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Disability Award Luncheon

"Being different is cool," Ellen O'Hara, the former Miss Deaf Utah, emphasized to Hill Air Force Base employees who are involved with the disability program on the base. Along with her English interpreter, Andrea Rathbun, O'Hara conveyed a message of hope and optimism in ASL and pictures from her PowerPoint presentation. She cautioned that using e-mails and texts may create a separate world from reality, "We need to balance our use of e-mails and our interaction with real people. It will help create effective communication and reduce assumption." She reminded her audience that no matter what we look like or what disability we have, we are still humans.



Jean Thomas,
the Hill Air Force
Base HR specialist

Andrea Rathbun,
the Hill Air Force
Base ASL interpreter

Ellen O'Hara



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Senior Citizen Lunch Menu

Wednesdays, November 2010 at 12 Noon

- 3rd** Savory Beef Casserole, W/W Penne, Cheese on cass., Capri Mix, Butterscotch Pudding, Multi-Grain Bread, Margarine, Banana, Milk.
- 10th** Meatloaf, Brown Gravy, Whipped Potatoes, Stewed Tomatoes, Tropical Fruit, Dinner Roll, Margarine, Red/White/Blue Cupcake, Milk.
- 17th** Beef Patty, Cheese Slice on Patty, Baked Beans, Hot Spiced Apricot, Hamburger Bun, Ketchup, Lettuce/Tomato/Onion, Milk.
- 24th** Harvest Ham, Pineapple Sauce, Lyonnais Potatoes, Cabbage, Hot Applesauce, Rye Bread, Margarine, Spinach Salad, Milk.

Deadline to pay for next Wednesday's lunch is Friday at noon.

There are new developments, based on the past Wednesday lunch:

- no refunds if you are sick or cannot not come on that day due an unexpected conflict
- no ticket transfers
- deadline is always on Friday at noon

If you want to show up to pay for the next lunch without notifying Linda Berness by every Friday at noon, then you will be placed on a waiting list. If there is any left over, late buyers can purchase their meal at the same price.

If you have any questions, please contact those people here below:

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Only \$15.00 per year
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Society Page

OBITUARIES

October 10, 2010 - Richard Van Wagoner passed away unexpectedly in his sleep at the age of 64. As a clinical audiologist, he owned the Mountain West Hearing Center and served many deaf and hard of hearing clients. He was author, co-author and editor of several LDS books. Despite his hearing loss, he loved music. He played piano, guitar, trumpet, harmonica, and drums. He was step grandfather to Austin Mauritz of Salt Lake City; Austin is a grandson of Nancy O'Brien. Services and burial took place in Lehi.



October 9, 2010 - Bryant Werner, 71, passed away peacefully. He owned several print shops, Creative Impressions, being the most successful. He was also a taxi driver and a courier. After suffering a series of strokes, he enjoyed daddy-daughter dates with his oldest daughter almost every Wednesday for the last two years. He was the father of Ben Werner of Las Vegas. Services and interment took place in St. George.



October 13, 2010 - Jordan Byrd, 19, was killed in action while in the act of aiding a wounded soldier during a combat mission in Paktika Province, Afghanistan. Jordan graduated two months early from high school and was attending classes at the University of Utah when he chose to join the U.S. Army to advance his future in the medical field. Jordan joined the army to become a medic. Jordan enjoyed life to the fullest and approached each day with a large smile and a thumbs up attitude, which was contagious. He was one to bring his best to any situation and lighten up the darkest of moments with his smile and laugh. Funeral services and interment took place in Grantsville. Jordan was a grandson of Johnny Murray of Grantsville.



November 2010—Major Holidays Calendar

- 2. Election Day
- 7. Daylight Savings Time ends at 2 a.m.
- 11. Veterans Day
- 25. Thanksgiving

WSBC Coming in January

The Western States Basketball Classics is around the corner! The tournament will be on January 26-30, 2011.

Already, a committee has been formed with volunteers assigned to various duties. Although the meeting was held October 26, there is still opportunity to volunteer.

This tournament only happens once every eight years. We will be having eight Deaf schools from the West Coast coming to Utah to compete. We are excited.

Contact Craig Radford or Brian Thornsberry, co-directors, for more information. Craig can be contacted at cradford@zvrs.com and Brian at tberry5@tmail.com

WSU Premieres Two Musicals for the Holidays

Who: Weber State University Department of Performing Arts

What: Five Carols for Christmas/JingleJacks, directed by Jim Christian

When: November 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20
at 7:30 2:00 matinee Nov 20

American Sign Language interpretation provided
Saturday, Nov 13

Where: Allred Theater, Val A. Browning Center for the Performing Arts

Tickets: \$10/\$7, Dee Events Center tickets:
1-800-WSU-TIKS

Weber State University Department of Performing Arts will premiere two one-act musicals Five Carols for Christmas/JingleJacks by Jim Christian and Kenneth Plain; directed by Jim Christian, November 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 at 7:30 pm with a 2 pm matinee on Saturday, November 20. The November 13 performance will feature American Sign Language translations. Children eight years and older are welcome.

Five Carols for Christmas find five women (all named Carol, each with a different spelling) preparing for their holiday gala at the local community center - on the worst weather day of the year. The program includes songs about how the holiday is celebrated around the world. They start in a living room and end up on stage. The intervening mayhem (no murder) provides the fun.

Local News

Deaf Night Out in Utah County

Utah Valley will have its first Deaf Night Out, on November 11, 2010. The event will take place at Miracle Bowling and Billiard Pools, from 7:00 to 9:00 pm.

Cost is \$3.75 per person, \$2.50 for rental shoes. For the pool game: Pod- \$10 deposit for a set at pool balls \$1 per game. You get your 10 dollars deposit back after returning pod balls back.

Food and snacks will be available at the bar.

If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact Dana Brower at brower.dana@gmail.com.

Weber High School Offers Interpreted Performance of White Christmas

Weber High School in North Weber County will offer an interpreted performance of Irving Berlin's Broadway hit musical *White Christmas* Wednesday December 8 at 6:00 pm. The play offers many wonderful songs such as *I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas*, *Blue Skies*, *Snow* and other beautiful songs as well as a good old fashioned story, with big productions numbers, colorful costumes, dazzling dance routines, and a happy ending.

The play will feature play production students as well as members from the Warriorettes drill team. The play will be signed by advanced ASL students as part of their school project under the direction of Mr. John Mason, a Juilliard trained Broadway interpreter. The play is under the direction of Mr. Mark Daniels and will feature more than 100 actors and dancers. The play is appropriate for the entire family.

Weber High School is located at 3650 North and 500 West in Pleasant View, Utah. Patrons are encouraged to arrive at the high school by 5:45. An area of the auditorium will be reserved for the signing community.

Fall Bazaar to Feature Crafters

Sanderson Community Center of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing will host the 2010 Fall Bazaar on Friday, November 5 and Saturday, November 6, 2010.

Days and Times:

Friday, November 5, 2010 from 5 pm to 9 pm (booth members can come to set up their belongings at 1 pm.)

Saturday, November 6, 2010 from 10 am to 4 pm

The application forms are ready to be emailed or mailed to interested in selling their crafts. As for the food sales, please be aware that getting the permit for food handling is required or ask me for more information

About the booth costs, you will find in the application form. Others? Ask me!

Eleanor B. McCowan, Bazaar Coordinator

emccowan@utah.gov

801-657-5216 VP

801-657-5753 VP (leave your message and I will call you back!)

UAD Collects Warm Coats

Utah Association for the Deaf will be present at the Sanderson Community Center Bazaar on November 5 and 6. This is a great opportunity to donate used, clean warm coats to the homeless. Bring warm coats from tots to adults. With the economy as bad as it is, the number of homeless people, especially families, has risen.

Basketball Coaches Announced

Jill Radford, principal of Jean Massieu School for the Deaf, announced the selection of girls' and boys' head coaches for the 2010 – 2011 school year.

They are Tiff Dodge, who will coach the girls team, and Craig Radford, the boys team.

Both have invaluable experience in basketball as well as extensive resumes that display their ability to lead. They have also shown commitment to the JMS athletics program. Tryouts will be hosted soon. Watch for updates about the coming basketball season

Theme for 2011:
"Finding the Green Within"

Interested Contestants come and find out what MDUAP is all about and discover your green!

Requirements:

- ⇒ **Single, Never have been married and never have been pregnant.**
- ⇒ **Be of the age 18 and under the age of 30 by June 2012**
- ⇒ **Utah Resident at least for 6 months**
- ⇒ **65 decibel or more hearing loss in both ears.**
- ⇒ **Willing to commit to the pageant workshops.**

Visit www.mdup.uad.org to watch introductory video and learn more!



**MISS DEAF
 UTAH**

AMBASSADORSHIP PROGRAM



Andrea Vigil
 2009 — 2011

I loved being Miss Deaf Utah. Before I become Miss Deaf Utah, I was just being myself, working and going on with my life as usual. But when I got involved with the Miss Deaf Utah Ambassador Program, competing and winning the title changed my life because it has allowed me to reach so many people from all walks of life. I learned so much from people. I was able to expand my passion and work with deaf community. So many opportunities came up while I was Miss Deaf Utah and I learned many things that applied to my personal life and to the deaf community. I encourage all interested young women in our community to participate and compete in the upcoming pageants. It can be very challenging to be the best you can as you showcase your intellect, talents, style, personality and passion. You also get to meet many wonderful people who share common interests and goals. You can make a difference!

To learn more about Andrea's experience visit:
<http://www.missdeafutah.blogspot.com>

Application deadline:	January 5th 2011
Entry Fee:	\$50
Retreat for all contestants:	January 21st and 22nd
Workshops once a month starting January and ends June 2011	

Competition will be on June 4th 2011
For more information or application, contact person:
Janelle Milano
Email: janelle.milano@gmail.com



Deaf Community Calendar

November 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 ASL 1—DATC 9:10 am BSCD Bowling 10:00 am ASL 3—DATC 10:30 am ASL 3—DATC 11:30 am Arts and Crafts—St. George 12:00 pm Art of Interviewing (NIC INTERVIEW) 4:30 pm Dog Training 5:00 pm Caring Connections: A Hope and Comfort—Grief and the Holidays 7	2 Visual and Gestural Communication Class 9:00 am ASL 1—DATC 9:10am ASL 2—DATC 11:30a Oppression: Breaking Barriers 12:00 pm ASL 1—DATC 4:30pm ASL 2—DATC 4:30pm ASL Class—SCCDHH 6:00 pm Conceptually Accurate Signed English P2 6 pm	3 ASL 1—DATC 9:10 am Crochet the Flower Headband 10 am ASL 3—DATC 10:30 am ASL 3—DATC 11:30 am Wednesday Lecture Series: 6:30 pm Hard of Hearing Support Group—St. George 7pm	4 Visual and Gestural Communication Class 9:00 am ASL 1—DATC 9:10 am ASL 2—DATC 11:30 am ASL 1—DATC 4:30 pm ASL 2—DATC 4:30 pm ASL Lab—St. George 5:00 pm ASL Class-SCCDHH 6:00 pm	5 SCCDHH Fall Bazaar	6 SCCDHH Fall Bazaar UAD Board Meeting 9:00 am UAD General Meeting 1:00 pm
7 Children's Sunday Evening Program 6:00 pm	8 ASL 1—DATC 9:10 am BSCD Bowling 10:00 am ASL 3—DATC 10:30 am ASL 3—DATC 11:30 am Art of Interviewing (NIC INTERVIEW) 4:30 pm Dog Training 5:00 pm	9 Visual and Gestural Communication Class 9:00 am ASL 1—DATC 9:10am ASL 2—DATC 11:30a ASL 1—DATC 4:30pm ASL 2—DATC 4:30pm Photography Workshop—St. George 7 pm	10 ASL 1—DATC 9:10 am ASL 3—DATC 10:30 am ASL 3—DATC 11:30 am Hard of Hearing Support Group—St. George 7pm	11 Visual and Gestural Communication Class 9:00 am ASL 1—DATC 9:10 am ASL 2—DATC 11:30 am ASL 1—DATC 4:30 pm ASL 2—DATC 4:30 pm ASL Lab—St. George 5:00 pm DATC Game Night 5 pm Deaf Night Out—Orem 7:00 pm	12 Ice Cream Social—St. George 6:00 pm	13 5 Carols/Jingle Jacks—Interpreted Play 7:30 pm
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Extreme Makeover Airs OSD Makeover



SALEM -- Just because a TV show is considered part of the "reality" genre doesn't mean it's a documentary. There's still a lot of thought, effort and rehearsal put into production. Even seemingly spontaneous moments are highly choreographed, as onlookers at Oregon School for the Deaf discovered in early September after a week of building and filming by ABC's ["Extreme Makeover: Home Edition"](#) for a Halloween-themed episode slated to air next Sunday at 8 p.m.

[OSD's](#) adventure in the spotlight began on Labor Day when host Ty Pennington and the "Extreme Makeover" crew -- designers Michael Moloney, Paige Hemmis and John Littlefield -- descended on a back-to-school picnic to announce their plans. OSD stages a haunted house every year as a fundraiser but the space needed an upgrade, including a concrete floor to replace a dirt floor that kicked up dust. So the

"Extreme Makeover" crew, with an assist from professional haunted house designers, went to work improving the space and updating the spooky effects.

With an army of community volunteers lead by Rich Duncan of [Rich Duncan Construction](#), the "Extreme Makeover" crew also built a new boys' dormitory with space for eight residential students. No students will move in immediately while the school prepares for an addition to be built. The addition will allow the building to house 48 students, and OSD director Patti Togioka said the state school is targeting an April 2 start for construction if enough financial support from individuals and corporations can be lined up in time.

"We are looking at creating opportunities for naming areas and decorating rooms to showcase those that donate for the building of those areas," said Togioka, who set the wheels in motion for the "Extreme Makeover" visit a couple of years ago when she sent the show's producers an e-mail asking for assistance. Donations for the dorm addition are being collected through Friends of OSD at www.friendsofosd.org.

For those who worked on all facets of the OSD building project in September, the sheer number of volunteers sometimes resembled a column of ants marching.

"We showed up and there were 50 other carpenters there and hundreds of volunteers," said Jacob Bean of Salem's [Bean Construction](#). "It was really fun to see how fast a project could be completed. There'd be a huge pile of material that needed to be moved and they'd scream for volunteers and people would come and minutes later you'd look back and the pile was gone and you could see a trail of people marching off, carrying the stuff."

Other volunteers helped care for the builders. Anne Easterly of Wilsonville led efforts to feed those who came to assist, staging five meals each day of the production, including at 10 p.m. and 2 a.m.

Click on http://www.oregonlive.com/movies/index.ssf/2010/10/extreme_makeover_oregon_school.html for more of the article and pictures.

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