

The



# Umbrella

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Ono, Igo, Trinity Alps

## Ono Grange Pre-Hunt Dance on September 10

Good food, good friends and good music! Sound good? Then be sure to be at the Ono Grange Hall on **September 10** for all of that and more! **The Ono Grange is bringing back the Pre-Hunt Dance** including a pre-dance tri-tip dinner and live music from 5pm to 11pm. Come out and enjoy a slow cooked tri-tip dinner for only \$10 a plate; served from 5-7pm. During dinner local group **The Gemstone Girls** will be providing live acoustic music. Stick around after dinner for the Pre-Hunt Dance from 7-11pm with live music by **The Coyotes featuring Teddy Fox**.



Admission to the dance is \$5 and all ages are welcome. Door prizes will be given away during both the dinner and the dance. **The raffle for the Henry Goldenboy 22LR(donated by Olde West), a Smith & Wesson 9mm Shield and half a hog** will be conducted around 9pm. Tickets are still available for only \$5 each from a grange member or you can call 396-2322 for more information. Round up your friends and family for some community fun and entertainment on September 10!

## Labor Day Ice Cream Social

Ono-Igo Community Church

\*\*\*\*\*Sunday Sept. 4th at 4 p.m.\*\*\*\*\*

Live Music

Games

Free Ice Cream

Neighbors



Everybody Welcome

Call 396-2277 for more info



## Ono Grange

**396-2322**

Grange Meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month. The next meeting is **September 14.**

**Women of the Grange meets at 6 p.m.**

**Junior Grange meets at 6 p.m.**

**General Grange Meeting starts at 7 p.m.**

**Bunco is on September 21. Potluck Starts at 6. Game starts at 7. 18 yrs and older.**

## Neighborhood Watch

Neighborhood Watch meets **Wednesday September 7th** at the Igo School. **Meetings start at 7 p.m..**

## Ono-Igo Community Church

**396-2277**

Sunday Service Times.--- 9:30 a.m. Casual Service

**11 a.m. Traditional Service**

**\*\*\*\*\*Tuesday Night Dinners have been Discontinued\*\*\*\*\***

## **Igo Store**

**396-2292**

Open Everyday. French Fry Friday starts at 6p.m. Breakfast every Sunday at 8 a.m.  
Call the store for more info

## **Ono Store**

**396-2300**

Every Friday evening at 7 pm, live Blue Grass music by The Lost Boys, a very popular local group with amazing talent. They have been drawing crowds.

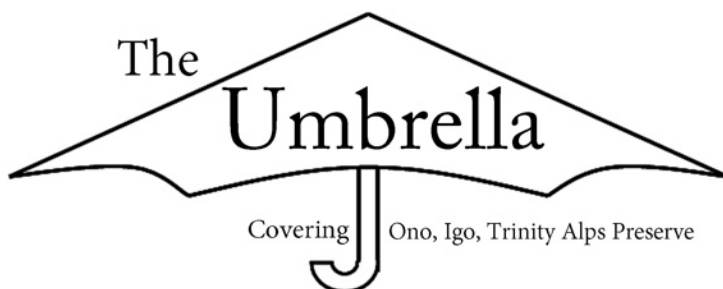
On the first and third Saturday nights at 7 pm we have Acoustic Jam. Everyone is invited.

On the second and fourth Saturday nights at 7 pm we have Karaoke with Cal Hodges as DJ. Singing, dancing, good times.

On the third Saturday each month at 3 pm we have a group birthday party for all those born during that month.

On the nights that we have entertainment, we are open 'til 11 or 12 pm.

In addition to our famous burgers, we now serve pizza.



The Umbrella is a community-run newsletter published with the intention of highlighting local events, local businesses, local groups, and local people. If you would like to contribute a story please contact Ed at 396-2277.

## IMPULSE PETS

By Chic Miller

We've all been there – at the pet store, the swap meet, or watching a TV commercial when we see the cutest, the most adorable, the most beautiful, the just-gotta-have-one of those pets. For some of us, before we act on that impulse, reality sets in. We pull in the reins – Whoa! Let's think this over.

For those of you who just could not resist, you took your new friend home. Now, we fast forward a few months.

That cute, cuddly puppy has grown to be a 70-pound dog. He needs a bigger back yard, daily walks and is too large to take with you on family vacations. He needs to be neutered, have his rabies immunization, puppy shots, monthly heart worm meds, and regular nail clipping – Oh My!

That gorgeous, colorful parrot needs a much larger expensive cage, throws seed all over your living room floor, and demands attention when you are watching your favorite TV program, or talking to a friend on the phone.

That tiny kitten will need lots of attention, daily brushing and a kitty litter pan that needs emptying and cleaning often. Not to mention on-going medical care. Spay or neuter is a must!

That cute baby goat is taken home from the swap meet on Easter morning by someone who hasn't a clue as to the care of a newborn. It will need bottle feeding every three hours around the clock, warmth and shelter, and soon, secure outdoor fencing.

Those adorable baby chicks at the feed store will need chick starter, a heat lamp and special supervision around young children, and later, protection from predators. Did I mention the crowing at 5:00AM?

Now, for the unexpected move to a location where this pet may not be welcome. For whatever reason, this pet now needs a new home. You've asked your friends, neighbors, and co-workers, called all of the local rescues, but no one is able to take on your "impulse pet". What now?

Pets who no longer fit into your family lifestyle may possibly end up at an already overcrowded humane society or animal shelter due to your lack of planning – through no fault of their own. My suggestion is always to plan ahead. Take a deep breath – think this through before making a decision. A family meeting is very important to decide what type of pet to adopt and what responsibilities each family member will accept in its daily care. Stick to your plan! Remember, a pet is a family member, a full time responsibility and a serious commitment.

Questions or Comment? Call Chic.

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# Neighborhood Watch Seeks Ideas from Community

In an effort to attract new members, your local Neighborhood Watch has changed its monthly meeting time to the first Wednesday of each month at 7p.m. The next meeting of the Neighborhood Watch will be held on Wednesday, Sept 7, at 7pm at the Igo-Ono Elementary School.

Besides the normal business of promoting community awareness, during the September meeting the group will be looking to solicit ideas for community projects. All local residents are invited to attend the meeting and submit a proposal for a new Neighborhood Watch community improvement project. Past projects include the installation of a light by the Igo Post Office, stabilizing of the Ono mailbox, and many other such improvements.

Come on out and support you community. Call Jim Wilson at 396-2296 for more info.

## Thoughts To Ponder:

Those of us that think we are in control of our lives have a great imagination. If our federal, state and local laws do not dictate what we can or can not do then it is our employers, our kids, our spouses, we ourselves making a list of things, that we think need to be done, that we can not forget to do.

Life use to be pretty simple but routines are no longer normal. If people are not busy on their phones, making us believe they have an emergency of some sort because they have stopped, are standing or parked right in front of us and not moving, they swerve in front of us speeding to get to where they are going.

What on earth can be that earthshaking that we have phones fixed to our heads and ears and have become so rude that we forget there are other people still moving around us. There are moments when I think a cell phone would have been nice, but those are rare, compared to the times I cherish not having one.

Jerry Schock

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## Grange looking for Crafty People

Are you crafty, sell a product or have some treasures you would like to get rid of and make some money too? October 8<sup>th</sup> is the day to make yourself a little money. The Ono Grange is having a Holiday Craft Expo and Community Yard Sale event from 10am to 3pm. You'll find a little bit of everything and get a head start on all that holiday shopping. Support your local small business owners and community members by shopping local. Spaces are still available. Applications are available by calling Suzanne at 776-5969 or emailing [info@onogrange.org](mailto:info@onogrange.org).