given that a proposed budget has been submitted to the MEEKER SANITATION DISTRICT for the ensuing year of 2013. That a copy of such proposed budget has been filed in the office of the MEEKER SANITATION DISTRICT, where same is open for public inspection. That such proposed budget will be considered at a regular meeting of the MEEKER SANITATION DISTRICT to be held at

LEGAL NOTICES

265 Eighth Street, Meeker, Colorado on December 5, 2012 at 7:00 PM.
Any interested elector of such MEEKER SANITATION DISTRICT may inspect the proposed budget and file or register any objections thereto at any time prior to the final adoption of the budget.
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INVITATION TO BID

Rio Blanco County 2012 Annual Audit
Rio Blanco County is soliciting RFPs for Independent Professional Auditing Services for the County's year ending December 31, 2012. Future years may be negotiated at a later date. Bid packet is available at the Office of the County Commissioners, PO Box i, Meeker, CO 81641, 970-878-9573, or at the County Administration Building, 200 Main St., Ste. 100, Meeker, CO or by downloading the RFP from www.co.rio-blanco.co.us/announcements. If mailed, the RFPs are due to the Board of County Commissioners, PO Box i, Meeker, CO 81641 no later than Friday, November 9th, 2012, 4:00 p.m. All hand delivered bids are also due by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, November 9th, 2012, 4:00 p.m. unless delivered the day of the bid opening, Tuesday, November 13th, 2012, no later than 11:00 a.m., to County Administration Building, 200 Main St., Ste. 100, Meeker, CO. Bids are scheduled to be opened on November 13th, 2012, 11:15 a.m., County Administration Building, 200 Main St., Ste. 100, Meeker, CO. Faxed bids will not be accepted. All bids must be in a sealed envelope and clearly marked "2012 Audit".
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LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that on November 7, 2012 final settlement will be made to Weatherford Electric for the Office Building Electrical Upgrades. Any person, co-partnership, company, association of persons, or corporation who has an unpaid claim with the Company listed above, as their subcontractors, or for labor and materials, may file a verified statement, until Tuesday, November 6, 2012, before 4:00 p.m., prior to final settlement, of the amount due with the Meeker Sanitation District, pursuant to Section 38-26-107, C.R.C., as amended. Failure on the part of the Claimant to file such verified statement with the Meeker Sanitation District Board of Directors, prior to the final settlement on said Contract will relieve the Meeker Sanitation District from any liability for such Claimant's claim.
Gail Frantz
Office Manager
Meeker Sanitation District
265 8th Street
PO Box 417
Meeker, CO 81641
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PUBLIC NOTICE

RIO BLANCO COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS HEARING
Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, November 13, 2012 the Rio Blanco County Board of Commissioners will hold a public hearing beginning at 1:15 p.m. at the Rio Blanco County Administration Building, 200 Main Street, Meeker, Colorado, to consider the following:
Rezoning 12-6 – Frank and Leta Nieslanik – the applicants, through a Boundary Line Adjustment, are decreasing the 5 acres of their property located at 950 County Road 14 down to 2.49 acres. They are proposing to rezone the remaining 2.49 acres from Agriculture to Rural Residential to be consistent with Rio Blanco County zoning requirements. The 2.49 acres is located in the NW1/4SW1/4ASW1/4 4NE1/4 of Section 36, T1N, R91W, 6th P.M., PIN #141536100030. Copies of the documents may be obtained from the Planning and Development Department at 200 Main Street in Meeker, Colorado, or you may call (970) 878-9580 for more information between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.
Published: October 11, 2012
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LEGAL NOTICES

Public Notice

Western Gravel, LLC (P.O. Box 808, Meeker, Colorado, 81641; Telephone 970-878-5564) has filed an application for amendment of an existing Regular (112) Construction Materials Operation Reclamation Permit with the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board under provisions of the Colorado Land Reclamation Act for the Extraction of Construction Materials. The mine is known as WRC Pit, and is located at or near Section 9, Township 1, Range 96, 6th Prime Meridian. The proposed date of commencement based upon amendment approval is fall 2012, and the proposed date of completion is to be determined. The proposed future use of the land is a solid waste landfill that will ultimately become rangeland. Additional information and tentative decision date may be obtained from the Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety, 1313 Sherman Street, Room 215, Denver, Colorado 80203, (303) 866-3567, or at the Rio Blanco County Clerk and Recorder's office (555 Main Street, P.O. Box 1067, Meeker, Colorado 81641) or the above named-applicant. Comments must be in writing and must be received by the Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety by 4:00 p.m. on November 14, 2012.
Please note that under the provisions of C.R.S. 34-32.5-101 et seq. Comments related to noise, truck traffic, hours of operation, visual impacts, effect on property values and other social or economic concerns are issues not subject to this Office's jurisdiction. These subjects, and similar ones, are typically addressed by your local governments, rather than the Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety or the Mined Land Reclamation Board.
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LEGAL NOTICES

COMBINED NOTICE

CRS §38-38-103 FORECLOSURE SALE NO. 12-23
To Whom It May Concern: This Notice is given with regard to the following described Deed of Trust:
On July 12, 2012, the undersigned Public Trustee caused the Notice of Election and Demand relating to the Deed of Trust described below to be recorded in the County of Rio Blanco records.
Original Grantor(s): Craig Bryant Jackson
Original Beneficiary(ies): Direct Mortgage Corporation
Current Holder of Evidence of Debt: JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association
Date of Deed of Trust: 7/26/2000
County of Recording: Rio Blanco
Recording Date of Deed of Trust: 7/31/2000
Recording Information(Reception Number and/or Book/Page Number): 267747
Original Principal Amount: \$56,000.00
Outstanding Principal Balance: \$48,308.88
Pursuant to CRS §38-38-101(4)(i), you are hereby notified that the covenants of the deed of trust have been violated as follows: failure to pay principal and interest when due together with all other payments provided for in the evidence of debt secured by the deed of trust and other violations thereof.
THE LIEN FORECLOSED MAY NOT BE A FIRST LIEN.
THE SOUTH 75 FEET OF LOTS 1 AND 2 IN BLOCK 93 TOWN OF MEEKER, COLORADO
Also known by street and number as: 369 11th Street, Meeker, CO 81641.
THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREIN IS ALL OF THE PROPERTY CURRENTLY ENCUMBERED BY THE LIEN OF THE DEED OF TRUST.
NOTICE OF SALE
The current holder of the Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, described herein, has filed Notice of Election and Demand for sale as provided by law and in said Deed of Trust.
THEREFORE, Notice Is Hereby Given that I will at public auction, at 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, 11/14/2012, at Office of the Public Trustee, Rio Blanco County Court-house, 555 Main Street, Meeker CO 81641, sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the said real property and all interest of the said Grantor(s), Grantor(s)' heirs and assigns therein, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness provided in said Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, plus attorneys' fees, the expenses of sale and other items allowed by law, and will issue to the purchaser a Certificate of Purchase, all as provided by law.
First Publication: 9/20/2012
Last Publication: 10/18/2012
Name of Publication: Rio Blanco Herald Times



NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that on November 7, 2012 final settlement will be made to Frontier Paving, Inc for the 8th Street Pavement Rehabilitation Project. Any person, co-partnership, company, association of persons, or corporation who has an unpaid claim with the Company listed above, as their subcontractors, or for labor and materials, may file a verified statement, until Tuesday, November 6, 2012, before 4:00 p.m., prior to final settlement, of the amount due with the Meeker Sanitation District, pursuant to Section 38-26-107, C.R.C., as amended. Failure on the part of the Claimant to file such verified statement with the Meeker Sanitation District Board of Directors, prior to the final settlement on said Contract will relieve the Meeker Sanitation District from any liability for such Claimant's claim.
Gail Frantz
Office Manager
Meeker Sanitation District
265 8th Street
PO Box 417
Meeker, CO 81641
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RIO BLANCO COUNTY NOTICE OF FINAL CONTRACTOR SETTLEMENT CR 3-3A-76 OVERLAY PROJECT 2012-CR3-8700

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 22nd day of October, 2012 at Meeker, Colorado, final settlement will be authorized by the Rio Blanco County Board of County Commissioners with Frontier Paving, Inc. of 1014 County Road 311, New Castle, CO 81647 for all work done by said CONTRACTOR on the project known as CR 3-3A-76 Overlay Project 2012-CR3-8700.
1) Any person, co-partnership, association, or corporation who has an unpaid claim against the said project may at any time, up to and including the date specified in item 2 below, file a VERIFIED STATEMENT of the amount due and unpaid on account of such claims.
2) All such claims shall be filed with Van Pilaud, County Engineer, Rio Blanco County Public Facilities Department, 570 2nd Street, Meeker, Colorado 81641 on or before October 18, 2012.
3) Failure on the part of a creditor to file such a statement will relieve Rio Blanco County from any and all liability for such claim.
Dated at Meeker, Colorado this 1st day of October, 2012.
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF RIO BLANCO COUNTY BY SHAWN BOLTON, CHAIRMAN
First Publication: 10/4/12
Last Publication: 10/11/12
Rio Blanco Herald Times

NOTICE OF PROPOSED TOWN OF MEEKER 2013 BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING DATE: NOVEMBER 20, 2012

Notice is hereby given that a proposed budget for the Town of Meeker for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2013 has been submitted to the Town of Meeker Board of Trustees, Rio Blanco County, Colorado, and has been filed in the office of the Town Clerk, 345 Market Street, and the Meeker Public Library, 490 Main St., where it is available for public inspection beginning October 5, 2012 during regular business hours Monday through Friday 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. and the Meeker Public Library's regular hours, it is also available on the Town's website www.townofmeeker.org. Such proposed budget will be considered for adoption by the Board of Trustees during a Public Hearing scheduled November 20, 2012 at 7:00 P.M. at the Board of Trustees regular meeting, at Town Hall, 345 Market Street, Meeker, Colorado. The public is invited to attend the public hearing. Any elector of the Town of Meeker has a right to file or register his protest with the Town of Meeker prior to the time of the adoption of the budget by the Town of Meeker.
Town of Meeker
Lisa Cook, Town Clerk
Publish: Oct. 11, 25 and Nov. 8, 2012
Rio Blanco Herald Times

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board of County Commissioners will hold a regularly scheduled board meeting on Monday, October 15, 2012, County Annex, Rangely, Colorado.

TENTATIVE AGENDA

- 11:00 a.m. Board of County Commissioners
 - a. Pledge of Allegiance
 - b. Consideration of the minutes of the October 8, 2012 Board meeting
 - c. CCITF Awards
 - d. Other
 - 11:15 a.m. Finance Department
 - a. Presentation of the Proposed 2013 Budget
 - 11:35 a.m. Public Comment
 - 11:40 a.m. Commissioners Update
- OTHER COUNTY BUSINESS**
If you need special accommodations please call 970-878-9573 in advance of the meeting so that reasonable accommodations may be made. For an updated agenda, please check the County's website www.co.rio-blanco.co.us
Published: October 11, 2012
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COMBINED NOTICE - RESTART CRS §38-38-109(2)(b)(II) FORECLOSURE SALE NO. 11-32

Republished to restart foreclosure stayed by bankruptcy and reset sale date.
To Whom It May Concern: This Notice is given with regard to the following described Deed of Trust:
On September 29, 2011, the undersigned Public Trustee caused the Notice of Election and Demand relating to the Deed of Trust described below to be recorded in the County of Rio Blanco records. Notice of Election and Demand re-recorded on April 23, 2012.
Original Grantor(s): Mary L Cunningham
Original Beneficiary(ies): Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., acting solely as nominee for COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS, INC.,
Current Holder of Evidence of Debt: BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, LP FKA COUNTRYWIDE HOME LOANS SERVICING LP
Date of Deed of Trust: 4/24/2006
County of Recording: Rio Blanco
Recording Date of Deed of Trust: 5/1/2006
Recording Information(Reception Number and/or Book/Page Number): 284678
Original Principal Amount: \$203,200.00
Outstanding Principal Balance: \$194,539.78
Pursuant to CRS §38-38-101(4)(i), you are hereby notified that the covenants of the deed of trust have been violated as follows: failure to pay principal and interest when due together with all other payments provided for in the evidence of debt secured by the deed of trust and other violations thereof.
THE LIEN FORECLOSED MAY NOT BE A FIRST LIEN.
LOT 1, BLOCK 1, COULTER SUBDIVISION, A MINOR SUBDIVISION ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF FILED, NOVEMBER 17, 1980 AS RECEPTION NO. 198312, COUNTY OF RIO BLANCO, STATE OF COLORADO.
Also known by street and number as: 4694 Rio Blanco Rd 15, Meeker, CO 81641-1311.
THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREIN IS ALL OF THE PROPERTY CURRENTLY ENCUMBERED BY THE LIEN OF THE DEED OF TRUST.

NOTICE OF SALE

The current holder of the Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, described herein, has filed Notice of Election and Demand for sale as provided by law and in said Deed of Trust.
THEREFORE, Notice Is Hereby Given that I will at public auction, at 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, 12/05/2012, at Office of the Public Trustee, Rio Blanco County Court-house, 555 Main Street, Meeker CO 81641, sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the said real property and all interest of the said Grantor(s), Grantor(s)' heirs and assigns therein, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness provided in said Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, plus attorneys' fees, the expenses of sale and other items allowed by law, and will issue to the purchaser a Certificate of Purchase, all as provided by law.
First Publication: 10/11/2012
Last Publication: 11/8/2012
Name of Publication: Rio Blanco Herald Times

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A NOTICE OF INTENT TO CURE FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 38-38-104 SHALL BE FILED WITH THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE AT LEAST FIFTEEN (15) CALENDAR DAYS PRIOR TO THE FIRST SCHEDULED SALE DATE OR ANY DATE TO WHICH THE SALE IS CONTINUED;
A NOTICE OF INTENT TO REDEEM FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 38-38-302 SHALL BE FILED WITH THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE NO MORE THAN EIGHT (8) BUSINESS DAYS AFTER THE SALE;
DATE: 04/24/2012
Karen Arnold
Public Trustee of Rio Blanco County, State of Colorado
/s/Karen Arnold
By: Karen Arnold, Public Trustee
(S E A L) PUBLIC TRUSTEE RIO BLANCO CO COLO
The name, address, business telephone number and bar registration number of the attorney(s) representing the legal holder of the indebtedness is:
Robert J. Aronowitz, Esq. #5673, Monica Kadmas #34904, Randall M. Chin, Esq. #31149, Stacey L. Aronowitz, Esq. #36290, Andrea Rickles-Jordan #39005, Susan J. Hendrick #33196, Joel T. Mecklenberg, Esq. #36291, Joan Olson, Esq. #28078, Lisa Cancanon Esq. #42043
Aronowitz & Mecklenberg, L.L.P. 1199 Bannock Street, Denver, CO 80204 (303) 813-1177
Attorney File # 1269.07469
The Attorney above is acting as a debt collector and is attempting to collect a debt. Any information provided may be used for that purpose.
(c)Public Trustees' Association of Colorado Revised 6/2011

COMBINED NOTICE

CRS §38-38-103 FORECLOSURE SALE NO. 12-27

To Whom It May Concern: This Notice is given with regard to the following described Deed of Trust:
On August 2, 2012, the undersigned Public Trustee caused the Notice of Election and Demand relating to the Deed of Trust described below to be recorded in the County of Rio Blanco records.
Original Grantor(s): Robert M. Cochran and Kami D. Cochran
Original Beneficiary(ies): Mountain Valley Bank
Current Holder of Evidence of Debt: PNC Bank, National Association
Date of Deed of Trust: 8/16/2007
County of Recording: Rio Blanco
Recording Date of Deed of Trust: 8/21/2007
Recording Information(Reception Number and/or Book/Page Number): 289614
Original Principal Amount: \$315,000.00
Outstanding Principal Balance: \$295,378.69
Pursuant to CRS §38-38-101(4)(i), you are hereby notified that the covenants of the deed of trust have been violated as follows: failure to pay principal and interest when due together with all other payments provided for in the evidence of debt secured by the deed of trust and other violations thereof.
THE LIEN FORECLOSED MAY NOT BE A FIRST LIEN.
LOT 7 BLOCK 1 HAUCK'S SUBDIVISION ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF FILED MARCH 3, 1981 AS RECEPTION NO. 199744 RIO BLANCO COUNTY, COLORADO TOGETHER WITH ALL PRIVATE ACCESS ROADS AND UTILITY EASEMENTS AS SHOWN BY THE PLAT FOR HOUCK'S SUBDIVISION FILED MARCH 3, 1981 AS RECEPTION NO. 199744
Also known by street and number as: 441 Sandstone Drive, Meeker, CO 81641.
THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREIN IS ALL OF THE PROPERTY CURRENTLY ENCUMBERED BY THE LIEN OF THE DEED OF TRUST.

NOTICE OF SALE

The current holder of the Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, described herein, has filed Notice of Election and Demand for sale as provided by law and in said Deed of Trust.
THEREFORE, Notice Is Hereby Given that I will at public auction, at 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, 12/05/2012, at Office of the Public Trustee, Rio Blanco County Court-house, 555 Main Street, Meeker CO 81641, sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the said real property and all interest of the said Grantor(s), Grantor(s)' heirs and assigns therein, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness provided in said Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, plus attorneys' fees, the expenses of sale and other items allowed by law, and will issue to the purchaser a Certificate of Purchase, all as provided by law.
First Publication: 10/11/2012
Last Publication: 11/8/2012
Name of Publication: Rio Blanco Herald Times

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A NOTICE OF INTENT TO CURE FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 38-38-104 SHALL BE FILED WITH THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE AT LEAST FIFTEEN (15) CALENDAR DAYS PRIOR TO THE FIRST SCHEDULED SALE DATE OR ANY DATE TO WHICH THE SALE IS CONTINUED;
A NOTICE OF INTENT TO REDEEM FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 38-38-302 SHALL BE FILED WITH THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE NO MORE THAN EIGHT (8) BUSINESS DAYS AFTER THE SALE;
DATE: 08/03/2012
Karen Arnold
Public Trustee of Rio Blanco County, State of Colorado
/s/Karen Arnold
By: Karen Arnold, Public Trustee
(S E A L) PUBLIC TRUSTEE RIO BLANCO CO COLO
The name, address, business telephone number and bar registration number of the attorney(s) representing the legal holder of the indebtedness is:
Robert J. Aronowitz, Esq. #5673, Monica Kadmas #34904, Randall M. Chin, Esq. #31149, Stacey L. Aronowitz, Esq. #36290, Andrea Rickles-Jordan #39005, Susan J. Hendrick #33196, Joel T. Mecklenberg, Esq. #36291, Joan Olson, Esq. #28078, Lisa Cancanon Esq. #42043
Aronowitz & Mecklenberg, L.L.P. 1199 Bannock Street, Denver, CO 80204 (303) 813-1177
Attorney File # 7575.00331
The Attorney above is acting as a debt collector and is attempting to collect a debt. Any information provided may be used for that purpose.
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COMBINED NOTICE

CRS §38-38-103 FORECLOSURE SALE NO. 12-26

To Whom It May Concern: This Notice is given with regard to the following described Deed of Trust:
On July 20, 2012, the undersigned Public Trustee caused the Notice of Election and Demand relating to the Deed of Trust described below to be recorded in the County of Rio Blanco records.
Original Grantor(s): Judy Stacey
Original Beneficiary(ies): Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Taylor, Bean & Whitaker Mortgage Corp.
Current Holder of Evidence of Debt: Bank of America, N.A.
Date of Deed of Trust: 10/15/2007
County of Recording: Rio Blanco
Recording Date of Deed of Trust: 10/16/2007
Recording Information(Reception Number and/or Book/Page Number): 290215
Original Principal Amount: \$88,321.00
Outstanding Principal Balance: \$85,941.02
Pursuant to CRS §38-38-101(4)(i), you are hereby notified that the covenants of the deed of trust have been violated as follows: failure to pay principal and interest when due together with all other payments provided for in the evidence of debt secured by the deed of trust and other violations thereof.
THE LIEN FORECLOSED MAY NOT BE A FIRST LIEN.
LOT 1 BLOCK F SOUTH SUBDIVISION ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF FILED JANUARY 13, 1956 AS RECEPTION NO. 97511 TOWN OF RANGELY, COLORADO
Also known by street and number as: 141 Foothill Drive, Rangely, CO 81648.
THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREIN IS ALL OF THE PROPERTY CURRENTLY ENCUMBERED BY THE LIEN OF THE DEED OF TRUST.

NOTICE OF SALE

The current holder of the Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, described herein, has filed Notice of Election and Demand for sale as provided by law and in said Deed of Trust.
THEREFORE, Notice Is Hereby Given that I will at public auction, at 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, 11/21/2012, at Office of the Public Trustee, Rio Blanco County Court-house, 555 Main Street, Meeker CO 81641, sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the said real property and all interest of the said Grantor(s), Grantor(s)' heirs and assigns therein, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness provided in said Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, plus attorneys' fees, the expenses of sale and other items allowed by law, and will issue to the purchaser a Certificate of Purchase, all as provided by law.
First Publication: 9/27/2012
Last Publication: 10/25/2012
Name of Publication: Rio Blanco Herald Times

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A NOTICE OF INTENT TO REDEEM FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 38-38-302 SHALL BE FILED WITH THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE NO MORE THAN EIGHT (8) BUSINESS DAYS AFTER THE SALE;
DATE: 07/23/2012
Karen Arnold
Public Trustee of Rio Blanco County, State of Colorado
/s/Karen Arnold
By: Karen Arnold, Public Trustee
(S E A L) PUBLIC TRUSTEE RIO BLANCO CO COLO
The name, address, business telephone number and bar registration number of the attorney(s) representing the legal holder of the indebtedness is:
Caren Jacobs Castle #11790, Barbara A. Bader #10394, Christa Kilk #29855, Deanna L. Westfall #23449, Deanne R. Stodden #33214, Jennifer C. Rogers #34682, Katharine E. Fisher #39230, Kimberly L. Martinez #40351, Elizabeth S. Marcus #16092, Britney Beale-Eder #34935, Christopher T. Groen #39976
Castle Stawiariski LLC 999 18TH ST., #2201, DENVER, CO 80202 (303) 865-1400
Attorney File # 10-15575R
The Attorney above is acting as a debt collector and is attempting to collect a debt. Any information provided may be used for that purpose.
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2011 DELINQUENT TAX LIST • RIO BLANCO COUNTY

PAYMENTS RECEIVED AFTER FIRST PUBLICATION ON OCTOBER 11, 2012, MUST BE CERTIFIED FUNDS

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I WILL, ACCORDING TO LAW, OFFER AT PUBLIC SALE, AT THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF THE COUNTY OF RIO BLANCO AND THE STATE OF COLORADO, LOCATED IN THE RIO BLANCO COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 555 MAIN STREET, IN MEEKER, COLORADO, ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2012, AND SUCCEEDING DAYS COMMENCING AT 10:00 AM OF SAID DAY, THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED REAL ESTATE, MINERALS, AND NATURAL RESOURCES SITUATED IN SAID COUNTY OF RIO BLANCO ON WHICH THE TAXES FOR THE YEAR OF 2011 (PAYABLE IN 2012) HAVE NOT BEEN PAID, AS SHALL BE NECESSARY TO PAY SAID TAX BELOW WITH INTEREST AND PENALTIES, AND WILL DELIVER TO THE PURCHASER A CERTIFICATE OF PURCHASE AS PROVIDED BY LAW:

R300650 AMICK, KENDAL S. & MARY D. SECT,TWN,RNG:36-1N-91 DESC: S 264.53 FT OF LOT 15 DESC: BK:556 PG:171 RECPT:268142 275 CO RD 14 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$842.30	1	R140402 COLTHARP, N. GORDON, ET AL GARDNER, CECELIA C. OLIVE, MARIE C. COLTHARP, WILLIAM H. HOMEL, TERESA C. SECT,TWN,RNG:35-2N-102W DESC: .166666 interest in BK:573 PG:187 RECPT:272621	19	R101795 EDDY, CHET SUB:UTAH OIL SUBDIVISION BLK:A LOT:4 RECPT:284334 227 MORRISON AV RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$454.83	35	R100705 HOOPS, INEKE J. SUB:HILDENBRANDT SUBDIVISION BLK:5 LOT:18 & LOT:19 BK:462 PG:737 311 W RANGELY AV RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$50.97	51	R550329 LOFLAND, GEORGE & CAMPBELL, STELLA S. C/O CAMPBELL, STELLA S. SECT,TWN,RNG:33-2N-97W TRACT:45 DESC: .008928 MIN. INT. IN: NENE OR TR. 45, ETC. BK:0493 PG:0338 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$23.02	74
R553649 AMICK, LETICIA SECT,TWN,RNG:28-1N-92W DESC: .003572 MIN. INT. IN: TR. 47 & TR. 48, ETC. RECPT:295738 BK:588 PG:537 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$22.16	2	R102620 CORDOVA, CHRISTOPHER L. & KELLIE L. SUB:COLTHARP ADDITION BLK:5 LOT:11, 12 & DESC: THT PTN RBC AVE VAC BY ORD 133 SUB:COLTHARP ADDITION BLK:5 LOT:13 DESC: E 1/2 BK:566 PG:571 RECPT:271071 728 E RIO BLANCO AV RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$474.39	20	R553092 ELDER, SAMME KAY SECT,TWN,RNG:23-1N-93W DESC: .083333 MIN. INT. IN: LOTS 4, 6, 14, 16. BK:0480 PG:0919 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$21.78	37	R551640 INGENTHRONE, BETTY SECT,TWN,RNG:3-2N-89W DESC: .0014286 MIN. INT. IN: HES 345 IN SECTIONS 3 & 4 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$21.78	53	R500440 LOGAN, MARY EDITH SECT,TWN,RNG:17-1S-91 DESC: SESW SWSE SECT,TWN,RNG:20-1S-91 DESC: E1/2NW BK:0500 PG:0480 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$82.34	76
R300793 ATWOOD, EDDIE JOE & CAROL ANN SECT,TWN,RNG:29-1N-94W TRACT:94 DESC: A PARC LAND IN SUB:ATWOOD MINOR SUBDIVISION LOT:1 BK:585 PG:769 RECPT:275809 72901 HWY 64 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$513.34	4	R000395 COX, DENISE M. SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:095 LOT:3 RECPT:288304 1234 MAIN ST MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$538.63	23	R103385 FIELDER, JERAMIE L. & NICOLE SECT,TWN,RNG:2-1N-102W SUB:RIDGES FIL- ING NO.1, REPLAT NO.1 REPLAT OF BLK 4 LOTS 1 & 3, LOT:5 RECPT:290259 519 HIGH ST LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$259.75	38	R004218 ISENHOUR, BILLY SCOTT SUB:SANDERSON HILLS SUBDIVISION LOT:151 RECPT:294510 1154 MIMI CIRCLE MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$1,090.75	58	R302891 LYONS, VERA L., ET AL C/O KLAHN, VINA MAE, MULLALLY, JENNIE CLAPPER, SHARON, RIEGEL, JAMES FLOYD, KATHY J. SECT,TWN,RNG:11-1N-92W DESC: 1/7 OF 1/5 (.028571) INTEREST IN NENE. RECPT:286296 RECPT:282319 BK:292 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$25.75	77
R304514 ATWOOD, ROWDY & CHRISTINA SECT,TWN,RNG:29-1N-94W SUB:ATWOOD MINOR SUBDIVISION LOT:2 BK:585 PG:021 PRE:R300793 72801 HWY 64 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$738.42	5	R120475 DAVIS, HELEN GOFF C/O KLAHN, VINA SECT,TWN,RNG:13-2N-103W DESC: .031250 INTEREST IN A PARCEL RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$29.01	24	R551739 FIRST SECURITY BANK OF UTAH C/O COLTHARP, GORDON SECT,TWN,RNG:21-2S-101 DESC: .009424 MIN. INT. IN: LOTS 2 & 4, ETC. LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$21.82	39	R120705 KELL, SHIRLEY K. SECT,TWN,RNG:35-2N-102W SUB:RECTOR SUBDIVISION BLK:2 LOT:1 - LOT:5 RECPT:282591 BK:0526 PG:0105 CO RD 46 RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$64.15	59	R103324 MARKAT PROPERTIES LLC SECT,TWN,RNG:3-1N-102W DESC: A PARCEL IN THE NESE SUB:SHALE SHADOWS PLAZA LOT:5 DESC: FORMERLY ESQUIRE ESTATES AND PARCELA BOUNDARY ADJ RECPT:289054 37 PARK ST RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$37,193.24	78
R121301 B.C. WELL SERVICE IMPROVEMENTS ONLY 14104 HWY 64 RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$496.56	6	R224787 DAVIS, HELEN GOFF C/O KLAHN, VINA SECT,TWN,RNG:12-2N-103W DESC: .031250 INTEREST IN W1/2SWSE, E1/2SESW RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$29.01	25	R101440 FLOYD, COLLEEN E. SUB:WHITE ADDITION BLK:K LOT:004 DESC: W 101.13 FEET OF BK:550 PG:340 RECPT:266347 SPEC ASMT: TOWN OF RANGELY SPECIAL ASSESSMENT \$58.85 222 S WHITE AV RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$179.24	40	R120765 KELL, SHIRLEY K. SECT,TWN,RNG:35-2N-102W SUB:RECTOR SUBDIVISION BLK:1 LOT:20.21 & LOT:22 RECPT:282591 BK:0526 PG:0105 CO RD 46 RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$40.82	60	R003665 MATHYS, MARC C/O STANLEY, JEANNETTE SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:074 LOT:9 A DESC: SUBLOT 4, MEEKER TOWNHOUSES #3 RECPT:285315 777 12TH ST MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$231.67	80
R000220 BOYD, DONALD EUGENE SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:107 LOT:9 - LOT:11 BK:0291 PG:0258-59 SPEC ASMT: TOWN OF MEEKER WATER ASSESSMENT \$171.60 810 6TH ST MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$611.47	7	R224788 DAVIS, HELEN GOFF C/O KLAHN, VINA SECT,TWN,RNG:24-2N-103W DESC: .031250 INTEREST IN W1/2SWSE, E1/2SESW RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$29.01	26	R302445 FRITZLAN, ARLENE E. REVOCABLE LIVING SECT,TWN,RNG:21-1N-90W DESC: TH PT BK:557 PG:101 RECPT:268483 1891 CO RD 12 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$6,458.38	41	R125145 KELL, SHIRLEY K. SECT,TWN,RNG:35-2N-102W SUB:RECTOR SUBDIVISION BLK:2 LOT:38 T LOT:44 RECPT:282591 BK:541 PG:18 CO RD 46 RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$85.08	61	R003695 MATHYS, MARC C/O STANLEY, JEANNETTE SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:074 LOT:9 A DESC: SUBLOT 3, MEEKER TOWNHOUSES 3 RECPT:285314 773 12TH ST MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$232.82	81
R101100 BPO ELKS #1907 SUB:CALVAT SUBDIVISION LOT:15 & LOT:16 RECPT:301729 RECPT:286208 BK:583 PG:741 RECPT:275305 629 E MAIN ST RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$329.68	8	R551983 DAVIS, JOHN FLOYD C/O HYBARGER, JIM SECT,TWN,RNG:1-2N-95W DESC: .004761 MIN. INT. IN: W1/2SE, S1/2SW, SWNE, S1/2NW, NWSW, ETC. BK:0437 PG:0966 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$25.89	27	R550181 FULTON, FLORA A. C/O FULTON, TOM SECT,TWN,RNG:20-1N-93W DESC: .050000 MIN. INT. IN: S1/2NE, S1/2NW, L.3, 5, 12, ETC. LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$23.02	42	R550897 KRITSAS, STELLA, ET. AL. SECT,TWN,RNG:1-1N-94 DESC: 100 PER- CENT MIN. INT. IN: THAT PT OF LOT 30, ETC. LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$39.15	63	R003888 MATHYS, MARC C/O STANLEY, JEANNETTE SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:074 LOT:9 A LOT:10 DESC: SUBLOT 2, MEEKER TOWNHOUSES 3 RECPT:285313 769 12TH ST MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$233.42	82
R302865 BRIGHT, PAULA SECT,TWN,RNG:29-1N-94W DESC: 1/45 INTEREST IN BK:0397 PG:0549 HWY 64 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$152.02	10	R304069 DAVIS, WILLIAM EUGENE SECT,TWN,RNG:11-1N-92W DESC: 1/21 OF 1/5 (.009523) INTEREST IN NENE. RECPT:282319 BK:437 PG:966 RECPT:216841 CO RD 49 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$21.69	28	R550182 FULTON, FLORA A. C/O FULTON, TOM SECT,TWN,RNG:5-2S-91W DESC: .333332 MIN. INT. IN: S1/2NWSWNW, SWSWNW, ETC. LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$27.98	43	R551154 KRITSAS, STELLA, ET. AL. SECT,TWN,RNG:9-2S-92 DESC: .500000 MIN. INT. IN: S1/2NW, N1/2SW, SESW, S1/2SE, ETC. LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$82.68	64	R003877 MAY INVESTMENTS LLC SUB:FOOTHILLS SUBDIVISION LOT:18 BK:583 PG:53 RECPT:275155 785 11TH ST MEEKER SECOND HALF PAYMENT LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$376.74	83
R553651 BURDICK, BEVERLY JAYNE SECT,TWN,RNG:28-1S-93W DESC: .041667 MIN. INT. IN: NESE, ETC. RECPT:296070 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$70.61	12	R551984 DAVIS, WILLIAM EUGENE C/O DAVIS, WILLIAM E SECT,TWN,RNG:1-2N-95W DESC: .004761 MIN. INT. IN: W1/2SE, S1/2SW, SWNE, S1/2NW, NWSW, ETC. BK:0437 PG:0966 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$25.89	29	R304266 GENTRY, JAMES WITCHER SECT,TWN,RNG:23-1N-94W TRACT:68 DESC: .0416666 INT IN PTN OF S1/2NE, N1/2SE BK:0484 PG:0933 EAST OF MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$21.78	44	R140065 KUCK, JAYNE SECT,TWN,RNG:15-4S-101W BK:0533 PG:0503 BK:0496 PG:0307 BK:0485 PG:0385 1500 CO RD 120 RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$953.36	65	R003898 MAY, DAVID L. & AMY L. SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:077 LOT:16 DESC: SUBLOT 2 RECPT:279626 631 10TH ST MEEKER SECOND HALF PAYMENT LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$163.98	84
R101710 CADY, BILLY W. & TERESA K. SUB:WHITE ADDITION BLK:H LOT:013 BK:579 PG:129 RECPT:274155 229 S WHITE AV RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$486.84	13	R003220 DEARMAN, JIMMIE R. & JOY F. SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:019 LOT:11 & LOT:12 DESC: S 1/2 OF BOTH BK:0363 PG:0280 BK:0362 PG:0154 BK:0299 PG:0281 535 3RD ST MEEKER SECOND HALF PAYMENT LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$302.31	30	R001845 GIBSON, DAVID R. AND JEFFREY R. SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:103 LOT:12 & LOT:13 BK:557 PG:444 RECPT:268594 824 2ND ST MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$1,029.46	46	R100320 LEBLEU, JERRY L., JR. SUB:HILDENBRANDT SUBDIVISION BLK:1 LOT:1 & LOT:2 DESC: AND THE E 1FT OF LOT 3 BL 1 BK:0491 PG:0098 112 E MAIN ST RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$1,264.26	66	R004013 MAY, RAYMOND & SHERYL A. SUB:FOOTHILLS SUBDIVISION LOT:16 RECPT:289745 791 11TH ST MEEKER SECOND HALF PAYMENT LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$202.79	85
R552032 CAMERON, MARY W. C/O PARIS, MARY MARGARET C EXEC SECT,TWN,RNG:20-3N-95W DESC: .002778 MIN. INT. IN: NWSW SENW SWNE E1/2SW, ETC. BK:0410 PG:0459 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$21.78	14	R124467 DEARMAN, JIMMIE R. & JOY F. SECT,TWN,RNG:10-1N-103W DESC: PARC OF LAND IN LOT 9 ETC. BK:0471 PG:0714 0051 CO RD 202 RANGELY SECOND HALF PAYMENT LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$291.85	31	R301061 GOEDERT, WILLIAM J. & NATASHA SECT,TWN,RNG:11-1N-93W DESC: A PARC LAND IN BK:571 PG:293 RECPT:272188 5028 CO RD 15 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$883.68	47	R100515 LEBLEU, JERRY LEWIS, JR. D/B/A PROFFESIONAL TOUCH SUB:HILDENBRANDT SUBDIVISION BLK:1 LOT:11 & LOT:12 BK:0518 PG:0787 109 E RIO BLANCO AV RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$410.36	69	R550998 MCCULLISS, PAUL L. & MCCULLISS, BRIAN P. MCCULLISS, BRIAN P. SECT,TWN,RNG:16-3S-100W DESC: .500000 MIN. INT. IN: N1/2SW & IN SEC. 17 THE NESE. RECPT:301453 RECPT:301452 RECPT:301451 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$29.61	88
R551533 CLAPPER, IRVIN S., C/O KLAHN, VINA SECT,TWN,RNG:4-1S-93W DESC: .500000 MIN. INT. IN: LOT 4 & 5 N1/2SW, ETC. LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$28.84	15	R003660 DEVILBISS, MARGARET SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:074 LOT:9 & LOT:10 DESC: SUBLOT 1, MEEKER TOWNHOUSES 3 RECPT:287749 767 12TH ST MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$294.11	32	R100220 GONZALES, TINA MARIE SUB:HILDENBRANDT ADDITION BLK:12 LOT:4,5 & LOT:6 RECPT:302404 308 W RANGELY AV RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$71.73	48	R550323 LIVINGSTON, LEWIS E. SECT,TWN,RNG:7-1S-91 DESC: .125000 MIN. INT. IN: LOTS 3 & 4, ETC. BK:0494 PG:30 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$31.71	71	R002600 MCGRUDER, CLINTON RAY & RHAWNIE N. & KLEIN, RAMONA L. SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:104 LOT:1 & DESC: S 1/2 OF LOT 2 RECPT:286286 265 CEDAR ST MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$1,264.56	89
R551021 CLAPPER, JOSEPHINE C/O KLAHN, VINA SECT,TWN,RNG:1-2N-95W DESC: .142857 MIN. INT. IN: W1/2SE, S1/2SW, SWNE, S1/2NW, NWSW, ETC. LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$29.57	16	R553628 DOBBS, VICKI L. SECT,TWN,RNG:32-2S-94 DESC: .100000 MIN.INT. IN: S1/2NE N1/2SE. RECPT:298199 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$23.40	33	R553233 HALL, MARIE ANN SECT,TWN,RNG:25-3S-100W DESC: .055556 MIN. INT. IN: S1/2NW, SWNE, NWSE, ETC. BK:0505 PG:0815 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$23.79	49	R550730 LIVINGSTON, LEWIS E. SECT,TWN,RNG:12-2N-98W DESC: .062500 MIN. INT. IN: NW1/4 OF LOT 6, ETC. BK:0494 PG:0030 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$22.89	72	R304071 MOBLEY, SCOTT IMPROVEMENTS ONLY LOCATED AT MEEK- ER AIRPORT AIRPORT RD MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$189.77	90
R000740 CLARK, TED V. & SHANAHAN, MARY J. SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:098 LOT:17 RECPT:292814 1237 GARFIELD ST MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$2,040.57	17	R551454 DORRELL, MARJE LOVE SECT,TWN,RNG:27-1N-94W TRACT:109 DESC: .250000 MIN. INT. IN: A PARCEL OF LAND IN SW1/4 TR. 109 & NW1/4 OR TR. 109, DESC. IN B. 368, P.880, ETC. BK:0385 PG:0627 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$23.83	34	R102515 HODGES, LISA H. SUB:CALVAT SUBDIVISION LOT:74 RECPT:279955 713 LAKE ST RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$41.51	50	R553120 LIVINGSTON, LEWIS E. SECT,TWN,RNG:5-1S-91W DESC: .250000 MIN. INT. IN: LOTS 2, 3, SENW, NESW, ETC. BK:0478 PG:0849 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$46.22	73		

LEGAL NOTICES

**PAYROLL ACCOUNTS PAYABLE
TOWN OF MEEKER
September 30, 2012**

GENERAL FUND
J Amick, Salary, \$2,938.03
C Colflesh, Salary, \$1,193.32
D Conrado, Salary - Trustee, \$50.00
K Cook, Salary - Trustee, \$50.00
L Cook, Salary, \$1,876.19
V Crawford, Salary, \$204.07
M Etheridge, Salary - Trustee, \$70.00
R Gerloff, Salary - Trustee, \$50.00
D Glasscock, Salary, \$664.23
M Godwin, Salary, \$494.88
K Gould, Salary, \$226.29
R Halandras, Salary - Trustee, \$50.00
L Haney, Salary, \$1,451.51
D Henderson, Salary, \$1,478.61
R Hervey, Salary, \$4,293.24
C Hobbs, Salary, \$204.07
J Holeyfield, Salary, \$1,862.79
D Massey, Salary, \$883.75
J McNay, Salary, \$972.10
S Meszaros, Salary, \$2,832.71
R Overton, Salary, \$2,844.24
C Padilla, Salary, \$2,283.49
A Pena, Salary, \$1,089.14
W Severson, Salary, \$2,550.03
K Sizemore, Salary, \$1,667.21
J Strate, Salary - Trustee, \$50.00
P Stubblefield, Salary, \$3,167.99

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A Thomson, Salary - Trustee, \$50.00
M Washburn, Salary, \$2,708.21
R Weinheimer, Salary, \$1,581.21
T Willey, Salary, \$310.73
G Wilson, Salary, \$2,653.30
Clerk of RB Court, Salary, \$850.11
CCOERA, Employee Retirement - Police Dept., \$2,802.48
CCOERA, Employee Retirement, \$5,838.79
Credit Union of Colorado, Employee Savings, \$515.00
Employee Withholding, Federal Withholding, \$4,248.10
Employee Withholding, State Withholding, \$1,858.90
Employee Withholding, Medicare Withholding, \$1,666.82
Employee Withholding, Social Security Withholding, \$3,474.25
Rocky Mountain Health Plans, Health, Dental & Vision Insurance, \$20,013.33
Standard Insurance Company, Life/AD&D Insurance, \$1,193.31
Washington National Insurance Co., Cancer Insurance, \$426.34
Alisco, Sept. Coveralls, \$31.69
Alisco, Aug. Coveralls, \$47.53
Alternative Elevations, Elevator Safety Insp., \$200.00
Atmos, Sept. Natural Gas, \$197.64

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Bello Credit Union, PD Uniforms, Halo-wen Treats, Blank Bus. Cards & Hang-ers, \$516.70
Berthoud Motors, Fuel Pump Tractor/ Parks, \$42.15
Century Link, Aug. Phone Svc., \$705.03
CCOERA, Employee Retirement - Police Dept., \$2,802.48
CMRS, Reimburse August Postage, \$58.80
Coast International Telecom, Long Dis-tance Svc., \$39.25
Colflesh, Chris, Safety Boots Reimburse-ment, \$100.00
Colorado Code Publishing Co., Web Host Town Code, \$160.00
Division of Oil & Public Safety, Elevator Cert. of Operation Inspection, \$30.00
Ducey's Elec., Troubleshoot RV Plug at Park, \$49.00
Foremost Promotions, Junior Police Badges/PD, \$473.79
Grand Valley Imaging, Copier Maint., \$33.83
Grand Valley Imaging, Copier Main-tenance, \$38.56
Herald Times, Aug. Legal Publications, \$82.65
Herald Times, 1 Yr. Subscription/PD, \$25.00
Honnin Equipment, Outrigger Repair Kit,

LEGAL NOTICES

\$121.13
IIMC, Annual Membership Dues, \$85.00
Jean's Printing, 20,000 Flat Tops Trail Broc./Scenic Byway, \$2,649.76
Lyle Signs Inc., Custom Sign for Buford School, 15 Signs/Scenic Byway, \$827.77
McGuire Auto, Motor Oil, Battery, Parts for Welder, Paint, \$369.75
Meeker Auto, Seat Covers, Oil Filters, Sockets, Motor Oil, \$109.79
Meeker Auto, Marking Paint, Radiator Hose, Locknuts, Batteries, \$187.41
Meeker Sanitation, Sanitation/Main Street Bldg., \$34.00
Meeker Sanitation, Main Street Bldg. - Sanitation, \$34.00
MGM, Dog Food, \$59.98
Networking of the Rockies, Printer, 2 Monitors, A/P Upgrade, \$2,711.40
Networking of the Rockies, APC Backups, \$1,056.00
Networking of the Rockies, Shipping Chgs., \$80.00
Networking of the Rockies, Workstation, Monitors & S. Ware Install, APC Backup/ PD, \$6,730.00
Noble, Laurie, Atty., Municipal Judge Svc. & Travel, \$369.00
Northwest Colo. Consultants, Testing Street Proj., \$1,905.00
Old Dominion Brush, Splash Guards St.

LEGAL NOTICES

Sweeper, \$152.06
Pearson Communications, New Radio In-stallation & Reprogram, \$697.65
Pioneers Medical Center, C-Dot Phys./ Willey & Colflesh, \$100.00
Pitney Bowes, Postage Meter Rental, \$40.02
RBC Fleet Management, September Fuel, \$2,165.71
Red Fox IT, Sign Materials/Scenic By-way, \$6,618.09
Redi Svc., Trash Svc., \$208.00
Redi Svc., Trash Svc., \$226.00
Rueter, Andrea, Advertisement for Pound Dogs/PD, \$36.00
Samuelson's, Fuel Can Spout, Cement Mix, Wasp Spray, Tubing Cutter, \$80.84
Samuelson's, Kiosk Materials/Scenic By-way, \$2,737.83
Schmueser Gordon Myer, Inc., Engineer-ing Side Walk Enhancement Proj., \$23,190.43
Schmueser Gordon Myer, Inc., Engineer-ing Side Walk Enhancement Proj., \$20,180.25
Shepherd's Office Outfitters, Ink Cart., File Folders, Misc. Office Supplies, \$132.06
Shepherd's Office Outfitters, Pamphlet Display/Scenic Byway, \$430.00
Strata Networks, Internet - Town Shop &

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Town Hall, \$108.61
The Trophy Case, Brass Plate for Display, \$24.50
Thyssen Krupp Elevator Svc., 3rd Qtr. Maint. Fee, \$611.52
Union Telephone, Sept. Cell Phone Svc., \$222.03
United Companies, Paving/Street Proj. and Town Hall Parking lot, \$51,648.28
United Companies, Asphalt for Streets, \$1,658.70
USIC - Line Locating Svc., Inc., Line Lo-cates for MAN, \$131.25
Valley Hardware, Mop & Bucket, Cement, Shelf, Faucet, Ext. Cords, \$508.21
Valley Hardware, Padlocks, Trash Bags, Epoxy Solv., Door Locks - Bldg., \$523.96
Vet Clinic, Spay/Neuter Fee, \$147.20
Viscardi, Gerard Atty., Sept. Legal Fees, \$2,226.00
Watt's, BOT Mtg. & Office Supplies, \$79.03
Western Baling Wire, Baling Wire/Recy. Center, \$639.60
White River Dist., Water Disp. Rental & 2 Bottles Water, \$27.50
White River Electric, Aug. Electricity, \$2,493.13
Total General Fund, \$223,924.84
Note: BAG office rent of \$75.00 charged to BAG Dept. and, recorded in General

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PAYMENTS RECEIVED AFTER FIRST PUBLICATION ON OCTOBER 11, 2012, MUST BE CERTIFIED FUNDS

R550957 MOBLEY, SCOTT A. SECT,TWN,RNG:2-2N-99 DESC: .250000 MIN. INT. IN: N1/2SW, ETC. BK:589 PG:571 RECPT:276775 BK:588 PG:997 RECPT:276637 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$49.08	91	R550756 PEROULIS, JOHN SECT,TWN,RNG:29-3N-101 DESC: .291666 MIN. INT. IN: NWNW, S1/2NE, E1/2NW, ETC. BK:0482 PG:0721 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$35.94	102	R101365 SHROYER, J. BRENT SECT,TWN,RNG:1-1N-102W DESC: BGN AT PT WHNC COR 2 CORA I CHASE TR BR5 W 495 FT THNC S 313.2 FT THNC E 95 FT THNC N 313.2 FT THNC W 95 FT TO POB SUB:CHASE TRACT DESC: W 95 FT OF LOT 12 RECPT:294258 RECPT:267066 831 E MAIN ST RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$451.82	117	R552077 VALORA, DORIS SECT,TWN,RNG:29-2N-93W DESC: .002000 MIN. INT. IN: NWNW & IN SECTION 30 THE NE1/4 & SENW. BK:0454 PG:0506 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$22.59	128	R001220 WILLE, RICHARD M. & TARA L. SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:086 LOT:8 DESC: AND E1/2 VACATED 11TH ST ETC RECPT:282321 110 MARKET ST LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$909.28	143
R504322 MOYER, GARY SECT,TWN,RNG:35-1N-95W DESC: A PARCEL IN THE NW 1/4 BK:0515 PG:0888 3313 CO RD 33 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$219.04	92	R003071 RALEY, ELISABETH ANNETT SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:081 LOT:4 & DESC: W 1/2 OF LOT A BK:0399 PG:0306 960 PARK AV MEEKER SECOND HALF PAYMENT LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$352.80	103	R551731 SMITH & COMPANY OF OGDEN C/O COLTHARP, GORDON SECT,TWN,RNG:21-2S-101 DESC: .164286 MIN. INT. IN: LOTS 2 & 4, ETC. LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$31.58	118	R304227 WALKER, MICHAEL JAMES SUB:RIVERBEND SUBDIVISION LOT:3 RECPT:301687 13247 CO RD 8 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$1,155.51	129	R500971 WILLE, RICHARD M. & TARA L. SECT,TWN,RNG:36-1N-94W TRACT:122 DESC: A PARC LAND IN RECPT:284037 2853 CO RD 4 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$1,953.68	144
R304287 MOYER, GARY E. & ELIZABETH L. SECT,TWN,RNG:26-1N-95W TRACT:57 DESC: BEG @ ANGLE PT 4 OF TR 57 THENCE W ALONG S LINE ETC. BK:0490 PG:0541 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$100.83	93	R125316 RALEY, JUDITH MBL HOME, TITLE: MSO 40353 & 54 SERIAL: PH0227228 YEAR: 2003 MAKE: PALM HARBOR PKPX64G4 SIZE: 30X68 IMPROVEMENTS ONLY ON POWELL'S LAND 35224 HWY 64 RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$500.92	104	R120405 SOULES, CLEM WARREN & SUSIE ELIZABETH C/O CUSHMAN, MIKE SECT,TWN,RNG:35-2N-102W SUB:RECTOR SUBDIVISION BLK:2 LOT:6.7 & LOT:8 BK:0424 PG:0623 158 CO RD 46 RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$88.97	119	R301960 WALSH, PATRICK MICHAEL & MARTHA ANN SECT,TWN,RNG:29-1N-94W TRACT:63 DESC: A PARC LAND IN BK:583 PG:681 RECPT:275298 BK:560 PG:134 RECPT:269376 73179 HWY 64 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$2,021.95	130	R550585 WILLEY, LEO E. & JANE E., TRUSTEES LEO E WILLEY REVOCABLE TRUST SECT,TWN,RNG:29-1S-93 DESC: .0041667 MIN. INT. IN: NW1/4, W1/2NE, NWSW, ETC. BK:0542 PG:0048 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$21.78	145
R504499 MOYER, GARY E. & ELIZABETH L. SECT,TWN,RNG:13-1N-95W TRACT:37 RECPT:292797 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$118.33	94	R002596 RIEBOLD, SAN D. SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:072 LOT:11 & LOT:12 DESC: SUBLT 1, 2, 3 RECPT:286210 SEE ALSO 002597 & 002598 760 11TH ST MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$793.21	105	R102605 STALEY, TOMMY J. & WANDA S. SUB:COLTHARP ADDITION BLK:5 LOT:1,2, & DESC: THT PTN RBC AVE VAC BY ORD 133 SUB:COLTHARP ADDITION BLK:5 LOT:3 DESC: E 1/2 OF BK:0531 PG:0222 748 E RIO BLANCO AV RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$546.16	120	R551539 WARDELL, DAWNA R. C/O WARDELL, BARRY L. SECT,TWN,RNG:26-1N-104 DESC: .041667 MIN. INT. IN: DLE 517, ETC. RECPT:302684 BK:564 PG:987 RECPT:270610 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$23.79	132	R550804 WILSON, ROBERT E. C/O WILSON, BRADLEY SECT,TWN,RNG:7-2N-100W DESC: .125000 MIN. INT. IN: C.E. 1614-SENE, LOT 2 & IN SEC. 12, T2N, R101W THE E1/2NE LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$23.79	147
R550744 MURDOCK, CLAIR N. FAMILY REVOCABLE TRUST SECT,TWN,RNG:4-2N-100 DESC: .250000 MIN. INT. IN: SWSW OR CE 1637, ETC. BK:583 PG:135 RECPT:275168 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$31.07	95	R553080 ROBINSON, BLAKE T. TRUSTEE SECT,TWN,RNG:31-2N-96 DESC: .250000 MIN. INT. IN: LOTS 5, 6, E1/2NW. LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$26.31	107	R003495 STEFFEN, DAVID E. & ENID E. SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:010 LOT:1 & LOT:2 DESC: A PARC LAND IN & 1/8 INT IN LOT 3 BK:0472 PG:0604 265 6TH ST MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$1,787.79	121	R551547 WARDELL, DAWNA R. C/O WARDELL, BARRY L. SECT,TWN,RNG:25-3N-92 DESC: .078125 MIN. INT. IN: LOTS 2,3,7,11,12,14, NWNW, ETC. RECPT:302685 RECPT:302684 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$28.80	133	R551166 WILSON, ROBERT E. SECT,TWN,RNG:20-1N-93 DESC: .030000 MIN. INT. IN: S1/2NE, S1/2NW, LOTS 3, 5, 12 & IN SEC- TION 21 LOT 28. LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$22.59	148
R304089 NAY, CLAUDE A. (LIFE ESTATE) C/O NAY, DAROLD A. & GEORGE C. SECT,TWN,RNG:25-1N-92 DESC: A PARC LAND IN SWNW SECT,TWN,RNG:26-1N-92 DESC: SENE BK:0519 PG:0370 BK:0483 PG:0451 BK:0445 PG:0292 BK:0119 PG:0329 7020 CO RD 49 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$469.79	96	R550569 ROBINSON, BLAKE T., TRUSTEE SECT,TWN,RNG:5-1N-96W DESC: .30625 MIN. INT. IN: LOT 4, ETC. LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$35.05	108	R003785 STEFFEN, DAVID E. & ENID E. SUB:SANDERSON HILLS SUBDIVISION LOT:74 BK:0477 PG:0125 PRE:R003784 563 LARRY LN MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$1,766.61	122	R553327 WARDELL, DAWNA R. C/O WARDELL, BARRY L. SECT,TWN,RNG:7-1N-103W DESC: .083333 MIN. INT. IN: LOT 8, ETC. RECPT:302685 RECPT:302684 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$26.70	134	R551300 WOLFE, GRACE P. & MORGAN, ROXIE LEE SECT,TWN,RNG:18-1N-92 DESC: 100 PER- CENT MIN. INT. IN: LOT 4, ETC. BK:543 PG:134 RECPT:263934 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$116.54	149
R551589 NAY, CLAUDE A. (LIFE ESTATE) C/O NAY, DAROLD A. & GEORGE C. SECT,TWN,RNG:25-1N-92 DESC: .500000 MIN. INT. IN: 15.367 ACRES IN THE SWNW & SENE, ETC. BK:0483 PG:0451 BK:0411 PG:0859 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$22.59	97	R254766 RUFFNER, JONAH C. SECT,TWN,RNG:8-1N-102W TRACT:381 DESC: A PARCEL IN RECPT:299911 3213 CO RD 102 RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$268.69	109	R551203 STEVENSON FAMILY LLC SECT,TWN,RNG:22-3N-97 DESC: .036875 MIN. INT. IN: SE/14, E1/2SW, ETC. RECPT:300794 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$24.26	123	R553573 WARNICK, PHILLIP SECT,TWN,RNG:17-1N-93W DESC: .002222 MIN. INT. IN: LOTS 3, 6, SWNE, NWSE, ETC. RECPT:283932 BK:518 PG:326 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$21.78	135	R704326 ZICKEFOOSE, CHAD A. SECT,TWN,RNG:5-3S-94W DESC: FOURTEEN MILE SUB lot 9A SUB:FOURTEEN MILE SUBDIVISION LOT:9A RECPT:290994 HWY 13 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$785.24	150
R553373 NAY, CLAUDE A. (LIFE ESTATE) C/O NAY, DAROLD A. & GEORGE C. SECT,TWN,RNG:22-1N-92W DESC: .250000 MIN. INT. IN: SESE, W1/2SE, LOTS 1, 6 & 8, ETC. BK:519 PG:370 RECPT:255017 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$31.32	98	R103536 SENERGY BUILDERS, LLC SUB:LA MESA REPLAT #2 OF THE REPLAT BLK:4 LOT:2 TD1000 RECPT:302459 1247 SUNRIDGE AVE RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$71.17	113	R304505 STRANATHAN, MATTHEW L. & PAMELA D. SECT,TWN,RNG:32-1N-93W TRACT:108 DESC: A PARCEL IN SUB:STRANATHAN MINOR SUBDIVISION LOT:1 BK:578 PG:936 RECPT:274109 SUC:501215 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$906.84	124	R300985 WESTERN MOUNTAIN EXPEDITIONS INC. SECT,TWN,RNG:12-1N-89 DESC: RIPPLE CREEK LODGE RECPT:299366 39020 CO RD 8 MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$2,777.07	139	ABOVE IS THE PRINTED LIST OF PROPER- TY SUBJECT TO LIEN FOR DELINQUENT TAXES FOR THE YEAR 2011. BY REMIT- TING PAYMENT IN CERTIFIED FUNDS TO THE COUNTY TREASURER BEFORE THE LIEN SALE, THE OWNER CAN STOP THE SALE OF A TAX LIEN AGAINST HIS PROP- ERTY.	
R552021 NEHER, CAROLYN SECT,TWN,RNG:24-1N-94 TRACT:70 DESC: .156250 MIN. INT. IN: M & B CONTAINING 9.2 ACRES IN TR. 70 ETC. BK:0506 PG:0336 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$23.83	99	R121436 SHEPPARD, LISA J. SECT,TWN,RNG:1-1N-102W DESC: BGN. AT PT 750 FEET SOUTH & 50 FEET WEST CORNER NO. 7 OF H.E. 177, ETC. RECPT:290393 BK:0484 PG:0167 297 MIDDLE ST RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$233.42	114	R141490 THOMPSON, FRANK M. ETAL THOMPSON, OSCAR LYMAN THOMPSON, IVAN EVERETT THOMPSON, LEWIS ROBERT QUINN, DOROTHY SECT,TWN,RNG:25-3N-99W SUC:R141490 TO:R144793 RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$45.82	125	R604081 WHITESIDE, STEVEN L. SECT,TWN,RNG:1-2N-88W DESC: A PARC OF LAND IN SE1/4 BK:0447 PG:0017 BK:0440 PG:0048 52800 CO RD 8 MEEKER SECOND HALF PAYMENT LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$955.86	140	A COMPLETE LEGAL DESCRIPTION MAY BE OBTAINED FROM THE RIO BLANCO COUNTY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE. REDEMP- TION INTEREST FOR 2011 CERTIFICATES IS 10%. REMEMBER, YOU ARE NOT BUY- ING THE PROPERTY. YOU ARE BUYING A LIEN AGAINST THE POPERTY. BUYER BEWARE-YOU ARE PURCHASING THE LIEN AT YOUR OWN RISK.	
R000464 OWENS, SANDRA L. SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:047 LOT:1 & LOT:2 DESC: N 1/2 OF BOTH BK:0531 PG:0805 BK:0511 PG:0672 810 CLEVELAND ST MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$1,098.41	101	R550992 SHOWALTER, C. ROY C/O SHOWALTER INVESTMENT COMPANY SECT,TWN,RNG:4-2N-93W DESC: 100 PER- CENT MIN. INT. LESS COAL, OIL & GAS IN: LOTS 15,16,17,18, 19,26,27, ETC. BK:264 PG:235 LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$70.61	116	R144839 THOMPSON, FRANK M. ETAL QUINN, DOROTHY THOMPSON, OSCAR LYMAN THOMPSON, IAN EVERETT THOMPSON, LEWIS ROBERT SECT,TWN,RNG:25-3N-99W DESC: C.E. 1542 OR C.E. 1914 PRE:R141490 TO:R144839 RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$41.50	127	R100650 WILEY, JOSEPH C. & ROBINSON, ELIZABETH A SUB:COLTHARP SUBDIVISION BLK:3 LOT:18 RECPT:278645 514 E MAIN ST RANGELY LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$397.31	141	WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL THIS 11TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2012.	
						R003020 WILLE, KURT WILLIAM & DONNA A. SUB:CITY OF MEEKER BLK:003 LOT:8 BK:0415 PG:0153 369 MARKET ST MEEKER LEGAL UPON REQUEST TOTAL DUE: \$1,757.15	142	\$ KAREN ARNOLD, TREASURER RIO BLANCO COUNTY P O BOX G MEEKER, CO 81641	
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Fund Revenues Building Lease Payments
WATER FUND
C Colflesh, Salary, \$1,193.32
L Cook, Salary, \$1,250.79
D Henderson, Salary, \$633.68
J McNay, Salary, \$1,458.14
S Meszaros, Salary, \$2,413.04
R Overton, Salary, \$1,218.96
A Pena, Salary, \$536.44
K Sizemore, Salary, \$555.73
R Weinheimer, Salary, \$677.66
T Willey, Salary, \$2,796.56
CCOERA, Employee Retirement, \$1,657.74
Credit Union of Colorado, Employee Savings, \$85.00
Employee Withholding, Social Security Withholding, \$1,725.63
Employee Withholding, Medicare Withholding, \$483.02
Employee Withholding, Federal Withholding, \$1,346.07
Employee Withholding, State Withholding, \$484.10
Rocky Mountain Health Plans, Health, Dental & Vision Insurance, \$6,970.68
Standard Insurance Company, Life/AD&D Insurance, \$152.30
Washington National Ins. Co., Cancer Insurance, \$155.96
US Postmaster, Sept. Water Billing Postage, \$177.20
Also, Sept. Coveralls, \$31.69
Also, Aug. Coveralls, \$47.54
Atmos, Sept. Natural Gas, \$33.64
Bellco Credit Union, Water Operator Cert., Office Supplies, \$211.76
Century Link, Aug. Phone Svc., \$223.68
City of Rifle, CML Dist. Mtg. Meals/Etheridge, Meszaros, Cook, \$30.00
CMRS. Reimburse August Postage, \$322.10
Coast International Telecom, Long Distance Svc., \$6.00
Colo. Dept. of Public Health & Env., Annual Water Dist. Fee, \$310.00
Data West Corp., 3rd Qtr. Maint. Fee Utility Billing S. Ware, \$675.00
DPC Industries, Inc., Chlorine and Fluoride, \$1,502.35
Grand Valley Imaging, Copier Maint., \$6.41
Grand Valley Imaging, Copier Maintenance, \$7.34
Herald Times, Aug. Legal Publications, \$55.11
Honnen Equipment, Outrigger Repair Kit, \$121.13
Loyal Leavenworth, PC, Water Well Easement Work, \$1,534.10
McGuire Auto, Motor Oil, Battery, Parts for Welder, Paint, \$322.72
Meeker Auto, Seat Covers, Oil Filters, Sockets, Motor Oil, \$109.80
Meeker Auto, Batteries, \$24.33
Mesa County Health Dept., Water Test, \$40.00
MGM, Socks/Willey, \$7.99
Pearson Communications, New Radio Installation & Reprogram, \$697.66
Pioneers Medical Center, C-Dot Phys./Willey & Colefish, \$100.00
Pitney Bowes, Postage Meter Rental, \$28.98
RBC Fleet Management, September Fuel,

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\$451.94
Samuelson's, Fuel Can Spout, Tubing Cutter, \$7.49
Shepherd's Office Outfitters, File Folders, Misc. Office Supplies, \$67.38
Strata Networks, Internet - Town Shop & Town Hall, \$33.57
Timberline Elec., CAD Drawings, \$187.50
Union Telephone, Sept. Cell Phone Svc., \$36.13
United Companies, Asphalt for Water Leak St. Repair, \$1,380.54
USIC - Line Locating Svc., Inc., Line Locates for MAN, \$43.75
Utility Notification Center, Line Locates, \$33.81
Utility Notification Center, Line Locates, \$38.64
Valley Hardware, Extn. Cords, Cement, Paint Thinner, \$124.39
Valley Hardware, Trash Bags, Padlocks, Epoxy Solvent, \$54.19
Viscardi, Gerard Atty., Sept. Legal Fees, \$178.50
Watt's, Office Supplies, \$5.57
White River Electric, Aug. Electricity, \$4,312.28
Total Water Fund, \$7,964.44
Total All Funds, \$231,889.28
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TOWN OF MEEKER
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
SPECIAL MEETING
Tuesday October 16, 2012
6:00 P.M. Board Workshop Regarding (Curtis Creek)
7:00 P.M. Regular Scheduled Board Meeting
Town Hall
345 Market Street, Meeker, CO
Call to Order
I. A. Pledge of Allegiance
II. Roll Call
III. Approval of the Agenda
IV. Approval of the Previous Minutes
V. Approval of Monthly Disbursements
VI. Public Participation
VII. Staff Updates
VIII. New Business
A. Public Hearings- 7:00 p.m.
1. Request from Ol Crows Beer & Beverage for a Liquor or 3.2 Percent Beer License renewal
IX. Mayor's remarks
IX. Town Manager's Reports
X. Town Attorney's Report
XI. Other Board Business
XII. Adjournment
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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
The Victim Assistance and Law Enforcement Board of the 9TH Judicial District, which is Garfield, Pitkin and Rio Blanco Counties, is seeking grant applications from agencies and organizations to provide assistance services to crime victims. The funding cycle is January 1 - December 31, 2013.
The board is committed to funding programs which provide direct services to

**COMBINED NOTICE
CRS §38-38-103 FORECLOSURE SALE NO. 12-25**

To Whom It May Concern: This Notice is given with regard to the following described Deed of Trust:
On July 17, 2012, the undersigned Public Trustee caused the Notice of Election and Demand relating to the Deed of Trust described below to be recorded in the County of Rio Blanco records.
Original Grantor(s): Charles A Colacito and Michele L Colacito
Original Beneficiary(ies): Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Countrywide Bank, FSB
Current Holder of Evidence of Debt: Bank of America, N.A.
Date of Deed of Trust: 11/8/2007
County of Recording: Rio Blanco
Recording Date of Deed of Trust: 11/21/2007
Recording Information(Reception Number and/or Book/Page Number): 290594
Original Principal Amount: \$168,300.00
Outstanding Principal Balance: \$159,339.03
Pursuant to CRS §38-38-101(4)(i), you are hereby notified that the covenants of the deed of trust have been violated as follows: failure to pay principal and interest when due together with all other payments provided for in the evidence of debt secured by the deed of trust and other violations thereof.
THE LIEN FORECLOSED MAY NOT BE A FIRST LIEN.
LOT 3, BLOCK C, MESA SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF FILED AUGUST 13, 1947, AS RECEPTION NO. 73121, TOWN OF RANGLEY, COLORADO.
Also known by street and number as: 281 Crest St, Rangely, CO 81648-3016.
THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREIN IS ALL OF THE PROPERTY CURRENTLY ENCUMBERED BY THE LIEN OF THE DEED OF TRUST.
NOTICE OF SALE
The current holder of the Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, described herein, has filed Notice of Election and Demand for sale as provided by law and in said Deed of Trust.
THEREFORE, Notice Is Hereby Given that I will at public auction, at 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, 11/14/2012, at Office of the Public Trustee, Rio Blanco County Courthouse, 555 Main Street, Meeker CO 81641, sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the said real property and all interest of the said Grantor(s), Grantor(s)' heirs and assigns therein, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness provided in said Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, plus attorneys' fees, the expenses of sale and other items allowed by law, and will issue to the purchaser a Certificate of Purchase, all as provided by law.
First Publication: 9/20/2012
Last Publication: 10/18/2012
Name of Publication: Rio Blanco Herald Times

NOTICE OF RIGHTS

YOU MAY HAVE AN INTEREST IN THE REAL PROPERTY BEING FORECLOSED, OR HAVE CERTAIN RIGHTS OR SUFFER CERTAIN LIABILITIES PURSUANT TO COLORADO STATUTES AS A RESULT OF SAID FORECLOSURE. YOU MAY HAVE THE RIGHT TO REDEEM SAID REAL PROPERTY OR YOU MAY HAVE THE RIGHT TO CURE A DEFAULT UNDER THE DEED OF TRUST BEING FORECLOSED. A COPY OF SAID STATUTES, AS SUCH STATUTES ARE PRESENTLY CONSTITUTED, WHICH MAY AFFECT YOUR RIGHTS SHALL BE SENT WITH ALL MAILED COPIES OF THIS NOTICE. HOWEVER, YOUR RIGHTS MAY BE DETERMINED BY PREVIOUS STATUTES.
A NOTICE OF INTENT TO CURE FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 38-38-104 SHALL BE FILED WITH THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE AT LEAST FIFTEEN (15) CALENDAR DAYS PRIOR TO THE FIRST SCHEDULED SALE DATE OR ANY DATE TO WHICH THE SALE IS CONTINUED;
A NOTICE OF INTENT TO REDEEM FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 38-38-302 SHALL BE FILED WITH THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE NO MORE THAN EIGHT (8) BUSINESS DAYS AFTER THE SALE;
DATE: 07/17/2012
Karen Arnold
Public Trustee of Rio Blanco County, State of Colorado
/s/Karen Arnold
By: Karen Arnold, Public Trustee
(S E A L) PUBLIC TRUSTEE RIO BLANCO CO COLO
The name, address, business telephone number and bar registration number of the attorney(s) representing the legal holder of the indebtedness is:
Caren Jacobs Castle #11790, Barbara A. Bader #10394, Christa Kilk #29855, Deanna L. Westfall #23449, Deanne R. Stodden #33214, Jennifer C. Rogers #34682, Katharine E. Fisher #39230, Kimberly L. Martinez #40351, Elizabeth S. Marcus #16092, Britney Beall-Eder #34935, Christopher T. Groen #39976
Castle Stawiariski LLC 999 18TH ST., #2201, DENVER, CO 80202 (303) 865-1400
Attorney File # 12-08482
The Attorney above is acting as a debt collector and is attempting to collect a debt. Any information provided may be used for that purpose.
(c)Public Trustees' Association of Colorado Revised 6/2011

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crime victims and implement the Victims' Rights Amendment. They may also consider scholarships for training that is related to the welfare of victims. Revenue for this fund is generated from a surcharge or fees assessed to people who are convicted of felonies, misdemeanors, traffic offenses and fish and game violations. These funds are authorized by Title 24, Article 4.2, Colorado Revised Statutes. During the 2012 grant cycle the board awarded a total of \$353,435 to 13 agencies that provide services to victims in the 9th Judicial District. It is anticipated that approximately \$350,000 will be available for the 12-month grant cycle.
PRIORITY CATEGORIES:
1) In accordance with 24-4.2-103(5), priority use for moneys in the fund shall be the implementation of the rights afforded to crime victims pursuant to Section 24-4.1-302.5 and for provision of the services delineated pursuant to Sections 24-4.1-303 and 24-4.1-304 related to all crimes as defined by Section 24-4.1-302.
2) Services outlined in Section 24-4.2-105(4) C.R.S.
Completed grant applications must be received by the board administrator by 4:30 p.m., Monday, November 26, 2012
You may request a grant or scholarship application by contacting:
Steve Aurand, VALE Board Administrator
9th Judicial District Attorney's Office
109 8th Street, Suite 308
saurand@dadaco.org
970-945-8635
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Alcoholics Anonymous
Mon. 8 pm, Weds. 7 pm, Fri. 7 pm
St. James Church - enter from back parking lot, meetings are downstairs in Richards Hall, 4th & Park, Meeker
878-4158 • 878-5919 • 878-5636
Alanon Thurs. 7 p.m. 878-5655

RIO BLANCO Masonic Lodge #80 meets 2nd and 4th Thursday, 7:00pm, at 7th and Park, Meeker.

Rangely Victim Services
An open door for the protection and care of abused and battered persons.
Non-emergency call 629-5729 or 629-0709. Emergencies call 911. Providing assistance for victims of violent crimes.

Veterans Service Offices
Rio Blanco County: Veterans Service Officer - Joe Dungan, Wednesday, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m., County Administration Building, 200 Main Street Suite 300, Meeker. 878-9690 office, 878-3219 home. Fax 878-9581.
Rangely: Veterans Service Officer - Hoot Gibson, Tuesday and Thursday, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m., County Annex, 17497 State Hwy 64, Rangely. 878-9695 office, 675-2669 home.

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**COMBINED NOTICE
CRS §38-38-103 FORECLOSURE SALE NO. 12-28**

To Whom It May Concern: This Notice is given with regard to the following described Deed of Trust:
On August 8, 2012, the undersigned Public Trustee caused the Notice of Election and Demand relating to the Deed of Trust described below to be recorded in the County of Rio Blanco records.
Original Grantor(s): Douglas J Pfau and Margaret A Pfau
Original Beneficiary(ies): Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.
Current Holder of Evidence of Debt: Wells Fargo Bank, NA
Date of Deed of Trust: 6/11/2009
County of Recording: Rio Blanco
Recording Date of Deed of Trust: 6/12/2009
Recording Information(Reception Number and/or Book/Page Number): 296030
Original Principal Amount: \$264,127.00
Outstanding Principal Balance: \$252,924.91
Pursuant to CRS §38-38-101(4)(i), you are hereby notified that the covenants of the deed of trust have been violated as follows: failure to pay principal and interest when due together with all other payments provided for in the evidence of debt secured by the deed of trust and other violations thereof.
THE LIEN FORECLOSED MAY NOT BE A FIRST LIEN.
LOT 12, CROSS L ESTATES ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF FILED SEPTEMBER 14, 2005 AS RECEPTION NO. 282581 RIO BLANCO COUNTY, COLORADO
Also known by street and number as: 366 North Cross L Drive, Meeker, CO 81641.
THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREIN IS ALL OF THE PROPERTY CURRENTLY ENCUMBERED BY THE LIEN OF THE DEED OF TRUST.
NOTICE OF SALE
The current holder of the Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, described herein, has filed Notice of Election and Demand for sale as provided by law and in said Deed of Trust.
THEREFORE, Notice Is Hereby Given that I will at public auction, at 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, 12/05/2012, at Office of the Public Trustee, Rio Blanco County Courthouse, 555 Main Street, Meeker CO 81641, sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the said real property and all interest of the said Grantor(s), Grantor(s)' heirs and assigns therein, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness provided in said Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, plus attorneys' fees, the expenses of sale and other items allowed by law, and will issue to the purchaser a Certificate of Purchase, all as provided by law.
First Publication: 10/11/2012
Last Publication: 11/8/2012
Name of Publication: Rio Blanco Herald Times

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A NOTICE OF INTENT TO CURE FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 38-38-104 SHALL BE FILED WITH THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE AT LEAST FIFTEEN (15) CALENDAR DAYS PRIOR TO THE FIRST SCHEDULED SALE DATE OR ANY DATE TO WHICH THE SALE IS CONTINUED;
A NOTICE OF INTENT TO REDEEM FILED PURSUANT TO SECTION 38-38-302 SHALL BE FILED WITH THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE NO MORE THAN EIGHT (8) BUSINESS DAYS AFTER THE SALE;
DATE: 08/09/2012
Karen Arnold
Public Trustee of Rio Blanco County, State of Colorado
/s/Karen Arnold
By: Karen Arnold, Public Trustee
(S E A L) PUBLIC TRUSTEE RIO BLANCO CO COLO
The name, address, business telephone number and bar registration number of the attorney(s) representing the legal holder of the indebtedness is:
Caren Jacobs Castle #11790, Barbara A. Bader #10394, Christa Kilk #29855, Deanna L. Westfall #23449, Deanne R. Stodden #33214, Jennifer C. Rogers #34682, Katharine E. Fisher #39230, Kimberly L. Martinez #40351, Elizabeth S. Marcus #16092, Britney Beall-Eder #34935, Christopher T. Groen #39976
Castle Stawiariski LLC 999 18TH ST., #2201, DENVER, CO 80202 (303) 865-1400
Attorney File # 12-09542
The Attorney above is acting as a debt collector and is attempting to collect a debt. Any information provided may be used for that purpose.
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW EDEN Pregnancy Care Services - pregnancy tests, emergency supplies, guidance by trained volunteers, classes on pregnancy and child care, post-abortion support, referrals. Mondays and Thursdays, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., 345 Main Street, Meeker. Email: newedenpcs@gmail.com or (970)878-5117. All services are confidential.

BRESNAN CABLE television customers - if you are not receiving a television channel station you normally get, 3 people must report it before it's considered an outage. Call the service number on your bill to report.

MEEKER CAT Coalition accepting cat food or monetary donations for spay/neuter and health care. Donations may be left at The Vet Clinic in Meeker or call 878-3560 or 878-4429 for more information.

RANGELY ROCKCRAWLING & 4 Wheel Drive group in Rangely meets the 3rd Tuesday of each month at the Rio Blanco Water Users Building on Hwy. 64 at 7 p.m.

MOMS GROUP meeting, open to anyone with a child 0-5 years, Grace Baptist Church, Rangely, first Thursday of every month, 8:45 a.m. to 11 a.m. Info. call Heather Zadra (970)629-9937

RADINO & CHUCKWAGON
Please call before 9:00 a.m. day of meal
878-5627 or 675-8112
Senior Citizen Nutrition Program
Meals served at noon.
Reservations appreciated.
Suggested Donation Over 60 - \$2.50. Under 60 - Guest Fee \$7.
(Did you know? Take out trays can be ordered for age over 60, suggested donation \$3 - 12:10 p.m. pickup.)
****MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE****
FRIDAY, OCT. 12: Spaghetti with meatballs, tossed salad, fresh fruit, ice cream.
MONDAY, OCT. 15: Chicken broccoli Alfredo, Caesar salad, apple cobbler. (Chuckwagon - Flu Shot 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.)
TUESDAY, OCT. 16: Pork roast, asparagus, sweet potatoes/apples, green beans.
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 17: Lasagna, garlic bread, tossed salad, tropical fruit. (Radino - Flu Shot 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.)
FRIDAY, OCT. 19: Cheese burger, lettuce, tomato, macaroni salad, fresh fruit.

PISTOL RIVER LEATHER
I will be attending the CSMA Fall Seminar Oct. 12-14th.
Don't necessarily believe everything you know!
785 Park Avenue • 878-4346
www.pistolriverleather.com

ANNOUNCEMENTS

AA & Al-Anon Meetings - Rangely
Alcoholics Anonymous - Open meetings Tues & Thurs, 7 pm, 115 Kennedy Dr., St. Timothy's Episcopal Church, Rangely.
Al-Anon meets Monday, 8:15 pm, 207 S. Sunset, 1st Baptist Church, Rangely. Al-Anon info call 970-629-5064 or 970-629-2970.

VFW POST 5843 and Ladies Auxiliary monthly meetings are now held at Kilowatt Korner in Meeker: VFW Post 5843 - 6:30 p.m. 2nd Monday. Ladies Auxiliary - 5:30 p.m., 2nd Thursday.

MEEKER HOUSING Authority Board of Directors meets the 2nd Thursday of the month at 4 p.m. at The Pines, 875 Water St., Meeker.

SAFEHOUSE
If you are being abused physically or mentally, you can call SAFEHOUSE for confidential shelter and help.
878-3131

MEEKER LIONS CLUB BINGO
NEW BINGO DATES FOR FALL 2012!
2nd & 4th Wednesdays
RBC Fairgrounds Exhibit Hall
Progressive Bingo
Concessions & Dinner Available
Meeker Streaker available for transportation to Bingo, call 878-9368.

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MEEKER CRAFT SHOW
The Meeker Craft Show will be:
Friday, Nov. 2 • 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Saturday, Nov. 3 • 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
at the **OLD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL.**
Please call (970)878-3361 for more information or to request a registration form.

A CUT ABOVE in Meeker will be closed Tues. Oct. 16 through Weds. Oct. 24, Sue Duke.

AUCTIONS

Consignment Auction Sat. Oct. 27, 10 a.m., Garfield County Fairgrounds, Rifle, Colo. Consignments taken at Fairgrounds on the 26th. More info. Call (970)283-5416 or (970)571-1608 Ralph Fritzman Auctioneer, www.Silvernickelauction.com.

CP AUCTION SERVICE
FALL CONSIGNMENT AUCTION
Saturday, October 20, 10 a.m.
Moffat County Fairgrounds Indoor Arena
Craig, Colo.

LEGAL NOTICES

**COMBINED NOTICE
CRS §38-38-103 FORECLOSURE SALE NO. 12-24**

To Whom It May Concern: This Notice is given with regard to the following described Deed of Trust:
On July 17, 2012, the undersigned Public Trustee caused the Notice of Election and Demand relating to the Deed of Trust described below to be recorded in the County of Rio Blanco records.
Original Grantor(s): Jennifer Ann Turner and Keenan Turner
Original Beneficiary(ies): Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for Countrywide Mortgage Ventures, LLC dba FNBR Mortgage
Current Holder of Evidence of Debt: Bank of America, N.A.
Date of Deed of Trust: 9/14/2006
County of Recording: Rio Blanco
Recording Date of Deed of Trust: 9/19/2006
Recording Information(Reception Number and/or Book/Page Number): 286233
Original Principal Amount: \$199,400.00
Outstanding Principal Balance: \$217,274.89
Pursuant to CRS §38-38-101(4)(i), you are hereby notified that the covenants of the deed of trust have been violated as follows: failure to pay principal and interest when due together with all other payments provided for in the evidence of debt secured by the deed of trust and other violations thereof.
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LOT 1 TURNER MINOR SUBDIVISION ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF FILED DECEMBER 15, 2004 AS RECEPTION NO. 280308 RIO BLANCO COUNTY, COLORADO
Also known by street and number as: 45634 Highway 13, Meeker, CO 81641-8401.
THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREIN IS ALL OF THE PROPERTY CURRENTLY ENCUMBERED BY THE LIEN OF THE DEED OF TRUST.
NOTICE OF SALE
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THEREFORE, Notice Is Hereby Given that I will at public auction, at 10:00 A.M. on Wednesday, 11/14/2012, at Office of the Public Trustee, Rio Blanco County Courthouse, 555 Main Street, Meeker CO 81641, sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the said real property and all interest of the said Grantor(s), Grantor(s)' heirs and assigns therein, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness provided in said Evidence of Debt secured by the Deed of Trust, plus attorneys' fees, the expenses of sale and other items allowed by law, and will issue to the purchaser a Certificate of Purchase, all as provided by law.
First Publication: 9/20/2012
Last Publication: 10/18/2012
Name of Publication: Rio Blanco Herald Times

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DATE: 07/17/2012
Karen Arnold
Public Trustee of Rio Blanco County, State of Colorado
/s/Karen Arnold
By: Karen Arnold, Public Trustee
(S E A L) PUBLIC TRUSTEE RIO BLANCO CO COLO
The name, address, business telephone number and bar registration number of the attorney(s) representing the legal holder of the indebtedness is:
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Attorney File # 12-07370
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AUCTIONS

2002 Kawasaki 600 4x4 four wheeler with racks and snow plow, 12 ft. ATV trailer with ramp, pickup box trailer hi lift jack, 4 ft. wall tent, saddles, tack, spurs, bits, etc., guns ammo., Colt .41 pistol, coins and paper money, 2 large and 2 small Indian rugs, 36" rawhide reata, arrowheads, cast iron, Aunt Jemima and Amos banks, hooks, animals, etc., drill press, grinders, hand and power tools of all kinds, tool boxes, antiques and collectibles, household furniture and items, and more. This is a consignment auction. There will be many items not listed. For more info., call Steve Claypoole, CP Auction Service (970)260-5577. www.cpauction.com *Call me about a sale for you!*

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www.lockhartauction.com

APPLIANCES

Nice antique 5 ft. cast iron claw foot tub. Amana microwave convection oven, Whirlpool dishwasher, both black and in very good condition. (970)778-7373.

CHILD CARE

NEW CREATION Child Care Center is now accepting applications for students ages 2.5 to 6 years old. Applications must be filled out by parent or guardian in person at New Creation Church, Call 878-3161 between the hours of 9 a.m. to noon or 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., M-F, for more information or an appointment.

FIREWOOD & STOVES

FIREWOOD PICKED up or delivery, good, dry, seasoned, split lodgepole pine, hundreds of cords in stock, Monday through Friday, 9 to 4. PINYON NOW AVAILABLE. We will load dump trucks or heavy duty dump trailers with reservations (no pickup trucks). 5 miles north of Rifle. Strong Lumber. Open Saturdays as of Oct. 1. (970)625-0777.

FARM & RANCH

HAY FOR sale: 250 small bales. 878-5134.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN lodgepole pine firewood, delivered and stacked in Meeker \$200/FULL cord. (970)878-4482.

LOPI PELLET stove with extras in excellent condition. \$1200. (970)878-9870

FREEBIES

FREE GAS log fireplace and flue. (970)778-7373.

HOME IMPROVEMENT

YOU NEED window screens repaired? Call 878-4594.

HUNTING

PHEASANT HUNTING
1200 acres
Grand Junction area
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(970)241-3949

LANDOWNER COW elk tag for 3rd rifle season, Nov. 3-11, Area 10, \$600. 675-8759.

MISCELLANEOUS

ASK ABOUT OUR CNC MACHINING
Can't get a metal part? We can make all kinds of parts. We have CNC Machine equipment, lathe and tooling to do the job. Contact Phil at Family Automotive and Machine. (970)878-5066.

PETS

SCHNAUZER PUPPIES, toy-size, will be 8 to 10 lb. adults, blue merles, red merles, black & white party, liver party, \$700/each. 675-8759.

YARD SALES

NO YARD SALES
ADVERTISED THIS WEEK

**HELP WANTED:
FULL TIME**

Rio Blanco County is seeking applicants for a **Road and Bridge Coordinator**: Job Specifics: Prepares bid specifications, oversees, inspects and recommends payment of road and bridge maintenance contracts including gravel crushing contracts. Manages gravel pits, manages road and bridge materials inventories and researches and purchases non-inventory materials and supplies. Inspects capital projects and assists County Engineer as directed. Handles the details of day-to-day issues and situations as directed by the Road & Bridge Director. Coordinates interdepartmental projects between district supervisors, coordinates with planning and building departments on permits that affect this department, authorizes transport permits and coordinates special transport supervision, implements and oversees safety and training programs for the department in conjunction with departmental staff. Coordinates with staff to prepare annual budgets and tracks expenditures of current budget. Must have a Valid Colorado Drivers License, experience as an Engineer Technician or experience in a construction related field with equal responsibilities. This position is FT with benefits. Salary range: \$50,000-\$60,000. To apply please submit

**HELP WANTED:
FULL TIME**

a completed County Application to the HR Department, P.O. Box 1, Meeker, CO 81641. Applications can be downloaded from our website at www.co.rio-blanco.co.us/personnel. Application Deadline is October 25, 2012 For more information call (970)878-9570. Announcement #1215. EOE.

**Town of Rangely
Gas Department Job Opening
Gas Utility Administrator**

The Town of Rangely owns and operates the natural gas distribution system that supplies natural gas to the residents of Rangely. The Town has a fulltime position open in the Gas Department for an individual who will be responsible for the operation and management of the department. Duties include but are not limited to the following: the understanding and implementation of Emergency, O & M, Damage Prevention, Public Awareness, Distribution Integrity Management and Operator Qualification Plans; training and evaluating employees, monitoring the odorant injection system, keeping up to date on rulings and requirements of the Public Utilities Commission as this person will be responsible for the Gas Department's compliance and good standing with the Public Utilities Commission. Other duties include: meter reading, installation and maintenance of gas lines, leak call investigations, computer tasks, reports and meetings. Prior experience in gas distribution is necessary. The Gas Department falls under federally mandated Drug and Alcohol Testing Programs and Operator Qualification. The ability to work effectively with one's coworkers and the public is a must. Valid Colorado Driver's License required. Applicant must have the ability to perform physical labor as well as the ability to perform in an office setting. Applicant must also be willing to be "On Call" approximately one out of every four weeks upon Operator Qualification. Pre-employment screenings include a physical and drug screen. The Town offers excellent benefits and salary is negotiable depending upon qualifications. Position open until filled. EOE. Application and letter of intent should be submitted to Lisa Piering, C/O Town of Rangely, 209 E. Main St., Rangely, CO 81648. Applications are available at: Town of Rangely, 209 E. Main St., Rangely, CO 81648, (970)675-8476.

**HELP WANTED:
GENERAL**

Rangely Public School District is looking for exceptional people. If you believe in making our schools better, and that every student deserves a high quality education then consider these positions. In Rangely School District you either provide direct instruction or you support those that do. We are accepting applications in the transportation department for a **BUS DRIVER**. This position requires a CDL and paid training will be available. We are looking for candidates who have strong interpersonal skills and the ability to work well independently and within a team environment. One who pays excellent attention to details and who possess effective behavior management skills with students of all ages. Benefits include sick days, personal days and access to the recreation center for the employee and their immediate family members. We are accepting applications in the transportation department for **SUBSTITUTE BUS DRIVERS**. Substitute bus drivers are required to hold a CDL and paid training will be available. We are looking for those who have strong interpersonal skills and the ability to work well independently and within a team environment. One who pays excellent attention to details and who possess effective behavior management skills with students of all ages. Applications and job descriptions may be picked up at the District Office, 402 West Main Street. Applications can also be found on the web www.rangelyk12.org; please return the application to the district office. All positions are contingent upon passing a fingerprinting/background check. Positions open until filled. If you have questions or need assistance please contact the district office at 970-675-2207. RANGELY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-4 IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

**HELP WANTED:
GENERAL**

FULL OR part time help at Stage Stop Meat Market and Deli in Meeker. Stop in for application or call (970)878-5085

GUEST SERVICES REPRESENTATIVE The ERBM Recreation & Park District is seeking a Guest Services Representative. This is a part time non-exempt position; hiring range \$12 to \$13/hour. Duties include, but are not limited to: performance of a variety of tasks at the front desk of the Meeker Recreation Center and associated areas, assist in the effective administration and operation of the District and provide a high-quality customer service experience for District patrons. Requirements include, but are not limited to: applicant must be 18 years of age or older, possess a high school diploma or GED, must have excellent customer service skills, be available to work early morning, evening, split and/or weekend shifts on a rotating basis. A completed ERBM Recreation & Park District job application is required for consideration and should be returned to **ERBM Recreation & Park District, Attn: Human Resources, 101 Ute Rd, Meeker, CO 81641. 970-878-3403**. Applications are available at the Meeker Recreation Center and online www.MeekerRecDistrict.com. Complete job description is available upon request. Applications will be accepted through Monday, October 15. ERBM Recreation & Park District is an equal opportunity employer.

SEEKING DAY care for one 4 yr. old mostly during school hours. References required. Call if interested (970)878-9886 or (970)261-6567.

**HELP WANTED:
GENERAL**

Relief Cook - Rio Blanco County is currently accepting applications for a relief cook(s) for the senior nutrition program in Meeker and/or Rangely. One cook to travel to both locations is preferred. \$10.16/hr. To apply, submit a completed Rio Blanco County application to the HR Department at P.O. Box 1, Meeker, CO 81641, 970-878-9570. Applications can be obtained from the HR Department or from our website at www.co.rio-blanco.co.us/personnel. Please state on application if interested in Meeker, Rangely or Both. Application deadline October 19, 2012 or until filled. Announcement # 1217. EOE.

NOW HIRING for EXPERIENCED Operator (blade, trackhoe, etc.) and Laborers for work in the Meeker and surrounding areas. Mandatory drug testing. Pay DOE. (970)878-3474.

HANDYMAN NEEDED for carpentry repairs and outside cleanup for house going on the market. Wage negotiable plus fuel allowance for landfill haulage. 878-5235.

RN needed for home healthcare in Dinosaur, CO.
Call 877-259-9001
www.criticalnursestaffing.com

TRUCK DRIVERS NEEDED
Local trucking company looking for experienced, dependable Class A CDL Drivers. Part-time/Full-time wanted. Please call (970)220-2656 or (970)404-7474. You can also fax a resume/application to (970)878-5128.



PIONEERS MEDICAL CENTER,
a community oriented medical center with high patient standards, is hiring for the following positions:

PRN:

- Certified Nursing Assistant/Patient Care Tech
- RN - Acute/E.D.
- Laundry Technician
- RN - Walbridge Wing
- LPN - Walbridge Wing

PART-TIME [eligible for referral bonus & benefits]:

- Cook/Food Service Tech

FULL-TIME [eligible for benefits]:

- RN - Days - Acute/E.D.
- Environmental Services Technician
- Long-Term Care Director
- Patient Access Representative

FULL-TIME [eligible for sign-on bonus & benefits]:

- Certified Nursing Assistant - Walbridge Wing
- Certified Nursing Assistant - Wing Night Shift
- Physical Therapist

Submit Resume and/or Application to:
Pioneers Medical Center, HR,
345 Cleveland St., Meeker, Colo., 81641
Visit our Web site at:
www.pioneershospital.org

Pioneers Medical Center
Phone: (970) 878-4444 Fax: (970) 878-2355
145 Cleveland, Meeker, CO 81641
Eastern Rio Blanco County Health Service District

MARSH TRUCKING IS LOOKING FOR CLASS A DAY & NIGHT DRIVERS

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FINANCIAL

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HELP WANTED / DRIVERS

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DriveForGreatwide.com

HELP WANTED / GENERAL

LIVE-WORK-PARTY-PLAY!
Play in Vegas, Hang in LA, Jet to New York! Hiring 18-24 girls/guys. \$400-\$800 wkly. PAID expenses. Signing Bonus.
1-866-251-0768

RANGELY DISTRICT HOSPITAL
511 S. White Rangely 675.5011

ADMISSIONS CLERK Full-Time

Rangely Family Medicine has an opening in the Clinic for an Admissions Clerk. This is a full-time position working 32-40 hours a week (including some Saturdays). Must have strong Microsoft Office Suite skills, especially Excel as well as familiarity with basic office equipment. Ability to multi-task in a fast-paced environment is a must. A high school diploma is required. Previous experience in a clinical or similar setting is preferred.

If interested, please contact Lois Pittman at (970) 675-2237, ext. 206 or apply online. Applications and full job descriptions are available in the Human Resources office.

LAND FOR SALE

Colorado Elk Camp Trophy
Area 62 40 acres w/Cabin. Brand new, fully equipped and furnished. Very unique. Price Was - \$389,995. Owner must sell- below cost! Now- \$275,995. Call 315-271-7757

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Gas Utility Technician**

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PRICE MINE SERVICE

is now accepting applications for an **Area Manager - VERNAL, UTAH OFFICE**

Organizational Skills, Mining Experience, MSHA Knowledge, and Ability to Travel Required.

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XX (was 560 5th Street)

- ◆ 1533 C.R. 13 - 77+/- acres irrigated, 4 bdrm house, outbuildings \$799,000
- ◆ 3830 C.R. 4 - 5.24 acres, 5 bdrms, 3 bath home, SALE PENDING \$320,000
- ◆ 1343 Sage Ridge Road - Ranch w/ full basement, great lot \$219,000
- ◆ 569 Larry Lane - beautiful 2+ bedroom home, corner lot, etc. \$189,000
- ◆ 560 5th Street - 2 bdrm, 2 bath, full basement, large metal shop \$185,000
- ◆ 1368 Robert Street - 4 bdrms, 2 baths, quiet location, NEW PRICE \$185,000
- ◆ 760 Water Street - close to river, cute 2 bedroom w/bunkhouse \$175,000
- ◆ 517 Park Avenue - COMMERCIAL PROPERTY, great location \$170,000
- ◆ 888 8th St - Cute home, 15,000 SF site, 2 story garage/shop \$164,000
- ◆ 242 Park Ave. - large site, 2+ bdrm home, large shop \$150,000
- ◆ Lot 1, Liberty Industrial Park - 3.5 acres, C.R. 15 frontage \$140,000
- ◆ Vacant Lot - 1280 Garfield, includes water tap. Make Offer \$25,000

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 - 625 Lake St. Cozy ranch-style home 2BD/1 bath built in 1960 new furnace & hot water heater \$95,000
 - 739 Lake St. Spacious bi-level home 3 bed/2 bath Built in 1950 1,800 sq ft \$139,900
 - 908 Tropic St. 3 bedroom 2 bath Manufactured Home with 2-car garage built in 2005 \$139,950
 - 627 E. Rio Blanco Nicely updated split level home 3 bedroom 2 bath 1,562 total sq. ft. \$149,900
 - 114 S. White Ranch Style 2 Bd/2 Bath with Den 1 car garage Built in 2007 1,080 sq ft \$153,000
 - 908 Taos Immaculate ranch style home 3 bdrm 2 bath plus office 1397 sq. ft. blt. In 1999 \$159,000
 - 1101 Half Turn Rd. Remarkable ranch style home 3 bdr: 2 bath 1,413 sq. ft. blt. in 2007 \$164,500
 - 270 Middle St. Immaculate 4 Bed/2 Bath home with garage, 1,562 sq. ft. Built in 1974 \$169,500
 - 17300 Hwy 64 Ranch Home 4BD/2 Bath on 1.14 Acres w/Oversized 2 Car Garage \$189,500
 - 861 CR 101 Ranch style on 2.21 acres w/River Front 4 BD/3 Bath 2,128 sq ft 2003 \$239,500
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- COMMERCIAL**
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- LOTS/LAND**
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 - 202 W. Main St. Great corner location \$35,000
 - Redwood Estates Approx 1/2 acre building lot \$28,000
 - Lake St. 2 Lots, 10,000 sq. ft. total \$28,000
 - 222 & 226 S. Grand Ave. 14,000 sq ft lots \$30,000
 - 3.76 acres Down River on CR 2. River front \$30,000
 - Mesa Dr. 2 lots each 5,000 sq ft \$29,000 total
 - Skull Creek Estates Approx 5 1/2 acres \$25,000
 - 2842 Shale Dr. Lot size 2.479 acres \$38,000
 - 820 Main St. Commercial lot 18,564 sq ft total \$41,770
 - 1351 La Mesa 11,659 sq ft \$43,000
 - 2 Fantastic Lots La Mesa Sub \$50,000 each
 - College View 10 lots, +/- 4 acres near CNCC \$150,000

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- NEW 1145 Michael Cr. 3bd,3ba home located in a quite neighborhood with nice garage and rec room. \$229,500.
- NEW RANGELY: 267 Crest St., nice 4 BD, 2 BA home in a quite neighborhood. Great yard and sunroom, garage and carport. \$220,000.
- 780 11th Street — Remodeled 3 BD, 2 BA bi-level home with fenced yard. \$195,000
- 1021 Main St. 4bd,2.25ba ranch style home with large living room, new detached garage. \$169,000
- 148 Main St. 3bd,2ba home with good location. \$140,000
- 837 Cedar Street — Large home on two lots with attached 2 car garage. New carpet and original hardwood floors. Make it yours! \$124,000

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- NEW 40000 Hwy 13 — Hacienda Rio Blanco, 6,211 sq. ft. Spanish Style Home on 6 acres with River Frontage. This is a very nice home and a good place to live and enjoy. \$725,000
- NEW - 945 RBC Rd. 14 — 5 BD, 3 BA, custom log home on 5 acres, located approximately 25 miles up the White River. \$499,000
- 1755 Brightwater Lane - River front home property with new 4 BD, 2.75 BA custom home. Immaculate hardwood floors, cathedral ceilings and views. \$499,000

VACANT LAND

- Market Street — Highway Commercial vacant land, 3+ lots - \$350,000
- NEW 48 Acres - 5 miles south of Meeker, joins BLM, open to trades or offers \$255,000
- 43902 Highway 13 — 2.5 acres of commercial land in Curtis Creek. \$250,000
- NEW — 41 vacant lots in Sanderson Hills Subdivision. These are nice lots located on the northwest side of the Subdivision. \$250,000 for all or 7 lots at \$6,200 per lot. OWNER FINANCING
- 5 Acres with river front — 13 miles up the White River, great fishing! Reduced \$139,900
- 99 acres — vacant land that joins the BLM. \$139,000
- 15,000 SQFT, 6th & Water Street — Mixed Zoning. \$120,000
- 4.5 lots on 8th St. \$100,000
- 23105 Highway 13 — 5.09 Acres with water well and electricity. REDUCED! \$77,000
- 20 Acres along Strawberry Creek — Mixed grass/alalfa meadow with creek running through property. Reduced to \$70,000.
- 2 adjoining vacant lots in Sage Hills — Fantastic views. \$79,900
- 4 Lots in Cross L Estates — Possible owner financing. \$74,000 - \$77,000. \$250,000 for all
- 182 Main Street — Oversized mixed use vacant lot. - \$75,000
- 6.79 acres Cross L Estates — Beautiful large lot. \$69,000
- 1417 Silver Sage Road — Two vacant lots, Reduced to \$55,000 for both.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

- NEW 1036 Shults Drive — 32 unit apartment complex built in 2008. Will consider partnerships. \$2,900,000
- 317 East Market St. — Newly remodeled commercial building with executive office, numerous other offices, attached heated garage and detached workshop, on 1.25 acres, plus 2.98 acres of adjoining pasture with irrigation water. Fantastic Property. \$1,950,000
- 680 Water Street — Playa del Rio Apartments features 19 units with on site laundry and storage facilities. \$1,290,000
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- ◆ 226 Dakota, 1344 SF, 2 Bedroom, 1 Bath home, all kitchen appliances, 528 sq ft. \$98,000 Under Contract
- ◆ 1217 Sunridge Ave. Senergy Builders EnergyStar building and appliances, low-e windows, tankless water heater, superior insulation, central air and heat. 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 1425 Sq Ft. \$175,000. Under Contract
- ◆ 1247 Sunridge Ave. Senergy Builders EnergyStar building and appliances, low-e windows, tankless water heater, superior insulation, central air and heat. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 1184 Sq. Ft. \$158,500 PRICE REDUCTION!
- ◆ RIVER FRONTAGE County Rd 102, 80 acres with Water rights to include 2.5 csd to White River. \$148,000
- ◆ 402 Lake St. Vacant Lot. Recent survey, soil samples, blue prints, ready to build. \$27,500
- ◆ 388 9th Street Great potential corner of Park and 9th Street, two lots, currently a church, and set up as a Day Care facility, chain link fencing and playground equipment in back. \$119,000 — Reduced to \$105,000
- ◆ 1188 County Rd 63: Unique property with secluded location, 5+ acres. 3 Bdrms 1 1/2 bath home, small pond, several outbuildings and 4 car carport. Good water, Beautiful landscaping with great exterior improvements. \$170,000

925 W. Bell - Rangely SOLD | 921 E. Main St. - Rangely SOLD | 114 W. Rio Blanco - SOLD
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- HOMES IN MEEKER ...**
- ◆ NEW 224 Market St.-2BR,1BA home, fenced yard, wood floors, 1,204 sq. ft. \$134,900
 - ◆ NEW 924 Main St.-2+ BR,2BA home, large heated garage, fenced yards, \$179,000
 - ◆ 11 East Main St- 3 to 4 bedroom log home, 1.75 baths, living & family rooms, oak floors. \$199,500
 - ◆ 1034 Julie Circle-3 BR, 2 BA, single level, fenced yard, garage, shed. \$129,000
 - ◆ 562 Larry Lane-Corner lot, 1 level, 3 BR, 2BA, fenced yard, garage, deck. \$149,000
 - ◆ 730 3rd St.-3+ BR 2BA home, large corner lot, 2 car garage + 1 car attached garage. \$199,000 SALE PENDING
 - ◆ 643 12th St- 4 BR, 2 BA bi-level home. Garage, carport, fenced back yard. \$140,000.
 - ◆ SOLD 229 Park Ave.-5 BD, 2BA home on two lots, attached garage, out-buildings. REDUCED \$199,900
 - ◆ SOLD 223 Main St-3+ lots, beautifully landscaped home, 3 guest units, outbuildings. \$299,000.

- RANCHES — RURAL RESIDENTIAL — HUNTING PROPERTIES...**
- ◆ NEW 850 County Rd. 10-32 acres with 2 log homes, shop, garage, gazebo, partially fenced, pond. \$749,000
 - ◆ NEW River Property- CR 12- 5+ acres 28 miles up river, with 2 BR, 1 BA cabin, good well, fish pond. \$295,000
 - ◆ NEW 510 Meadow Lane -6.92 acres with 2,332 sq. ft. 2 story home, 3 BR, 2 1/2 BA Private river setting, pond, hot tub, gazebo, Great horse property! \$435,000
 - ◆ NEW 4600 County Rd. 7- 4 BR, 2 BA home on 28 private acres, great well, views \$320,000
 - ◆ NEW 2000 County Rd. 119 Forest Service cabin on Ute Creek, 1BR, 1BA, \$85,000
 - ◆ NEW 710 Shaman Tr.- 3+ BR, 4BA , Custom built 4,534 sq ft home on 5 acres, great views, garage. \$448,000
 - ◆ NEW 939 Strawberry Patch Rd. - 12 fenced acres, two homes, garage, water well, views. \$239,000.
 - ◆ NEW 637 County Rd. 6- 5 BD, 2 BA home on 10.23 irrigated acres, well, Coal Creek running thru property, good fishing, fenced, outbuildings, close to town. \$399,900 REDUCED!
 - ◆ NEW 24530 County Rd. 8- A-frame cabin on small acreage, up-river, vacation home, views! \$169,000
 - ◆ 1886 County Rd. 8- 6.87 acres with 2,017 ft. of river frontage, Updated, FURNISHED home, 3 BR, 3BA amazing views, private setting, 480 sq. ft. shop, great fishing. REDUCED TO \$360,000
 - ◆ 444 Agency Dr.- 5 irrigated acres, large log home, garage, barn, near golf course. \$399,000 REDUCED AGAIN!
 - ◆ 945 CR 14- 5 wooded acres 27 miles up river. Beautiful 5 BR, 3 BA log home, spring. Reduced to \$499,000
 - ◆ 615 Shaman Trail- Home on 8.8 acres near schools. 3,654 sq ft + 3 car garage. \$415,000 SHORT SALE!
 - ◆ 39087 Hwy 13- 2 acres, 2 miles west of town. 1,600 sq ft home, great views. \$120,000 REDUCED!
 - ◆ 40 Acres up South Fork- Lots of trees, water, 4 BR, 2 BA lodge, Nat. Forest access. HUNTING. \$585,000.
 - ◆ 338 Love Lane - Custom built home on 3.5 acres. 4 BR, 3.5 BA, 2,741 sq. ft. Lg. shop \$385,000.
 - ◆ 13051 CR 8- 52 Acres, 14 miles up river, 2 living quarters buildings, garage, hunting. Reduced to \$435,000.
 - ◆ SOLD 5086 County Rd. 7 - 5 BR, 3-1/2 BA home on 55 fenced acres, well, views. \$399,900

- BUSINESS & INVESTMENT ...**
- ◆ NEW 109 Market St.-3+ lots on the corner of 1st & Market. Great location. \$350,000
 - ◆ 100 CR 15- 10 industrial acres, gravelled & security fenced, on Hwy 13. Big metal shop. \$620,000. Or Rent
 - ◆ Rifle, CO-9 vacant lots near City Hall & new theater, excellent investment opportunity. \$1,800,000
 - ◆ Rio Blanco Store- Great potential, 3/4 acre on Hwy 13, 3,000 sq ft store, cafe, living quarters. \$140,000.
 - ◆ Silt, CO- 15 Acre River Front Commercial- I-70 frontage road, just off of Silt exit, next to Holiday Inn Express. Excellent visibility & access. Utilities to boundary. Water rights. \$1,800,000. Sale Pending
 - ◆ 304 4th St. Commercial building on corner lot downtown, great office space, 4,437 sq. ft. \$220,000 REDUCED!
 - ◆ 265 6th St.- 3,208 sq ft commercial building in downtown. Alley access. Some equipment. \$50,000 REDUCED!

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Reflecting on the role the college has played

BY DENISE WADE

“With uncommon faith, vision and determination, the citizens of Rangely and Western Rio Blanco, acting through their local school district and in alliance with Mesa College, put into motion this most improbable of accomplishments — Rangely College,” says Russell George, President of Colorado Northwestern Community College. “Fifty years ago these people stated to the world their passion for the education and well-being of their children.”

George, who is in his second year at the helm of CNCC, continues, “Knowing then of the importance of being the gateway to higher education in northwestern Colorado, these pioneers chose dental hygiene, aviation, energy, and the arts and sciences as being of the utmost importance. And so here we are today, still solid and correct in these choices, and still as determined in these goals and dreams.”

President George will host the Colorado Northwestern Community College 50th Anniversary Re-dedication Celebration at the Rangely Campus on Saturday, Oct. 13, 2012, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The celebration will include live music, food, campus tours, a time capsule dedication, a Challenge Course demonstration, games, a “Memory Lane,” and special presentations from keynote speakers.

According to George, “On this Saturday, dozens, if not hundreds, of Rangely College and Colorado Northwestern Community College graduates and certificate holders, will pause to reflect on the role this grand little college has played in their lives, on how valuable it was for them to have spent their time and energies here.

“And so, 50 years later to the day,” he continues, “we will gather together on the Rangely Campus and re-dedicate ourselves to this undertaking and pledge to forge the next 50 years of higher education in Rangely, Craig, Meeker,



CNCC President
Russell George

The current Rangely campus (far left) and the Craig campus (left).

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plex and increasingly diverse world. Our partnerships with local business, industry and government will serve as the engine for the economic and cultural development of Northwest Colorado.’”

CNCC will be the college of choice for students seeking place-based education in Colorado.

Prior to joining CNCC as president, George served many roles in public and private service. George, who grew up in Rifle, Colo., graduated from Colorado State in 1968 and earned his law degree from Harvard in 1971.

He and his wife, Neal, enlisted as VISTA volunteers from 1974 to 1976 and worked on the Crow Indian Reservation in Montana. In 1976, they returned to Rifle where George co-founded the law firm of Stuver and George, which specialized in water law.

From 1992 to 2000, George served as state Representative in House District 57, representing Moffat, Rio Blanco, Garfield, and Pitkin counties. He was Speaker of the House in 1999 and 2000.

In 1998 and 1999 George worked with the CNCC administration to carry through the Colorado General Assembly the legislation bringing the college into the Colorado Community College System.

Prior to coming to CNCC in 2011, George had served as Director of the Colorado Division of Wildlife, Executive Director of the Colorado Department of Natural Resources, and Executive Director of the Colorado Department of Transportation.

George presently serves as a trustee on the Boettcher Foundation Board of Trustees and is the Governor’s appointee on the Colorado Water Conservation Board representing the Colorado River basin.

Tipton to commemorate 1962 Aspinall speech

The late Wayne N. Aspinall, who served as U.S. Representative from Colorado’s 4th District from 1949 to 1972, was the keynote speaker at Rangely College’s 1962 Dedication Ceremony. His speech will again be read at this Saturday’s Colorado Northwestern Community College 50th Anniversary Re-dedication Celebration.

Scott Tipton, current U.S. Representative for the 3rd District of Colorado, has graciously consented to deliver Aspinall’s inspirational speech at the celebration.

In an excerpt from Aspinall’s speech, he states, “The people of Rangely are among those

who have recognized the need [for education] and moved to overcome it. I commend your endeavors; I applaud your action.”

Aspinall (1896-1983) from Palisade, Colo., served as member of the U.S. Congress, House of Representatives from 1949-1972, where he specialized in legislation on natural resources. He authored the Colorado River Basin Project Act of 1968 and played a key role in the 1964 Wilderness Act.

Tipton was elected as a Republican to the Colorado House of Representatives for the 58th District in November of 2008. He was then elected to the U.S. House of Representatives in 2010.

CNCC 50th Anniversary Celebration Agenda

Friday, October 12

5:00 - 7:00 p.m. . . . Dental Hygiene Alumni Reception

Saturday, October 13

10:00 a.m. Tours, Games, Socializing, Etc.

11:00 a.m. Challenge Course Dedication and Demonstration

11:30 a.m. Lunch

1:00 p.m. Re-dedication Ceremony

Speakers & Special Guests

- Russell George, Current CNCC President
- Dr. Nathan Ivey, 2nd Rangely College President ‘63-’65
- Scott Tipton, U.S. Representative for Colorado’s 3rd Congressional District
- Peg Rector, President, CNCC Foundation Board
- Teri Wilczek, Chair, Rangely Junior College District
- Jim Loughran, Chair, Moffat County Affiliated Junior College District
- Frank Huitt, Mayor of Rangely
- Dr. James H. Bos, CNCC President ‘71-’88
- Dr. Robert A. Anderson Jr., CNCC President ‘95-’02
- Adair Norman, President, Board of Education RE-4

Human 50



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Thanks to a few key staff members marking a large "50" in the grass, the town of Rangely for the use of a bucket truck and operator Paul Tucker, CNCC photographer Denise Wade was able to get this photo of CNCC graduates, family and faculty making a "Human 50" to commemorate the beginning of the 50th year of higher education for the local college.

Early Rangely college president to attend

CNCC is proud and honored to welcome back Dr. Nathan Ivey as a friend and as a keynote speaker at the 50th Anniversary Re-dedication Celebration. Ivey was President of Rangely College (CNCC) 1963-65, while Dorothy Ivey was chairman of Secondary English, Rangely Public Schools, during the same years.

After leaving Rangely, Dr. Ivey held many positions, including Charter President, Southwestern Michigan College, Dowagiac, Michigan; Charter President, John A. Logan College, Carterville, Illinois; President, South Suburban College, South Holland, Illinois; Director of Facilities Management &

Planning, Dallas County Community College District (Seven Colleges), Dallas, Texas; Community College Liaison, The University of Texas at Dallas, Richardson, Texas.

Although 85 years of age, Dr. Ivey continues his employment at The University of Texas at Dallas. Dorothy Ivey has retired after thirty years of teaching high school English, Latin, and Journalism. The Ivey children include Dr. Judith Ivey, successful actress (stage, screen, TV) who lives in New York City and is currently performing in the play, THE HEIRESS, on Broadway; Sara Ivey, President of Ivey Production Co., Dallas, Texas, is producing films and medical programs for TV; and Dr. James Ivey, Professor of



Keynote Speaker
Dr. Nathan Ivey

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Early Dental Hygiene alumni, Carolyn Mitchell (Dougherty) '64, Corliss "Korki" Hurd (Stroud) '65, and Pamela Maxwell (Whittaker) '64 serve cake to Dr. Nathan Ivey, then president of Rangely College.

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Original song written & produced for CNCC 50

Musician Shea Bramer of Grand Junction recently wrote and produced a song honoring Colorado Northwestern Community College's 50th anniversary. Bramer first intro-

duced the song titled "We Will Carry On" last April at the annual CNCC Foundation Dinner/Dance.

Bramer recorded the song with his good friend and fellow musician, Kellen Michael. Bramer performs regularly with Michael and other musi-

cians around the state. Bramer was the 2010 winner of Colorado America's Idol auditions.

The song has been embedded into a historical slideshow that will premiere at the College's 50th Anniversary Rededication Celebration.



COURTESY PHOTO
Shea Bramer and Kellen Michael perform earlier this year at the CNCC Foundation Dinner/Dance. Bramer introduced his original song, "We Will Carry On," written for and about CNCC's 50th anniversary.



COURTESY PHOTO
A colony of pink flamingos visits Silver Sage RV & Mobile Home Park while raising money for the CNCC Foundation celebration for the 50th anniversary of the college.

Fundraising efforts pay for celebration

Many efforts from the 50th anniversary planning committee and the CNCC Foundation, as well as college and community generosity, raised money for the Colorado Northwestern Community College 50th Anniversary Rededication Celebration.

The CNCC Foundation Board considerably turned the proceeds from the annual dinner/dance over to the celebration budget, which has helped cover costs of construction, rentals, and entertainment.

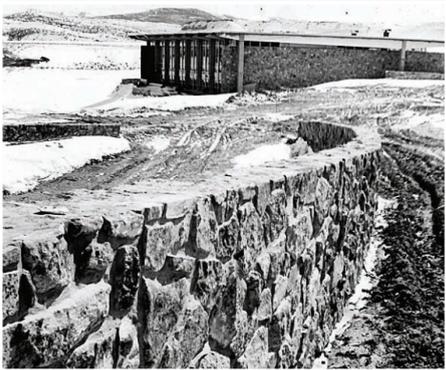
The planning committee also added a new feature to the CNCC Foundation Dinner/Dance, which was the

"Chairity" Auction. Different styles of chairs were donated by individuals and made into chair packages with accessories that matched the chair's function, such as a double camp chair with camping accessories and, everyone's favorite, a camping "throne" complete with personal hygiene accessories. The dental hygiene program even donated a vintage dental chair with dental supplies, which was the biggest money-maker of all. The "Chair-ity" Auction alone raised more than \$3,000.

Most everyone in town is familiar with the pink flamingo

fundraiser, or has at least wondered what was going on. The pink flamingos enjoyed visiting many homes and businesses over several weeks in an effort to help the Colorado Northwestern Community College Foundation raise funds for the college's 50th Anniversary Celebration. With generous and fun-spirited goodwill, the community helped raise \$4,000 for the Celebration.

The CNCC Rangely Student Government also contributed generously with \$2,000 to help pay for the commissioned artwork that will be a part of the new time capsule courtyard.



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Junior College districts established after separation

Rangely College separated from Mesa College in 1970 and in July of 1974, Rangely College officially became Colorado Northwestern Community College, a name change that reflected the many communities the College was serving.

From 1973, CNCC operated as an independent college under the governance of an elected Rangely Junior College District Board of Trustees, financed by legislative appropriation and a district tax levy. The District also covers the cost of tuition for Rangely residents, a benefit that most communities can't claim. The district boundaries are the same as the boundaries of the RE-4 School District in western Rio Blanco County. Five elected citizens serve as the board of trustees and exercise the statutory authority of the district

which is to collect the mill levy and transfer the proceeds to the college for all legal purposes of operating the college and maintaining the physical plant of the Rangely campus. In the early years the district functioned as a citizen's advisory council and exercised considerable authority over the operations of the college. After 1999 when the college became a part of the Colorado Community College System, a new ballot question was adopted by the voters of the district which retained only the financial trust aspects of the district.

In 1989 by a landslide four-to-one vote, the electorate in Moffat County created an affiliated junior college district. This district was re-affirmed by a majority vote in 1999. This local tax provides funds to expand course offerings in transfer, general education



and occupational programs on the Craig campus. The Board of Control, consisting of five elected Moffat County residents also acts as an informal advisory council to the faculty, staff and administration.

Both boards meet monthly with the college administration, and more frequently as needed. The college and the boards jointly determine the overall college budget annually, with each district appropriating separately the funds under their jurisdiction for investment in their respective campuses.

The boards reimburse the college on a monthly basis for expenses incurred within the budget.

The college could not be sustained on tuition and fee revenues alone. Nor does the state general fund transfer provide sufficient additional funds. Without the support of the taxpayers through the Rangely Junior College District and the Moffat County Affiliated Junior College District, Colorado Northwestern Community College could not be sustainable.



COURTESY PHOTO
Artist Kyle Stewart displays his life-size metal eagle sculpture, which is now displayed in the front yard of the Huitts in Rangely.

Local artist commissioned

CNCC has commissioned Kyle Stewart for a large metal sculpture to grace the new Rangely Campus time capsule courtyard in honor of the College's 50th Anniversary Rededication Celebration. A large rendition of Spartan armor and gear was finally agreed upon for the sculpture.

Stewart found his talent for metal art back in 2009, when he made his wife, Ashley, a rose for their anniversary. A couple months of flower-making had gotten Kyle curious, so as a challenge to himself, he began making a life-size eagle (pictured above). Two months, 140 hours, and 512 hand-crafted feathers became his first

major art piece, soon after purchased by Rangely Mayor Frank Huitt. Taking a break from his large-scale projects, he focused on perfecting his flowers and trying his hand at wall-hangings of all kinds.

A little over a year after the eagle, Kyle was approached by the RHS class of 2011 to make a panther picture to hang in the school. The following year Kyle was asked to make a sign for the Elks Lodge. Shortly thereafter, Kyle was contracted for the new Elks Park sign honoring Rangely Veterans.

And now he has taken on his largest challenge yet, the Spartan helmet statue for CNCC's 50th anniversary.

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CNCC takes root in the Rangely community

BY DENISE WADE

As early as 1955, the quest for higher learning in the north-west corner of Colorado was ongoing. That year, the state passed House Joint Resolution No. 8, which focused on the need for higher education facilities in northwestern Colorado.

Subsequently, a steering committee was formed made up of three members from each of the counties of Jackson, Grand, Routt, Moffat, and Rio Blanco, which would comprise the proposed junior college district. In January of 1957, the committee was formalized, complete with a non-voting chairman, Mrs. A. E. Bogue of Steamboat Springs. The members from Rio Blanco County were Rangely Mayor Bill Elam, State Board of Education member Stuart McLaughlin of Rangely, and Charles "Bud" Conrado of Meeker.

Much debate ensued, since most of the county committee members involved felt that the junior college should be built in one of their communities. From early on, the communities of Hayden, Steamboat Springs, Craig, and Rangely seemed to be the front-runners in the discussions.

Over the next two years, surveys were conducted by various entities. Dr. Leroy Goode, State Director of Community Colleges, entered the discussions to help facilitate the decision-making process. He brought in Dr. S. V. Mortorana of the U.S. Office of Education in Washington to also conduct a survey of the area's communities.

By the end of 1958, the steering committee had approved a recommendation to develop a two-campus college, with a technical school in Rangely and an academic campus in the east end of the five-county district. Rangely was decided upon as the technical school site, ultimately, because Rio Blanco County had an assessed valuation equal to that of the other four counties together, and surveys had shown that Rangely residents were likely to pass a bond issue.

Also by the end of 1958, Mesa College Directors had asked the Rio Blanco County junior college committee members to meet with them in Grand Junction. A delegation of Rangely officials, including the committee members, the local board of education, the chamber of commerce, and the town council met with Mesa College officials in December of 1958.

The Mesa College officials expressed a great interest in a proposal to establish the Rangely junior college as a branch campus of Mesa College. Legally, that would mean re-



districting issues, so the group decided to seek help from either the Attorney General or the State Department of Education.

In the meantime, the Rangely Board of Education of Rangely School District RE-4 voted in favor of a resolution asking the district voters to bond the construction of the junior college plant in Rangely. In January 1959, the three Rio Blanco County members, along with the superintendents of schools from Rangely and Meeker, met with Rio Blanco County Commissioners to ask for funds from the Federal Royalty money to help pay off the bond. The Federal Royalty funds came from mineral leasing rights; the school bond would, however, cover most of the construction costs of the college.

Since the plan to build the Rangely campus as a branch campus to Mesa College seemed to be the most feasible, the Rio Blanco County committee, along with the Mesa committee, continued to explore the annexation of the De Beque School District 49 and the western Rio Blanco County to form a new Mesa College District. Under law at the time, in order to become a branch campus, the Rangely School District would need to be adjacent to Mesa County. The De

Beque district would be the conduit to allow that.

In April 1959, Rangely residents voted resoundingly to pass the bond issue for \$2.8 million to pay for a Rangely college campus by a 298 to 9 vote. According to one editorial, "The overwhelming approval startled those interested in forming a junior college in the five-county area of northwestern Colorado."

The vote effectively withdrew Rangely from the proposed five-county district, since it would now seek annexation to Mesa College District. The verdict on that would become apparent on the heels of the bond election. On May 4, 1959, voters in Rangely School District RE-4, De Beque School District 49, and the Mesa Junior College District (again overwhelmingly) elected to pass the unification proposal.

Work then began on the planning process. Dr. Arnold Weiss, president of the Rangely School Board, was named to the board of directors for Mesa College. He and Superintendent Bernard Yeager met with Dr. Good in Denver to start the screening of applications from architectural firms.

A new Junior College Steering Committee was formed and included the Mesa College Committee, Jim

Duggan, Claud Smith, Roe Saunders, Mesa College President Horace Wubben and, from Rangely, Arnold Weiss, Herb Rooks, S. W. McLaughlin, Bill Elam, and B. F. Yaeger.

Land was purchased from Kate Calvat on top of a hill overlooking the town of Rangely. The architectural firm of Caudill, Rowlett, and Scott was chosen by the school board to begin the designs. Caudill, Rowlett, and Scott were also hired to design Rangely's new junior high school building.

The college then needed someone at the helm to lead the way. Mesa College named Dr. William A. Medesy as the first Dean of Rangely College in May of 1960. He and his family would reside in Grand Junction until the campus was closer to completion and the President's Residence was ready for occupancy.

As the start of selecting a contractor neared, the Junior College Steering Committee realized costs were going to be higher than expected. They made the recommendation to the school district that they cut some of the buildings from the original design for the time being, stating that they could be added at a later time.

The school district and the steering committee finally agreed that nine

buildings would suffice to accommodate what was critical for the college to get started. The first buildings on campus included what are now called the Hefley Gym, McLaughlin Building, Hill, W. C. Striegel Engineering Center, Blakeslee, Allsebrook, Johnson, Rector, and the President's Residence.

After the school board heard presentations from four contracting companies from around the state, they chose Lembke Construction Company out of Colorado Springs. As with many public construction projects, the selection process wasn't always a smooth one. Some committee members and residents questioned whether the process was fair and ethical, and permanent injunctions were filed but ultimately dismissed. Construction officially began in January of 1961.

Within months, new staff members for the college were being hired, new faculty appointed, and construction was progressing nicely. Six-ton wooden beams had arrived for the project, and native rock was being collected for exterior walls.

Rangely community members including church groups, organizations, and residents headed out to the hills each week to collect the rocks. Many were paid by the construction company for the rocks; some just did it for civic service and pride. According to one article, "[The stone walls] have a special significance to Rangely residents. . . . [T]hey brought them to the college site by truck or in the luggage compartments of cars." To this day, the large wooden roof beams atop the functional rock walls define the campus architecture.

By May of 1962, construction was nearing completion, faculty and staff were at full strength, students were enrolling, and a formal College Advisory Board was in place. The first student to enroll was Gerald Mestas of Glenwood Springs in the Electronics Technology program.

Classes started for 83 students on Sept. 20, 1962. A dedication ceremony attended by hundreds was held on Saturday, October 13th. U.S. Congressman Wayne N. Aspinall and Dr. Byron A. Hansford, Colorado Commissioner of Education, were VIP guests of the ceremony, along with about 150 special guests from state and local entities.

In his address as reported in Grand Junction's The Daily Sentinel, Dr. Hansford stated, "Rangely pioneered in oil, and now it is pioneering in education." Roe Saunders, president of the Mesa College Committee, added, "It's the biggest contribution from the fewest people I've ever seen in my life."

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Walls raised by rock-solid community effort

BY HEATHER ZADRA

When local contractor Dave Allred was a kid, he didn't think of going into the hills to gather rocks as work. Harvesting flat, mossy sandstone with your family and other families with kids your age was just plain fun.

"I thought, 'I get to go play with kids and collect rocks,'" Allred recalls. "I do remember a few people getting bit. Bob Berrett was bit by a centipede or a scorpion, I think."

Berrett, who was part of a movement to bring tons of rock from the surrounding hills to the new Rangely Junior College campus to create its signature "native rock" walls, harbors no grudge toward that experience or that time.

"It was play and work," Berrett says. "It was kind of a fun thing because we made it fun. We'd bring food and drinks, and we'd visit and talk. Then we'd go to work."

Lembke Construction Company, the contractors for the nine-building campus, started asking for rocks in the fall of 1960, longtime Rangely resident Andy Allred says. The pay was \$6 per ton, and it was up to those retrieving the rock to get it to the set of scales borrowed from the county just across Douglas Creek. After the loads were weighed, drivers hauled them to the new campus for sorting and distribution.

Residents, churches and community organizations signed on to find just-right slabs of the native sandstone. The harvest lasted until the snow got too deep that win-

ter, began again in the spring, and continued through the summer of 1961.

Several hundred tons of rock, much of it with moss or lichen clinging to it, found its way to campus just that way.

"(The rocks) had to be a certain shape and size, something (workers) could lift up and plaster into a wall," Andy Allred said. "They were looking for about 2 to 3 feet square, and 6 inches thick so they'd have enough space to put their mortar in there and it would hold."

Berrett says groups scattered out so they wouldn't strip hillsides bare, gathering the sandstone with the blessing of the Bureau of Land Management.

One group took the rock challenge more seriously than others. The Rangely Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints was saving up funds to build a new chapel. And the rock money was a way to get there.

"We took contract on (the rocks)," Allred said. "A lot of churches took contract on it. (The builders) contracted so many ton or loads or rocks from each church. A lot of churches didn't do it, so we took over their loads."

The church's budget required that its members raise at least \$90,000 to begin the chapel's construction. Berrett and Allred estimate that the rock-haul earned the church between \$130,000 and \$150,000.

"Our bishop then was Robert Steele, and he had a bulldozer," Berrett says. "He also had a monster of a dump truck that would haul around 40 tons of rock. It didn't take us too long to fill it. He'd doze



us a trail for trucks to go in and get some rocks and bring them back out."

Church members, who were assigned a certain amount of rock to gather each month, headed out before or after work and on Saturdays. Groups retrieved sandstone from the hills near what is now Kenney Reservoir, from Banny Flats across to Gillum Draw, and from downriver, near Gilsonite Draw. By the end of the project, Allred says, everybody had done their part and more, among them Harold "Are" and Newell Warn.

"We had more fun than a barrel of monkeys, laughing and giggling and seeing who could put the biggest rock up in (the dump truck)," Allred

says. "Even little bitty kids helped. All they had to do was watch for rattlesnakes once in awhile. When you reached for a rock, you learned to pull it toward you so you could see what was on the other side."

Allred himself poured concrete and built pillars for Rangely Junior College and Lembke Construction for two years before hiring on permanently at the college for the next 27 years.

Berrett says that the walls at CNCC today look much as they did 50-plus years ago.

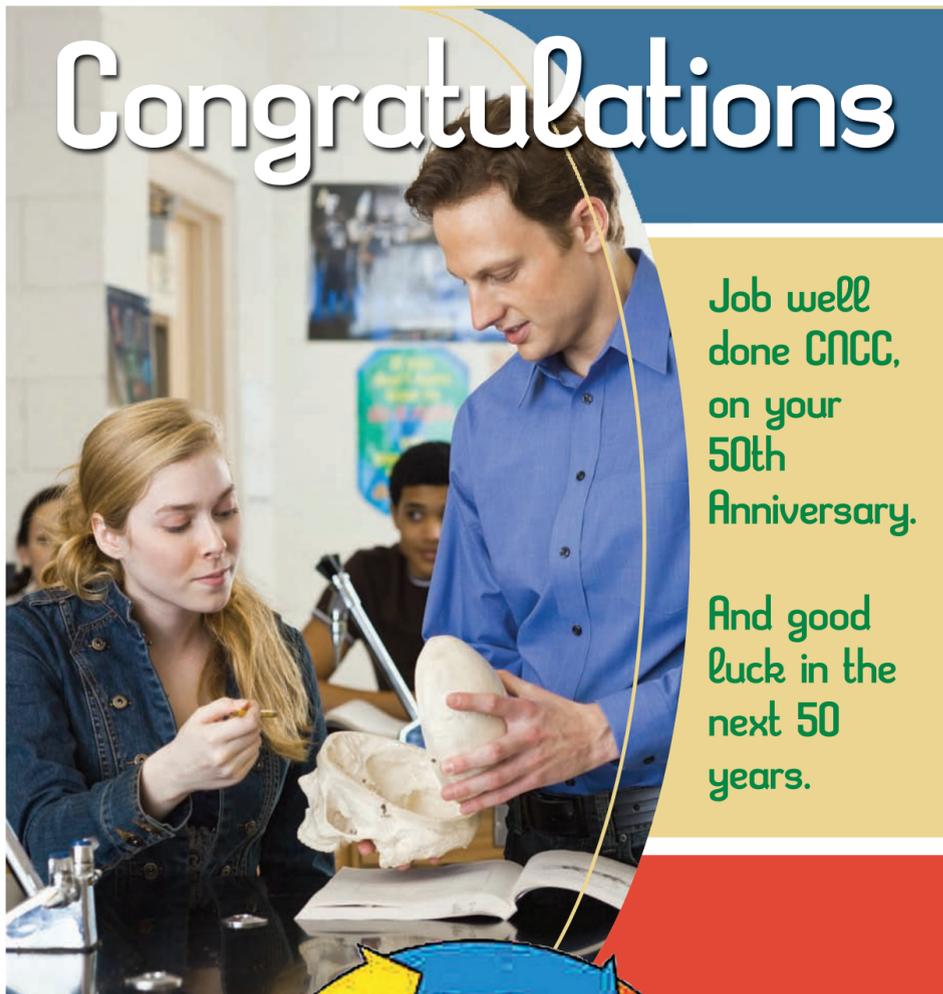
"The old rocks there remind me a lot of past experiences," Berrett said. "That project helped the community out. And since then, the college has helped a lot of people in the



HEATHER ZADRA

Residents, churches, and community organizations spent the better part of a year gathering hundreds of tons of native rock for the original Rangely Junior College buildings. The primary rock hunters were members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, who raised close to \$150,000 to build the main part of the chapel that stands today.

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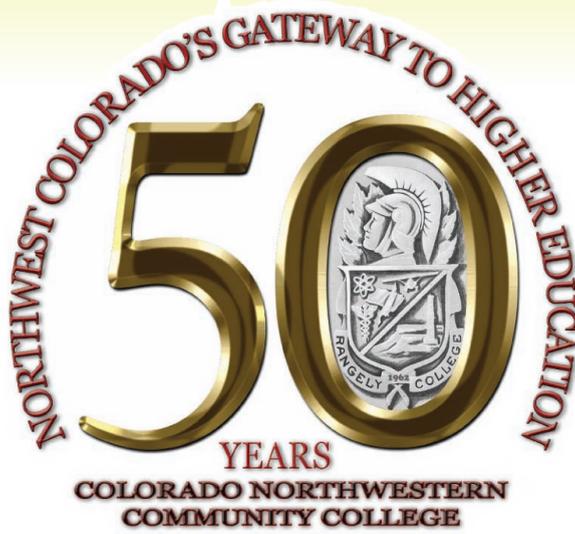
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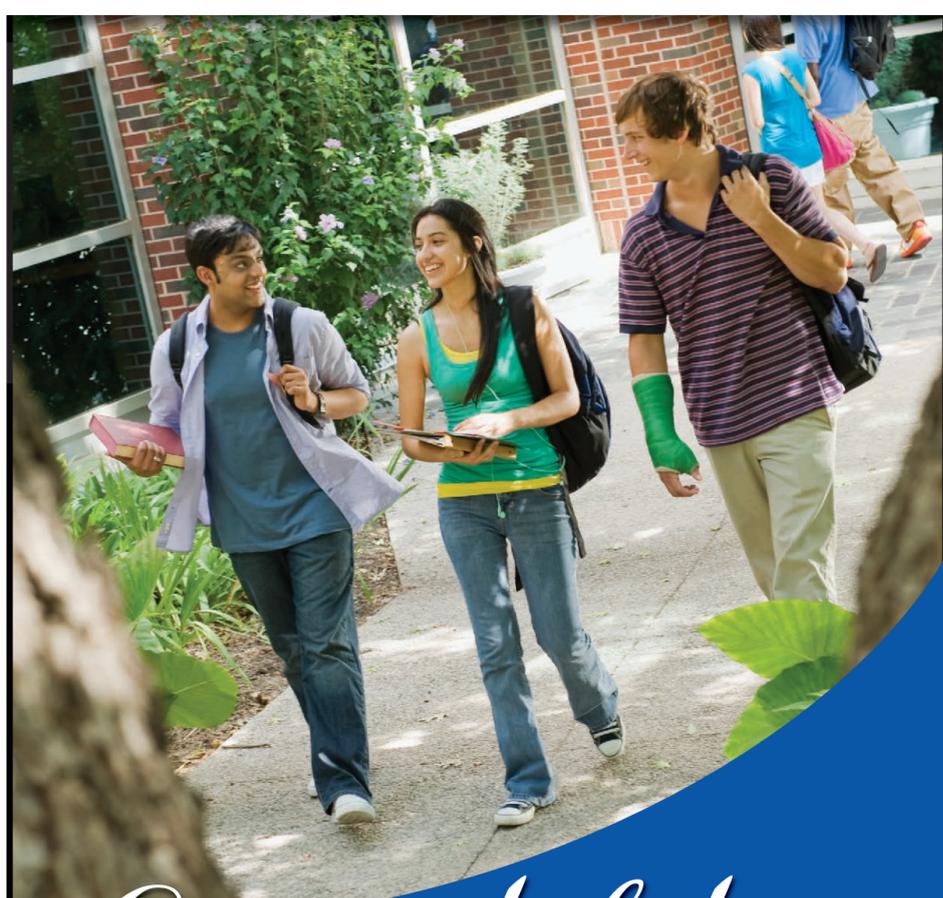
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Time capsule suggestions needed

A new courtyard on the Rangely Campus is under construction and will be the home of a time capsule commemorating the last 50 years of Colorado Northwestern Community College. The courtyard under the trees will feature a vault in its center that will house the capsule and will have bench seating around its perimeter.

The time capsule is 14"x14"x28" so it will have plenty of room to place mementos of the whole college's history, including the early Rangely College campus, the Craig Campus, which has grown and changed immensely over the years, and the service centers in Meeker, Hayden, and South Routt County.

At Saturday's 50th Anniversary Re-dedication Celebration, guests will be asked for suggestions for items for the Time Capsule. A committee will choose the final items to completely fill the capsule and it will be sealed at a later date.



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CNCC students in the stands at Rangely High School supporting the football team during this year's homecoming game.

The college on the hill: An introspective

BY SAMANTHA NICHOLS

I have been a resident of Rangely, Colo., for the past eight years. In those eight years I have graduated high school, attended college and had an opportunity to start heading down my career path. Most students will credit their college in helping with their success seeing as how that is where they received their education. However, not many students can acknowledge all that their college does for their community.

During my time here in Rangely, I have been given multiple opportunities thanks to CNCC. As a junior in high school I was afforded the opportunity to take dual-credit classes through CNCC; after high school graduation, CNCC is where I pursued my associates with the help of their in-district tuition; and now, while

completing my bachelor's, CNCC has given me an internship that will skyrocket my experience and help me move on to the next chapter when the time comes.

Not only has CNCC helped me as a student, they also play a large part in helping our community. Just having the college here helps by bringing faculty, staff and students to our town. The students help our local business by seeking employment and the clubs and sports teams are constantly helping out with town events and offering encouragement to the town's sports teams. The activities that the college provide such as rafting, rock climbing, dances, rodeo events and sports games make for wonderful events for the whole town to attend and enjoy.

The college helps by making relationships — relationships

between the student who come from all over to participate in the various programs, and the students from our local community. Relationships that have been made between the local businesses help the college create more events and allow our community to give back. The best part about the relationships our college creates is that they are ones that last. Our alumni from many graduating classes still remain in contact with teachers, other students, and even people from the community who they had befriended while here.

It's a network that we are all a part of. CNCC isn't just the college on the hill, it is an important part of our town. The support is given to the college and in turn given right back to the community. This is a relationship that I hope for my future generations will continue to flourish.

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