New names added to Klamath Falls memorial

Sept. 11 ceremony honors fallen heroes

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After several years of research and work, the names of 28 fallen local soldiers have been added to the Memorial Shaft that stands outside the Klamath County Courthouse.

The memorial honors Klamath County men and women who gave their lives in every United States conflict since World War I. During a dedication ceremony Thursday afternoon, a plaque with the additional names was revealed to the public.

Approximately 70 people attended the ceremony, including representatives from Kingsley Field, the Oregon State Police, the Klamath Falls Police Department, Klamath County Fire District No. 1, the American Red Cross and other public safety agencies.

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IN REMEMBRANCE:

The fallen soldiers memorial, known as the memorial shaft, stands to the left of the Klamath County Courthouse on Main Street. The 24-foot tall memorial lists the names of Klamath County residents who have died in every American conflict since World War I.

H&N photo by Tristan Hiegler

Setting the Scene

By HOLLY DILLEMUTH H&N Staff Reporter

Early one morning at Lake of the Woods Resort, Jim Watson was in his bedroom at his west lakeside cabin, wide awake and listening to scenes from "Brother in Laws" being filmed outside.

Watson told the Herald and News earlier this week that the jokes he heard outside that night made him smile.

"I just had to laugh," he said.
"It becomes like this Comedy
Central kind of place."

The comedy, starring Bill Pullman, Rita Wilson and Saturday Night Live actors Taran Killam, Mike O'Brien and Bobby Moynihan, and Gillian Jacobs ("Community"), has been filmed all over the Klamath Basin, including Watson's cabin in late August and September.

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OIT hosts film cast, crew during shoot

Editor's note: This is the second in a three-part series that will take a closer look at the filming of "Brother in Laws," a comedy being shot on location in the Klamath Falls area.



H&N photo by Holly Dillemuth

Jim Watson puts a log on the campfire outside his Lake of the Woods cabin Tuesday evening, shortly after the cast and crew filmed scenes of "Brother in Laws" on site.

Fast film facts

Working title: "Brother in Laws"

Genre: Comedy

Plot: No plot summary is listed yet on IMDB.com, but actor Bobby Moynihan likened the movie to comedic films such as "Meet the Fockers" or "What About Bob?"

Starring: Bill
Pullman, Rita Wilson, Rachael Harris, Taran Killam,
David Wain, Bobby
Moynihan, Mike
O'Brien, Sarah
Burns and Gillian
Jacobs

Directed by:Osmany Rodriguez, Matt Villines

Produced by: Lorne Michaels

Location manager: Michael Chickey

Writers: Taran Killam, Cameron Fay and Mikey Day

Release date: 2015

Weekender
Best bets





Averting a disaster by "The Skin of Our Teeth" is scary and significant and, with that in mind, the two performances of that play by the Linkville Players this weekend stimulate the imagination.

The performances will be at 7:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday in the Linkville Playhouse.

Tickets are \$11 to \$14.

■ Klamath Blues Festival from noon to 7 p.m. Saurday at 13788 Matney

Featured will be Code Blue, Wired, Rachel and the Red Light District, Harry Harpoon and Friends.

Admission will be \$9 for adults; free admission for children.

■ The Cascade Civil War Society will present a living history program from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday at the Fort Klamath Museum.

Admission is \$5 per person, \$4 for members of the military and senior citizens, and \$20 for families of five or more. Children 5 years old and younger will be admitted free.

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Arab allies promise to fight Islamic State group

Turkey proves exception to support for Obama's plan

JIDDAH, Saudi Arabia (AP) — Key Arab allies promised Thursday to "do their share" to fight Islamic State militants, but NATO member Turkey refused to join in, signaling the struggle the U.S. faces in trying to get front-line nations to put aside their regional animosities and work together to defeat a common enemy.

The Arab states' endorsement of a broad strategy to stop the flow of fighters and funding to the insurgents, and possibly to join military action, came as the CIA doubled its assessment of how many fighters the extremist group can muster.

Both Republicans and Democrats in Congress lined up Thursday behind President Barack Obama's call to combat the militants, a day after he laid out a long-term campaign that would include expanding airstrikes against the fighters in Iraq, launching strikes against them in Syria for the first time and bolstering the Iraqi military and moderate Syrian rebels to allow them to reclaim territory from the militants.

The 10 Mideast allies announced their backing for a strategy to "destroy" the group "wherever it is, including in both Iraq and Syria," following a meeting with U.S. Secretary of State John Kerry in the Red Sea coastal city of Jiddah.

Kerry's visit, on the anniversary of the Sept. 11 attacks, was aimed at pinning down how much support regional allies are willing to give to the U.S. plan to beat back the Islamic State group, which has seized large chunks of Iraq and Syria.

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DAILY BRIEFING

Object Lesson: Historic dress takes special care

The Baldwin Hotel Museum is taking steps to preserve an elaborately patterned black-and-red dress that belonged to the hotel's last owner, as well as other historic clothing. **See page A2.**

Construction causes delay for school bus

The Klamath Falls school district has instituted a policy to send 'reach' messages to alert parents of delays, after Ponderosa Middle School students were kept on a bus for three hours. See page A4.

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