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Adams and Lincoln Counties High School Graduation 2026



Christian Heritage – May 30 – 1:00 p.m.

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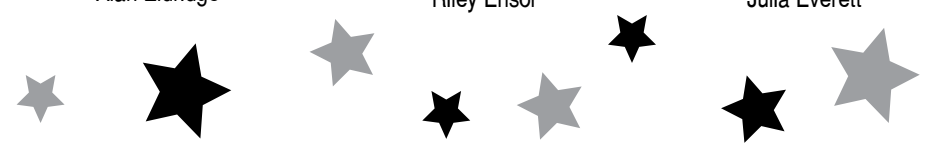
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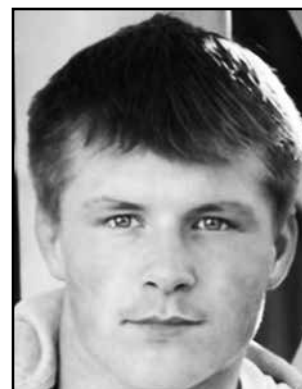


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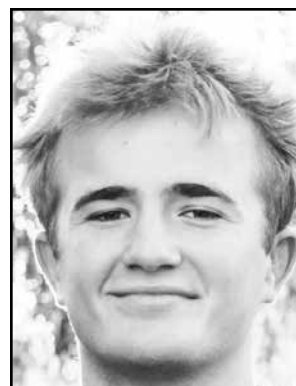
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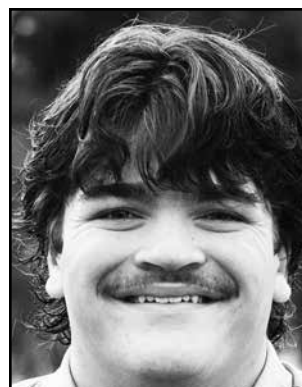
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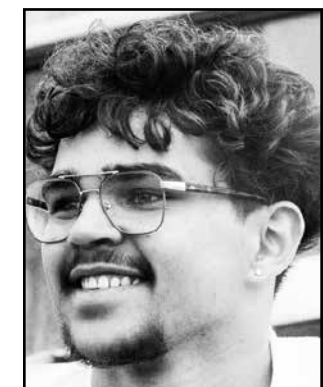
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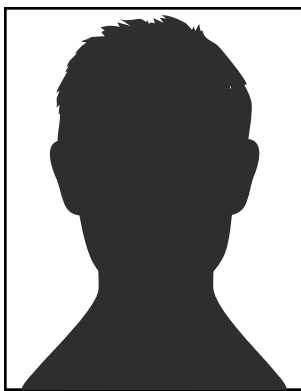
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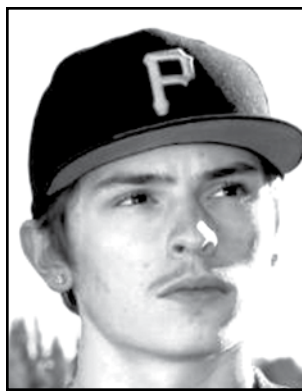
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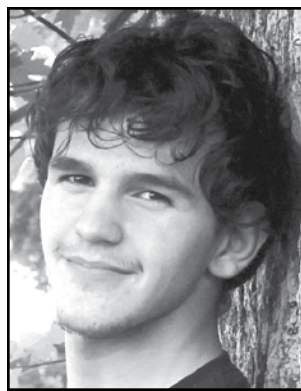
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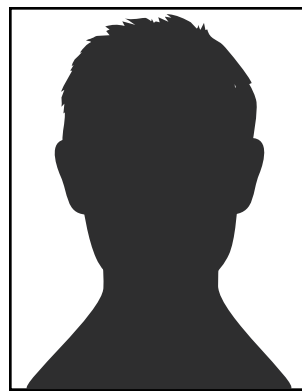
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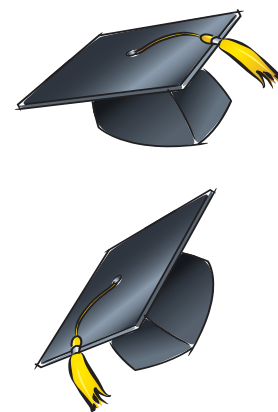
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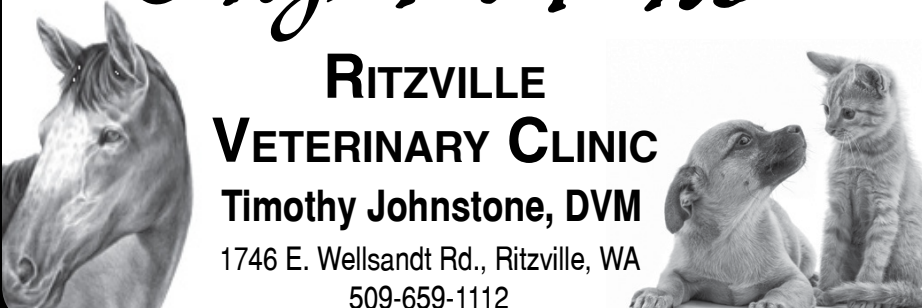
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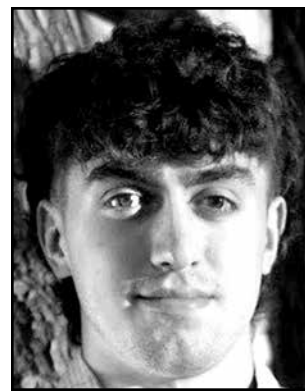
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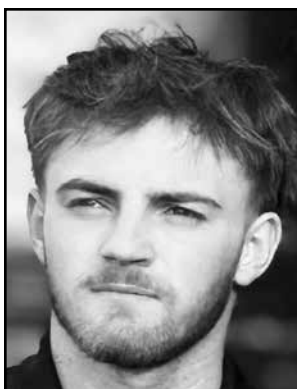
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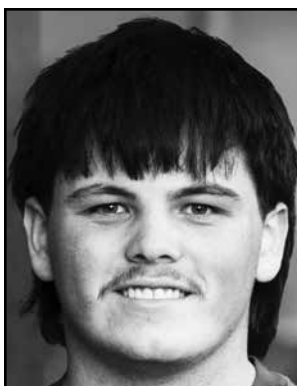
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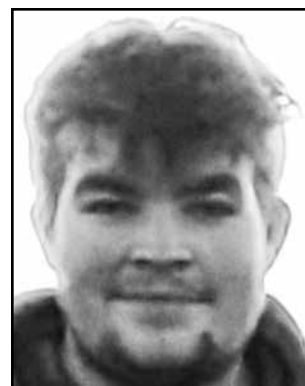
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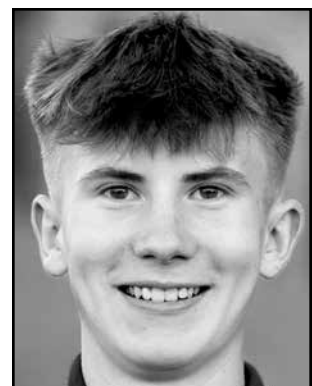
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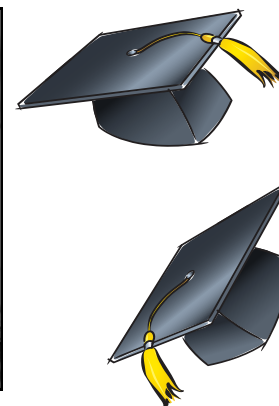
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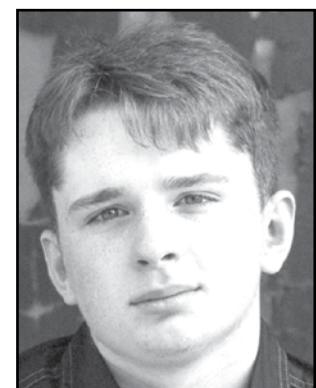
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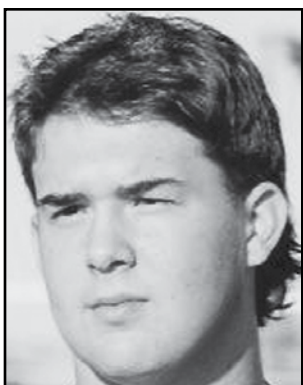
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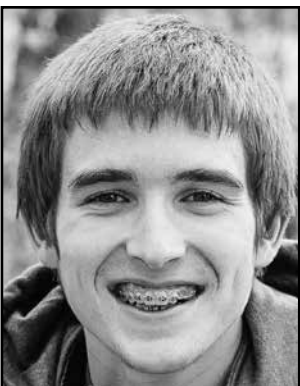
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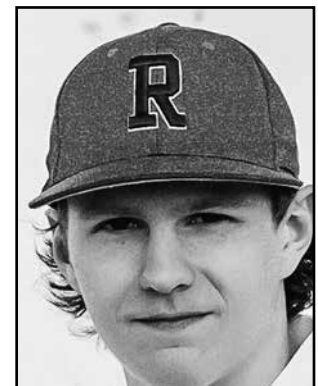
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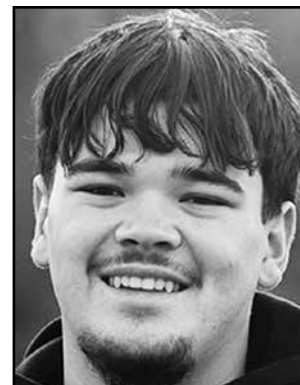
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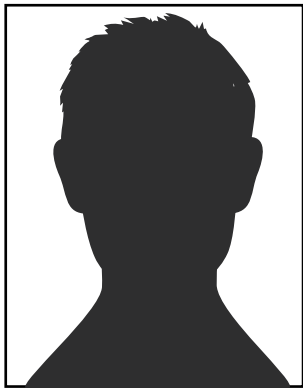
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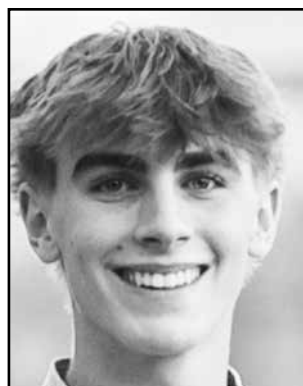
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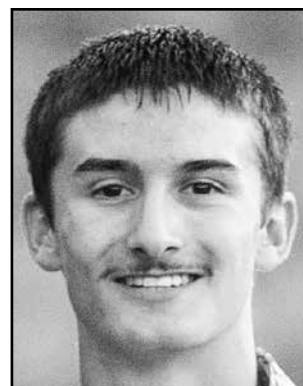
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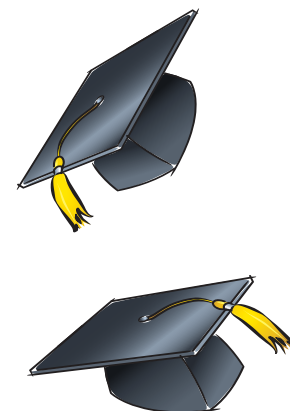
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Presten Robins

Parents:

Zach and Jodi Robins



Working for A and H Well Services.

Harrington High School

Bella Mattozzi

Parents:

Darin and Carolyn Mattozzi



Bella plans to attend University of Washington

Lind-Ritzville High School

Zoe Galbreath

Parents:

John and Cari Galbreath



Attend North Idaho College in the fall to play volleyball and study business

Kahlotus High School

Devon Palencia

Parents:

Juan and Rosa Palencia



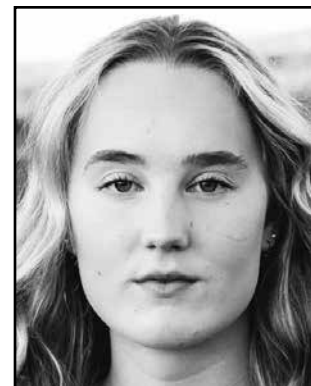
Attend Columbia Basin College and WSU pursuing a degree in Mechanical Engineering

Lind-Ritzville High School

Maeve Korthis

Parents:

Mother: Cassie Jurun
Father: Corey Carpenter
Step-Mother: Roni Kinney



Study Animal Science at Oregon State University to pursue a career in the livestock industry

Davenport High School

Clare Lathrop

Parents:

Sharon and Lorin Lathrop



Clare will be attending Northwestern Nazarene University to study Biology/Pre-Dentistry and will play basketball.

Lind-Ritzville High School

Madelyn Carpenter

Parents:

Mother: Cassie Jurun
Father: Corey Carpenter
Step-Mother: Roni Kinney



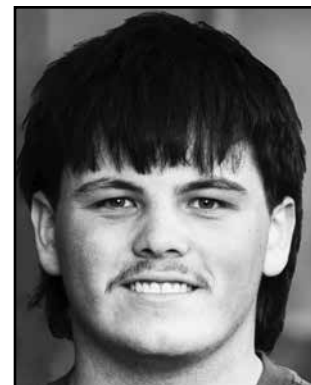
I plan on attending Eastern Washington University to study Elementary Education.

Lind-Ritzville High School

Jackson Nichols

Parents:

Jamie and Michael Nichols



I will be attending Eastern Washington University and majoring in Biology, following a pre-dental track to become a dentist.

Davenport High School

Josie Wynecoop

Parents:

Lindsey and Ethan Wynecoop



Josie will attend the University of Utah and plans to study Political Science.

Lind-Ritzville High School

Saige Galbreath

Parents:

Daniel and Cami Galbreath



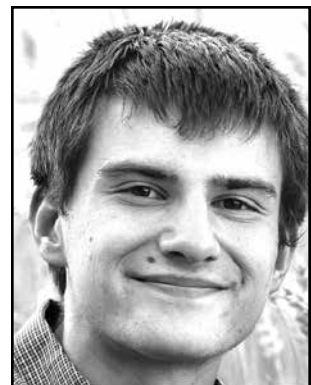
Saige plans to complete a nail apprenticeship to add to her Associates degree in Business to work toward business ownership.

Odessa High School

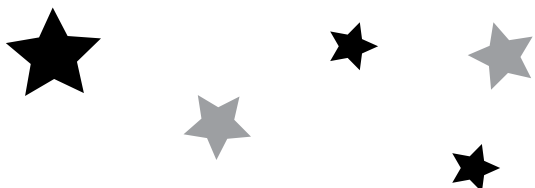
John Melcher

Parents:

Jeff and Heather Melcher



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Valedictorians

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Kieu Tran

Parents:

Anthony Tran and
Van Trinh



Columbia University

Sprague-Lamont High School

KYE ROSIEN

Parents:

Ryan Spainhower &
Ashley Melanson



Kye has been accepted to Whitworth University to study psychology, pursuing a future career as a Child Protective Services worker.

Washtucna High School

Kalea Herold

Parents:

Jerry and Megan Herold



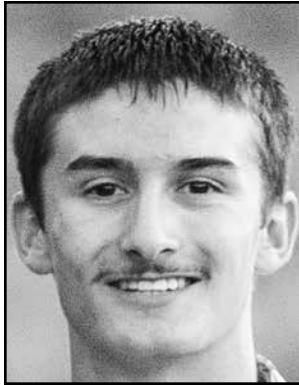
I am planning to get married next year and continue my education locally.

Reardan High School

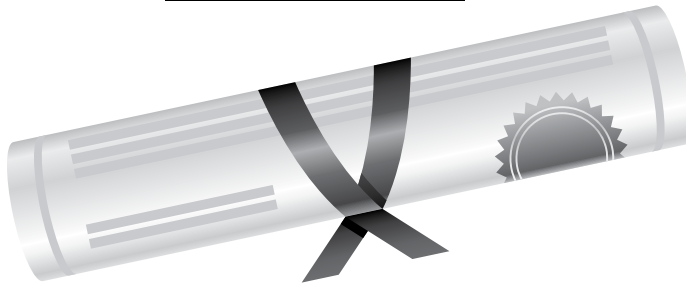
Blake Wynecoop

Parents:

Gina and David Wynecoop



Plan to pursue a career in plumbing or as an operating engineer.



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William Victor

Parents:

Joshua and Brenda Victor

Pursing a career as a millwright or electrician.



Lind-Ritzville High School

Lilly Fannin

Parents:

Mom: Brandi Rice

Stepdad: Matthew Antrum

I plan to go to WSU to get my bachelor's degree in nutrition and become dietitian.



Washtucna High School

Zenaida Lujan

Parents:

Sylvia Garcia-Lujan

Paul Lujan

My future plan is to become a video editor. Edit videos for movies. Or become a cosmetologist, making people feel good about themselves.



Odessa High School

Rebecca Bramer

Parents:

Parent is Fran Bramer

Central Washington University: Music Education



Davenport High School

Glenna Soliday

Parents:

Stacia and Monty Soliday

Glenna will attend Spokane Falls Community College to study pre-Architecture and will join the soccer and track teams.



Reardan High School

Hunter Flaa

Parents:

Mandy and Justin Flaa

Pursuing a career in Firefighting and playing College Baseball



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Advice to the 2026 graduating class

Congratulations to the Class of 2026! Crossing that stage is a massive milestone, but the “What now?” phase can feel both exhilarating and a little paralyzing. Whether you are headed to a university, a trade school, or taking a gap year, here is some grounded advice for navigating this transition.

1. Master the “Life Skills” Early

High school usually doesn't teach you how to manage a household or a bank account. Before you move out or start your next chapter, try to get a handle on:

- **The 50/30/20 Rule:** A simple budgeting trick—50% of your income for needs, 30% for wants, and 20% for savings or debt.

- **Basic Cooking:** Learn five versatile meals that don't come from a microwave. It saves money and keeps you healthier than a ramen-only diet.

- **Credit Basics:** Understand how credit scores work before you sign up for your first card. A mistake at 18 can haunt your 28-year-old self.

2. Redefine “Success”

You've spent years being measured by GPA

and test scores. In the real world, those matter much less than:

- **Reliability:** Simply showing up on time and doing what you said you'd do will put you ahead of 75% of people.

- **Soft Skills:** Communication, empathy, and conflict resolution are the “secret sauce” of a successful career.

- **Resilience:** You will fail at something soon—a class, a job interview, or a relationship. View it as data, not a definition of your worth.

3. Explore Without the Pressure of a “Calling”

There is a lot of pressure to find your “passion” immediately.

- **The Reality:** Most people don't find a calling; they build one by trying things, getting good at them, and finding satisfaction in that mastery.

- **Action:** Take a class in a subject you know nothing about. Join a club that feels slightly outside your comfort zone. The goal of your 20s is sampling.

Pro-Tip: Your network is your net worth. Start a LinkedIn profile now. Even if it's just your high school achievements and summer jobs, beginning to

connect with mentors and peers early is a massive advantage.

4. Protect Your Mental Health

The transition from a structured high school environment to the “choose your own adventure” style of adulthood is a common trigger for anxiety.

- **Find “Your” People:** Your high school friends might drift away, and that's okay. Seek out communities (hobbies, volunteer groups, or campus orgs) where you can be your authentic self.

- **Sleep is a Tool:** It's tempting to stay up

until 3:00 AM because you finally can, but chronic sleep deprivation is the fastest way to burn out.

5. It's Okay to Pivot

If you start a major or a job and realize you hate it three months in, you haven't “wasted” time. You've successfully identified what you don't want, which is just as valuable as knowing what you do want.

What does your immediate post-grad plan look like—are you headed to further schooling, starting a job, or still weighing your options?

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