

**ALWAYS REMEMBER:  
LIFE STORIES  
AND  
SPIRITUAL WILLS**

BY MEG BRADY

**Date: May 15, 2010**  
**Time: 7:00 p.m.**  
**Location: Boulder Town Hall**  
*Free and open to the public*

Everyone has a story to tell; the greatest gift is the preservation of that life story for future generations. This two-hour introductory workshop provides the basics of how to interview and record life stories for your family and community. Join us for this workshop.



HOGSBACK HERITAGE PROJECT  
Meg Brady is an English Professor at the University of Utah.



This speaker is provided by the Utah Humanities Council through the Utah Public Square program.



Expanding minds—one story at a time

**BRYCE VALLEY SCHOOL NEWS**

...by Vicki D. Syrett

Core Testing is starting this week. Please help your children to be rested and to eat a good breakfast before they come to school. It is important they are not stressed out and that they understand we just want them to do the very best they can on the tests.

Carlton Johnson, Carl Roundy, and Clint Brinkerhoff have been working with the 11-12 year olds in Bantam Ball. They played Panguitch this last week and will play Piute and the other Panguitch team next week. This team is the "Majors". They have 19 boys on the team and they are doing well.

Shiloh Richards is coach of the "Minors" team. They played Valley and Panguitch this pas week and will play Piute and the Other Panguitch them coming up this week.

We are told there are girls softball teams too but were unable to get any information this week. Next week for sure.

Our BVHS Track Team did very well in Richfield last Saturday. There were many, many track members in attendance since it was 1A, 2A, and 3A teams. Most of our BV team as qualified for State. Braxton Syrett took 6th in the 800 meter, Tannia Winegar took 8th in the 200 meter, Ashley Nelson took 2nd in the High Jump and Tannia Winegar took 4th in the High Jump. Good job to you all.

At the Kanab JV Track Meet we did a good job. Jacob Pollock took 1st in 9th grade Long Jump, Abigail Harman won first in Shot Put and broke the meet record for the 9th grade girls in Shot Put. Ashlyn Syrett took 2nd in Shot Put, and 6th in the Discus. Whitney Syrett took 1st in the Discus for the 9th grade girls and 5th in the Shot Put. Abigail Harman too 2nd in Long Jump and Marilee Platt took 4th in the Long Jump. In the Javelin Abigail Harman took 3rd and Whitney Syrett took 5th. Jacob Pollock took 2nd in the High Jump for 9th grade, Cajun Syrett took 2nd in 10th grade High Jump. In the Boys Javelin for 9th grade, Braxton Syrett won, Logan LeFevre took 2nd and also took 2nd in the 9th grade Discus. The boys Shot Put saw Logan Le Fevre in 6th place and Dawson Johnson in 7th place.

The 100 Meter - Jacob Pollock took 2nd, 400 meter - Abigail Harman took 2nd. 200 meter girls was Alexis Tebbs in 4th and 2nd in the 800 meter. In the 4 x 100 Relay girls took 3rd place and the boys took 2nd place.

Boys 800 meter - Braxton Syrett took 2nd, Dawson Johnson took 3rd. In the 1600 Meter Cajun Syrett came in 3rd. The 300 Hurdles was Cajun Syrett in 3rd and 400 Meter was Braxton Syrett in 3rd with Dawson Johnson in 3rd. Cajun Syrett took 2nd in the 110 meter Hurdles.

We have a good group of underclassmen that do well at the Track Meets. We are very proud of them. Next week will see us traveling to BYU for the 100th year of the BYU Invitational which is the longest running of its kind in the Nation.

ELEMENTARY don't forget to ORDER your Year-books NOW!!!

**ESCALANTE PETRIFIED FOREST STATE PARK NEWS**

Construction on the new Wide Hollow dam is under way. Escalante Petrified Forest State Park is open for day-use and camping during the construction project. Stop by for a hike, picnic, family gathering or to check out progress on the dam.

In early May a trail crew from American Conservation Experience will be making improvements to sections of the Petrified Forest Trail. The trail will remain open during the project. Crews have worked on the park trail each summer for the last two years to make the trail easier and safer to hike.

Looking for something new and fun to do? The park offers guided hikes, interpretive walks, Junior Ranger programs for kids and evening events. Check the park's Events Calendar posted in the town of Escalante, online at [www.stateparks.utah.gov](http://www.stateparks.utah.gov), or by calling the Visitor Center at 435-826-4466. All programs are free and open to the public.

**ESCALANTE HERITAGE FESTIVAL SCHEDULED**

On May 29, 2010 the annual Escalante Heritage Festival will held in Escalante. The day's events will begin at the Escalante-Boulder Veterans' Memorial at 8:00 a.m. for a re-enactment of the first Fourth of July celebration by the pioneers after they entered the Valley in March of 1876. Wanting a flag to fly over their festivities, and American Flag couldn't be found, a Union Jack was offered by one of the pioneers who had migrated from England. But since it was the Centennial anniversary of the Declaration of Independence from England, no one wanted an English flag flying over their celebration. Finally an Indian Blanket with the colors red black and grey was run up the pole and served as the flag for the day. By the time they celebrated the 24th of July, a flag had been made by Mary Ann Schow. This re-enactment is an annual event. There will also be a program by the Escalante American Legion Post 114 to honor three individuals who have been members of the Post for over 20 years. They will then post a new flag and fire a 21 gun salute honoring all servicemen.

Following the flag raising ceremony the Legion will retire several flags. This will be an impressive ceremony, and something that everyone should be interested in.

After the ceremonies at the Veterans' Memorial, breakfast will be served at the Lions Club Pavilion in the City Park, by the Hole-in-the-Rock Chapter of the Sons of the Utah Pioneers. It will be a delicious breakfast, so come and support your local chapter of the Sons of the Pioneers.

Beginning at 10:00 a.m., at the Escalante High School commons area, there will be an arts and crafts show that will last until 4:00 p.m. People may come and go as they wish.

At 10:00 a.m. there will be a video shown in the music room of the high school: "A Horseback Trip Up On the Fifty Mile Mountain." Come along with the friends as they leave Escalante and travel the Escalante Desert, the Bench, and then travel on horseback up the steep, narrow trail to the top of the Fifty Mile Mountain. See the country, spend time out on the range, and then see what it was like whiling away the evening hours inside the log cabin with the cowboys and their guests. The video will be shown again at 2:00 p.m.

Following the "Horseback Trip Up On the Fifty Mile Mountain," There will be a presentation discussing the beginning, present and future of the Escalante Heritage Center. Drawings will be shown of an architectural rendering of the future building that is planned. Construction work on the first phase of this project began on April 26 and completion date is in late July.

Also, in the music room there will be a quilt display that you won't want to miss. Since this year we are honoring Cowboys, the quilt display will be "Camp Quilts" that Cowboys carried on he range to keep them warm at night, and casual quilts that are used outside. This is a come and go display that can be seen between 11:30 a.m. and 2:p.m.

During the noon hour you will be able to find delicious food an any of the fine eating establishments in the town as well as from the vendors at the arts and crafts fair.

At 2:00 p.m. the movie on the Fifty Mile Mountain will be shown again. Following the showing of the movie, visit with a couple of cowboys that drove cattle on the desert from the Hole-in-the Rock up the dangerous trails to the Fifty mile Mountain. Over the years 12 horses and a mule died on this precarious trail. The panel will be moderated by Cowboy Quinn Griffin.

At 8:00 p.m. in the high school auditorium there will be a historical presentation called, "The Storytellers." The setting for this interesting presentation is in a lonely cabin on the Fifty Mile Mountain. After the day's riding is done, the cowboys while away the evening hours telling stories to a magazine writer who has traveled to the area.

The historical presentation was written by Quinn Griffin.

In previous years tickets have been pre-sold and seats reserved, but this year there will be no pre-sale of tickets. Tickets can be purchased at the door. The suggested price of a ticket is \$5, but since we are trying to raise money for a Heritage Center building, if you want to donate more, it will be appreciated.

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PCN UPDATE: The Utah Department of Health has submitted a request to renew the PCN Medicaid Waiver for another three years. This will allow the Department to continue operating the PCN program through June 2013. In addition, the Department will seek to amend Utah's Premium Partnership (UPP) to extend coverage to private health plans and those receiving Utah Comprehensive Health Insurance Pool (HIPUtah) coverage. A summary of the renewal request can be viewed here.

The proposed change is subject to Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) approval. For questions regarding this notice, please contact: [pcn@utah.gov](mailto:pcn@utah.gov)

**UTAH ASSOCIATION OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS \$500 AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIP**

2010 Application Form

The recipient will be a high school senior living in Beaver, Iron, Washington, Kane or Garfield County, who is pursuing a degree in agriculture or natural resource science field.

For more information about the Utah Association of Conservation Districts visit [www.uacd.org](http://www.uacd.org)

For questions or comment please contact: Tyce Palmer  
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**PANGUITCH SWIMMING POOL**

**OPEN SWIM**

Monday, Wednesday,

Thursday: 6-8 pm

Saturdays: 2-4pm

**LAP SWIM**

Monday, Wednesday,

Friday:

6-7 am

Tuesday: 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Thursday: 5-6 pm

Saturday: 8 - 9 am

**For more information, contact Kim at 690-9206**

**Art Workshop Week—June 12-19, 2010**

presented by

The Gallery at Clarke's, 161 N. Main, Tropic, UT 84776

- June 12-13: Plein Air Painting with **Anne Weiler-Brown**
- June 14: Plein Air Painting with **John Huerta, Jr.**
- June 14-18: "Luminous Color with Underpainting & Glazing" with **Jane Jones**
- June 15: Photography Field Trip with **Bob Hills & Wes Clarke**
- June 16-19: Watercolor Workshop with **Larry Johnson**
- June 18-19: Knapping Demo & Workshop with **Bo Earls**
- June 18-19: Plein Air Painting with **Brad Holt**

Also: Primitive Pottery Workshop, June 11-13 with **Brigitte Delthony** in Escalante, UT.

Full details are available from the individual artists and on the website,

[www.thegalleryatclarkes.com](http://www.thegalleryatclarkes.com)

or by calling 435-616-1069 (cell); 435-679-8822.

Class sizes are limited; register by May 15 to hold your place.



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