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Around Town

Baker City has had their ambulance inspected by the Oregon Health Authority and with a few quick fixes should be up and running back up for Pioneer Ambulance in town. The city and Pioneer have a contract for the billing and payment when the city goes on a run.

Baker Heritage Museum

With Miners Jubilee in July, the museum is hosting a talk on Baker County's Gold Rush. 112 years ago, the Armstrong Nugget was brought to Baker County. Multiple towns sprung up practically overnight. Join the museum at 6pm for Glacier45 sponsored social hour and then stay for the talk from 7 to 8 pm on July 8th.

Baker County Kids Parade

Open to ages 0 to 15, get dressed in your best patriotic gear and deck out those strollers, wagons and pets. The parade suffered during COVID and it is great to have it back. The streets usually are not closed, so parents should accompany children. The Baker County Republican Women and the Baker Elks have brought this event back. Line up by noon at Court Plaza on the 28th.

First Friday is back next week. Watch <https://hikingbaker.com/event-calendar> next week for participants.

Baker County Library

Join the Library and Indivisible for a morning get together on 6/28 at 10 am at the Lions pavilion in the park. A speaker will discuss the possible cuts to library services. Snacks will be provided. If you use the library, COME SUPPORT the LIBRARY!

Community Calendar Highlights: (full calendar at <https://hikingbaker.com/event-calendar>)

6/27 6pm Sunkissed and Salted Book Release at Churchill

6/27 8pm Aaron Harris Music at AJ's Corner Brick

6/28 9am Vintage Hotrods and Timeless Appeal Car Show at the Eagles

6/28 9am Farmers Market

6/28 10am Baker Library Support get together at Geiser Pollman

6/28 12pm Kiddie Parade meet at Court Plaza

6/28 5pm Mike Mallory Trio at Quail Ridge

6/28 6pm Leo Moon W/ Rose Gerber Music at Churchill School

6/29 4 pm Powder River Music Summer Concert: Rogue Lobster in the park

7/4 Happy 4th of July and watch for First Friday Posts! And Renaissance Fair posts

Healthcare

St. Alphonsus is working to bring services back to Baker. They have brought back Endoscopy and Ophthalmologic surgery. To schedule an endoscopy call Dr. James Gardner's office at 208-452-8000. Dr. Daniel Hanson will be providing eye surgery at St Al's Baker and his contact number is 541-524-8000. The hospital is continuing work on opening a Step-down department. This would be below ICU care but higher care than typical Medical/surgical floor. As well, discussion is ongoing about opening a MedNow retail pharmacy to ease the burden in Baker of having only Savon.

Nifty Shopping and Experiences

We have boutique, art, books, sports, kitchen, crafty, antiques, bedding, furniture, appliances, unique foods, clothing, gift, plants, jewelry, western, work, consignment and resale stores in Baker City. When you need a gift, something for your house, clothes for anything, a replacement thing-a-ma-jig then shop local. Some of these stores have classes so be sure to follow them on Facebook (I know FB is annoying, but it is one of the best ways to know when there is an event at a local shop.)

- Birds on a Wire: large number of small booths
- Bella Main St. Market: Kitchen and specialty foods
- No. 1911: Boutique clothes
- Cody's General Store: Crafting classes and lots of nifty items
- Theresa's Treasures and CBD
- D&B
- Random Resale: You never know what is on consignment
- People Helping People
- Salvation Army
- Treasure Every Stitch
- Maurices
- J Tabor
- Moon Treasures: Make a fairy Garden, jewelry, gifts, art
- Betty's Books
- Shameless Tees
- Mack's Jewelry Design
- Ruffled Feathers: freeze dried goodness, jewelry, art
- Royal Artisan: Art, jewelry, framing
- Copy, Ship and Mail: Art supplies
- Kicks Sportswear
- Blitz LLC
- The Kids Closet
- Elkhorn Custom Apparel
- York's Covered Wagon
- Jubilee Plants and Gathering: Terrarium classes
- Baker Floral and Botanicals: arrangement classes
- Hearts and Petals
- Ryder Bros and Tawny's Toy Box
- Peterson's Chocolates
- Matilda's on 1st (coffee bar with gifts), Matilda's on Court (wine bar with gifts)
- The Cheese Fairy
- Sunn Juice and Décor