

**SPRYN – KIPFER**



Together, with their family, Morris Tyler Kipfer and Chelsea Lynn Spryn, would like to announce their engagement and upcoming wedding ceremony.

The bride-to-be is a 2008 graduate of Antwerp High School. She is currently employed at the Gardens of Paulding, and is attending Rhodes State College, major-

ing in Radiography Imaging. Her fiancé is a 2002 graduate of Wayne Trace High School. He is currently employed at Spartech Plastics in Paulding.

The ceremony will take place on October 16, 2010 at the Bethel United Methodist Church at 3:00 in the afternoon. A reception will follow at the Payne Legion Hall.

**CYBER SAFETY**

By: Ellen Williams, Paulding Exempted Village Schools

Today's technology allows friends and families to find and share information at the touch of a button. Social networks allow instant online updates and photo sharing. Unfortunately, that

information can be used by others with criminal intent. Young people need guidance to use the Internet, online video games, and cell phones safely and wisely.

The following are tips from the office of Ohio Attorney General Richard Cordray. His office has organized Ohio's first Cyber Safety Week from October

3-9 to bring students, educators, parents, and law enforcement officers together to discuss how the Internet can be used safely. Any time is a good time to talk about online safety with young people.

**Be anonymous:** Avoid posting information on your social networking profile or blog such as your last name, address, phone number, hometown or wherever you hang out.

**Post with caution:** Anyone can download content from the Internet and pass it around. Be careful when posting photos online and never post sexually suggestive images.

**Be honest about your age:** Many websites establish membership rules to protect people. Do not lie about your age if you are too young to sign up.

**Protect yourself:** Never agree to meet with someone you encounter online unless you take your parents or another trusted adult and the meeting is in a public place.

**Think before you link:** Linking to your social networking profile could allow strangers to follow you online and access your personal information.

The Ohio Attorney General's Office also offers these free publications including a Kids Safety Passport: This pocket-sized workbook for parents and kids. For more information call the Ohio Attorney General's Help Center at (800) 282-0515 or visit [www.OhioAttorney-General.gov/CyberSafety-Week](http://www.OhioAttorney-General.gov/CyberSafety-Week).

**LOCAL RACE A SUCCESS**

Paulding County Hospital Foundation's First Annual "Strides for Scholarships" 5K/10K Relay/1 Mile Fun Walk was held on September 25<sup>th</sup> and was a huge success. Over 65 participants braved the cool weather to take part in the USATF Certified Course fund raiser. Overall winners of the 5K race were Josh Sprunger of Westland, MI for males with a time of 17 minutes, 32 seconds and for females the overall winner was Gina Geise of Cloverdale, OH with a time of 26 minutes, 21 seconds. Winners of the 10K Relay were Carrie English and Valerie Killion, both of Defiance, OH with a combined time of 62 minutes and 43 seconds. The furthest distance travelled by a runner to participate in the run was Joe Woods, who drove all the way from Columbus, Ohio. His goal in 2010 was to run a race in every county of Ohio and he was thrilled to find this Paulding County race to participate in. 19 awards were handed out to runners in various age categories. The platinum spon-



sor of this race was Fort Wayne Cardiology, a member of Parkview Physicians' Group. Due to the success of this event, the race will become an annual event, hopefully drawing more participation in the future. Proceeds of this event will help provide college schol-

arships for Paulding County high schools seniors seeking an education in healthcare.

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**OBITUARIES**

**Lois Irene Hoghe**, 58, of Antwerp passed away Saturday, October 2, 2010 at The Gardens of Paulding.

Lois was born in Paulding on June 2, 1952, a daughter of Reuhama (Kauffman) Klender and the late Raymond Klender.

She was the owner at Fireside Beauty Salon Antwerp and member of the Antwerp VFW Auxiliary.

Lois will be sadly missed by her son, Jeff (Melissa Gordon) Klender of Antwerp; mother, Reuhama Klender of Ossian, IN; sisters: Linda (Ronald) Heyerly of Ossian, IN and Anita (Terry) Myers of Wolcottville, IN; brothers: Edward (Jacquelyn) Klender of Hamilton, IN and Carl (Sandra) Klender of Columbia City, IN; and grandsons: Dante and Christian Klender.

Her funeral service is at Antwerp United Methodist Church at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, October 6, 2010 with viewing one hour prior at the church. She will be laid to rest at Maumee Cemetery.

Memorials are to the church and condolences and fond memories may be shared at [www.dooleyfuneralhome.com](http://www.dooleyfuneralhome.com)

**Jeremy Jay Lee**, 36, of An-

twerp passed away Monday, September 27, 2010 at his residence.

He was born in Tiffin, on December 7, 1973. Jeremy was a 1992 graduate of Wayne Trace High School. He attended Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church and had worked at Parker Hannifin, Hicksville. On December 3, 1998 he married Erika Zartman, who survives.

He will be sadly missed by his wife; sons: Ty, Nathan, Landon and Ross all at home; mother, Shirley Sherry (Frank) Lichty of Van Wert; father, Dennis (Karlann) Lee of Antwerp; sister, Laura Proxmire of Dublin; step-sisters: Emily Hughes of Antwerp and Mandy Lichty of Fort Wayne; grandmothers: Myrtle Lee of Payne and Mildred Sherry of Van Wert.

His funeral service was at Dooley Funeral Home, Antwerp, on Saturday, October 2, 2010. He will be laid to rest at Maumee Cemetery.

Memorials are to the family. Condolences and fond memories may be shared at [www.dooleyfuneralhome.com](http://www.dooleyfuneralhome.com)

**Lee Gordon**, 60, of Burbank, CA, formerly of Hicksville, died at his home September 28, 2010.

Lee was born June 22, 1950

in Defiance, Ohio, the son of Herman and Frieda (Williamson) Gordon.

Lee was a graduate of Antwerp High School. He earned his bachelor and masters degrees from Indiana Purdue Fort Wayne. He was united in marriage to Valerie Nelson on June 1, 1974. He was employed by UCLA Purchasing Department.

Lee is survived by his wife; a daughter, Jayne and her husband Ryan Elliott; his mother; and twin brother, Len.

Lee was preceded in death by his father.

The funeral service was held on October 2, 2010 at Smith & Brown Funeral Home, Hicksville, with Rick Scheer officiating. There was no visitation. Burial was at Bethel Cemetery.

Online condolences may be shared at [www.smithbrownfuneralhome.com](http://www.smithbrownfuneralhome.com)

**Richard A. Starry**, 70, of Antwerp, passed away September 28, 2010 at Parkview Hospital, Fort Wayne.

Richard was born in Antwerp, on July 1, 1940, a son of the late Pearl (Hoover) and Earl Starry. He was a carpenter and served in the U.S. Army.

He will be sadly missed by his daughter, Dianna (Garth) Willett of Defiance; son, Dennis of Youngstown; step-daughter, Denita Fulmer of Ayersville; step-son, Doug Fulmer of Payne; sister, Marge Proxmire of Paulding; and seven grandchildren.

Also preceding him in death are his sister, Helen Oller; and brothers: Harold and Donald.

His funeral service was at Dooley Funeral Home, Antwerp on Friday, October 1, 2010. Condolences and fond memories may be shared at [www.dooleyfuneralhome.com](http://www.dooleyfuneralhome.com)

**Carrol L. Schuchart**, 69, of Antwerp, passed away Sunday, September 26, 2010 at Saint Joseph Hospital, Fort Wayne.

Carrol was born in St. Joe, Indiana on June 24, 1941, a daughter of the late Cecil Likes and Mary (Lindsey)

Timmerman.

She was a member of the Paulding Homemakers Club and active in Girl Scouts. On September 20, 1959 she married Edward Schuchart, who survives.

Carrol will be sadly missed by her husband, Ed; daughters: Penny Gunnells of Paulding, Linda (Russell) Romero of Cecil, Pam Sinnes of Harlan; sisters: Katie Wetosky of New Haven, Juanita Baughman of Angola, and Barbara Savage of Auburn; brother, DeWayne Likes of Butler; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandsons. She is also preceded in death by her sister, Virginia.

Her funeral service was at Dooley Funeral Home, Antwerp on September 30, 2010. She will be laid to rest at Maumee Cemetery.

Condolences and fond memories may be shared at [www.dooleyfuneralhome.com](http://www.dooleyfuneralhome.com)

**SLOTH**

**By: Doris McKinley, Certified Youth Minister, Pathway Lutheran Church (LCMC)**

Webster's dictionary describes sloth as slovenly, lazy, idle, a slow moving animal.

Proverbs 6:6-8, "Look at the ant, you sluggard, consider her ways and be wise. Which having no captain, overseer or ruler she provides her supplies in the summer and gathers food in the harvest."

Did you know that a sloth is an animal that sleeps 18 hours a day? And it moves so slow that algae will grow in its fur? Most of us have days that we would love to sleep in, like on a cold winters morning or when we are sick with a cold or the flu. But how many of us act like a sloth when it comes to our faith or spiritual life? It is so easy to put off our devotions to another day or evening. We tell ourselves we will get up early the next Sunday and go to church and Sunday school and that God will understand that we are too tired this week to go to church. I am so thankful that God does not put me on the back burner the way I put Him there sometimes. The Bible talks a lot about being lazy and we know how we can improve our spiritual lives and that is by being an active

Christian and working to further the kingdom of God. So make an effort to open your Bible more, go to bed an hour earlier, turn the TV off and set down with God and we can fulfill our lives by living for Jesus Christ.

**ANTWERP COMMUNITY YOUTH CENTER NEWS**

In last week's paper you might have seen an article on the new Antwerp Community Youth Center (ACYC). If you haven't been by the former 'Park Station' in a while, you may not have seen the work being done there. Since the fire, the inside and outside of the building has received some much needed cleaning. We have had some new wiring done that should allow local musicians to come and play on the stage that will be receiving a new floor soon. Nucor Building Materials donated steel panels that we were able to put on the ceiling in the rec area. New paint is going on the walls and the bathrooms are being cleaned and painted.

There is still much work that needs to be done to make this building an appealing place for the teens of our community to spend their time. Volunteers are always welcome. We have not even begun to see what work needs to be done in the kitchen yet. The outside of the building will be receiving a fresh coat of paint once all the cement has been patched. We hope

to have this done soon as the weather is going to prevent us from working outside before long.

If you are interested in seeing the changes that are taking place in the building, you are invited to stop any time you see someone there working. We will be more than happy to walk you through the changes we have made and will be making. Saturdays are a great time to come out and help. The crew usually starts about 8:00 a.m. and works until they decide to quit for the day, usually after noon. Several evenings a week you can find someone there also.

We need community support to make this a good thing for the community.

**WHAT THE BIBLE SAYS ABOUT OVERCOME; OVER-COMETH**

**By: James Potter, Oakwood Church of Christ**

Today our subject is overcome and overcome. So get your Bible and concordance, and after prayer ask our heavenly Father to help us so we can study again together, letting God's work speak to each of us.

Means to overcome: Jesus has spoken to us in John 16:33 - These things I have spoken unto you, that in me ye might have peace. In the world ye shall have tribulation; but be of good cheer; I have overcome the world. Let

**Divine Mercy Catholic Parish Mass**

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<b>Thu. Oct. 7</b> Noon - 2 p.m. Cooper Library, Oakwood	<b>Thu. Oct. 14</b> 10 a.m. - Noon & 1 - 3 p.m. Gardens of Paulding
<b>Fri. Oct. 8</b> 9 - 11 a.m. & 1 - 3 p.m. Paulding Senior Center	
<b>Tue. Oct. 12</b> 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. First Christian Church, Paulding	

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God be true; Romans 3:3-4 - For what if some did not believe? Shall their unbelief make the faith of God without effect? God forbid: yea let God be true, but every man a liar; as it is written, that thou mightiest be justified in thy sayings, and mightiest overcome when thou art judged.

same shall be clothed in white raiment; and I will not blot out his name out of the book of life, but I will confess his name before my father, and before his angels.

Following his high school graduation, Basil left for the Navy where he spent the next 2½ years. Not knowing how to swim, Basil paid another prospective Navy man \$5.00 to tell take the swimming test for him. He passed and so began Basil's time in the Navy.

Department of Development, Regional Director, informing us what's going on in the region and the changes made for progress.

Ohio, this influx of students includes record numbers of freshmen from both in and out of state, which is not only a testament to the quality of our higher education system, but is promising news for the future of our region and state economy.

more college graduates to live, work and establish roots in Ohio.

Overcoming evil: Romans 12:21 - Be not overcome of evil, but overcome evil with good. What objects are we to overcome?

Christians shall inherit all things as children of God - Revelation 21:7 - He that overcometh shall inherit all things; and I will be his God, and he shall be my son.

While in the Navy, Basil, experienced an air raid and is very grateful to be alive today. He earned many medals during his 2½ years and he still has the original 13 buttons that were on his dress uniform. He proudly displays his medals and buttons in a frame on the wall in his apartment. He believes this display is part of his own history.

"There are brighter days ahead" was the main focus of his talk. There are things happening all over the region with Paulding County supporting 80% of the wind energy. Green Economy is what's going strong. Fuel cells, hybrid autos, wind power, and hydrogen power are no longer in the future, but today's hope. There is to be a day-long seminar at Ohio Northern University on October 20. This will help businesses to capitalize on wind energy in this region.

Freshman enrollment at Bowling Green State University, for example, has increased by more than 23 percent from 3,145 students in fall 2009 to 3,869 students this year. Defiance College also saw their part-time and full-time freshman enrollment grow by more than 20 percent from 2009 to 2010, while Northwest State Community College saw a 20 percent jump in students taking summer classes. In addition, approximately 6,800 freshmen began classes at Ohio State University on September 22, a considerable increase from last year, and the university recently announced a campaign to increase total enrollment at the school by 2,700 students by 2015.

Companies want to locate in states and cities with an educated, talented pool of workers, and conversely, college students are more likely to stay in Ohio if they have access to job opportunities and a good quality of life after they graduate.

Satan - 1 John 2:13,14, please read.

Please continue your study on these two subjects. As you study God is speaking to you through His inspired word and his word is truth. If you have Bible questions call Lonnie Lambert 419-399-5022 or James Potter 419-393-4775. Please give God a part of your day in prayer and Bible study, so that you can be truly blessed by knowing the truth of what the Bible says. Loved ones, Jesus loves you and so does the Oakwood church of Christ.

After returning home, Basil, married Ethelinda Siebenaler. They raised a family of three children, one girl and two boys. Basil now has nine grandchildren.

The Regional 166 Loan Program was revamped with more money being available at a lower interest.

This report shows that Ohio may be on the right track, but we still have a great deal of work left to do to improve the environment in our state for both businesses and workers of all ages.

The start of a new school year can be an exciting and anxious time, and I wish all Ohio college students the best of luck this year. You are the future of Ohio, and with that in mind, I will continue to do everything I can in the General Assembly to grow Ohio businesses and improve our state's job climate, support higher education and better the quality of life in our local communities.

World - 1 John 2:15 - Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the father is not in him.

As Christians God has promised for us: Be of God - 1 John 4:4 - Ye are of God, little children and have overcome them: because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world.

Basil worked for International Harvester. After retiring he spent many hours refinishing beautiful antique furniture. He also spent a lot of his spare time visiting with area shut-ins. Even today he mails humorous cartoons and quotes to many of his old friends.

The Job Creation Tax Credit has also been rewritten. They have also won a S.E.T.S. Grant. This is to lay out long-term plans for the region, all businesses new and old will gain attention from this.

This increase in enrollment means that more young people from Ohio will get the education and skills necessary to succeed in today's workforce. It also has the potential to provide a major boost to our economy in the coming years if we take steps to create a climate in Ohio that will encourage more of these highly-educated students to stay in the state after they graduate.

You can contact me with any questions, thoughts or concerns about state government issues. You can also write me, Senator Steve Buehrer, Ohio Senate, Statehouse, Columbus, Ohio, 43215, or contact me by phone at (614) 466-8150. In addition, I can be reached by email at SD01@senate.state.oh.us. For more information about my work in the Ohio Senate, please visit my page on the new Senate website at www.ohiosenate.gov/steve-buehrer.

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Christians will not hurt of the 2nd death - Revelation 2:11 - He that hath an ear let him hear what the spirit saith unto the churches; To him that overcometh will I give to eat of the tree of life, which is in the midst of the paradise of God.

Basil has adjusted very nicely to his new residence. He describes the Manor House as beautiful and the food as wonderful.

Good encouraged the patrons to think regionally—Northwest Ohio—to help each other out when we can.

To accomplish this goal, state leaders must continue to work to reduce excessive regulations and other barriers to business development and job growth in Ohio. More economic activity will help generate greater resources to invest in our cities and local communities to make them more attractive to college graduates. We must also continue to support our state's higher education system in whatever way possible.

In addition, I won support for legislation last year to create the Grants for Grads Program, which helps recent college graduates, who meet income guidelines and other eligibility requirements, receive down payment and closing cost assistance, as well as favorable mortgage interest rates through an Ohio Housing Finance Agency participating lender. The goal of the program is to help encourage

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Born in Mark Center, Ohio, Basil Schliesser now calls the Manor House his home. Basil spent his early years in Michigan and Connecticut. He and his family then moved to Hicksville where he attended school.

We look forward to having Basil as part of the Manor House family.

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Paulding County have two companies that are expanding. These include Haviland Plastics and Paulding-Putnam Electric Cooperative. This includes job creations. There are also other things in the works.

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Overcome the world - 1 John 5:5 - Who is he that overcometh the world, but he that beliveth that Jesus is the son of God.

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The dinner is held to thank those who help keep the Economic Development Program in Paulding County. Tony Langham, Director, works very hard for our county in helping and bringing in new business.

Tony replied that, "The future in Paulding County is going to be fine and stable. This is because of the work ethic of the people and Paulding County's location."

Tony encourages Paulding County residents to shop locally. These businesses survive on customers and if they closed they would be missed terribly by all and especially by those who can't or don't get out of town.

The atmosphere of the economy is in a transition. These dismal times are far from over, but there is a ray of sunshine finally peaking through to the average Joe. "Brighter Days are Ahead" certainly summed up the evening, and it definitely sums up the times.

We must hear - what Jesus and His chosen Apostles and inspired men. Revelation 2:7 - He that hath an ear, let him hear what the spirit saith unto the churches; To him that overcometh will I give to eat of the tree of life, which is in the midst of the paradise of God.

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BRIGHTER DAYS ARE AHEAD

By: Angel Steiner & Sue Knapp

The annual Economic Development Dinner was held Thursday evening (Sept. 30) at the Extension Building in Paulding County. There were 150 attendees who enjoyed the dinner catered by Grant's and the music provided by Dave Snyder.

The Economic Development Program has 100 members. The members have strong feelings about the mission of the program. The program keeps tabs on businesses, new and old, and what's going on in the county. The program also helps to start new business, with the loans they provide at a very low interest rate.

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**MUSEUM OF FAILURES**

**Winning the Battle for a Generation Column**  
**by: Rick Jones, Executive Director, Defiance Area Youth for Christ**

Have you ever failed at something over and over again before getting it right? A few weeks ago I read in Preaching Today's weekly illustration service about... R. O. Blechman, one of the most famous illustrators in the world. In his recent book, *Dear James: Letters to a Young Illustrator*, he shares a series of letters that he wrote to a younger fellow-illustrator. In one of the most poignant letters, Blechman addresses the reality of failure:

Preliminary drawings and sketches often are discouraging things, pale shadows of one's bold intentions. Seemingly nonsense, they're especially dispiriting for beginners... 'Is that what I did,' the novice might ask, 'and I consider myself an artist?!' ...Speaking for myself (but also for other illustrators, I'm sure), my trash basket is full of false starts and failed drawings... there should be a Museum of Failed Art. It would exhibit all the terrible art that would have ended

up in trash bins and garbage cans, lost and unknown to the public life.

Surprisingly, the Bible contains a "Museum of Failures." Over and over again, the Gospels record the "false starts" and spiritual failures of the disciples. Thankfully, they also record Christ's willingness to encourage and challenge his flawed followers. We tend to cover up our heroes' faults; and we're even more likely to gloss over our colossal flops. Instead, the Gospels allow us to see the disciples' failures—and most of those stories came from the disciples themselves. This honesty provides encouragement to us when we feel like saying, "Is that what I did, and I consider myself a Christian?"

With regard to the subject of failing and God's desire that we learn and move on from our past mistakes, the Apostle Paul offers us this insight into his philosophy of handling the past when he said... Philippians 3:13-14 (NIV), "But one thing I do: Forgetting what is behind and straining toward what is ahead, I press on toward the goal to win the prize for which God has called me heavenward in Christ Jesus."

**LATTA INTRODUCES LEGISLATION TO ASSIST COMMUNITIES WITH WATER INFRASTRUCTURE**

This week, Congressman Bob Latta (R-Bowling Green) introduced H.R. 6353, the Clean Water Affordability Act of 2010.

Currently, many municipal governments are under pressure from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for their wastewater infrastructure projects. The U.S. EPA is handing down mandates to these municipalities for them to upgrade their infrastructure with no financial assistance, forcing communities to foot the bill for the mandated projects.

If passed, H.R. 6353 would give municipalities extended loan repayment periods and require states to use 15 percent of funds available through the Water Pollution Control Revolving Fund to cover the cost of upgrades for communities with fewer than 10,000 residents that meet certain criteria. In addition, it will allow states to use up to 30 percent of total capitalization grants received by the state as grant funds. Finally, the bill will update the EPA's clean water affordability policy, which has put undue strains on the budgets of local communities.

"As I travel the Fifth District and meet with local elected officials, this topic continues to be one of their main concerns. During this time of economic uncertainty, local governments simply cannot afford these infrastructure costs and local residents cannot absorb the rate increases needed to fund these projects. This legislation, if passed, would provide municipal governments with additional resources to upgrade their wastewater infrastructure systems," Latta stated after introducing the legislation.

H.R. 6353 has been referred to the House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee.

**SCRIPPS NATIONAL SPELLING BEE REGISTRATION DEADLINE APPROACHES**

Schools throughout north-west Ohio and northeast Indiana should plan to enroll in the Scripps National Spelling Bee no later than October 15, 2010. This year, in partnership with Encyclopedia Britannica, Scripps is offering an incentive for schools (public, private, parochial, charter, virtual, and home schools) who register by September 30. Complete registration information is available on the [www.spellingbee.com](http://www.spellingbee.com) web site.

Locally, The Fort Wayne Journal Gazette; northeast Ohio Indiana and northwest Ohio Touchstone Energy\* Cooperatives, including Paulding Putnam Electric Cooperative; and IPFW sponsor the regional event. Students from 17 regional counties will compete in the 57<sup>th</sup> annual Journal Gazette Spelling Bee, to be held at the IPFW Rhinehart Music Center's Auer Auditorium on March 12, 2011. Competition culminates at the annual Scripps National Spelling Bee held in Washington, D.C. in spring 2011.

The Spelling Bee is designed to develop strong study skills, increase vocabulary and improve spelling. During the fall and winter, schools conduct spelling bee programs at the classroom, grade, and/or school level, and send their spelling champions to the county level in January and February. County bee dates will be announced at a later date.

**YOUR VOTE IS CRITICAL TO FUTURE OF OUR STATE**

**Capitol Letters Weekly Column by: Senator Steve Buehrer**

This moment is a critical period in the history of our state and country. Ohio's unemployment rate still hovers above 10 percent. Next spring, the General Assembly will be responsible for balancing our state's budget with billions of dollars less than we had two years ago. Our national debt has surpassed \$13 trillion and the federal government keeps on spending at a record pace. And, major changes are coming to our nation's health care system in the next few years that could have a significant financial impact on families and businesses in Ohio and other states.

On November 2, you will have an opportunity to vote for many of the men and women who will help lead us through this challenging and important time. From Governor to Congress to the Ohio House and Senate, dozens of races are up for grabs and the outcome of these contests could determine everything from how much taxes you pay to the quality and cost of the health care you receive to the success of our state and local communities in attracting new business development and creating jobs.

This past week, early voting began statewide for the November General Election. Since 2006, all eligible voters in Ohio have had the option of casting a no-fault absentee ballot by mail or in person at a designated early voting center beginning 35 days before a primary or

general election.

To request an absentee ballot, visit your local county board of elections or visit the Ohio Secretary of State's website at [www.sos.state.oh.us](http://www.sos.state.oh.us). Your application must provide your name, your legal signature, the address at which your registered to vote, your birth date and one of the following items showing proof of your identification: Ohio driver's license number, the last four digits of your Social Security number or a copy of a valid photo ID, military ID or a copy of a recent utility bill, bank statement, government check, paycheck or other government document that shows your name and current address.

Voters must also show one of these identifying documents at the polls on Election Day. However, if you forget, you will still be able to vote a provisional ballot, and may provide such identification to the board of elections within the 10 days following the election.

Voting is not only one of our fundamental rights as Americans but a special opportunity for citizens to choose their leaders and have a voice in the future direction of this country, our state and our cities and local communities. While all elections are important, this General Election comes at an especially significant time in our history. Therefore, I urge all eligible Ohioans in the 1st Senate District and across the state to get out and vote on or before November 2<sup>nd</sup>.

For more information about voting in Ohio, visit the Ohio Secretary of State's

website or contact your county board of elections.

You can also contact me with any questions, thoughts or concerns about state government issues. You can also write me, Senator Steve Buehrer, Ohio Senate, Statehouse, Columbus, Ohio, 43215, or contact me by phone at (614) 466-8150. In addition, I can be reached by email at [SD01@senate.state.oh.us](mailto:SD01@senate.state.oh.us). For more information about my work in the Ohio Senate, please visit my page on the new Senate website at [www.ohiosenate.gov/steve-buehrer](http://www.ohiosenate.gov/steve-buehrer).

**PAULDING COUNTY HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS & DISMISSALS**

*Admissions:*  
 9/21 - Gerald Danger, Paulding  
 9/23 - Warren Lucas, Lat-ty  
 9/23 - Joseph Heffner, Paulding  
*Dismissals:*  
 9/21 - George Bright, Antwerp  
 9/24 - Gerald Dangler, Paulding  
 9/26 - Joseph Heffner, Paulding


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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**OCTOBER**

**Sunday, 10th, 2:00-4:00pm - MEMORY LANE BAND**  
 - It's been around for a while, but first time to the Huber Stage. It's really some good toe-tapping music to "take your back". Tickets only \$5 in advance at the Huber or a the door on Sunday.

**Friday & Saturday, 15 & 16 7:30; Saturday & Sunday, 16 & 17 at 2:30pm** - The Village Players present "The Hound of the Baskervilles" by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's. Tickets are \$10, \$8 & \$6

**Saturday, 23rd** - BARBARA LeMAY, mezzo soprano, in Recital. The Pianist - Sandra Baelzhold. Selections from Brahms, Schumann, Fauro—and from "Carmen" and "The Marriage of Figuro"

**Sunday, 31st** - HUBER DRAMA AND TOUR... "MEET ME AT THE HEADSTONE!" Curious? You SHOULD be!! Go to the Cemetery in style Courtesy of Premier Limos... Call the Huber for details.

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Cost: \$100 if payment is made at the time of service.  
 You must be 35 years or older to participate.

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**LETTER TO THE EDITOR**

This summer, ODOT had planned to do repairs to the Route 49 bridge north of Antwerp at a time that would have interfered greatly with soybean harvest and the Antwerp School bus routes.

After being contacted by local people, Representative Lynn Wachtmann and Senator Steve Buehrer contacted ODOT and got the repairs rescheduled for an earlier date so as not to cause negative safety and economic issues for the Antwerp area. It is important to have government officials who respond to local

appeals. —Tony Langham, Paulding Co. Economic Development

**IT'S A WEATHER THING**

**By: Kylee Baumle, Master Gardener**

This is the time of year that phenology exhibits itself in a big way. What's phenology, you ask? It's the study of environmental events that coincide with the climate or weather. Literally, it's Greek for "the science of appearances." For example, some people say the woolly bear caterpillars predict the kind of winter we'll have by their color. The darker they are, the colder or more severe the winter will be.

Paying attention to natural events is nothing new, in fact, it's ancient, going back to the earliest agricultural times. Farmers have long taken note of the events around them to help determine planting times. Years of observation have taught them well how to read weather trends.

You probably have practiced phenology, too. Who hasn't heard, "Red sky at night, sailor's delight. Red sky at morning, sailors take warning?" Have you ever noticed how one year the oak trees produce thousands of acorns and considerably less the next? You know those frogs that sing in the night when the weather begins to warm in spring? All of these fall under the heading of phenology.

Personally, I've taken note of when I see the first lightning bug of the season. In the past, I have seen the first one light up on the first day of summer, give or take only

a day or two. This year, I saw my first firefly on June 6th, well ahead of schedule. But as you know, nearly everything was earlier than normal this year.

I wasn't really surprised that the lightning bugs were early, because I had observed the blooming of certain plants like the crocuses and snowdrops ahead of schedule. I noticed my roses had green buds on their stems considerably earlier than normal. All of these things led me to believe that the early spring-like weather we had was spring in earnest and not just those teaser days we sometimes have.

Some phenological events have inaccurate meanings attributed to them. It's been said that when the cicadas sing, it's six weeks until first frost. Not here in northwest Ohio, as they generally begin their droning in July. "Knee-high by the 4th of July" doesn't mean a normal growth rate for corn, because corn around here reaches that height well before the 4th. That particular phrase means that if the corn isn't knee-high by then, there likely isn't enough growing time left in the season to produce a good crop.

These observations are meaningful and are actually used by scientists to study things like climate change. Nature provides us with many cues if we simply observe them. Have you seen the geese flying south yet?

**LATTA SPENDING CUT PROPOSAL FEATURED IN "YOU-CUT" PROJECT THIS WEEK**

This past week, during the "YouCut" program sponsored by House Republican Whip Eric Cantor (R-VA), Congressman Bob Latta (R-Bowling Green) submitted a spending cut proposal that would reduce funding for the Wild Horse and Burro Program and would save taxpayers approximately \$280 million over ten years.

Since 1971 the Department of Interior has managed a program to maintain and support the wild horse and burro population that roam federal lands. This program received \$64 million in funding this year, an increase of 77% compared to the 2008 level. Various administrations have struggled to achieve a sustainable population of wild horses and burros. The long-term budgetary need to reduce the program has been unclear for the Bureau of Land Management to manage the program. While legislative and administrative action may also be necessary, by reducing spending to fiscal years 2008 levels, this cut would achieve savings of \$28 million this year alone for taxpayers.

Congressman Latta is encouraging his constituents to participate in the YouCut program by visiting <http://republicanwhip.house.gov/YouCut/or> texting "YOU-CUT5" to 68398. If Congressman Latta's spending cut proposal receives the highest number of votes this week, it will be brought to the House floor later this week for vote.

Since May, over 1.9 million votes have been cast and House Republicans have offered more than \$155 billion cuts through the YouCut project.

**CO-OPS GENERATE BILLIONS IN INCOME WHILE SUPPORTING COMMUNITY CAUSES LIKE EDUCATION & THE ENVIRONMENT, STUDY FINDS**

You know the old adage "everyone gets a piece of the pie." In a cooperative, this adage is more than just an interesting observation. It's a statement of fact. In a cooperative, everyone who is a member of that cooperative has an equal voice in how it is run. That's because cooperatives are owned and democratically controlled by the people who use their services or buy their goods. At Farm Credit Services of Mid-America, a \$15.5 billion agriculture lending cooperative, that voice is heard through a member-elected board of directors.

Not to mention that cooperative businesses - like Farm Credit - generate hundreds of thousands of jobs and billions in income for their communities while also supporting local causes ranging from education to the environment, according to a series of case studies compiled to help mark October as National Co-op Month.

The 20-plus pages of case studies, put together by the National Co-op Month Planning Committee, show that co-ops take a back seat to no other sector when it comes to making economic and charitable contributions to their communities.

Nearly 3,000 farmer cooperatives, for example, account for as many as 300,000 jobs nationwide and a total payroll of more

than \$8 billion. Some 270 local, consumer-owned telecommunications cooperatives employ an average of 47 people each and generate more than \$2 billion in revenues annually.

But that's not all co-ops do. They also have a strong commitment to the communities in which their members live and work. Every day, in every sector, through cash contributions and volunteerism, co-ops support local causes ranging from education to the environment. They also invest in new community businesses.

Cooperatives are strong supporters of community youth programs as well. As an example, each year, Farm Credit funnels over \$1 million into community projects and youth and young farmer support.

It is no coincidence that co-ops show a special loyalty to their communities. As member-controlled enterprises, co-ops are run largely by the people who live and work in the communities they serve. "That gives them a different perspective from businesses owned by distant investors," said Scott Parker, Financial Services Officer. Cooperatives serve 120 million members, or four in 10

Americans. They operate in virtually every industry and range in size from small storefronts to Fortune 500 companies.

"Community is not just where we work; it's why we work," Parker said. "Cooperatives are motivated to serve their members, not outside investors. Doing that means we must also serve the communities in which our members live, work and play."

"At a time of increasing concern about the national economy, co-ops are creating jobs, income and opportunity in their communities every day," Scott Parker added. "Sure, investor-owned businesses generate jobs and make charitable contributions. But for co-ops it's more personal. It's a critical part of where we work, what we do and why we do it."

**MONTHLY SENIOR BREAKFAST AT GARDENS OF PAULDING**

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**A BEAR STORY**

**By: Stan Jordan**

Like any other of my bear stories, I don't know how much of this is true.

Antwerp's Fabulous Four Bear Hunters have taken to the Canadian Wilds again. I always thought that these woodsmen used high powered deer rifles, but I have been told that they all used bows and arrows.

Let me tell you again who these mountain men are: Ray and Tom Friend, Dave Bagley and Steve Jordan, my fearless nephew.

Steve's late father, James Jordan, was a collector of fire-arms and he would be upset if he knew his son had turned to archery. James was a very good shot and Archery would be below his level.

This Fearless Four had gone back to where Steve had that run in with a pole cat some time back. Ray tells me that skunk is an old long-time native of that camp. No one can shoot him because he would stink up the camp for days.

That story I told about Steve napping in the woods and when he woke up this pole cat was laying on his leg. That was all true. Well, as I

understand, today's tale took place in about the same area.

Dave Bagley was hunting some distance away but on his cell phone he told Steve about a huge black bear in the area. He couldn't get a clear shot on that bruiser, a trophy of a lifetime, he might be coming that way.

Indeed he was, Steve looked around a tree on down the trail and that bear was a big one. When he saw Steve he stood up on his back feet and he was 7-8 feet tall. "Oh boy, what trophy it will cost a year's wages to have him mounted, I will stand him right in the hall, where everyone can see what a big bear I shot."

Steve raised his bow up. It was a seventy pound pull but it could drop this baby. Steve had one of those long sights and put the cross hairs right on the bear's chest on the side where the heart is.

Steve was fairly calm even though the situation was a chance in a lifetime. "That bruin will stop in a second and when he does, my screaming arrow will go deep into his heart. Oh what a morning."

What Steve didn't know was a mouse had been chewing on the line of his bow and had weakened it badly. When the tension on the line reached almost seventy pounds the line broke. Oh my goodness, when it broke Steve's right arm came flying back towards his face and crashed into Steve's nose. Oh, what a mess, the blood flew, it covered both of his eyes but after wiping his face with his shirt sleeve he could see that big bear just shake his head and grin a little bit and walk off on down the trail.

Steve fumbled around

with his cell phone and punched number 6. That was Ray Friend's call. He said, "I just missed a shot of a lifetime on a huge black bear and he might be coming you way so be ready!"

Ray said, "I just saw him go by in a thicket, I couldn't get a good shot at him so I didn't shoot. But I don't think you scared him much because when I last saw him, he was imitating a little 3<sup>rd</sup> grade girl and was moving on down the trail toward the lake doing hopscotch."

I guess the moral of this tale (if there is any), in advertising circles, it would be, "Don't send a bow and arrow to do a rifle's job."



**By: Stan Jordan**

**Church Bulletin Bloopers**

\*\*The Ladies Bible Study will be held Thursday morning at 10:00. All ladies are invited to lunch after the B.S. is done.

\*\*The Pastor would appreciate it if the ladies would lend him their electric girdles for the pancake breakfast next Sunday.

\*\*The Low Self-Esteem Group will meet next Tuesday at 7:00-8:30 p.m. Please use the back door.

\*\*For those who have children and don't know it, we have a nursery downstairs.

\*\*The Reverend Meriwether spoke briefly much to the delight of the audience.

\*\*The Pastor will give his farewell message after which the choir will sing, 'Break forth in Joy'.

See ya!

**LETTER TO THE EDITOR**

*Me, Myself and I*

I would like to know the present and future of the bridge on the Maumee River on SR 49 north of Antwerp. It was recently closed for seventeen days while the north and south approaches were worked on.

To me the situation there is worse than when they started to work on it. The southbound lane on the north end is atrocious. The bump there is so bad it could knock your front end out of line or some other unfortunate breakage.

We who live north of the river drove at least 10 miles out of the usual line of travel to get to town, but we didn't

gain anything. At least one approach is worse than it was.

That bridge is about sixty years old. Are the powers-that-be going to let it go as-is for another sixty years?

Can someone tell us why that job was done as is and called finished in such a deplorable condition? Is that construction boss proud of his work? And the state inspector, did he approve that job?

These are my own questions, it does not reflect any of the people at West Bend News.

Anyone who buys gasoline pays about forty-six cents for gas tax and that money is used for road and bridge repair. I know that.

Money is tight right now and I think the people of this area have been hornswoggled.

—Stan Jordan

**THE DEATH OF THE RED BARON**

**By: Stan Jordan**

In the past, maybe I stretched the truth a little about flying with Snoopy the World War I Flying Ace.

But I'm going to tell you what I know about the shooting down and death of Manfred VonRichtoven, The Red Baron.

There is a little discussion about who and how the Red Baron was shot down, but a Lt. Roy Brown was the man of record by the officials at that time.

Roy Brown was born in Canada in 1915 about thirty miles west of Ottawa. He was the middle one of five children.

His father had a business as a Miller, but after hydro-electric power reached that area he went into the electric business.

Brown did well in high school but leaned toward a future in accounting and helping in his father's business. Brown, in 1915 joined the Army Officers Training Corps. as an Officer Cadet. He graduated out of there in November.

The WWI was on over in Europe, so he was sent over there in 1915 in November, and had more training at Chinford Barracks.

In September of 1916 he was sent to East Church Gunnery School. Then early in 1917 he went to Cranwell for more advanced training.

It was on July 17 that he got his first kill. He was flying coastal patrol out of England while flying a Dehavand Pup. He was promoted to Flight Lieutenant at that time.

Then Brown was transferred to #9 Squadron. He was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross. He was now flying a Sopwith Camel.

Brown was made a Flight Commander in the spring of 1918. Brown was not a well man, but he got two more kills on the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> of April.

On the morning of April 21 his 206<sup>th</sup> Squadron was on a combat patrol when they were set upon by a gaggle of Jagdstaffel-11 led by Manfred VonRichtoven, The Red Baron, Germany's top ace!

Brown's buddy, a fellow named Wop May got into trouble with The Red Baron and his guns jammed, so May headed to the ground

with The Red Baron right on his tail.

Both of these pilots were at tree top level, that is May and the Red Baron, and Brown was coming up to help May out.

They were all at tree top level and over the Somme area and there was a lot of machine gun fire at the planes from an Australian Gun Company on the ground.

Well, VonRichtoven crashed just over a low hill. His body had been hit by a single bullet.

When Brown turned in his report whether he killed the Baron, he wrote "indecisive." But his commanding officer changed it to "decisive" and gave Brown the official credit. But some of the Aussie machine gunners on the ground thought they could see their tracers going right into The Red Baron's plane. So, there has been a lot of discussion on the subject over the years but Lt. Roy Brown is the man of record.

Brown revisited the wreck and became very emotional about the passing of such a great pilot.

VonRichtoven was buried in this area with all military honors as if he was an American. Everyone realized that the war lost a great flier and competitor. After the war he was removed to the family plot in Germany.

After the war Brown returned to Canada and

worked as an accountant. He died of a heart attack on March 9, 1944 and is buried in Stouffville, Ontario.

See ya!

**ATTENTION VOTERS**

Republican candidate yard signs will be distributed Saturday the 9<sup>th</sup> at the Paulding County Fairgrounds. We will have both statewide and local signs available. Hours are 9:00-11:00 a.m. For more information call Fred Pieper 419-399-9021.

**ANTWERP LOCAL SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS FOR THE WEEK OF 10/13 THROUGH 10/19**

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10/14 - Cheeseburger on bun or Chicken strips, pickle, tator tots, peaches, milk; PLUS: Salad bar or Brownies

10/15 - Fiesta pizza or Ham salad sandwich, vanilla wafer, carrots, Archer apple-sauce, milk; PLUS: Salad bar or Cook's choice

10/18 - Sloppy joe or Ham & cheese on bun, rosey apple-sauce, mixed vegetables, milk; PLUS: Salad bar or Cook's choice

10/19 - Hamburger gravy or Pork fritter on bun, mashed potatoes, pears, milk; PLUS: Salad bar or Deviled eggs

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in the classroom and on the playground. Jacob enjoys many sports - basketball, baseball, and especially running! His ready smile and warm personality are a wonderful addition to the classroom environment.

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### WHOOPIING COUGH RETURNS TO NORTHWEST OHIO

Whooping Cough, a respiratory disease, makes a reappearance every few years. According to the Ohio Department of Health, 41% of Ohio counties have increased cases this year, 55% have decreased cases and 4% remained the same as last year. In Northwest Ohio, this year appears to be our year according to the Paulding County Health Department. Some of our surrounding counties have been struggling with the disease for months. Paulding County is starting to see sporadic cases now, and with cold and flu season coming we expect to see more pertussis, also.

Throughout the U.S., pertussis is thought to account for up to 7% of cough illness in adults per year. It's caused by the Bordetella Pertussis bacteria and starts with symptoms similar to a common cold. In about two weeks the cough becomes more severe with numerous rapid coughs followed by a whooping sound when taking a breath in. Thick mucus may be discharged with the coughing. This disease is very hard on infants whose respiratory passageways are very small. Babies are at risk of severe complications such as pneumonia, seizures, disorders of the brain, and death. The typical coughing spell may be different or not as severe in the very young, adolescents, older people, and partially immunized persons. Vac-

cine immunity tends to wear off after a few years so levels of protection vary with each person.

The most effective control measure for this disease is maintaining the highest level of immunity in the community. Children need to be immunized with the DTaP (diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis) at two, four, six, 15-18 months and at four to six years. It is not safe to get behind on these vaccinations. Remember, no vaccine provides 100% protection. Because the immunity effects of the vaccine lessen as years pass, the Center for Disease Control recommends a booster dose for those going into the 7<sup>th</sup> grade. This is mandatory in Ohio as this will help to stop the spread of disease to the most vulnerable (the babies) who take over a year to become fully immunized. It's also recommended that parents and caregivers of babies and young children get boosters for this same reason.

The disease is spread primarily by direct contact with the discharges from the nose and throat of infected individuals. This means that prevention is the same as for flu prevention and includes: vaccine, hand washing, distancing oneself from ill people, covering coughs, nutritious diets, and adequate rest. Very close contacts (such as household members) of persons having the disease may need to take antibiotics even if they do not have any symptoms. These persons should contact their physician for instructions.

Other contacts should watch for cold symptoms starting within three weeks of the last exposure of the ill person (the incubation period) and contact their physician if these develop.

The disease is treated effectively with antibiotics. Without antibiotics, the person is infectious for at least three weeks past the start of the cough. Taking proper antibiotics for five days will render the person NOT infectious. Please be aware, the antibiotics MAY NOT cure the cough, but the person will NOT be infectious.

Please remember this disease is always around to a degree, but it is treatable. Vaccines for our young children tend to provide the most protection.

### ODOT CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE PROJECTS WEEK OF OCTOBER 4, 2010

**Defiance County:**  
Ohio 15 north of Ohio 15/18 split - Slope repair and guardrail removal will reduce traffic to one lane through the work zone. Work is being performed by Defiance County ODOT.

Ohio 2/49 between Columbus Street and Ohio 49, Defiance - Sidewalk construction is under way with short-term lane closures required during daytime hours only. Work will continue until late October. Work is being performed by R. G. Zachrich, Defiance.

Ohio 66 at Downs Street - Intersection upgrade project is under way with traffic maintained through the work zone. The project is expected to continue through October. Work is being performed by Smith Paving and Excavating, Norwalk.

Ohio 66/U.S. 24 interchange reconstruction, De-

fiance. This project has received funding through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act. - Ohio 66 (Clinton Street) bridge over U.S. 24 opened to traffic on August 17. The entire project is expected to be completed in mid November.

Ramp work will continue as follows:

The ramps on the north side of the interchange (the exit ramp from westbound U.S. 24 to Ohio 66, and the entrance ramp from Ohio 66 to westbound U.S. 24) closed August 26 for reconstruction and are scheduled to re-open on Friday, October 1 by noon.

Traffic during this closure phase of the project will be detoured as follows:

-Westbound exit ramp from U.S. 24 westbound to Ohio 66 - Traffic detoured onto U.S. 24, Ohio 15/18, east on U.S. 24 back to Ohio 66.

-Westbound entrance ramp from Ohio 66 to westbound U.S. 24 - Traffic detoured east onto U.S. 24 to Domersville Road back to westbound U.S. 24.

Traffic is maintained through the work zone on Ohio 66 from the U.S. 24 interchange to Sessions Avenue during drainage, widening and the installation of a raised curb median. A wide load restriction is currently in place from Ohio 15 to Elliott Road. Work is being performed by Mosser Construction, Fremont.

**Paulding County:**  
Ohio 49 north of Antwerp to the Defiance County line - Berm work will reduce traffic to one lane through the work zone. Work is being performed by Paulding County ODOT.

Ohio 613 between County Road 123 and Township Road 117 - Route closed September 27 for two weeks for a culvert replacement. Traffic detoured onto U.S. 127, Ohio 114 and Ohio 637 back to Ohio 613. Work is being performed by Paulding County ODOT.

River Street (County Road 424/old U.S. 24) from Main Street to Island Street in the village of Antwerp - Road

closed August 5 for 60 days for pavement reconstruction, water line, sidewalk and curb work. Work is being performed by Diversified Road and Pipe, Whitehouse.

### WT 8<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS PUSH FOR TOUGH WIN WITH EDGERTON

The Wayne Trace 8<sup>th</sup> grade football team as they defeated a good Edgerton team by a score of 26-14. The Raiders were led by Tyler Showalter with 3 touchdowns. Jacob Dingus also added a touchdown. Jacob Arend rushed for a tough 85 yards. Big Offensive line blocks were made by Hank Sinn, Riley Moore, JP Pierce, Kyler Showalter, Iziah Greathouse, Isaac Ludwig, Matt Baxter, Cassidy Hilkey and JC Weaver. Matt Baxter had an interception on defense. The 8th grade Raiders move to 4-0 on the season.

### CAR SHOW AT THE PAULDING CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

The Paulding Church of the Nazarene will host a car show on Saturday, October 9, 2010. The car show will include: cars, trucks and motorcycles. The show will start at 10:00 a.m. and last until 3:00 p.m. Hot food will be served and prizes will be given away throughout the day.

Please call 419-399-3932 for more information regarding the car show and its entry fee.

### PEVS BREAKFAST & LUNCH MENUS FOR 10/13 THROUGH 10/19

- MS/HS - Breakfast:
  - 10/13 - Ham, egg & cheese croissant, juice, milk
  - 10/14 - French toast stix, sausage links, juice, milk
  - 10/15 - Sausage gravy w/ biscuits, juice, milk
  - 10/18 - Breakfast pizza, juice, milk
  - 10/19 - Tator tots/cheese sauce, sausage links, juice, milk
- MS/HS - Lunch:
  - 10/13 - Country fried steak, whipped potatoes w/gravy or Beef stew w/biscuit, assorted

fruit, milk  
10/14 - Meatball sub, baby carrots w/dip, assorted fruit, milk  
10/15 - Grilled chicken w/ bun, oven potatoes, assorted fruit, milk  
10/18 - Pizza sticks w/ marinara sauce or Breaded chicken w/bun, green beans, fruit, milk  
10/19 - Mandarin chicken salad, garlic toast, assorted fruit, milk

*Paulding Elementary - Breakfast:*  
10/13 - Cinnamon cheese sticks, graham crackers, applesauce, milk  
10/14 - Muffin, graham crackers, applesauce, milk  
10/15 - Pancakes, juice, milk  
10/18 - Cereal bar, graham crackers, juice, milk  
10/19 - Assorted cereals, graham crackers, juice, milk

*Paulding Elementary - Lunch:*  
10/13 - Chicken nuggets, whipped potatoes w/gravy, bread, fruit, milk  
10/14 - Pizza, green beans, fruit, milk  
10/15 - Fish w/bun, broccoli tots, fruit, milk  
10/18 - Turkey deli w/bun, mini carrots, oatmeal cake, fruit, milk  
10/19 - Salisbury steak, whipped potatoes w/gravy, bread, fruit, milk

*Oakwood Elementary - Breakfast:*  
10/13 - Assorted cereals, crackers, fruit, milk  
10/14 - Breakfast burrito, fruit, milk  
10/15 - Assorted cereals, crackers, fruit, milk  
10/18 - Breakfast pizza, fruit, milk  
10/19 - Pancakes, fruit, milk

*Oakwood Elementary - Lunch:*  
10/13 - Pizza Burger w/ bun, corn, fruit, milk  
10/14 - Taco in a bag, lettuce, fruit, milk  
10/15 - Chicken & noodles, peas, bread, fruit, milk  
10/18 - Popcorn chicken, whipped potatoes, gravy, bread, fruit, milk  
10/19 - Breaded chicken w/bun, corn fruit, milk

*Menus are subjected to change.*

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### Upcoming WEATHER Forecast

**Wed, Oct 6** - Mostly Sunny, High 71° - Low 44°

**Thu, Oct 7** - Mostly Sunny, Hi 70° - Low 40°

**Fri, Oct 8** - Sunny, High 71° - Low 42°

**Sat, Oct 9** - Sunny, High 71° - Low 45°

**Sun, Oct 10** - Sunny, High 71° - Low 48°

**Mon, Oct 11** - Mostly Sunny, High 70° - Low 45°

**Tue, Oct 12** - Sunny, Hi 66° - Low 46°

Northern states. Forecasters are predicting that this La Nina could be just as strong. Another October trend is that since daylight is getting shorter, temperatures obviously began to drop with widespread frost on most nights. With the moderate La Nina present in the Pacific Ocean, by the end of October we could have our first snowfall of the season. With the cooler temperatures coming, the temperature differences between the northern states and the southern states will become greater. Soon stronger storm systems will develop with the temperature difference and we should have greater than normal precipitation this month. Also because of the temperature differences, pressures differences are also greater between north and south. With a greater pressure gradient, our fall days are going to become windier, which will make the days feel colder. Even though a warm up is expected this week, our temperatures will cool down again.

### OCTOBER TRENDS AND WINTER FORECASTS

**By: Josh Steiner**  
 This October will be the decider for what happens this winter weather-wise. One thing is the La Nina, which is forecasted to strengthen from moderate to very strong in strength. A La Nina is part of a weather pattern that influences weather worldwide: El Nino/La Nina Southern Oscillation (ENSO). In a La Nina, the Eastern Pacific's normally cool waters become even colder than usual because of a shift in trade winds. When this happens, a drought occurs in South America and causes flooding rains in Asia. It not only affects Pacific weather, but also in North America. La Nina's, usually cause unusually hot weather in North America over the summer but causes extreme snowfall and cold temperatures in the northern states and warm and dry conditions in the South with the threat of ice storms in between during the winter. A very strong La Nina happened during the year of 2007-2008 which produced copious amounts of snowfall in the Great Lakes region and across most of the

On average, we have 3-4 big arctic waves that move down from Canada in the form of big storm systems. The first one occurred in Mid-September of this year when temperatures dropped from the 90's to the 60's and 70's, and the second one is expected to occur in mid-October, which will drop our temperatures to the 40's and 50's. The third wave is forecasted for either late-October or early-November, dropping temperatures to the 30's and 40's, with a last wave which could drop our temperatures to the 20's in December.

I have compiled my own winter forecast for the 2010-2011 winter from all my research. As forecasts become more definite, I will make updates in my articles.

This winter will be a very wet and cold winter season across the Pacific Northwest.

A Pacific Jet stream will bring these storm systems into the Northwest with heavy rain-falls and heavy inland heavy snowfall. The coastal areas will be near average temperature wise, but inland and mountainous regions will be much colder than last year. Also, the Alberta Clippers will be more common this year across the Northern Rockies leading to accumulating and above average snowfall. In the Northern Plains, storm systems will be throughout the winter season bringing them above average snowfall thanks to the Alberta Clippers.

The Great Lakes region will have a much different story this winter. Instead of warmer weather, and a snow drought like last year, we will be constantly bombarded by storm systems and Alberta Clippers keeping snowfall amounts above normal and temperatures well below normal for December. By January, a warm up is expected to bring temperatures closer to normal; then by February the snow machine will crank into high gear well into April.

Across the Southwest, The Southern Plains, and the Southeast and Deep South, temperatures will be well above normal with dry conditions, except for frequent severe weather events in Florida. The south will not be as cold this year because two dominant high pressure systems will prevail across the south, one in the Desert Southwest and one in the Southeast. One or two lows will develop in the Gulf of Mexico and head up the east coast possibly bringing a snow or ice storm.

In the Mid-Atlantic, temperatures will be much warmer than last year and things will be much drier. With the storms that do hit the region, ice storms and rain will be common and possibly an occasional snowstorm. Now possibly one or two Alberta Clippers will be able to break through the high pressure ridge and bring the area a wave of cold air and a decent snowfall. Farther north, snow will be much more likely and cold air waves much more frequent especially across the New England states. If this is the case there will be several snowstorms but snowfall should remain about average in this area with possibly spotty areas of above average snowfall.

La Nina winters are known for their deadly ice storms. So this winter we all need to be prepared regardless of whether we have a bad winter.

If you have questions, please email me at: storm\_reportsjoshua@yahoo.com and we will try our best to answer these questions and put them in the newspaper. You may ask questions about anything weather related and/or about any of my articles.

"My vote against the adjournment resolution today was on behalf of my constituents and the majority of Americans who want Congress to stay in session and stop all of the tax increases set to take effect on January 1st. I have repeatedly called for these tax cuts to be passed permanently.

"Without action this week, families and businesses across America are still left wondering what will happen to them at the end of the year. By delaying this vote until November or December, we are one step closer to the largest tax increase in our nation's history if no action is taken before December 31, 2010 when these tax cuts will expire.

"As I continue to tour businesses large and small across my district, I ask them what Congress needs to do to get our economy back on track. They tell me over and over that Congress continues to kill the entrepreneurial spirit that has made our country great. It is time for Congress to pass legislation that will help stimulate real economic growth, and stop these tax hikes."

### WBESC OCTOBER MEETING SET

Western Buckeye Educational Service Center Governing Board Regular October Meeting is set for Thursday, October 14, 2010 at 6:00 p.m. The meeting will take place at Van Wert ESC Office which is located at 10730 W. Lincoln Hwy., Van Wert, OH.

### LATTA SIGNS LETTER ASKING FOR PROMPT REVIEW OF EPA MANDATES FOR LOCAL WATER & SEWER INFRASTRUCTURE REQUIREMENTS

This past week, Congressman Bob Latta (R-Bowling Green) signed onto a letter asking the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure to assist the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in reviewing its 1997 guidance document Combined Sewer Overflows—Guidance for Financial Capability Assessment and Schedule Development.

The letter highlights the financial strain placed on municipal governments as they are forced to adhere to stringent requirements from the U.S. EPA regarding Combined Sewer Overflows. These requirements are often centered on mandates from the EPA requiring local governments to upgrade their current water infrastructure systems with no assistance in covering the financial costs of these upgrades.

"As I travel the Fifth District and meet with local elected officials, this topic continues to be one of their main concerns. During this time of economic uncertainty, local governments simply cannot afford these infrastructure costs and local residents cannot absorb the rate increases needed to fund these projects. The U.S. EPA must take a serious look at their requirements and start working with local governments to find a solution that will continue to provide clean water to communities while keeping costs reasonable," Latta stated after signing the letter.

### LADY WARRIORS VOLLEYBALL RECEIVES 2009-10 AVCA TEAM ACADEMIC AWARD

**By: Jeff Abbott**  
 The American Volleyball Coaches Association recognized the Woodlan Warriors' volleyball team as a recipient of the 2009-2010 AVCA Team Academic Award. The award honors teams that matched excellence in the classroom with dedication to the sport of volleyball. The AVCA honors high school and collegiate programs that have maintained at least a 3.30 GPA (on a 4.0 scale). Woodlan's varsity team won this award with a 3.9 cumulative GPA. The Warriors were one of 164 high school teams across the nation to win this award and 1 of 5 in the state of Indiana. This was the second year in a row that Woodlan has been recognized with this distinction.

2009 Woodlan Warrior varsity team members:  
 Serana Fuelling, graduate; Brittany Shinn, graduate; Allie Spindler, graduate; Grace Keller, senior; Megan Kirkwood, senior; Stephanie Oberlin, senior; Amy Potter, senior; Tricia Sieger, senior; Jaimie Zehr, senior; Hannah Robbins, sophomore

### WT LOCAL SCHOOLS BREAKFAST & LUNCH MENUS FOR THE WEEK OF 10/13 THROUGH 10/19

**Breakfast:**  
 9/13 - Pancakes, sausage, milk, juice  
 9/14 - Egg/cheese omelet, milk, juice  
 9/15 - Turnover, milk, juice  
 9/18 - Pizza, milk, juice  
 9/19 - Egg/cheese/bacon muffin, milk, juice

**Lunch:**  
 9/13 - Chicken noodles, mashed potatoes, carrot sticks, yum yum cake, milk  
 9/14 - Corn dog, seasoned fries, sherbet/fruit, milk; WT: BBQ pork sand-

wich  
 9/15 - Cheese or Chicken quesadilla, tossed salad, mandarin oranges, milk  
 9/18 - Hot dog/bun, potato chips/pretzels, corn, mixed fruit, milk; WT: Foot long coney dogs  
 9/19 - Breaded chicken sandwich, tator tots, apple-sauce, cookie, milk  
*Menus are subject to change.*

### LCC BLOCKS PAULDING

LCC traveled to Paulding on 9/28 to make a challenge at the net.  
 Paulding JV Scores: 25-22, 22-25, 25-20  
 Varsity Scores:  
 Set 1: PHS 25, LCC 20  
 Set 2: PHS 25, LCC 17  
 Set 3: PHS 17, LCC 25  
 Set 4: PHS 13, LCC 25  
 Set 5: PHS 13, LCC 15  
 Panther stats:  
 Blocks - Jessica Farr 7; Rachel 2; Kristen Beck 3; Mesa Pracht 4  
 Kills - Jessica Farr 6; Kristen Beck 9; Ashley Myers 10  
 Points off Serving - Kristen Beck 10/10; Kayla Owens 20/21; Nicole Gebers 16/16; Ashley Myers 13/14; Mesa Pracht 13/16  
 Setter Assists - Mesa Pracht 18; Rachel Razo 14  
 Digs - Kayla Owens 21; Rachel Razo 5; Nicole Gebers 8; Ashley Myers 13; Mesa Pracht 14

### WARRIOR VOLLEYBALL STORMS PAST STARFIRES

**By: Jeff Abbott**  
 Woodlan stormed past South Adams in three straight games. Burgundy Price had 6 serve aces for Woodlan and Amy Potter had 9 kills and 4 blocks. With the win, Woodlan clinched a share of the ACAC crown and could take the title outright with a win in their final conference match with Southern Wells.  
 Scores: 25-9W, 25-13W, 25-13W

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### LATTA CALLS FOR DEBATE ON TAX CUTS SET TO EXPIRE

Congressman Bob Latta (R-Bowling Green) issued the following statement after voting against an adjournment resolution. The "no" vote on the adjournment resolution signifies Congressman Latta's support for Congress to not adjourn, but rather stay in session, so that the House can debate the current tax rates to expire at the end of this year.

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### ACES DOMINATE RAIDERS IN HOMECOMING VICTORY

By: Josh Hahn

The Hicksville Aces were able to celebrate their homecoming in style Friday night by defeating the Wayne Trace Raiders. The Aces came out with an intensity the favored Raiders could not match and rolled to a convincing 43-12 victory.

Things did not look good for the Raiders from the onset. On the third play of the game, Conner Yoder intercepted a pass to swing the momentum in Hicksville's favor. On the Raiders second possession, they were able to get the first points of the game on the board after a Raider

punt attempt was blocked by Shane Bostic and recovered by Kaleb Johns, who ran the ball back for a 17 yard touchdown. From this point on the Aces never looked back.

The Aces completely dominated the first three quarters of play, scoring the first 36 points of the game. Justin Miller orchestrated the offense beautifully from the quarterback position for the Aces. He made the correct reads in the option running attack, as well as conducted an effective passing game. Miller had two touchdowns running the ball, one run from 65 yards out and another from 71 yards. He also added two scores through the air, connecting with Kaleb Johns for a 22 yard touchdown and Charlie Emehiser for a 42 yard score.

The intense play of the Aces defense should also be noted. They were able to sack Ryne Jerome six times. Austin Michael accounted for four of the sacks, while Charlie Emehiser added two of his own. The Aces defense played the majority of the game in the Raiders backfield, compiling 16 tackles for a loss of yards or no gain. They also



Friday night the Aces hit the Raiders where it hurt-with a 43-12 loss. Hicksville had a great win for their homecoming. More pictures at [www.westbendnews.net](http://www.westbendnews.net)

intercepted two passes, both by Conner Yoder.

The Wayne Trace Raiders were finally able to get on the board in the third quarter. Ryne Jerome was able to connect with Tyler Arnett on a 19 yard touchdown pass to make the score 36-6. The Aces responded quickly when Seth Klepper ran the ball 65 yards down to the Raiders one yard line where he was stopped just short of the goal line. He managed to plow into the end zone on the next play, however, extending the Aces lead to 43-6. The Raiders were able to add another touchdown late in the game when Jared Sherry punched the ball into the end zone from three yards out.

Aces head coach, Lucas Smith, was pleased with his team's performance. "Our boys came to play football tonight. We had a great week of practice and put together a good game plan. The kids went out and did what we asked them to all four quarters and I am awfully proud of them."

The Wayne Trace Raiders fell to 3-3 on the year and suffered their first loss in conference play (2-1). They will look to regroup this week for their homecoming game against a tough Tinora Rams squad. Hicksville extended their winning streak to two games, to improve to 2-4 on the year and 2-1 in the conference. The Aces will travel to Ayersville this week to take on the Pilots.

Missing pictures? We have a stack of pictures here at West Bend News from previous publications.

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### PAULDING MEETS UP WITH OTTAWA-GLANDORF & DEFIANCE IN XC

Here are Paulding's results from our Tuesday meet against Ottawa-Glandorf and Defiance at Ottawa.

Junior High Girls - Allison Harpel finished 6<sup>th</sup> with a time of 19:12. Alicia Mason finished 7<sup>th</sup> with a 25:11.

Junior High Boys - Jacob Dye finished 2<sup>nd</sup> with a time of 13:38, giving him a career best.

Varsity Girls - The Lady Panthers competed against Ottawa and Defiance. Sarah Nardone finished first for Paulding coming in 14<sup>th</sup> place with a personal best of 24:19. Sarah broke her previous best by 12 seconds. Next for the ladies was Melissa Durham finishing in 19<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 27:05. Taylor Farr finished for the lady Panthers with a 21<sup>st</sup> place finish with a time 27:47, giving her a 30 second personal best.

Varsity Boys - The Varsity Boys team finished 3<sup>rd</sup> overall as a team competing against Ottawa and Defiance. Leading in the pack was Daniel Guarnaschelli in his cross country debut, who finished 17<sup>th</sup> with a time of 19:31. Next was Ian Munger, who finished 24<sup>th</sup> with a time of 20:33. Behind him was Andrew Layman finishing with a time of 22:08 with a placement of 30<sup>th</sup>. Next was Grant Harder, who finished 33<sup>rd</sup> with a finish time of 22:34, giving Grant a 19 second personal record. Nick Flint was sixth for the boys crossing the line in 34<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 22:35. Kyle Mohr rumbled in with a 38<sup>th</sup> finish and a time of 24:56. Trenton Bradford was hot on his heels with a 40<sup>th</sup> place finish and a time of 24:56. Josh Brown finished next with a 40<sup>th</sup> place finish with a time of 26:28. Finishing up the Panthers was Brett Mason who finished 41<sup>st</sup> with a time of 26:32.

### PAULDING XC DASHES TO BRYAN

Here are Paulding's results from our Thursday meet against Bryan at Bryan.

Junior High Girls - Allison Harpel finished 9<sup>th</sup> with a personal best of 18:33. Alicia Mason finished 12<sup>th</sup> with a personal best 22:23.

Junior High Boys - Jacob Dye finished 7<sup>th</sup> with a time of 13:26, giving him another career best.

Varsity Girls - The Lady Panthers competed against Bryan. Sarah Nardone finished first for Paulding coming in 7<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 24:34. Next for the ladies was Abby Pease finishing in 16<sup>th</sup> place with a time of 27:04, giving Abby her personal best. Melissa Durham came in next for ladies with a placing of 18<sup>th</sup> and a time of 27:44. Taylor Farr finished for the lady Panthers with a 19<sup>th</sup> place finish with a time 30:24.

Varsity Boys - The Varsity Boys team finished 2<sup>nd</sup> overall as a team competing against Bryan. Leading in the pack was Daniel Guarnaschelli, who finished 7<sup>th</sup> with a time of 18:55, earning Daniel a personal best. Next was Ian Munger, who finished 14<sup>th</sup> with a time of 20:52. Behind him was Andrew Layman finishing with a time of 22:31 with a placement of 20<sup>th</sup>. Next was Nick Flint, who finished 21<sup>st</sup> with a finish time of 22:51. Grant Harder was fifth for the

boys crossing the line in 22<sup>nd</sup> place with a time of 22:58. Kyle Mohr came in with a 25<sup>th</sup> finish and a time of 23:47. Josh Brown finished next with a 27<sup>th</sup> place finish with a time of 25:43, giving him a personal best. Finishing up the Panthers was Brett Mason who finished 28<sup>th</sup> with a time of 26:44.

### HS D-II GOLF AT AUGLAIZE

Local High School team scores from the D-II Golf match at Auglaize Golf Course on September 30, 2010:

Ottoville 322, St. John's 324, Kalida 325, Archbold 332, Wayne Trace 338, Antwerp 344, Tinora 357, Leipsic 370, Jefferson 374, Fairview 376, Crestview 379, Ft. Jennings 381, Ayersville 401, Pettisville 457

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Friday, October 1st was a struggle for several of the football teams in the area. Antwerp fell to Tinora 56-0. Shown here is Antwerp Junior Tom Taylor catching the ball. More pictures at [www.Archerpics.com](http://www.Archerpics.com)



Woodlan played Leo at home Friday night and the game was not good. The Warriors lost 48-0 in their homecoming to the Lions. Shown here is senior Michael Whitcombe running the ball passed the Lion defense. More pictures at [www.westbendnews.net](http://www.westbendnews.net)

## WEST BEND NEWS PLAYER OF THE WEEK

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Justin Miller led the Hicksville Aces to a 43-12 victory over the Wayne Trace Raiders in the Aces homecoming game. Miller was a duel threat. He gained 152 yards and two touchdowns on four carries. Through the air, Miller was efficient, going 2-3 for 64 yards and two touchdowns.

## HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL LIVE ON WKSD 99.7FM

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**ATTENTION ALL WOODBURN WATER CUSTOMERS**

The City of Woodburn will be flushing Fire Hydrants during the dates of October 1, 2010 to October 31, 2010. During these dates you may notice some discoloration in the water. This may cause orange colored water in your drinking and washing water in the home. You should allow your water to run until the water clears up. Thank you for your cooperation during this time.

**City of Woodburn Water Department**

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Please submit resume to: [countryinn@live.com](mailto:countryinn@live.com) or by mail at:

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To schedule a time to review the proposed project or for any questions regarding this proposals, contact Paulding County Department of Job and Family Services 419-399-3756

**IMMEDIATE OPENING**

**Part Time Library Clerk**  
**Paulding County Carnegie Library**

Join our team of information professionals! Due to internal transitioning, an immediate part-time opening (about 25 hours per week) exists for a library clerk with primary duties at the main historic Carnegie library in Paulding; however, the clerk may be scheduled on occasion at any of the library's branches. The successful candidate will be able to provide outstanding customer service with a smile, and:

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- Have dependable transportation

Entry level pay is \$8.27 an hour with prorated vacation, sick-leave, and holiday benefits. The Paulding County Carnegie Library provides an excellent working environment with friendly and helpful co-workers. Interested? Those persons who have previously applied for a position with the library MUST reapply for this position. Applicants must submit a resume and a signed library application in order to be considered, to: Susan Pieper, 205 S. Main Street, Paulding, OH. Deadline is Friday, October 8, 2010 at 6:00p.m. NO PHONE CALLS.

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**FROM THE DOG WARDEN'S DESK**

**By: Mandy Lichty, Paulding County Chief Dog Warden**

This week's featured pet is Polar. He is an adult male Pomeranian/Sheltie mix. He is a small to medium size dog and has a long coat that will need to be brushed regularly. We have carefully trimmed off some of the mats on his chest and legs but he will need some more professional grooming. Also at the shelter we have Dennis, a male chow mix; and Blackie, a male poodle. Check the websites at petfinder.com, adoptapet.com and our facebook page to see what new dogs are available.

Two dobermans were picked up as strays on St. Rt. 114 East on 9/30/10, a black female and a red male. If anyone knows who these dogs belong to please call the Dog Warden's Office at 419-399-9728.

The office is open for adoptions on Thursday evenings from 5:00-7:00 p.m. or by appointment.

I have another puppy tip from my crazy puppy house. One puppy eats MUCH faster

than the other puppy and then they fuss over one bowl. To slow down the piggy puppy I feed him in a muffin tin so he has to go from one cup to the next to get his food. By the time he is done with all his cups the other puppy has finished his bowl and then its outside play time.

If anyone has a question about dogs or the Ohio dog laws please email it to pc-dogwarden@windstream.net Some weeks I will choose a question and answer it in that weeks article.

**OAKWOOD ARBOR #759**

The Oakwood Arbor #759 of Gleaners Life held their September meeting at Twin Oaks Fellowship Hall, Oakwood, opened with prayer and pledge to our American Flag.

It was guest night and we had 32 to attend. At least three have decided to join us. There are no dues. If interested in joining, call President Kevin Hornish at 419-594-3866 or Secretary Bonnie Pier at 419-594-2750 for more information.

Everyone had a choice of a free gift and to enter into door prizes. Those who won were Dick Parrish, Phyllis Merritte and Debbie Hesler.

Fraternal Communicator, Ruth Benien, from Napoleon, was present. She explained the recording of acts and hours that we use for volunteering.

Secretary Edna May Spittale explained the 2010-2011

calendar, as well as distribute them to our members. 2009-10 calendar year reports were all finished and mailed. CSRA certificates had arrived and given out.

Eight members met to glean N SR 66 for two miles and remove the advertising signs at Badman Ball Field for winter storage. This is done by membership volunteers working together.

Hostess for the evening were Ron and Kara Cooper and Dale Spittale. October meeting will be Monday, October 25th, 2010 at Fellowship Hall in Oakwood.

**GMC GOLF CHAMPIONSHIPS & ALL CONFERENCE TEAMS 2010-11**

**Boys:**

Tinora 333, Wayne Trace 348, Antwerp 353, Fairview 354, Edgerton 358, Holgate 363, Hicksville 375, Ayersville 404

**Girls:**

Fairview 389, Wayne Trace 391, Tinora 403, Antwerp 414, Ayersville 444, Hicksville 497

**Boys Golfer of the Year:**

Matt Applegate, Hicksville

**Girls Golfer of the Year:**

Alex Keesbury, Fairview  
All Conference Teams:  
First Team GMC (boys) - Grady Gudakunst, Wayne Trace; Dalton Coburn, Wayne Trace; Zac Coleman, Antwerp; Brett Wonders, Tinora; Dominique Stark, Edgerton  
First Team GMC (girls) - Elaine Wetli, Antwerp; Paula Slattman, Antwerp; Candi Keller, Tinora; Kacee Hockenberry, Wayne Trace; Ashley Saylor, Wayne Trace  
Second Team GMC (boys) - Spencer Halstedt, Edgerton; Stephen Yackee, Tinora; Kyle Reinhart, Antwerp; Michael Overmier, Tinora; Taylor Cheek, Tinora  
Second Team GMC (girls) - Desiree Delgado, Antwerp; Megan Groves, Fairview; Emily Wells, Fairview; Sara Steffan, Tinora; Olivia Hook, Wayne Trace; Emily Linder, Wayne Trace

Honorable Mention (boys) - Brandon Conkey, Fairview; Nate Olson, Tinora; Ethan Hearne, Fairview; Quenton Yoder, Fairview; Josh Weideman, Holgate; Klye Smay, Tinora  
Honorable Mention (girls) - Maria Weber, Ayersville; Anjelica Moreno, Ayersville; Sara Wells, Fairview; Chelsea Deniston, Tinora; Marina Knape, Tinora; Ashley Goelzenleuchter, Wayne Trace

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**LEO BREEZES PAST WOODLAN**

Girls team scores for Cross Country: Leo vs. Woodlan: Leo 18, Woodlan 39

Girls Varsity individual results:

Haley Hostetler 3<sup>rd</sup> 20:29, Cassandra Lomont 7<sup>th</sup> 22:36, Morgan Franklin 8<sup>th</sup> 22:41, Katie Kayser 10<sup>th</sup> 24:16, Leah Stutzman 14<sup>th</sup> 24:48, Ashley Neuenschwander 13<sup>th</sup> 25:72, Kristen Gerig

Boys team scores: Leo 15, Woodlan 44

**Boys Varsity:**

Kyle Conroy 6<sup>th</sup> 19:12, Justin Fuelling 8<sup>th</sup> 19:18, Jake Mendenhall 9<sup>th</sup> 19:48, Taylor Fitzgerald 10<sup>th</sup> 19:52, Ryan Spieth 11<sup>th</sup> 20:02, Brandon Hathaway 12<sup>th</sup> 20:12, Zach Kashner 16<sup>th</sup> 21:02, Jay Knepp 17<sup>th</sup> 21:59, Ben Gruber 19<sup>th</sup> 22:09

**WARRIORS COME CLOSE TO CONFERENCE WIN IN FOOTBALL**

**By: Jeff Abbott**

Woodlan came so close to picking up their first conference win of the season, though being so far from home. The Warriors, as part of ACAC Day at Ball State, fell 90 seconds from getting the win over Garrett by a score of 27-20. Woodlan trailed at the end of the first quarter, 7-0, but got a pair of touchdown runs of 1 yard each from Payton Spencer to take a 13-0 lead to halftime. Garrett tied the score in the third quarter with a field goal and the Warriors again fought back to take the lead with Clint Romines the recipient of a 15 yard strike from Nathan Wiedemann heading into the final 12 minutes. Garrett tied the score at 20-20 and then drove late in the fourth period with Brandon Moreau getting the final 3 yards for the winning score for Garrett with 1:30 left on the clock.

Score by the Quarter:  
Woodlan - 0 13 7 0=20  
Garrett - 7 3 3 14=27

Play highlights:  
G - Brandon Moreau, 63yd run (Chase Hall kick)

W - Payton Spencer, 1yd run (kick failed)

G - Chase Hall, 22yd field goal

W - Payton Spencer, 1yd run (Brock Hines kick)

G - Chase Hall, 28yd field goal

W - Clint Romines, 15yd pass from Nathan Wiedemann (Brock Hines kick)

G - Austin Gibson, 8yd run (Chase Hall kick)

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**PAULDING RESERVOIR FALL COED LEAGUE STANDINGS**

**Tuesday Night**  
1. Blackies 11-1, 1<sup>st</sup> Place  
2. Pack Rats 10-2  
3. Bruce Kunesh Auto 9-3

4. Grace Home Improvement 4-8
  5. Waters MD 4-8
  6. Hoffman Builders 4-8
  7. Jones Home Improvement 4-8
  8. Lefty's Pizza 1-11
- Thursday Night Coed**
1. Archbold Equipment 10-2, 1<sup>st</sup> Place
  2. Smalley's Body Shop 9-3
  2. TJ's Bar 9-3
  4. Ed's Car Care 7-5
  5. Pit Stop 6-6
  6. Great Clips 5-7
  7. Budweiser 2-10
  8. Outlaws 0-12

**GIRLS D-II AT COUNTRY ACRES GOLF COURSE**

Local girls golf teams report these team scores from their match at Country Acres Golf Course:

Van Buren 370, Celina 397, Wayne Trace 420, Fairview 421, Tinora 429, Antwerp 438, St. John's 478, Hicksville 484, Ada 493, Ayersville 493  
Individuals advancing: Candi Keller, Tinora; and Alex Keesbury, Fairview

Wayne Trace Hosts Cross Country Meet with 6 other HS

Boys - Fairview 32, Antwerp 47, Ayersville 58, Wayne Trace 103

Girls - Ayersville 34, Antwerp 37, Fairview 52

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**BOYS GOLF D-III AT IRONWOOD TEAM SCORES**

Team results for Division III in Golf at Ironwood on September 30, 2010:

Liberty Center 327, Stryker 329, Edgerton 341, North Central 347, Toledo Christian 354, North Baltimore 360, Patrick Henry 362, Miller City 376, Montpelier 378, Hicksville 401, Holgate 406, Edon 409, Hilltop 420

D-II @ Auglaize

Ottoville 322, St. John's 324, Kalida 325, Archbold 332, Wayne Trace 338, Antwerp 344, Tinora 357, Leipsic 370, Jefferson 374, Fairview 376, Crestview 379, Ft. Jennings 381, Ayersville 401, Pettisville 457

**WARRIORS ON BC HEELS**

Girls team results: Warriors 15, Blackhawk Christian 50

Girls Varsity:

Haley Hostetler 1<sup>st</sup> 21:37, Cassandra Lomont 2<sup>nd</sup> 22:16, Katie Kayser 4<sup>th</sup> 22:34, Morgan Franklin 5<sup>th</sup> 22:36, Leah Stutzman 6<sup>th</sup> 24:47, Ashley Neuenschwander 7<sup>th</sup> 25:47, Kristen Gerig 9<sup>th</sup> 27:28

Boys team results: Warriors 20, Blackhawk Christian 39

Boys Varsity:

Taylor Fitzgerald 1<sup>st</sup> 18:17, Kyle Conroy 2<sup>nd</sup> 19:07, Travis Normand 4<sup>th</sup> 19:25, Justin Fuelling 6<sup>th</sup> 19:31, Ryan Spieth 7<sup>th</sup> 19:38, Jake Mendenhall 8<sup>th</sup> 19:51, Brandon Hathaway 11<sup>th</sup> 20:40, Ben Gruber 14<sup>th</sup> 21:39, Zach Kashner 15<sup>th</sup> 21:50, Jay Knepp 18<sup>th</sup> 22:44

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Flag Raising at 10:15 am

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- Flea Market (over 50 vendors)
- Variety of Festival Food
- Antique Tractor Show with Parade @ 1pm
- Blacksmith
- WT Flag Football League (begins @ noon)
- Beef & Noodle Dinner
- Chili "Cook-Off" (spons by Taylor Glass 1pm)
- Breakfast @ Payne Methodist Church (begins @ 8am)
- BBQ chicken/Pulled Pork vendors
- Kids Games & activities
- Chainsaw Log Carver -items available for sale
- Payne Festival "Idol" (4pm)
- 50/50 Drawing
- Entertainment (starts @ 11am)
- Adam's Apple Orchard
- Gold Lady-sell your old Gold
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**Did you know?**

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- Each year more than 200,000 people are hospitalized due to complications from the flu, and approximately 36,000 people die from the flu.
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