



THE IONE COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

**BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE CITY OF IONE AND
THE IONE COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL**

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School Calendar

Oct 27 6:00 pm
High School Volleyball
vs Powder Valley
@ North Powder

Oct 28 2:00 pm
K-6 Halloween Parties

Oct 28 4:00 pm
to 7:00 pm
MS Halloween Dance

Oct 29 4:00 pm
High School Football
vs Powder Valley
@ Eastern Oregon Univ

City Calendar

Oct 30 9:00 am
to 3:00 pm
Legion Auxiliary Fall
Bazaar
Ione Legion Hall

Octo 31 5:00 pm
to 7:00 pm
Trunk or Treat
Main St. Ione
See page 12 for further
details on both events

A Successful Homecoming Week for Ione Boys and Girls



On Tuesday, October 12th, The Ione Arlington Volleyball team volleyball traveled to Fossil to play the Mitchell/Spray/Fossil Rattlers came away with a 3-1 win. Thursday October 14th, the team took on the Condon Blue Devils at home and dominated them in 3 sets. The crowd showed up super excited

to watch our girls' play. The win put Ione in a crossover playoff game with Dufur.



On Friday, October 15th, the Ione Arlington football team took on the Dufur Rangers. From the start, everyone knew it was going to be an intense game and a very interesting game. Cedrick Dayandante scored 4 touchdowns throughout the game, running 300+ yards. Carson Eynetich and Taylor Rollins each added a touchdown in the game. By the end of the night, Cedrick Dayandante and Kellen Gronquist both had 10 tackles and Taylor Rollins with 11 tackles. This is the first time in almost 15 years that Ione has beaten Dufur. It was a great game to watch, and the stands were packed with spectators. It's been a good season for the boys and luckily,

they are able to go on and still have more games to play. They are really playing as a family this year and the crowd can see it.



Kalvin Rietmann carrying the post flag, Aubrey Blakley in her National Guard uniform carrying the American flag and on the sides is Carson and Carter Eynetich.

2021 Homecoming Week Activities

From Mud Wars to A Bonfire



During Homecoming week, the Lone school kids took part in dress up days with games/activities. Starting with Monday's theme "Tropical Days" all classes took part in tug-of-war and later that day after practice's middle school/high school enjoyed a game of mud wars. It may have been cold, but the kids still enjoyed their time in the mud. Carson Eynetich took it upon himself to

enjoy it a little bit more by taking a couple extra dives into the water and after years of trying they were finally able to break the rope (twice.)

Tuesday's theme was Cardinal Pride. During the assembly they played balloon stomp.



Wednesday's theme was Blast from the Past, the kids chose to dress from any decade of their choice. Activities for the day included the high school boys playing macho man volleyball, The teams consisted of freshman-juniors and sophomore-seniors, the freshman-juniors ended up winning the Macho Man. The end of the day ended with a girls' powder puff football game. Only a few girls came out for powderpuff this year, so the girls ended up playing 6 on 6, with the game ending 6-0 for yellow team.

Thursday was Dig Pink, and all the kids came completely decked out in pink. To end the week, a noise parade traveled throughout town and ending with an assembly at the park. The seniors on the Homecoming Court went up on the stage and held a fun activity for the rest of the school to watch. It started out with the guys doing the girls make-up, and right after it was the girls turn to shave the guys face all as if they were getting ready for the dance.





After the Thursday night girls' volleyball game, a traditional bonfire was held. During the bonfire, the ASB had several activities planned for the students. They included: chubby bunny, where Carson & Cedrick tied with 15 marshmallows in their mouths, a game of trivia (juniors and seniors tied); and, the Oreo game, where an Oreo is put on your forehead, and you try to roll down to your mouth without using your hands.



From Left to Right: Freshman– Princess Ona Looney & Prince Marty Medina;
 Sophomore - Princess Kelly Doherty (Not Pictured) & Prince Ethan Ramos Lopez;
 Juniors– Princess Madi Orem & Prince Bryce Rollins;
 Seniors – Princess Grace Ogden & Prince Thomas Rudolf,
 Queen Haylie Peterson & King Taylor Rollins,
 Princess Hailey Heideman & Prince Cedrick Dayandante,
 Prince Joe Rayes & Princess Favi Juarez & Prince Gary Walls
 Crown bearer's Piper Gilbert and Henry Dinning





The Leader in Me Program

Prior to the pandemic, Ione Community School was implementing the Leader in Me program for grades K-12. Unfortunately, the program was halted due to the COVID outbreak and in-person school being cancelled. Ione Community School teachers are working to reintroduce the program. The Leader in Me program provides students with the tools to learn to become Leaders by helping them to discover their strengths, learning how change starts with them, and how to track their progress and hold themselves accountable. The Leader in Me

program is based on the 7 Habits of Highly Effective People by Steven R. Covey. For October teachers focused on Habit 1, *Be Proactive!* At the end of the month, one student from each the elementary and secondary grade levels will be chosen for student of the month based on the habit, *Being Proactive*. Here are some examples of what we are looking for when Being Proactive: Developing responsibility for their actions, emotions, attitudes, choices, and behaviors. Understanding and applying the concept “Choose Your Own Weather” (choose your feelings, and responses.) Focus thinking and behaviors on things they can control vs. things they can’t control.

Counselor’s Corner

FOR GRADUATING SENIORS: FAFSA opened October 1st, 2021. Please visit <https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa> for information and to complete the online application. Colleges and Universities use FAFSA data to determine federal aid eligibility. Many states and colleges use FAFSA data to award their own aid. A FAFSA/ FEDERAL AID information session will take place for parents and senior students this month. Information will be sent home and posted on the school website when the date and time has been confirmed. The OSAC Student Portal provides Oregon Students with access to over \$18 Million in Oregon Scholarships. You can create an account and begin applying for scholarships here: <https://app.oregonstudentaid.gov/Account/Register.aspx?a=SCH>

The Ione Auxiliary and Ione Legion and Auxiliary Scholarship

Applications are available at the front office. These applications are due in May of 2022.

Columbia Basin Electric (CBEC) is Providing Four \$500 Scholarships to Local Juniors.

Four Scholarships for \$500 each will be awarded to one student from Hepper/Lexington, Ione, Condon, and Fossil. High school juniors attending school in CBEC service territory during the 2021-22 school year are eligible to apply. Parents or guardians must be a member and purchasing power from CBEC during the 2021-22 school year. Applications are available online at www.cbec.cc and at both the Heppner and Condon offices or from your high school. **APPLICATION DEADLINE IS DECEMBER 16, 2021, by 5:00pm** at the Heppner or Condon Offices or by email to: info@columbiabasin.cc

Classroom Happenings



First Field Trip

K-2 had their first field trip of the year to the Echo Pumpkin Patch and McNary Dam and Nature Trails!



Mrs. Rosenberg's

1st and 2nd Grade

1st/2nd Grade classroom volunteer, Mrs. Betty Rietmann, tells the story *There Was An Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly* using puppets. Mrs. Rietmann volunteers in the 1st/2nd Grade classroom each day to work with students in reading and math.



Mrs. Orem's 4th Grade

The 4th grade is participating in Oregon Agriculture in the Classroom literacy subscription box for the 2021-22 school year. Each month the 4th graders receive a box from the Oregon Ag in the Classroom that contains a book and activity that revolves around agriculture in Oregon. In September, students took a quiz about everyday objects and their source they came from. Mrs. Orem read Where Did My



Clothes Come From? by Chris Butterworth, and students found through their investigations that all the objects were from agriculture and our earth. In October, the students read The Apple Orchard Riddle, by Margaret McNamara and G. Brian Karas. Students learned about apples and the process of grafting. Students used paper straws to practice the whip & tongue grating process. Don Walker from the STEM program at the SAGE Center visited the classroom twice in October. During his first visit, students learned about the meaning of STEM and straw rockets. On his second visit students learned about sphero robots and how to move them.

Mrs. Ogden's 5th and 6th Grades: The 5th and 6th graders finished a novel study of Esperanza Rising, the story of a Mexican immigrant during the Great Depression. To further their understanding of Mexican culture, they learned about artist Frida Kahlo. The class got a kick out creating portraits of Frida with a pronounced unibrow! In math, the 5th graders have been working on multi-digit long division with remainders. The 6th graders have been learning about fractions, greatest common factors, and least common multiples.



"Dead Word Cemetery"

This month, the 8th Grade students created a "Dead Word Cemetery" in their language arts class. This activity is designed to help students use stronger synonyms for words while weak words are "laid to rest."

Middle School Halloween Dance

Keltie Rietmann designed the flyers for the Middle School Halloween dance. The dance will take place October 28th from 4-7 pm and is open to all 7th and 8th Ione students. Students may bring their costumes to school and can change in the locker rooms at 3:30 pm.

Food will be provided!!



Physical Science Fun!

Mr. Schaber's Physical Science class recently made Mouse Trap cars. Cars were made out of popsicle sticks, CD's and pop bottle caps. The average distance that the cars traveled was 15 feet.



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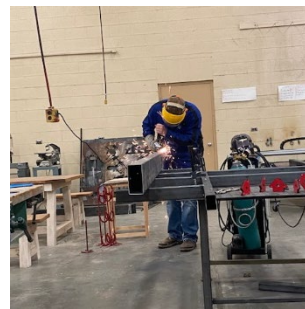
Happening in the Ione Shop

Hailey Heideman (not pictured) has been working with pinecones to make pens out of them.



Haylie Peterson
Lewkus Burright
Working on their
latest projects.

Sam Valle is working
on his table he is
going to sell.



Advanced
student
Taylor
Rollins is
working
on a
flatbed
for his
pickup.



Oliver
Giefing
making
signs.



Kalvin Rietmann
working on
flag signs.



Bryce Rollins' recently finished
dining room table. He is looking
for a buyer.

Other Happenings

Traveling Lantern Company



The elementary students enjoyed a live performance of Robin Hood put on by the Traveling Lantern Theatre Company. The students had interactive parts in the play such as Maid Marion and the King of Nottingham. There was lots of laughter and exciting action throughout the

performance. It was exciting to have a live performance in school again!! We look forward to our next performance by the Traveling Lantern virtually in December!



Game Club!!

The Club will meet daily from 12-12:30 pm in Mr. Peterson's classroom. If you'd like to join, just show up in the classroom Monday-Thursday at noon. Our will be featuring board and card games, etc. **All are Welcome!**

Homecoming Spirit



November 2021

Monthly Planner

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4 3:30 PM - 7:30 PM Conferences Early Dismissal 1:30PM	5 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM Conferences	6
7	8	9	10	11 NO SCHOOL - Veterans Day	12 NO SCHOOL	13
		MS BB practice starts @ lone				
14	15 3rd Grade to Sage Center	16	17	18	19	20
		MS BB practice @ Arlington HS BB practice starts @ lone				
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
			Thanksgiving Break			
		MS BB practice @ lone HS BB practice @ Arlington				
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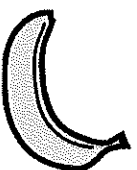
BREAKFAST



School Information: Ione Community School is an equal opportunity provider



November 25 is National Parfait Day! Enjoy a low-fat yogurt parfait for breakfast, snack or lunch. Top with fruit and whole grain cereal to get in two more food groups. Look for seasonal flavors of yogurt or a fruit that's in season to add variety throughout the year.



MONDAY

Banana Bread
Juice
Milk

1

Mini Cinnamon Roll
Juice
Milk

2

TUESDAY

Breakfast Bars
Juice
Milk

8

Blueberry Muffin
Sausage links
Juice
Milk

9

WEDNESDAY

Sausage Patty
Hash Brown
Juice
Milk

3

Biscuit and Sausage
Juice
Milk

10

THURSDAY

Biscuit and Gravy
Juice
Milk

4

Veterans Day
No School

11

FRIDAY

No School

5

No School

12

Mini Pancakes
Juice
Milk

15

Cinnamon Bun
Juice
Milk

16

Breakfast Burrito
Juice
Milk

17

Biscuit and Gravy
Juice
Milk

18

No School

19

Breakfast Cookie
Juice
Milk

22

Maple Bar
Juice
Milk

23

NO School

24

NO School

25

NO School

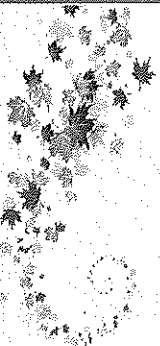
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Blueberry Mini
Waffle
Juice
Milk

29

Apple Strudel Stick
Milk
Juice

29



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LUNCH



School Information: Ione community School is an equal opportunity provider



November is National Peanut Butter Lovers Month. Peanut butter can be enjoyed in a granola bar, mixed into yogurt to make a fruit dip or spread on bread for a classic peanut butter sandwich.

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Chicken Nuggets
Or PBH
Smiley Fries
Pears
Milk

Chili Dog
Or Hot Dog
Carrots
Mixed Berries
Milk

Chicken Quesadilla
Or Corn Dog
Tater Tots
Peaches
Milk

Peperoni Pizza
Or Cheese Pizza
Salad
Mixed Fruit
Milk

No School

Chicken Drum Sticks
Or PBH Sandwich/ Cheese
Mashed Potatoes w/gravy
Corn
Peaches/Milk

Spaghetti w/Bread Stick
Or Ham Sandwich
Green Beans
Pineapple
Milk

Bean and Cheese Burrito
Or Corn Dog
Tater Tots
Pears
Milk

Veterans Day

No School

No School

Sweet and Sour Chicken
Rice
Or PBH Sandwich/cheese/chips
Mixed fruit
Milk

Nacho's
Or Turkey Sandwich w/chips
Corn
Peaches
Milk

Pulled Pork Sandwich
Or Ham Sandwich
Fries
Pears
Milk

Cheeseburger
Or Corn Dog
Salad
Pineapple
Milk

No School

Hay Stack
Or PBH Sandwich
Carrots
Mixed Fruit
Milk

Pepperoni Pizza
Or Cheese Pizza
Carrots
Applesauce
Milk

No School

No School

No School

Teriyaki Chicken w/
Veg/Rice Or
PBH Sandwich/cheese/chips
Peaches
Milk

Tomato Soup/Grill cheese
Or Ham Sandwich w/chip
Carrots
Mixed Fruit
Milk



- **A New City Website is Coming**



The City of Ione will be unveiling a new website by the end of 2021. Currently, City Hall is working with the web design company TownWeb to create the website. For a small fee, the website will include a link to pay water bills by credit card.

We are proud to announce that site will feature photographs by Lacey Lee (Thompson). Lacey is a 2013 graduate from Ione High School and is currently living in Italy with her husband Luca. Her parents are Les Thompson of Ione and Kim Thompson of Ione. Check out her website: www.laceyleepphoto.com.

- **November: Time to Insulate Your Water Meter Boxes**



The Public Works Department would like to remind residents to insulate their water meter boxes beginning the weekend of October 30th. Insulating the meters helps prevent water lines from breaking in the cold weather which will result in a higher water bill in the spring.

Meters will be read for the last time this week until April 2022.

- **New Garbage Vendor**



Sanitary Disposal has informed the City of Ione that effective December 1, 2021, they will be transferring their franchise to Waste Connections of Oregon. Services and rates will not change. If you have any questions about this transfer of the service, please contact City Hall at 541-422-7414.

- **City Council Meeting**



The Ione City Council meetings are set for every second Tuesday of the month at 6:00 pm in City Hall. The public is welcome to attend. The agenda has a Public Comments Item where residents may bring issues to the Council's attention. The next meeting is scheduled for November 9, 2021.

- **Dog License**



Just a friendly reminder all dogs living in Ione must be licensed.

Lifetime License Fees: \$10.00 for any unaltered male or female dog
\$5.00 for any spayed or neutered dog (with proof).

- **Ione American Legion Auxiliary Fall Bazaar**
Sponsored by Gorgenet



Saturday October 30, 2021 - 9 am to 3 pm -Ione Legion Hall - 325 W. 2nd St. Ione, OR
Mark your calendars to come shop the annual craft bazaar with over 20 new and returning vendors and over 30 tables. Lots of great items and a great place to Christmas shop.

- **Trunk or Treat on Main Street**



Ione's Second Annual Trunk or Treat will take place Sunday October 31, 2021, from 5 pm to 7 pm on Main Street starting at the Bank of Eastern Oregon. Kids can start trick or treating the Trunk or Treat at 5 pm. Cars will be lined up on both sides of the street. Please be sure to stop by each car check out the decorations and trick or treat.

Car Decorating Contest

Sponsored by Wheatland Insurance

If you want to decorate your car for the car decorating contest, you can line up and start decorating at 4 pm. Please pull your car in straight not angled. If you want help with where to park find Becky Rietmann and she will help you.

If you would like to add any events or meeting to our community or City Calendar,
please contact Elizabeth at 541-422-7414 (City Hall)

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