

OBITUARIES

Glenn Allen Stoller, 87, of Paulding went to his eternal rest on Tuesday, October 19, 2010. He was born May 22, 1923, one of eleven children, to Dan and Minnie (Huber) Stoller. He married Edith "Ede" Fisher on September 17, 1950. To this union five children were born: Shirley (Harlan) Metzger of Eureka, IL, Connie (Steve) Bauman of Sterling, OH, Dan (Deb Frank) of Kentland, IN, Julie (Jerry) Rager of Van Wert, and Dale (Jodi Brigner) of Paulding. 18 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren are the legacy of his life. His brother, Victor of Del Ray Beach, FL survives him; his brothers: Jesse, Arthur, Harvey, Clyde, Louis, David and Eugene; and his sisters: Aldine Leman and Caroline (stillborn) all preceded him in death.

Glenn was a member of the Apostolic Christian Church for seventy years and faithfully supported and served his local church those many years.

Glenn was a life-long farmer of the "Paulding County Clay" as he called it. He raised his children with a good work ethic helping him raise turkeys and hoe beans. He had a great appreciation for God's glorious creation and instilled that love in his family as they traveled. His happiest memories were of those trips with his family. Glenn was a faithful and loving husband and a devoted and affectionate father and grandfather and will be deeply missed.

Funeral services were held October 23, 2010 at the Latty Apostolic Christian Church.

Burial followed in the Latty Apostolic Christian Church Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Apostolic Christian Church ALMS Fund. Den Herder Funeral Home, Paulding, is handling arrangements.

Rhonda Lane Lantow, 59, of Paulding died Tuesday, October 12 at Parkview Hospital, Fort Wayne, IN.

She was born August 1, 1951 in Fort Wayne the daughter of David and Pearl (Addis) Ernest. On December 2, 1978 she married Steven L. Lantow, who survives.

She is survived by her husband, Steve Lantow of Paulding; a daughter, Gina (Mike) Pope of Rich Square, NC; two sons: Christopher (Shelda) Gonzales of Tulsa, OK; and Joseph Gonzales of Wyoming; a step-daughter, Trisha (Brad) Schlachter of Gassner; two sisters: Rosalie Gasser of Payne, and Elizabeth Jane (Jerry) Wise of Oakwood; seventeen grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her sister, Rene Bonning; and a step-son, Steven Lantow Jr.

Funeral services were conducted October 21, 2010 at Den Herder Funeral Home, Paulding. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery, Defiance.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials made in memory of Rhonda to Steven Lantow.

Online condolences may be sent to www.denherderfh.com

Donna J. (Gromeaux) Zielke, 56, of Convoy, OH, died Monday October 25, 2010 at Van Wert Inpatient Hospice.

She was born November 25, 1953 in Decatur, Indiana to the late Arsulia B. (Gaskill) Gromeaux and Elmer C. Gromeaux. On October 26, 1973, Donna married the love of her life, Jimmy R. Zielke, who survives.

Also surviving are her children: Dawn (Brad) Wright of Paulding; Tracy (Todd) Wehner of Convoy, OH, and Kalin (William) McDowell of Convoy, OH; sisters: Bonnie (Cecil) Teeter, Pat (Joe) Mowery, Linda (Phil) McDowell, Sally (Jeff) McDowell all of Convoy, OH, Susan (Bill) Schlink, and Sharon (Jerry) Bendele both of New Haven, IN; nine grandchildren: Carley, Zoey, Zackery and Madison Wright, Shay, Jace and Macy Wehner, and Lexis and Logan Boroff.

She was a member of St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church, Van Wert, Ohio. She had worked at Parker Hannifin Corporation in New Haven, Indiana for 17 years. She was an avid bowler and golfer.

Friends may call from 2:00-8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 27, 2010 at Gearhart, Mack & Jurczyk Funeral Home, Convoy, Ohio. Services will take place at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, October 28, 2010 at St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church, Van Wert, OH. Burial will be in Convoy I.O.O.F. Cemetery. Minister officiating will be Father Michael Zacharias.

Preferred memorials may go to Van Wert Inpatient Hospice, Van Wert, Ohio. Arrangements by Gearhart, Mack & Jurczyk Funeral Home. Condolences may be sent to: agfhc@embarqmail.com

CMH FOUNDATIONS HOST 1ST ANNUAL LEGACY LUNCHEON

November 6, 2010 is the date for the first annual Legacy luncheon. Legacy: A Celebration of CMH Heroes and Scholarship will support the Foundation's scholarship program. A short presentation highlighting important CMH heroes and our 2010 scholarship winners will be presented. A very special guest speaker will also be in attendance, Renee Markovich, MD.

Opportunities still exist for meal or silent auction sponsors. There is also a limited number of tickets available for the luncheon. For more information, or to purchase your ticket, contact Michelle at 419-542-5566.

Six scholarships were awarded in 2010. The scholarships are awarded to individuals pursuing a degree in healthcare and who live within Community Memorial Hospital's service area. Applications are scored based on field of study, grade point average, and an essay. The highest scores are awarded a scholarship.

One scholarship is reserved for a high school senior from Mark, Milford, or Hicksville Township, one is reserved for a high school senior in our service area, and one for a student currently in college. Three of the scholarships have been named in honor of very committed nurses. Those women were Stevie Boon, Rachel Hofmeister, and Betty Altman. The 2010 scholarships were

awarded to Lauren Nieuwlandt, Brook Riehle, Zachery Meyer, Nicole Freeman, Macy Weatherhead, and Alexandra Spindler.

PAULDING COUNTY HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS & DISMISSALS

Admissions:
10/9 - Troy Weller, Oakwood
10/16 - Cathryn Smith, Paulding
Dismissals:
10/16 - Cathryn Smith, Paulding, transferred to Lutheran

REP. WACHTMANN RESPONDS TO NEW PUCO REGULATIONS

State Representative Lynn Wachtmann (R-Napoleon) today decried newly revised regulations regarding motor carrier safety, which will be enforced by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO) starting on January 1, 2011.

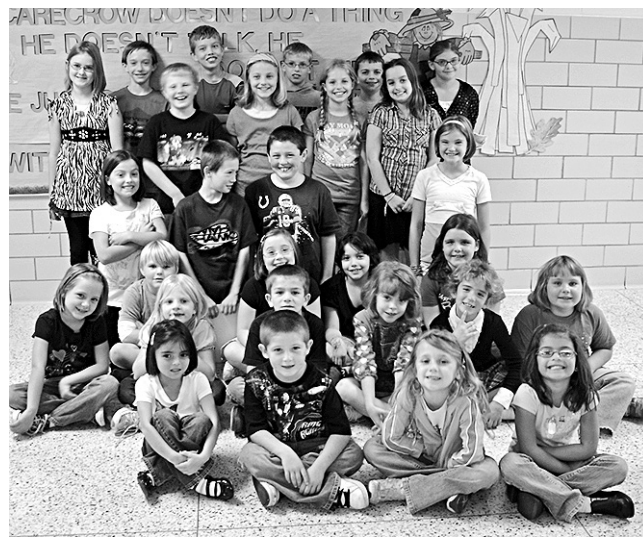
These rules will extend motor carrier safety regulations to private intrastate business vehicles with a weight between 10,001 and 26,000 lbs. Among the regulations are rules that require drivers of these vehicles to maintain log books and medical certifications. Furthermore, these vehicles will be subject to inspection by the state of Ohio, and the operations of the companies that use these vehicles are also subject to reviews from the PUCO's safety compliance auditors.

"The PUCO's motor carrier safety efforts should remain focused on their current programs dealing with larger trucks. The additional motor carrier safety regulations on smaller vehicles will not improve safety," said Wachtmann. "Instead, these rules work against independent businesses and will end up smothering them by forcing compliance of more busy work and increasing government's power over businesses."

The PUCO implemented this rule change after it was discovered that Ohio was not in compliance with federal regulations, which would cause the PUCO to lose \$6 to 7 million in federal funding that helps finance the Motor Carrier Safety Assistance Program.

"The PUCO just gave Washington a free pass to take another hit at Ohio's small businesses, while Strickland passively stood by giving his approval," said Wachtmann. "Unfortunately, Governor Strickland's 'solution' to helping small businesses is more government spending at the ex-

STUDENT OF THE MONTH AT PAULDING ELEMENTARY



On October 14, 2010, we celebrated the Students of the Month at Paulding Elementary. This is for the school-wide behavior program called PAWS—Pride, Attitude, Work habits and Self-control. Students are chosen based on behavioral expectations.

August/September Students of the Month 2010:
Front row (l-r) Kindergarten: Emily Mazariegos, Zane Gribble, Arianah Newsome, Ashlyn Goings. Second row (l-r) First Grade: Karli Phlipot, Ryleigh Johanns, Chris-

tian Bauer, Chelsea Banks, Jaylyn McCloud. Third row (l-r) Second Grade: Jonathan Clapsaddle, Molly Adams, Valincia Kendra, Adela Foltz. Fourth row (l-r) Third Grade: Savannah Shepherd, Lucas Grubb, Tyler Snipes, Ivy Riggenbach. Fifth row (l-r) Fourth Grade: Courtney Luderman, Joseph Reinick, Shana Manz, Sydney Price, Alex Arend. Back row (l-r) Fifth Grade: Brian Matson, William Postelwaite, Isaac Baldwin, Cade McGarvey, Courtney Kupfersmith.

pense of tens of millions of dollars this will cost independent businesses and our work force. These stifling regulations are absolutely unnecessary, but because our governor cannot refuse federal money to fund additional PUCO safety programs, Ohio's businesses are now at risk of losing more money and jobs. The federal government and Governor Strickland are out of touch with Ohio's needs and will only continue to interfere with small businesses and force big government down our throats if we are not vigilant. It is extremely disappointing that we are unable to rely on our governor to stand up for Ohio and protect independent businesses when it comes to identifying and defeating job-killing regulations."

In Loving Memory of Ray Martinez

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LOCAL ARTIST SHOWS OFF TALENT



Artist Jeff Crabill, of Antwerp, is pleased to announce that his painting, "Nick In Sunlight", has been one of those chosen for the show "Best Of America 2010!", presented by the National Oil and Acrylic Painter's Society (NOAPS). The society was begun in 1990 as a planned national exhibit, which would focus on paintings in the medium of oil and acrylic, and the first exhibition was held in 1991. The society has since grown from a beginning of 100 artists to over 1400 today. The painting (pictured), a 2' x 2' acrylic painting on masonite, is a candid portrait of the artist's son, Nick. It is one in a series of paintings of each of his four children, and was on display at the show's opening, at the Dunnegan Gallery of Art in Bolivar, Missouri. From September 19 to October 10. The show will move to various locations in Missouri, and will be on display until

the show's close on November 29.

Jurying for the show involved five jurors viewing approximately 600 images from about 250 artists. Only 74 paintings were selected, and "Nick In Sunlight" was one of them. The painting has been in several shows, and has won a number of awards. When not in competition, it is on display at Jeff's home studio, at 408 East River Street (old US 24), in Antwerp.

Jeff would also like to announce that he will be accepting students for art lessons. "These aren't tied to a specific technique, or to a specific medium. They will be more geared to helping someone who is interested in art, who has a creative spark, to develop their gifts, and discover which art medium is best-suited for them. That, and just basic skills." Interested parties should contact Jeff at (419)506-0744.

PAULDING LIONS CLUB HOSTS HALLOWEEN PARADE

The Paulding Lions Club will be hosting the Paulding Halloween Parade on October 30, 2010. Participants need to assemble in front of the Paulding County Carnegie Library at 12:45 p.m. The parade will start at 1:00 p.m. The parade will be lead around the square to the gazebo by the Paulding High School Band. The judging categories are: 1. Infant Division, 2. 1&2 Year Olds, 3. Clowns & Tramps, 4. Witches, 5. Thing/Object/Plant, 6. Animal/Creature, 7. Movie/TV/Fairy Tale, 8. Vampire/Ghost/Goblin, 9. 13 years & Older, 10. Miscellaneous. The Lions Club will also be collecting used eyeglasses at the gazebo after the parade.

The Paulding Lions Club is just one of the 46,000 clubs in the world. There are 1.3 million members worldwide. To learn more about becoming a member of the Paulding Lions Club, contact Larry Tope at 419-399-2255, Danny Workman at 419-399-4512, or Malinda Schmidt at 419-399-5471.

The Paulding Lions Club hosts at least two community events a year and participates in community service events, as well. The Club hosts the Halloween Parade and Santa Day. Santa Day is in the process of being planned. This year the club picked up trash at the reser-

voir on August 12, 2010 as a community service project.

The club would like to make people aware of how diabetes can affect eyesight. According to the American Diabetes Association, nearly 21 million Americans are affected by diabetes and another 54 million are considered pre-diabetic. It is a leading cause of death, disability, and blindness in the US for adults ages 20-74. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention estimate that 4.1 million people currently have diabetic retinopathy, a complication of diabetes, and that by the year 2020, 7.2 million will have the eye disease. Diabetic retinopathy, an elevation in blood sugar that damages the delicate blood vessels inside the eye, causing them to leak, bleed and become blocked, is the most serious sight-threatening complication of diabetes. If untreated, DR can lead to permanent vision loss and blindness. Early signs of diabetes sometimes can be detected in comprehensive eye exams where a doctor of optometry performs a variety of tests to determine problems. The Lions Club suggests everyone get routine eye exams!

Let West Bend News announce your engagement, wedding or anniversary. It's only \$5 per column for the photo and the announcement is community news.

MELROSE TRICK OR TREAT

Melrose is holding Trick or Treat on October 28 from 5:30-7:00 p.m. at the park. This year there will be free hot dogs, sloppy joes and treats for the kids. The costume judging will start at 7:15 p.m. with games for the kids after.

REMINDER FOR ANTWERP'S HALLOWEEN ACTIVITIES

Don't forget that the Halloween parade will be held on Saturday, October 30 with line-up at the Manor House at 2:45 p.m. and the parade down Main St. beginning at 3:00 p.m. The costume judging will take place at the fire hall immediately following the parade. **Please note these correct times as they have been published in other papers incorrectly.** Every child in costume that is a part of the parade will receive a special treat! Trick or Treat in the village will be from 5:00-7:00 p.m. Come join the fun!

CECIL TRICK OR TREAT

The Village of Cecil will be having Trick or Treat on Sunday, October 31, 2010 from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m.

LIBRARY PUMPKIN PATCH PARTY IN PAULDING

It is time for children ages preschool through 1st grade to don their costumes and join their wacky library friends at the fun-filled Library Pumpkin Patch Party. On Thursday, October 28 from 6:30-7:30 p.m., the children's room at the main library will be hosting storytelling, games, refreshments, crafts and a bunch of spooky surprises. Since space is limited, party-goers are asked to pre-register at 419-399-2032. Remember, costumes are encouraged! For more information contact the library.

HOWLING GOOD TIME HELD AT OAKWOOD LIBRARY

Please join us for a howling good time. On October 28th from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. we will have the Cooper Community Room open for trick-or-treaters. Last year we estimated 300 kids came through the Community Room and the library for a fun, safe trick-or-treating adventure.

The Oakwood Library Association is looking for politicians, businesses, or individuals interested in treating the kids. If you would like to treat the kids please contact Sue at the Cooper Community Room. We would love to have your help.

—Shelly Roughton,
Oakwood Library Association

CITY OF WOODBURN MINUTES FOR 10/4/10

Troop number 323 and leader Harold Gerig presented a framed map of the Woodburn Park to the City and Township. Mayor would like this hung at City Hall. Jenna Dayton was present to discuss with the Council the use of a meeting room to teach a 7 week, positive discipline class for adults. She has been unable to find a location that will not charge for the space. Mayor Hoepfner will speak with the Township Trustee to see if this can be donated as a community project and call her. If unable, Beth has offered to open City Hall for the meetings if the Council approves it to be used; Council agreed.

Rex Bowen is concerned about the ditch between him and his neighbors. He contacted Linda Bloom; she sent someone from the county out and determined their responsibility stops at the tile. Mayor recommended he spray for the weeds or mosquitoes and if he needs help he can call him and he will have the maintenance department spray.

Jim Lauer stated the contractors are about 50% done with the sewer project. Pavement work should be completed by early November. A claim for Underground Contractor, contract A, for \$96,720.00 was presented. A claim for Bercot for \$184,399.00 was presented. A claim for Underground Contractors, contract B, for \$60,000.00. A claim for Schnelker engineering for \$36,500.00 was presented.

Mayor ask if change order number 2, in the amount of \$6,920.00 for Underground is for the addition of the "T's" and lateral work done on Hickory Street extended, Jim Lauer stated, yes. A change order for contract C in the amount of \$9,856.00 was submitted; some lines in Havenwood are 10 inch instead of 8 inch. A change order to replace the power line at the sewer ponds in the amount of \$6,130.00 was submitted. Councilman Clegg moved to approve claims, seconded by Councilman Mason, all agreed, motion passed. Councilman Mason moved to approve change orders, seconded by Councilman Zimmerman, all agreed, motion passed. Change order number 2 for Bercot for the storm water project was tabled last meeting and was presented for approval. Total of the project was \$211,507.30, original bid was \$199,136.00. This will be paid from a CREDIT Fund loan, measuring of properties is almost completed and we should be ready to implement a storm water fee to utility customers by the first of the year to repay the loan. Councilman Clegg moved to pay the final invoice for the completion of the storm water project, seconded by Councilman Mason, all agreed, motion passed. Jim Norden feels the 8 inch line from the new manhole on Hickory Street, South to the old manhole, should be replaced, in order to pick up the house next to his home on Bull Rapids. His lateral does not need replaced, but the lateral for the house next to him should be. Dave, with Schnelker Engineering, gave a quote of \$14,000.00 for all new, he

CMH WATER THERAPY POOL IS UNDERWAY



Community Memorial Hospital's Water Therapy Pool Project is underway. The hole for the pool has been dug

and is being prepared for the pool to be set into it. This is all possible due to our community and generous donors!

feels it does not all need to be replaced and can be done cheaper. United Oil is no longer a utility customer, their line will be capped; in the future if they decided to reconnect, it will be their responsibility. Councilman Reichhart moved to replace from the new sewer line to the first property next to Jim's, seconded by Councilman Norden, all agreed, motion passed. Guardrail on Bull Rapids was tabled last meeting, utilities were checked and Mayor did not feel guardrail going north was necessary. Specialties Company quoted \$2,125.00 for guardrail south of Ash to Powell's driveway. Councilman Mason moved to approve, seconded by Councilman Zimmerman, Councilman Mason, Zimmerman, Norden voted yes, Councilman Reichhart and Clegg voted no, motion passed.

Robert Dial was present; parameters were set within the covenants when the Dollar General went in and are not being followed. They are not supposed to have things sitting outside, landscaping was supposed to be done around the sign, and there should be one, fenced dumpster. The County will not take action unless the City agrees it is a problem. Mayor will speak with the store manager. Mayor reported we were not chosen for the COP's program, the additional \$15,000.00 put in the Police Budget to fund the fourth year will be put into the General Fund, leaving a portion in the Police Budget; will be discussed in the budget hearing.

Warrants were presented, September, \$2,259.72 is quarterly PERF for police department, \$5,458.32 monthly and quarterly taxes. October, \$52,305.54 is July, August, September and October Bond Interest and Reserve for 2010 Bond, there will be a monthly payment

from now on. Tonight's warrants; total \$7,098.82, Councilman Clegg moved to approve all, seconded by Councilman Mason, all agreed, motion passed. Councilman Reichhart moved to add Bercot's final payment, seconded by Councilman Zimmerman, all agreed, motion passed. Minutes were presented, Councilman Reichhart moved to approve, seconded by Councilman Zimmerman, all agreed, motion passed. Middlebury conference is October 13 and 14. Councilman Reichhart moved to send Lesa, seconded by Councilman Norden, all agreed, motion passed. The Woodlan High School Bowling Team would like to have a fund raiser to help pay bowling fees, Council agreed. Councilman Reichhart reported the Councilman's mail boxes have been moved into Beth's office while the Auditors are here.

Councilman Zimmerman reported the concrete phase of 24 is completed and the letting for the next phase will be October 6.

Councilman Clegg reported the fence at the elevator has gotten worse and is afraid someone is going to get injured; he will talk with them. Councilman Clegg would like to have minutes put in the news paper the following week. Lesa stated they won't be approved by Council until the following meeting, and then get sent to the paper to be in the next week's paper.

Mayor feels a donation should be given to the Boy Scouts. Councilman Norden moved to donate \$100.00 to the troop, seconded by Councilman Zimmerman, all agreed, motion passed.

Meeting adjourned at 9:40. Minutes Submitted by Lesa Meadows.

November is Diabetes Awareness Month

DIABETES AWARENESS

Learn your risk and how to prevent diabetes!

Did you know?

- 23.6 million Americans have diabetes including 5.7 million who don't know it.
- Are you at risk? Family history, being overweight, high blood pressure, low HDL, and high triglycerides are all risk factors for diabetes.
- Complications from diabetes include: stroke, heart disease, kidney disease, blindness, and amputations.

Diabetes Awareness Clinic
November 11, 2010
7:00 am to 10:00 am
Community Room 1

Questions about Diabetes?
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 7:00 am to 8:30 am Jon Myers, RPh
Internal Medicine Physician
 9:00 am to 10:00 am Alan Rivera, M.D.

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BELIEVE IT OR NOT!

By: Pastor Joel DeSelm, Woodburn Missionary Church

As a kid I remember enjoying reading a paperback book called Ripley's Believe It or Not. I haven't seen one of these little books for years and don't even know if they still print them or not.

For those of us who can remember, they were classic reading material if you just wanted to fritter away some time. They were a collection of supposedly true stories, incidents, or 'facts' that seemed too incredible to be true.

I remember stuff like some guy in Cleveland who could blow out a candle by air coming out of his eyes. Or some fellow in Two Bean, Arizona who grew a potato that was a perfect likeness of Abraham Lincoln's head. You get the idea.

Not particularly Pulitzer Prize literature, nor was it acceptable book report material for my 7th grade English teacher, but you know how it is. It was just plain fun and made for great conversation starters with other people.

I remember sitting on our front porch during the long hot summer vacations with a couple of friends huddled over that book and the great arguments we'd have about each entry.

"No way, man. There's no way that guy ate an entire piano by chopping it up into small pieces." Of course, the other guy would swear up and down that Robert Ripley was the next best thing next to Mother Teresa in terms of credibility and that it was possible to eat a grand piano if the pieces were small enough and a person was given enough time.

But one of the entries that I recall seeing in that dog-eared book was a picture of a plain bar of iron worth \$5.00. The same bar of iron made into horse shoes would be worth \$50.00. IF it were made into sewing needles, the iron would be worth

\$5,000. And if it were made into balance springs for fine Swiss watches, it would be worth \$500,000!

How accurate those figures were, I don't really know. But I think Ripley's principle is a valid one: the raw material is not as important as how it's developed.

It's a biblical truth that bears our constant consideration. Each of us has gifts and abilities latent within us. When a person commits his/her life to Jesus Christ, he/she is given at least one spiritual gift to be used for the building up of the church.

Potentially, all Christians have God-given talents, gifts and capacities. But those abilities have little value unless they are discovered, developed and used for the kingdom.

Throughout the scriptures we see over and over again how God used simple, everyday people to accomplish great things. Individuals who would be normally written off as incapable, inadequate or unqualified were used mightily by the Lord when they made themselves available to Him and allowed His power to work through their efforts.

Have you discovered YOUR talents, gifts and abilities? Are you developing them and using them to encourage, build up and better other people? The Bible tells us that in Christ we can accomplish all things.

Continue to cooperate with Him as you utilize your talents for the purposes He desires.

He will not only use you to make an impact upon scores of other people but, He will add fulfillment and blessing to your life. He promises it in His Word. Believe it or not.

A GREAT PARADOX

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

We find ourselves living

in times of great paradoxes, where what the Bible teaches may run counter-culture to what many live and believe. For example, Pastor Kevin Miller, Church of the Resurrection, Wheaton, Illinois writes...

"In Ephesians 6:14-18, the Apostle Paul writes, 'Stand firm, then, with the belt of truth buckled around your waist, with the breastplate of righteousness in place, and with your feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of peace. In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints.'"

Sadly, according to Pastor Miller, there are a lot of Christians who wish Paul had written the following words instead:

"Lay back and relax, then, with the belt of evasion buckled loosely around your waist, with the breastplate of defensiveness in place, and with your feet fitted with the pluralism that offends no one. In addition to all this, take up the shield of grudges, with which you can hold on tightly to hurts and slights. Take the helmet of entitlement and the bludgeon of the flesh, which is the word of anger. And air what's been done to you on all occasions, with all kinds of criticisms and complaints."

PAULDING UMC SOUP & SANDWICH LUNCHEON

The Paulding United Methodist Church is hosting a Soup and Sandwich Luncheon and Bake Sale on October 29 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

WHAT THE BIBLE SAYS ABOUT BEING SUBJECT OR BEING UNDER SUBJECTION

By: James Potter, Oakwood church of Christ

Today the word we will be studying is 'subject.' So let's have prayer and ask our heavenly father to help us in our study. So get your Bible and concordance and we can get started.

We are subject to domestic and civil relationships.

Servants are subject to masters - 1 Peter 2:18 - servants, be subject to your masters with all fear, not only to the good and gentle, but also to the froward.

Citizens are subject to the government as the government is subject to God - Romans 13:1-7, please read. Also read Acts 5:29.

Children are to be subject to parents - 1 Timothy 3:4 - one that ruleth well his own house, having his children in subjection with all gravity.

Wives are to be subject to husbands - Ephesians 5:24-25 - therefore as the church is subject unto Christ, so let the wives be to their own husbands in everything. Husbands love your wives, even as Christ also loved the church and gave himself for it. Also see Luke 14:26 (love less).

Younger are to be subject to elders - 1 Peter 5:5 - likewise, ye younger, submit yourselves unto the elder. Yea, all of you be subject one to

another, and be clothed with humility. For God resisteth the proud and giveth grace to the humble.

Believers are to be subject to the Gospel - 2 Corinthians 9:13 - while by the experiment of this ministration they glorify God for your professed subjection unto the Gospel of Christ, and your liberal distribution unto them, and unto all men.

Christians are to be subject to Christ - Hebrews 2:8 - thou hast put all things in subjection under his feet. For in that he put all in subjection under him, he left nothing that is not put under him. But now we see not yet all things put under him.

Christ shall be subject to God - 1 Corinthians 15:28 - and when all things shall be subdued unto him, then shall the son also himself be subject unto him that put all things under him that God may be all in all.

Jesus loves you and so does the Oakwood church of Christ. Bible questions call James Potter at 419-393-4775 or Lonnie Lambert at 419-399-5022. Please continue your study on the words 'subject' or 'subjection.' Also do your best in giving God a part of your day in prayer and Bible study.

PAULDING SWCD ANNOUNCES ELECTION & ANNUAL MEETING

The Paulding Soil and Water Conservation District is pleased to announce that they will be holding their 61st Annual Meeting on November 4, 2010 at Grant's Reception Hall in Antwerp. There will be an election of a supervisor, dinner buffet, door prizes, awards presentation, and entertainment.

The dinner buffet will begin at 6:30 p.m. and it will include swiss steak, boneless chicken breast, buttered corn, buttered red-skinned potatoes, green beans with almonds, 7-layered salad, and an assortment of rolls, muffins, and desserts.

The featured entertainment for the evening will be "The Bottom of the Barrel Boys". They are a local bluegrass band who is sure to amuse everyone.

Throughout the evening there will be award presentations and door prizes given away.

The Paulding SWCD will hold a special election for District Board of Supervisors in conjunction with the district's 61st Annual Meeting on November 4, 2010. One board member will be elected to a three year term of office.

County residents and landowners have three options for casting a ballot:

1. Call (419)399-4771 or visit 503 Fairground Dr., Paulding to request an absentee ballot
2. Cast a ballot at the district office on November 4, 2010 from 8:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
3. Cast a ballot at the annual meeting: November 4, 2010 from 5:45-6:45 p.m.

The district is governed by a five-member board of county residents. Board members serve staggered three-year terms. Candidates in this year's special election are Jim Stoller and

Wayne Noffsinger.

Jim Stoller and his wife Tam reside in Jackson Township and have four children. Stoller and his family are grain farmers and grow corn, soy beans, and wheat. They also operate a contract hog finishers and hog nursery. Stoller is a member of the Paulding County Planning Commission, and a member of the Apostolic Christian Church of Latty. He has been actively involved with the SWCD Board since 1999 and has held various offices throughout that time period.

Wayne Noffsinger and his wife Kris have three children and reside in Auglaize Township. Noffsinger is the Manager of Progressive Ag Company and is a trustee for CAP. He is also a member of the Defiance Church of the Brethren.

For more information regarding Paulding SWCD, the Annual Meeting and Dinner, or to request an absentee ballot, please call (419) 399-4771.

UNITED WAY CHAMPS!

Paulding Putnam has championed United Way in their own inhouse campaign. In November they are having coffee and donuts, and baby picture contest on Friday, November 5th. On Friday, November 12th the employees and staff are having a Chili Cook-off.

Paulding Putnam welcomes you to attend and get some photos of LIVE UNITED support for Paulding County.

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- Antwerp Village - Current Expenses
- Melrose Village - (2)Fire Protection
- Melrose Village - Current Expenses
- Payne Village - EMS
- Payne Village - Police
- Payne Village - Repeal Ordinance 2010-4
- Scott Village - Current Expenses
- Auglaize Township - EMS
- Carryall Township - EMS
- Carryall Township - Cemeteries
- Jackson Township - Fire Protection

The polls for the election will open at 6:30 a.m. and remain open until 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 2, 2010.


Please Vote and help make Paulding the county with the best voter turnout in Ohio.

Should you have any questions, you may contact the Paulding County Board of Elections at 105 East Perry Street, Paulding, Ohio 45879, or 419-399-8230. Office hours are Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon and 1:00-4:00p.m. Additional hours for the election are Saturday, October 30 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon. The office email address is paulding@sos.state.oh.us

Board members: Stanley D. Harmon, Chairman; David H. Cline; Ronald L. Farnsworth; and Ellen R. Schlegel; Brenda J. Crawford, Director; and Janet L. Commers, Deputy Director.

1st Annual - "Trunk or Treat"
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Election Night
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November 2nd 2010
Serving 4:30 - 7:00 pm
BBQ & Plain Pork, Scalloped Potatoes,
Baked Beans, Hot Dogs, Dessert, Drinks
Free Will Offering


Turkey Supper
at
Rose Hill Church of God
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Free Will Offering • Community Invited
Carryouts \$7.00 each

Antwerp United Methodist Church
8:30 Contemporary Worship
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Saturday, November 6 - 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Door Prizes • Cookie Cottage • Crafts
Continental Breakfast
Homemade Lunch
Christ Lutheran Church - Main Street - Woodburn

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

It is easy to be confused about an election levy, especially when there is more than one. Next month you will be asked to vote on Carryall Township's levy for EMS support and the operation of cemeteries. These are both important concerns that need our support. It is vital to know that there are no new taxes associated with either of these levies. The levies are the same millage as they have always been but the replacement provision would allow collections on new property valuations. It is great to live in an area that allows you to cast

your vote for just about every issue that affects our taxes. However, we do not always realize the impact on our lives if a levy is not passed. Please take this into consideration when voting for our EMS and cemetery. Neither of them would be able to function without your support.

—Shawn Dooley,
Antwerp

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Wayne Trace citizens:

November 2nd is a very important day for the Wayne Trace community. You are being asked to vote YES for the ¾ of 1% income tax renewal. The passing of this renewal is imperative to the operation of the district as we know it today. Voting YES will enable the district to maintain current programs for which Wayne Trace has long been known: performing arts department, extracurricular activities, and most importantly, our high academic standards.

Employees of the district are proud to be called Raiders! Did you know that 56% of our current staff graduated from Wayne Trace? Additionally, 66% of our staff resides in our school district! This shows that staff members believe that our district is a great place to live, work, and raise families. We believe in our district and the students who attend here!

This income tax renewal that needs a YES vote will generate \$830,000 annually. With state funding being cut, it is that much more important that Wayne Trace voters place a YES vote on the ballot

on November 2nd.

Wayne Trace Education Association,

—Annette Sinn,
President

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

It is no surprise that the federal government's spending is out of control. The effects of Congress's extravagant spending spree have led to a staggering federal deficit and record accumulation of debt. For example, the federal government currently spends roughly \$31,000 per household and pays its average federal civilian worker double the amount their private sector counterpart earns. All this spending in the face of an unprecedented \$13 trillion national debt, with the last trillion accumulated within the past six months, is completely irresponsible and unacceptable. Washington is obviously operating on a "spend now, pay someday" approach that has enslaved our nation to its lenders and put our financial stability and future credibility in jeopardy.

While families across the country are cutting back and living within their means, Congress should follow suit and cut up its national credit card to get our nation back on track. This means our leaders must have the fortitude to make tough, possibly unpopular, decisions that are necessary to restore our national finances to solvency. A fundamental piece of financial reform includes eliminating waste, fraud, and abuse from current programs. For example, if the federal government would make a concerted effort to improve efficiency and effectiveness of programs such as Medicaid, the taxpayers would enjoy considerable cost savings. However, if they do not aggressively attack this issue at its roots now, our situation will only continue to worsen.

The federal government has placed the United States on an unsustainable path leading straight to financial ruin, and unless our leaders tackle these problems and restrain their spending, Washington will continue to squander taxpayer dollars and leave the bill to our grandchildren. Let's put an end to this reckless spending spree now so we can enjoy a financially sound future.

Sincerely,
—Lynn R. Wachtmann,
State Representative,
75th Ohio House District

VILLAGE OF PAULDING
MINUTES FOR 10/4/10

Paulding Village Council met in Regular Session on October 4, 2010, at 6:30 p.m. in Council Chambers at the Municipal Building. Mayor White called the meeting to order.

Finance Director Tope called roll with the following members present: Barb Rife, Kim Sutton, Jim Guelde, Roger Sierer, Mike Trausch, and Randy Daeger. Administrator Wiebe and Solicitor Jones were also present.

Rife motioned to approve the minutes of the September 20th Council meeting, seconded by Sierer. Vote: Rife, yea; Sutton, abstain; Guelde, yea; Sierer, yea; Trausch yea; Daeger, yea.

Tiffany Beckman, Paulding County Court Judge, was present seeking support in this November's election as she runs for Paulding County Common Pleas Judge.

Susan Simpson, Paulding County Auditor, was present seeking support for re-election this fall.

Marcia Smith, village resident, was present to discuss the curbing in front of her home located at the corner of Garfield Ave. and Walnut Street. Ms. Smith noted she doesn't have the money to repair the curb, and inquired if there is a law requiring curbs. The issue was referred to the Street Committee. Administrator Wiebe noted the property could be assessed; therefore, spreading the cost over several years.

Eric Hart, owner of Los Gallitos, was present to discuss the cooker in front of his business. He noted he has lost over

\$2,000 in the last two weeks, and hoped a compromise could be made before he is forced to close his doors. Mayor White relayed he and Wiebe have spoken with the Village's insurance company, and that they believe the cooker may stay on the street if three (3) criteria are met: 1) the Village issues a permit to the business owner, 2) the Village is added as an additional insured on the business owner's insurance policy, and 3) a fire extinguisher is located on the grill. Rife requested the cooker be moved onto the Village parking lot across the street for safety reasons. Mr. Hart noted he would check with the Health Department, but is not sure the health code would allow it.

Pat Ross and Deb Papisakis, of Paulding Exempted Village Schools, were present to discuss the "Safe Routes to School" program, and to seek Council's assistance in completing the grant application, as the deadline is November 5th. It was noted that the grant monies will be applied for, received, and bills paid by the Village. Daeger motioned to approve entering into a contract (not to exceed \$2,000) with the school's engineer. A Street Committee meeting was scheduled for October 12th at 5:30 p.m. to discuss the issue further. Solicitor Jones noted a resolution will need to be passed at the next meeting authorizing the Village Administrator to submit a grant application for the project.

Resolution 1245-10 re: A Resolution Authorizing the use of Village Owned Streets, Alleys and other Village Owned Property for the Construction and Use of a New Water Treatment Plant for the Village, and Declaring an Emergency, was read for the first time. Solicitor Jones noted this legislation is being requested by Rural Development as part of the new water plant project. Sutton motioned to suspend the rules and declare an emergency, seconded by Trausch. Vote: all yea. Trausch motioned to approve the legislation, seconded by Sutton. Vote: all yea.

Resolution 1244-10 re: Resolution Accepting the Amounts and Rates as Determined by the Budget Commission and Authorizing the Necessary Tax Levies and Certifying them to the County Auditor, was read for the second time.

Ordinance 1411-10 re: An Ordinance Establishing Standard Procedures for the Village of Paulding, Ohio, with respect to the Accounting of the Personal Use of Village Owned Motor Vehicles, was read for the second time.

Sutton motioned for Council to move into Executive Session for legal matters, seconded by Daeger. Vote: all yea. Council returned to Regular Session.

Resolution 1242-10 re: A Resolution Providing for the Approval of an Enterprise Zone Agreement to be Entered into by the Village of Paulding, Ohio, Paulding County Commissioners, Paulding Exempted Village Schools, PCED, Inc., and Paulding Putnam Electric Cooperative, Inc., was read for the third time. Sutton motioned to approve the legislation, seconded by Daeger. Vote: Rife, yea; Sutton, yea; Guelde, no; Sierer, yea; Trausch, abstain; Daeger, yea.

Mayor White relayed Mayor's Court collected \$667.10 for the month of September 2010.

Solicitor Jones noted the Ohio De-

DIAMOND DEMONS TRAVELING SOFTBALL TEAM FINISHES SUCCESSFUL SEASON



Several young ladies from the Antwerp area participated with the Ohio Diamond Demons 12U Travel Softball Team this summer. Their season began late last year that included much indoor work to improve each and every players' abilities and game knowledge. Their hard work paid off well for them in two tournaments. The first tournament success was in Monroeville, Indiana with a second place finish. At the end of the season the team went to Zanesville, Ohio to defend the Silver division title.

The organization won last year against teams from

West Virginia, Pennsylvania, New York and Ohio. The ladies stood tall amongst the same quality of competition and successfully defended the same title. Hanna Mills and Olivia Tempel provided outstanding fielding abilities denying outfield hits to opponents and Kelsey Titus displayed phenomenal hitting skills on both the left and right side of the plate. The remainder of the team is from the surrounding area.

Bart Rowe (Edgerton) and Joan Fairchild (Tinora) worked very hard in assisting throughout the entire season and Brent Brickel helped at the Tournaments.

partment of Commerce condemned the Barnes Hotel for being "unsafe" as of last October. A hearing had been set for September 27th to discuss the findings, but at the request of Contemporary Caterers' attorney the hearing was continued to October 25th in Columbus. The Department of Commerce is requesting the windows be boarded up, and the hole in the back of the building be closed in.

The following meetings were scheduled:

—Park Board - Monday, October 11 at 4:30 p.m.

—Street Committee - Tuesday, October 12 at 5:30 p.m.

Recreation Committee - Thursday, October 14 at 5:30 p.m.

Rife motioned to pay the bills, seconded by Guelde. Vote: all yea. Sutton motioned to adjourn, seconded by Rife. Vote: all yea.

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Eat at 6:00 p.m.
Where: Paulding Fish & Game Club on
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Business Meeting with election of
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Cost to Member = \$5.00 plus a covered dish!!
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DOROTHY GROSS RUGER THRONE

By: Stan Jordan

Dorothy Gross Ruger Throne was born in Athol, Kentucky in 1934. One of 13 children, her parents were Clayton and Verna Gross. They moved to Paulding and she attended school and graduated there in 1952.

She worked at the Brotherhood Insurance Co. in Fort Wayne. She met and married Kenny Ruger and they lived in Payne. Kenny was a fatality in a car accident in 1960. They did not have any children yet.

In 1962 she married John Throne. He had five children and they all loved her as a step mother. She loves them also.

They lived one year at the family farm in Alvarton up on U.S. 20. This was in 1975.

They went to Belize for an orientation trip in 1976 and they agreed to a longer visit.

They went back in 1978 and spent a year there. They loved those people and helped them in many ways.

In 1979 they returned home and then were sent to a mission in New Mexico. It was called the Free Trinity Navajo Mission at the edge of a reservation.

Dorothy said the Indians had a lot of trouble with alcohol. Men and women both filled the jails and alcohol centers. Dorothy would visit the centers and jails and could help them very much until they got out and got drunk again.

When the time came and their money arrived, the drunks laid everywhere—on the streets, on the sidewalk, in the gutter, all over until the money was gone, or they got

out of jail. These conditions were deplorable but happened pretty regularly. Some of the people worked at the mines in the area. The mission was in Carmedico in the area of Gallup, New Mexico. Dorothy knows they helped a lot of people at the reservation but had a lot of people who didn't want to be helped and some just went on with their bad habits.

They were there about a year and then was sent to Papua, New Guinea. This was in 1981.

Dorothy was busy at the



church and John was a very good mechanic and he repaired their pick-up trucks. Most of the men had a pick-up. He would scrounge around and get parts and get one truck runnable and then 6 or 7 (called A Line) would pool their money and buy it.

Raising hogs was a big business there. Men could have more than one wife, so maybe he could sell one for a hog.

If the new wives didn't like an old wife she was generally beaten and treated very badly and even attempted suicide.

Women collected Kuni-Grass for money and fire. The people were very poor. Most women were always bare from the waist up—not a whole lot of vanity.

They lived in small weed huts made of the leaves of local plants. One small door to be crawled in and a small round hole in the ground to hold the fire to cook on. They lived on a diet of yams or sweet potatoes, called kau kau three times a day. The natives spoke a number of languages but mostly Polynesian

and pidgeon English. English is taught in the local school. Dorothy taught art at the middle like school.

The church was up higher in the mountains but still plenty hot and lots of rain. Not as miserable in that respect as the low lands.

The women worked the grass into a thread and then wove it into a billam and then they carried their babies on their back while they worked. The men didn't do much and the women worked like dogs.

Dear friends and readers: This story about Dorothy the Missionary and the two years she spent in New Guinea is too long for one issue, so please read the rest of our story in next week's WBN.

See ya!

ANOTHER BEAR STORY: MEMOIRS OF DAVE BAGLEY

By: Stan Jordan

Our fearsome foursome bear hunters, who are known far and wide, for their bravery and love of the flora and fauna have again returned to the far Northern Province of Manitoba, Canada. Their cabin was situated so far north of the Ecliptic that the sun or moon at Meridian Height could dart no ray in the North part of it. Our nimrods are deep into the wilds of Northern Canada when danger lurks at every turn.

The boys have split up and gone their separate ways. Today we are with Dave Bagley, a tried and true archery specialist, born and raised in the wilds of Van Wert County. Many a bear has run away when they see Dave come into the forest.

There is about a 12-15 mile per hour breeze or wind flowing from the northeast so Dave stands with his back to the wind and up against a big pine tree and with his eagle like eyes scanning out across his shooting area.

Is that a movement out there? There is something moving out their about 35-40 yards or maybe 100 feet. It is white and brown, it is a bear but he can't get a good look at it, let alone a clear shot.

Now he can't see him at all. There he is, he seems to be moving back and forth with ease while standing in one place. Boy, if he ever stands still Dave will get him. Dave borrowed four of the best arrows you can buy from Tom Friend, they run about \$40.00 each.

These arrows are of 450 grain tip and stainless steel with a broad head, this is a sort of a heavy arrow and he needed that type for this wind.

Stan: I called over to Bob Lichty at Payne about what type an arrow to use on a big bruin. This might be all of the story that is true. Bob has won lots of trophies and contest in the archery field.

Dave can get this big fellow and have him mounted, even if it will cost an arm and a leg. As soon as this killer stands still, Dave will drop him.

Dave flies an arrow, and gee whiz, it seemed to slide off his chest and up toward the top of a big pine.

Well, Dave never saw an arrow act like that before and puts another \$40 arrow on the bow.

The bear swings back and stands still and Dave flies another arrow into the big fellows white chest. The same reaction, the arrow slides off

the bear's chest and goes up into the same pine as the first arrow.

Dave quickly fires off another arrow with the same type of results. It seems to bounce off the chest and then off towards those big pines.

Dave has not given up on this big fellow, although between shots Dave notices the bear's chest is extra white and all the rest is a shiny brown. He flies a fourth arrow and the bear goes down.

After a couple of minutes of waiting to see if that fellow is dead, Dave works his way over to the area where the bear is.

He stands in amazement at what he sees. He sees a 7-8 foot plastic bear. The bear is like what you see in 'Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade.' A balloon type replica of a larger brown and white bear.

The reason the arrows bounced off was because the plastic was too tough and not stiff enough for the arrow to gain on entrance.

By now Dave has settled down about not getting a huge bear and about losing four of Tom's \$40.00 arrows. BUT how can I tell those other guys about me getting duped by a plastic toy bear?

As he stood there and felt sorry about his losses he espied a label or tag attached to this bears foot.

It says this big fellow was turned loose full of helium at the 11th birthday party of Mamuk DePeersma, 410 Keltic Drive, Cape Breton Island, Nova Scotia, Canada. It also states that if you find this plastic bear would you please return the card with a few notes on where and when you found the bear?

Now Dave just sat down on a log and pondered what a situation he was into. He can't go tell those other fellows, Tom and Ray Friend and Steve Jordan that he was taken in by a 7 foot floating plastic bear. He has lost \$160.00 of Tom's arrows. He didn't get a bear and he can't face these fellows with the truth. Okay, if he could just sleep inside this log tonight.

Should he mail the card back to the boy? The little fellow will appreciate it and tell about it forever.

Dave is a father and grandfather and an educator. He knows what the returned card will mean to the boy. The bear had traveled 1,264 miles on that nor'easter in about five weeks.

Dave stopped at the post office and mailed the card. Now he has to order four new arrows for Tom.

See ya!



By: Stan Jordan Church Bulletin Bloopers

**The Scouts are saving aluminum cans and other items to be recycled. Proceeds will be used to cripple children.

**The outreach committee has enlisted twenty-five visitors to make calls on people who are not afflicted with any church.

**Evening massage at 6:00 p.m.

**The audience is asked to remain seated until the end of the recession.

**Ushers will eat late comers.

**The third verse of Blessed Assurance will be sung without musical accomplishment.

**Next Sunday, Mrs. Vinson will be the soloist for the morning service. The Pastor will then speak on, 'It's a Terrible Experience'.

**Due to the Rector's illness, the Wednesday Healing Service will be discontinued until further notice.

See ya!

JAMES JORDAN

By: Stan Jordan

James Jordan was born in Fort Wayne, Indiana, March 13, 1921. He was the first child of William and Dollie Woods Jordan.

There were five children all together: Jack 1922; Stan 1924; Grace 1932; and Rubie 1934.

About 1929 the family moved down to East Canal Street and that was the residence for many years.

As a youngster all three boys spent a lot of time fishing in the Maumee River, a lot of times playing at the park and a lot of time with the neighbor boys playing ball.

James was a good ball player and hitter and played with the adult teams as a teenager.

He joined the Ohio National Guard in Paulding when he was about 16 or 17. That was the 37th Division Co. 'A' of the 148th Infantry.

When the war started in Europe and everything looked bad, the 37th Division was activated and sent to Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

When they arrived in Mississippi they were brought up to a full strength division. The Guard started training in earnest, even out on maneuvers. Sometimes they had to use make believe tanks and artillery.

The guard were training when the Japs bombed Pearl Harbor and then they really got into training of all types.

Early in 1942, they were all sent by train to someplace in Pennsylvania, maybe it was Shenango. Here they were issued heavy clothes for winter and they sent by train to the west coast.

They knew they were going into the Pacific area, but that was all. After a while on the ship they loaded at the Fiji Islands.

Now here on the Fiji's they really got into jungle training. Night and day they stayed at the Fiji's until the fall of 1942 and then went into combat at Guadal Canal. The Marines had been here for a few weeks and the fighting was furious. Guadal Canal is the largest Island in the Solomon's. It's native name is Isatabu.

In the months after the Japs attacked on Pearl Harbor, the Japanese started to build a big ring around all that they had captured. They wanted to be in the way between U.S. and New Zealand and Australia.

An allied pilot flying over Guadal Canal had spotted the Jap's building an air field there at Longa Point. The Allies couldn't have that. They wanted this airfield for themselves. The Japs had reached the Canal in May of 1942.

The Marines landed in August of 1942 and secured the air strip with out much trouble but holding their ground was some of the worst fighting in the Southwest Pacific. This was a turning point in the war as it stopped the Japanese expansion. It was rough going for the A Co. as Japs wanted it back.

The Japanese would resupply their people at night and then get away to the North. This went on for a while and many ships on both sides were lost. That is why the men called that area around the Solomon's 'Iron Bottom Bay'.



This fighting went on until January 15, 1943, when the Americans drove the last of the Japs into the sea off Cape Esparence. The Japs had been taking their troops off at night.

This was jungle fighting for the Allies that they had to learn as they went: the rain, mud, heat, snakes, dysentery, varmints and bugs—let alone fighting the Japs.

The 37th Division did a good job here at the Canal, and they rested and resupplied with equipment and troops. In a few weeks 'A Co.' were on the landing craft again.

But this was a terrific day and night battle when the 37th Division was guarding a large supply dump. The Japs wanted it badly because they were out of supplies and weren't going to get any. The Japs fought hard and made an advance clean up to the barb wire fences. After fighting all

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day, they also pulled a night attack so close that the mortar section was firing down near straight up. The ground was covered with dead. The Japs lost hundreds, the 37th not to bad.

Later the 37th was put in for a Presidential citation for the good job they did at the supply dump. But someone in Washington rejected the request saying the 37th Divi-

sion was a National Guard outfit and only regular Army outfits were awarded Presidential Citations.

Now that was 63 years ago and I don't know if that is still the policy or not. But I'm still upset about that whole deal.

'A' Co. had a lot more battles in the Southwest Pacific and we will discuss them at a later date.

See ya!

PAULDING COUNTY CHRONICLES I

By: Caroline Wells Zimmerman

Charloe Octoberfest 2010

Charloe's 2nd Community Octoberfest 2010 was held October 16, 2010 at the historic Indian Village of Charloe, Ohio in Paulding County. T-shirts are still for sale for this annual event to raise money for playground equipment sponsored by the Charloe Community Park Board. Donations are being accepted. If you have any questions about booking for next year, please call Jennifer Perl at 419-439-0533.

The beautiful day was started with Patriotic Exercises and a flag burning by the Boy Scouts at 2:00 p.m. The Oakwood Community Band played to round out the event. A new historic sign was donated by R&B Fabrications and Lucas Heating and AC. Afternoon activities included: a Chili Cook-off; hot dog eating contest; Barrel Train Express, Corn Hole Tourna-

ment; Costume Contest; Shaffer's Concessions; and Perz Coney Dog Wagon. Popcorn and candy was also available.

Three bands played (1) Southern Edge and (2) Good Ole Boys. The first two played before dark. All were very good. Charloe is the second location of the County Courthouse and was once an Indian Reservation prior to 1830 before the Ottawa Indians were moved to Oklahoma. Peter Charloe was one of their leaders. All kidding aside, the Indians would have enjoyed the evening of music and the food and great bonfire along the Auglaize River with the moon shining brightly.

In the evening there was a huge bon fire with bales of straw arranged for seating around it so that visitors could enjoy the bands that played. There were three scheduled 'scary' adult hay rides and two scheduled children's hay rides. In the evening the third band played: Rewind (the Pierce Brothers and Company). The Charloe General Store was open until

12:00 p.m. Charloe was once an active Ottawa Indian Village only 200 years ago. North of the village is an antiquated Indian cemetery and a little over 100 years ago there was a covered bridge just across the Auglaize River near the village.

In October 1819, Indian Agent, John Johnson, from Piqua gave an account of the Indians under his care: (Ottawas: 85 men, 88 women, 54 children. Auglaize). It has been presumed by some historians that this could have been Charloe.

The Indians had previously been pushed south out of Michigan and from Eastern Ohio because of the valuable beaver trapping and other game in Ohio. There were deer, elk, turkeys and streams filled with fish. There was evidence of a buffalo lick and wallow between Charloe and the 'Confluence' of the Auglaize and the Maumee Rivers.

When General Anthony Wayne came to the 'Confluence' there were thousands of acres of produce planted (corn maize; pumpkins; beans; squash) that had been abandoned by the Indians with his coming. After the Battle of Fallen Timbers in August of 1794, Wayne ordered much of it burned along the rivers. Then he built Ft. Defiance.

Historians say than in 1648 the Iroquois (up to 1200) marched on the Cat nations on the Southern Erie frontier. The Erie were among the most powerful and warlike of the Indian tribes. They resided on the south side of the lake near Buffalo, New York. When the Erie heard of the confederation of the Oneidas, Onondagas and Seneca and Cayuga (Iroquois Nations), they thought the worst.

Many, many Indian battles took place to take superiority of the Ohio Rivers and hunting areas. Tecumseh, Pontiac and Cornstalk are among some of the great Indian heroes. Little Turtle is buried in Fort Wayne. Charloe was named after their leader, Peter Charloe.

"The great physical difference between the Algonkin and Iroquoirian people lies in that the crania of the former are brachycephalic, and of the latter dolcocephalic. Their famous league was formed in the middle of the 15th century."

Note: Parts of this writing was taken from: *The Indian Tribes of Ohio* by Moorehead.

VILLAGE OF PAULDING COUNCIL MINUTES FOR 9/20/10

Paulding Village Council met in Regular Session on September 20, 2010, at 6:30 p.m. in Council Chambers at the Municipal Building. Mayor White called the meeting to order.

Finance Director Tope called roll with the following members present: Barb Rife, Jim Guelde, Roger Sierer, Mike Trausch, and Randy Daeger. Administrator Wiebe and Solicitor Jones were also present. Councilwoman Kim Sutton was absent.

Sierer motioned to approve the minutes of the September 7th Council meeting, seconded by Trausch. Vote: all yea.

Mario Perez was present to discuss the issue he has with Los Gallitos grilling in the alley behind his home. He noted the smoke from the cooker penetrates his home, and that the unit is blocking the alley to his residence. He noted an officer from the Paulding Police Department and the Paulding Fire Marshall were called to investigate his complaint, and ordered the owner to shut down the operation because the unit was too close to a building. Mr. Perez believes the owner of the grill should have been cited for the violation rather than being warned, and noted that the issuance of more citations within the Village (such as loud pipes and jake braking) would generate more revenue.

Joe Burkard, Paulding County Prosecuting Attorney, was present seeking support in this November's election as he runs for Paulding County Common

Pleas Judge. Fred Pieper was present seeking support as he runs for Paulding County Commissioner.

Guelde presented the Ordinance Committee's September 14th report. Guelde noted the Committee recommends passing Ordinance 1411-10 authorizing village workers to drive their vehicles to and from home. He noted that this legislation benefits not only the Village, but also the residents of our community.

Resolution 1244-10 re: Resolution Accepting the Amounts and Rates as Determined by the Budget Commission and Authorizing the Necessary Tax levies and Certifying them to the County Auditor, was read for the first time.

Ordinance 1411-10 re: An Ordinance Establishing Standard Procedures for the Village of Paulding, Ohio, with respect to the Accounting of the Personal Use of Village Owned Motor Vehicles, was read for the first time.

Resolution 1242-10 re: A Resolution Providing for the Approval of an Enterprise Zone Agreement to be Entered into by the Village of Paulding, Ohio, Paulding County Commissioners, Paulding Exempted Village Schools, PCED, Inc., and Paulding Putnam Electric Cooperative, Inc., was read for the second time.

Daeger motioned to approve the Administrator's Agenda authorizing Change Order #9 of Contract B of the Lela McGuire Jeffery Park contract, seconded by Guelde. Vote: all yea. Sierer noted the Village is currently awaiting a letter of completion for the project, and that the Ball Association has been working Saturdays to get the complex ready for next spring (installing scoreboards, bleachers, signs, etc.). Wiebe noted the next phase of the project is to schedule a meeting with members of the Village, the Ball Association, and the engineer to tie up any loose ends.

Mayor White relayed he has approved Mike Sweinsberg as a Volunteer Fireman. His probationary period begins September 20th.

Wiebe provided Council with a letter from Sue Beck regarding sewer issues at her residence located at 742 N. Walnut St. He noted he plans to contact an outside company to record the sewer line at the location.

Solicitor Jones noted that he and Wiebe met with representatives of Rural Development to discuss the water distribution map. Rural Development requested a few changes to the map; therefore, he and Wiebe traveled to Poggemeyer's offices last Friday to have the appropriate changes made. Jones noted he mailed the revised maps to Rural Development this morning (9/20/10).

Wiebe noted the beacon at the top of the new tower is now flashing a red signal at night.

Solicitor Jones noted the Paulding County Health Department has no objections to Los Gallitos having a cooker/smoker located on their property. Mayor White noted that Al Beamer, Paulding County Fire Marshall, spoke with the owner of Los Gallitos last Friday and informed him the cooker could not be within 10' of a building. He allowed him to finish cooking the meat he had on the grill, but informed him he'd have to shut it down when finished.

Daeger motioned to pay the bills, seconded by Trausch. Vote: all yea.

Trausch motioned to adjourn, seconded by Rife. Vote: all yea.

ATTENTION CARRYALL TOWNSHIP VOTERS!

Carryall Township will be asking voters to support two different levies in the November 2nd election. These levies are for the purpose of providing ambulance/medical services (EMS) and for operating and maintaining the cemeteries. Both levies on the ballot replace already existing levies and the millage will remain the same.

LADY ARCHERS: SECTIONAL VOLLEYBALL CHAMPS!



Antwerp took on Edgerton at Bryan H.S. Saturday with the Archers shooting down the Bulldogs in a 4-1 match to win sectionals. Shown here is junior Ashlee Smith spiking the ball over the net. More pictures at www.archerpics.com

Antwerp defeated Edgerton in four sets at the 4A sectional championships on Saturday, October 23, 2010: 25-7, 23-25, 25-14, 25-20.

Archer stats:

Taylor Vail - 35-39 hitting with 22 kills, 6 blocks

Toni Winslow - 34-47 hitting with 12 kills, 13 digs, 15-16 serve receive, 26-26 serving

Loni Walk - 12-13 serving, 9 digs, 98-100 setting with 37 assists

Jessie Arnold - 14-18 hitting with 4 kills

Ashlee Smith - 18-20 hitting with 3 kills, 19 digs, 14-15 serve receive, 16-17 serving 3 aces

Rachel Colley - 10-10 serving, 8-8 serve receive, 3 digs

Alex North - 11-11 serving

Tricia Smalley - 11-11 serve receive, 9-9 serving, 8 digs

AJ Stuck - 14-18 hitting with 4 kills, 3 blocks

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"FROM THE VANTAGE POINT": ASKING THE EXPERTS: VANTAGE ADVISORY COMMITTEES KEEP PROGRAMS ON TRACK



Members of the Vantage Interactive Media advisory committee listen carefully as instructor Jill DeWert (right) reviews current program activities and curriculum. Seated, left to right: Laura Ditto, Stuart Jewett, Kirk Dougal, and Denny Frey. Amber Davis is also an advisory committee member.

How does Vantage keep students proficient in the most up-to-date procedures and technologies in each program? By asking the experts, that's how! Each career technical program at Vantage, high school and adult, has an advisory committee. Advisory committees are made up of volunteers from business and industry who agree to serve as "mentors" for a particular career technical program. Because of their working knowledge of the competencies required for specific occupations and careers, they provide valuable advice, guidance and assistance.

On Tuesday, October 19th, twenty different advisory committees met at Vantage to discuss the vision and direction for their program area.

Although advisory committee members have no legislative or administrative authority, the committee can enhance the program and become a vital, positive force

in its development. Serving on an advisory committee provides the members with increased knowledge about a program's curriculum, equipment usage, and student evaluation methods. Having an active advisory committee helps increase the teacher's knowledge about the job market, employment trends, employer/customer needs and community opportunities.

Advisory committees provide information that can update, modify, expand and improve the quality of the programs. They support and strengthen the relationship between business, industry, the community and education. Advisory committees also assist in identifying facility and equipment needs, determining priorities, reviewing and evaluating programs, and implementing these recommendations.

Over 100 volunteers serve as advisory committee members at Vantage and include

representatives from business, industry, and community agencies, as well as Vantage graduates, parents of current students and students. Feedback from advisory committees is used in making recommendations for program updates and revisions each year to reflect the needs of business and industry.

If you would like to find out more about serving on an advisory committee, please call Vantage Student Services at 419-238-5411 ext. 126.

Remember, Election Day is Tuesday, November 2nd. Vantage has a 7/10 of one mill RENEWAL Permanent Improvement levy on the ballot. A YES vote=No New Taxes.

OHSAA XC DIVISION III DISTRICTS

These are the results for the Division III cross country districts.

- Girls 5K run district 2:
 5. Tierney Czartoski, Fairview, 21:05.60; 8. Jamie Hablewetz, Hicksville, 21:24.90; 11. Kyrsten King, Fairview, 21:50.20; 12. Morella Roehrig, Fairview, 21:51.20; 16. Vanessa Gordon, Antwerp, 21:57.10; 17. Samantha Rhodes, Fairview, 22:05.70; 19. Olivia Briening, Fairview, 22:19.60; 22. Kathleen Walsh, Fairview, 22:45.10; 27. Alaine Wetli, Antwerp, 23:05.50; 28. Amber Poth, Hicksville, 23:07.30; 30. Harlee Hudson, Antwerp, 23:12.10

- Area girls team rankings:
 1. Fairview, 1:49:12.30; 6. Antwerp, 1:55:45.70; 7. Paulding, 2:09:11.90

- Boys 5K run district 1:
 5. Kyle Thomas, Fairview, 16:52.40; 11. Dylan Crawford, Antwerp, 17:14.70; 17. Tyler



Wayne Trace Raider junior Lindsey Matthews came in fourth in Districts at Ottawa. She will be moving on to regionals.

- Talbert, Fairview, 17:28.70; 29. Davis Reid, Hicksville, 17:57.80; 36. Beau Samples, Fairview, 18:23.00; 38. Nester, Fairview, 18:25.40; 39. Kaleb Eisel, Fairview, 18:27.90; 41. Jake Sweet, Hicksville, 18:33.80; 45. Jacob Whitman, Fairview, 18:50.30; Isaih Vega, Hicksville, 19:04.20

- Area boys team rankings:
 5. Fairview, 1:29:37.40; 9. Hicksville, 1:35:19.50; 10. Antwerp, 1:36:05.90

WASSENBERG ART CENTER MEMBERS' SHOW SCHEDULED

The Wassenberg Art Center, 643 S. Washington St.,

Van Wert, Ohio, will present its 20th Annual Members' Show and Sale from November 14 to December 11, 1-5 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday (closed Mondays). Admission is free. The exhibit is sponsored by the Van Wert County Hospital.

The Members' Show gives the member artists, photographers and crafters of the Wassenberg Art Center a chance to display and sell their work. It also gives the public an opportunity to see the work of talented, creative people in the Northwestern Ohio area (and beyond); the art center's membership includes people in New York, Indiana, Michigan and Georgia.

The show includes both a judged exhibit and a sales display. The judged exhibit will include paintings, drawings, pottery, photography, and more. Many of the items in the judged exhibit are for sale. The sales display will include unframed paintings and drawings as well as pottery and other items.

The following awards will be presented: United Art & Education Award—\$100 gift card; Mary McVay Worthington Memorial Award—\$75; Van Wert County Foundation Award—\$50; Douglas Koch Memorial Award—\$50; Gertrude Sluterbeck Memorial Award—\$25; Director's Award—\$25; Barley Charles Award (best animal)—\$25, four Merit Awards of \$20 each; Cheap Joe's Art Stuff Award—\$35 merchandise

certificate, tote bag and apron.

Executive Director Michele L. Hiegel says, "We always look forward to this exhibit because of the wonderful variety of work entered. It is also fun because it includes work from every level, beginner to professional. It's a great exhibit to visit and enjoy, and it lets area artists display their work and gives people an opportunity to buy original art at small-town prices. It is a win-win show for everyone!"

The exhibit is open to members of the Wassenberg Art Center. Any member who has not received a prospectus with rules and entry forms by Friday, October 15, should contact the art center. Entries together with completed entry form must be turned in at the Wassenberg Art Center, 643 S. Washington St., Van Wert, Ohio, 1:00-5:00 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday from Friday, October 22 through Friday, November 5, 2010. We will not be able to take entries on Sunday, October 31 unless arrangements are made in advance.

For information on membership or on the Members' Show, contact the Wassenberg Art Center at 419-238-6837, or toll free 1-888-238-3837, or by e-mail at wassenberg@embarqmail.com. The art center is located at 643 S. Washington Street, Van Wert, Ohio. Visit the website at www.vanwert.com/wassenberg to learn about art center exhibits, activities and classes.

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- Vice President, Paulding Kiwanis Club, 2010-2011
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- Paulding Bar Association President, 2008
- Paulding Ball Association, Coach, 2008, 2010
- Paulding Kiwanis Soccer League, Coach, 2008

Employment

- Paulding County Court Judge, 2007-Present
- Practicing Attorney in Common Pleas, Probate/ Juvenile, and Municipal Courts of Paulding, Defiance, Williams, Henry and Fulton Counties, 1999-2007
- Borland and Beckman, Law Office, 1999-2007
- Borland, Haver and Kight, Law Office, 1998-1999

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BULLDOGS TOP ACES WITH DEFENSE AND SPECIAL TEAMS

By: Josh Hahn

The Hicksville Aces traveled to Stauffer Field Friday night to take on the Edgerton Bulldogs in a GMC matchup. The Hicksville Aces looked to win their fifth game in a row while the Bulldogs were looking to keep their playoff hopes alive. In a game that was expected to be a high scoring affair, the Bulldogs prevailed 13-6 in part to outstanding defensive and special teams play.

The Bulldogs' defense played well from the onset, recovering a fumble by the Aces on the second play of the game, giving them great field position on the Aces 45 yard line. The Aces responded with stout defensive play of their own, causing the Bulldogs to turn the ball over on downs. The Aces marched down the field and scored their only points of the game when Seth Klepper punched the ball into the touchdown zone from one yard out. A failed extra point attempt left the Aces with a 6-0 lead.

Edgerton was able to gain the lead in the second quar-

ter when Brody Flegal connected with Caleb Stark for an 11 yard touchdown pass. The extra point was booted through the uprights by Bill Radabaugh making the score 7-6. Radabaugh's golden foot would provide the rest of Edgerton's offensive output.

On Hicksville next possession, they looked to regain the lead with a 27 yard field goal attempt. The kick was blocked however, by none other than Bill Radabaugh, Edgerton's kicker.

In the second half, Radabaugh added his first three point field goal of the game from 23 yards out to give the Bulldogs a 10-6 advantage. In the fourth quarter, Hicksville threatened to take the lead back from the Bulldogs by driving the ball deep into Edgerton territory. The Bulldog defense held fast though, and ended the drive when Wyatt Herman tackled Kaleb Johns in the backfield on a fourth down conversion attempt.

Edgerton would add three more points on their next drive when Radabaugh booted his second field goal of the night from 20 yards out to give them a 13-6 lead. Hicksville did not give up however, and with a little over two minutes left in the contest they marched the ball down the field behind the arm of quarterback Justin Miller. The Aces drove the ball all the way down to the Bulldogs seven yard line before Wyatt Herman made another huge defensive play for the Bulldogs, intercepting a pass in the end zone to seal the Aces fate.

Hicksville mentor Lucas Smith commented on the hard fought game, "I expected this all week from Edgerton, after

their disappointing loss last week I knew that Coach Kline would have these guys ready to go. It has been a down to the wire game the last two years and I didn't expect this game to be any different and it did not disappoint."

The victory gave the Bulldogs a 7-2 record overall and 4-2 record in the GMC. Edgerton will look to keep their playoff aspirations alive next week when they face the tough task of playing the Tinora Rams, a team who has not allowed a single point to be scored on them in conference play this year.

The loss dropped the Aces overall record to 4-5 on the year and 4-2 in the conference. They will look to end the season on a high note when they take on the Fairview Apaches next week, a matchup Coach Smith commented on. "I think it's going to be another great game. Two years ago we lost by five and last year we won by five. I expect to see this same type of down to wire game against them."

WOODBURN HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETING

The Woodburn Historical Society will meet on the 4th Thursday, October 28th, at 7:00 p.m. at the Woodburn Library on the east side of Woodburn.

Don't know what to get for a loved one? We have some of the Historic Buildings of Woodburn Community for sale. Call 260-632-5268 or write to the Historical Society, PO Box 6, Woodburn, IN, 46797.

—Gloria Gerig, President

HOW TO HANDLE A "POOR" REPORT CARD

It's that time of the school year again - report card time. While many students will come home with good grades, many others would rather stuff their report cards deep into their backpacks than show them to their parents. As parents, you want your child to do well in school, so what do you do when your child's report card isn't as good as it could be?

"Children get frustrated and upset when their report cards don't reflect their academic potential," states Jami Sullivan, Center Director of the Sylvan Learning located in Defiance.

"Every child learns and tests differently. And, not every child will be a straight 'A' student," continues Sullivan. "Understanding your child's ability and determining if your expectations are too high will allow both you and your child to set appropriate goals for each class before

report cards are distributed. It will also help establish an environment in which your child is not apprehensive about sharing his report card with you."

Sylvan Learning, the leading provider of in-center and live, online tutoring at home to students of all ages and skill levels, offers the following tips for parents on how to deal with a "poor" report card:


1. Set expectations. Not every child will achieve high marks, but that doesn't mean your child should strive for less. Talk with your child before the school year starts and explain that you won't be upset if he doesn't bring home perfect grades -- but that you will be upset if he doesn't try his hardest or doesn't ask for help.

2. Communicate with your child. Don't wait until report cards are issued to talk with your child about school and grades. Talk with her every night and every week about homework. Ask how she is doing in school and what subjects she finds challenging.


3. Discuss your child's performance with his teacher and/or guidance counselor. Your child's teacher and/or guidance counselor is the best source for information about your child's scholastic performance. Your child's teacher can recommend ways to help your child or point out difficulties he is having. His guidance counselor can provide progress reports between reports cards or help set up additional parent-teacher conferences when necessary.

4. Set goals for improvement with your child. If your child is currently a "C" stu-

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dent -- then setting a goal of getting all "A's" may not be reasonable. However, creating an improvement goal for each subject will help her work towards an attainable level for each class.

5. Establish a study plan with your child. Your child should keep a schedule of all classes, assignments and key dates (e.g., project deadlines, big exams, etc). As part of that schedule, he should include specific time for studying, projects and extracurricular activities. The more comprehensive the schedule, the more efficient your child will be in completing his homework and the better he'll do in school.

6. Seek outside help. Some

children may need additional attention that can't be provided in school. Speak with your child's teacher about tutoring or supplemental education providers to help your child work towards better grades in school.

7. Praise your child's successes. Praise your child for what she is doing well, whether it's a specific academic subject or an extracurricular activity. If your child is not doing well in English, but loves to read the latest Harry Potter book, show her the connection between the two.

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**MEET THE CANDIDATES
2010**

By: Sue Knapp

The Paulding Progress hosted their fourth Meet the Candidates on October 14 at the Paulding Eagles.

The forum included the candidates and the levies on the ballot. Questions were asked of the candidates after they spoke.

Up first was State Representative of the 75th District, Republican Lynn Wachtmann. Wachtmann gave us examples of the way he provides services for the people in his district. He promised to continue being a watchdog of your money. He stressed how he liked to meet people and would go out of his way to meet with you. He commented on the public utilities being regulated and told of how EPA is hurting businesses by forcing them to spend millions.

Democrat Cletus Schindler of Liberty Center is running against Lynn Wachtmann. He is a working man who feels that people need to work together and stand up for what they believe. A few of his interests are helping the elderly, veterans, and libraries. He is Chairman of the Democratic Party in Henry County. He lives by the Ten Commandments and is faithful to his beliefs.

Question: Ohio is facing huge budget deficits, what revenues and cuts would you make?

Schindler: He would need to know where the monies are coming from and where it is going. He wouldn't really be able to do that until he knew what's going on.

Wachtmann: He would not support any tax increases. He feels that local governments should manage their businesses, schools, etc. He would like to reconstruct the government.

Wayne Trace Levy: Perry Sinn spoke on the Wayne Trace Levy. Sinn stressed that this is not a new levy, it is a renewal with no new taxes involved. He stated that Wayne Trace is about education first and athletics second.

Vantage Levy: Staci Kaufman spoke for the Vantage Levy. This renewal would be used for maintenance costs and technologies. This is a renewal, with no additional monies involved.

County Levy: Tony Burkley spoke about the 2 mil levy on the ballot for county expenses. This levy would increase services and revenue that has been cut. The passing of the levy would relieve pressures caused by the cut backs.

Question: How will the wind farms affect the county revenue?

Burkley: This will affect the townships, school districts and counties that contain the Wind Farms. They will start receiving so much money per tower in 2013. Burkley also stated that the passed levy would help close the gap until then.

Next up was the candidates for Commissioner: Democrat Ed Straley has been in the Commissioner's office for four years. He spoke on what has happened in the last four years.

Republican Fred Pieper is Mr. Straley's opponent. He has worked a number of jobs including running his own business. He is also on the board of a credit union and is involved with supervising the budget. He will use his knowledge and experience in running Paulding County. He believes in open communication via web site, e-mail, and incorporating evening hours. He would like to promote and market Paulding County and suggested ways the county offices could save money.

Question: If elected do you plan to serve the four year term? Both candidates

answered yes.

What about good tax abatements to attract new businesses?

Straley: He feels the need to give good tax abatements according to the situation.

Pieper: Yes for new businesses, but no to already existing businesses.

Question: What about the Commissioner's job being two days a week?

Pieper: He feels the need to be more accessible to the public and be more active and involved.

Straley: The job consists of more than two days a week. He spends a lot of time on the road to meetings and a lot of expenses are going out of pocket.

Question: Do you think the Commissioner's job should be full time or part time?

Straley: Like the others, he also has another job with farming.

Pieper: As long as people can reach the Commissioners he doesn't feel it needs to be a set forty hours.

Democrat Susan Simpson and Republican Claudia Fickel vie over the County Auditor's position.

Susan Simpson has been in the Auditor's position for 3½ years. She has made quite a few changes in the office such as new software. She commented on the budget cuts and with hard work and dedication she has found ways to overcome this and meet deadlines. She promises continued open communication, efficient management and knowledgeable service.

Fickel: She has had much experience in accounting and has been the Fiscal Officer in Washington Township for six years. She believes people have a voice and is willing to stand up and speak out what she believes.

Question: What are your goals for this office?

Fickel: She says she wants better communication with other offices, agencies and people. She will listen to the people and to be conservative and frugal.

Simpson: She will continue the things she has started, and improve the web site. She would like to see about financial software.

Question: What qualifications do you bring to this office?

Simpson: She's attended Defiance College, Indiana Business College, was a Crane Township Officer, worked as a CPA and has went back to college to expand her knowledge. She also has had different training classes while holding this position. She was named the 2009 County Auditor in Real Estate and the award for Weights and Measures in 2010.

Fickel: She went to Indiana Business College, has dealt in accounting in the private and government sector, and has a good relationship with people.

Judge for Common Pleas Court: Judge Tiffany Beckman and PC Prosecutor Joe Burkard.

Burkard: He graduated from Findlay University with a Bachelor Degree in Business Administration. He then went on to the University of Toledo School of Law. In 1992, he joined the law firm of Cook & Troth. In 1995 he ran for Prosecuting Attorney and has held that position since 1996. He feels an open mind, willing to listen and making people feel they are getting

their day in court helps make a good judge.

Beckman: She graduated from the University of Toledo with a Bachelor's Degree in Psychology and went on to receive her law degree. She had a law office in Defiance until running for Judge in 2007.

Question: Judge Webb had one employee, will you change that? Both answered no.

Question: What types of high profile cases have you been involved in and who is your greatest inspiration?

Burkard: Judge Webb has been his inspiration. He has been involved in murder cases, tax foreclosures, etc.

Beckman: Judge Webb has been her inspiration and has been involved in criminal defense cases as an attorney and she is not allowed to discuss her cases as a Judge.

Questions from the audience:

Question: Do you think the county budget is adequate?

Straley: It's very tight, the levy is needed to help with expenses. Example: the courthouse needs a new roof.

Pieper: He agreed with Ed, the funding is not adequate for the county.

Question: Why did you spend the money put such a large ad in the paper for evaluation of property?

Simpson: I wanted people to see it and give them the opportunity to look at their records. It was cheaper to put the ad in the paper than to mail out brochures. The money came from the Real Estate Assessment Fund that is mandated by the State.

Fickel: She felt a smaller ad could have been used.

Question: When asked, Burkard commented that the Judge position would be full time, he would give up being prosecuting attorney with no private law practice.

Question: Simpson, Why don't you use local assessors? The assessors have to be approved by the state and be specialized in math appraisal.

Fickle responded by saying she would be a voice for the taxpayers and come up with fair evaluations.

Question: Fickle, what kinds of changes would you make? She doesn't know until she gets in office, but would definitely be more accessible to the people.

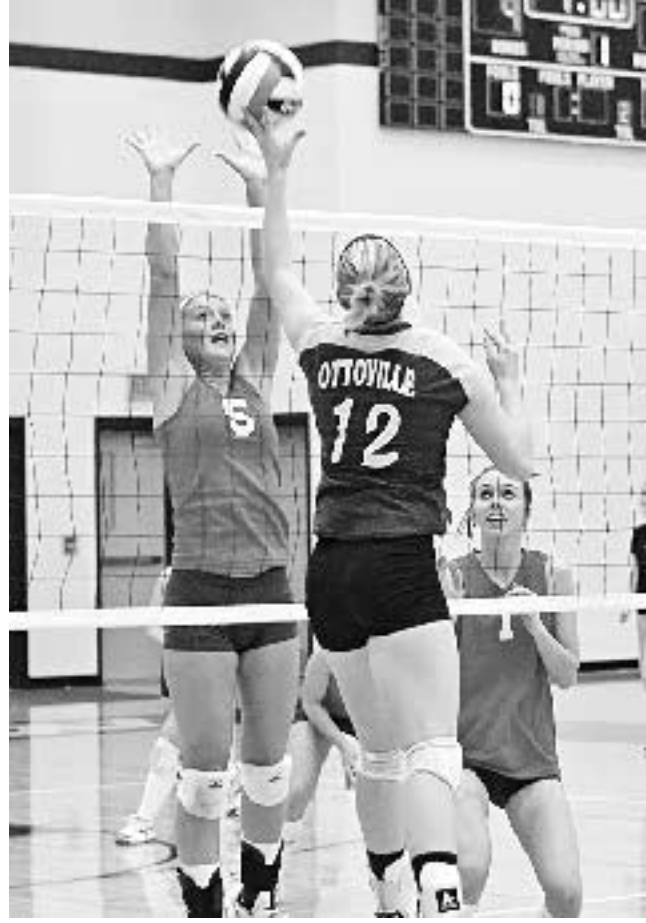
Question to Wachtmann and Schindler: What's your position on abortion, the 2nd amendment, and illegal immigrants? Wachtmann believes all state aid should be cut off from illegal immigrants, and people should be allowed to carry guns. Schindler stated that people should be allowed to carry guns but their should be restrictions on who carries them.

On the issue of abortion, both parties disagreed with it, but a very heated discussion ensued on what each parties' platform belief.

The evening ended with door prizes being given out.



Woodlan took on the Jets at home in a sectional match and won in three quick sets only to fall to Bishop Luers in four sets two hours later. Another great season Woodlan had this year. Shown here is another Tricia Sieger shooting the ball over the net. More pictures at www.westbendnews.net



Wayne Trace brings down Ottoville Saturday at Lincolnvie to win the sectional tournament in a 3-0 game. Shown here is Raider senior Janelle Davis attempting a block with Junior Rebecca Habern ready for backup. More pictures at www.westbendnews.net

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PRIVATE PESTICIDE APPLICATOR CATEGORY CHANGES

By: Jim Lopshire, Extension Educator

All Ohio private pesticide applicators will receive a new pesticide license this fall due to the consolidation of pesticide categories. The Ohio Department of Agriculture has reduced the number of categories for private applicators from thirteen to seven. This reduction could mean fewer categories listed on the new applicator's license.

This consolidation reflects the changing needs of farming operations. Several smaller-use categories have been combined for applicators. For example, growers who raise produce will now only need one category for fruit and vegetable crops. The new categories for a private pesticide applicator's license are:

- Category 1: Grain and Cereal Crops
- Category 2: Forage Crops & Livestock
- Category 3: Fruit & Vegetable Crops
- Category 4: Nursery & Forestry Crops
- Category 5: Greenhouse Crops
- Category 6: Fumigation

Category 7: Specialty Uses
Some applicators will have fewer categories listed on their license, but will be able to purchase and use the same pesticide products as before. The specialty categories of seed treatment, non-cropland, aquatics, tobacco and wood preservation are consolidated into the first six categories. This means an applicator would be able to purchase materials for these applications with at least one category on their license. For example, an applicator with Category 1: Grain and Cereal Crops on their license will still be able to purchase pesticide products for grain crops but will also be able to buy pesticide products to treat seed and manage stored grain, non-crop areas and ponds on their farm. Tobacco and wood preservation were also consolidated.

Category 7 represents specialty uses. This category is only for applicators that do not have the first six categories on their license. An example would be someone who only does wood preservation on lumber and does not need any other crop categories. Their license would reflect this by only having Category 7. If an applicator has any other category on their license, they do not need Category 7.

The Core category, which covers safety and stewardship for pesticide use, remains unchanged and is required for all applicators.

This consolidation of categories does not change the private applicators' recertification requirements. A minimum of three hours of approved training is required to recertify the license. Of the three hours, at least one hour shall consist of core training material and at least one half hour shall consist of training material specific to each pesticide-use category in which the private applicator is licensed.

If applicators have any questions on these changes, please contact the Paulding County Extension office at 419-399-8225. More detailed information about the new categories is also available at the Pesticide Safety Education Program website: <http://pested.osu.edu/private.html> or the ODA website at: <http://ohioagriculture.gov>

PAULDING KIWANIS BUILDING TO OPEN ELECTION NIGHT

The Kiwanis of Paulding County will be opening the Kiwanis Community Center (the old armory on the east-side of the square) on Election Night. The building will be open from 8:00-11:00 p.m. A large-screen television will be airing state-wide and national results. Local volunteers will gather unofficial precinct results as they become available and from the Election Board when they are released.

"BE AWARE - KNOW THE DANGER ZONE" BUS SAFETY WEEK 2010



Kindergarten students Ashton Manz, Dakota Ousley, Jack Ross and Dalton Lee are shown with members of the Ohio State Highway Patrol after bus safety training. The members doing the training were Inspector Mr. Al Joseph, Inspector Ms. Tina Eley, and Trooper JJ McClain.

Paulding Elementary School had several special guests visit during Bus Safety Week which was October 18-22. The theme for the week was "Be Aware - Know the Danger Zone."

Students learned ten basic school bus safety rules:

1. Be on time
2. Never run to or from a school bus
3. Stand back from the

4. Don't push or shove
5. Stay in your seat
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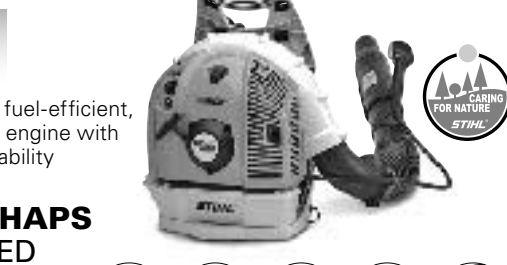
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Groups of 8-12 will be transported by limo (your ride to the cemetery in upright position!) from the Huber Community Center where refreshments will be served to calm you AFTER "the experience". You may be scheduled for this unique function by phoning the Huber at 419-542-9553. \$5 per person.

This is a one-time opportunity...for curious ADULTS (your little monsters would also receive a great history lesson)... You will be haunted for this one night only as the spirits will not rise again!!!

Watch this space for info on great happenings at the Huber in November including: *Seussical II* and *Hairspray*



PAULDING EXEMPTED VILLAGE SCHOOLS

NOVEMBER 2010 NEWSLETTER



SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Friends of the Paulding Exempted Village Schools,

The inaugural class of the Paulding Exempted Village Schools Academic Hall of Fame was inducted during Commencement last May. It was truly a pleasure meeting the inductees and learning about their experiences and memories of Paulding Exempted Village Schools. It is time to begin nominations for the Academic Hall of Fame Class of 2011. Graduates of any high school currently within the boundaries of the Paulding Exempted Village Schools district are eligible for nomination. Other criteria for nominations and the application can be accessed on our website at pauldingschools.org under *Academic Hall of Fame*. All applications are due by February 1, 2011.

November 14-20 has been designated as *American Education Week*. This is the 89th observance of the event. The annual theme is "*Great Public Schools: A Basic Right and Our Responsibility*". *American Education Week* spotlights the importance of providing every child in America with a quality public education from kindergarten through college, and the need for everyone to do his or her part in making public schools great. Research shows that parental involvement in schools improves student achievement, reduces absenteeism, and restores confidence among parents in their children's education. I am thankful for the dedicated faculty, staff, administration and parents that we have working with our children daily. Education is the key to a better future for our children.

Yours in Education,
Pat Ross
Superintendent

NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPALS

Paulding Elementary-Wendy Nash

The year is quickly progressing. One quarter of learning is complete which has assisted teachers with getting to know your child's strengths and weaknesses. Conferences will be on November 4th and 9th from 4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.. Please make every effort to attend your child's conference. It is important that a strong connection be made to assist your child with progressing through the curriculum in their current grade.

You may have heard some information about grade level academic content standards, but do not really know what this means for your child. On the Ohio Department of Education Website, there is information called Standards guides for Families. The direct web link is: <http://education.ohio.gov/GD/Templates/Pages/ODE/ODEDetail.aspx?page=3&TopicRelationID=1696&ContentID=14936&Content=88488>. You can go to this link and look up, per grade level, what is expected of your child. Your knowledge of these will be helpful in understanding the high expectations for students. If you need a copy of these expectations, please let us know or stop in the office.

The following are tips for preparing for your child's conference: Look for the strengths in your child, review your child's grade card before attending the conference, write down questions you have about your child's progress, let the teacher know how your child does on homework, let the teacher know the areas of study that your child enjoys the most, and clarify anything that you are not clear about with the teacher. A conference is an important checkpoint in your child's progress in school. We look forward to your attendance. Together we can help your child be successful. Let us know if there is anything we can do to assist your child.

Oakwood Elementary-Jennifer Manz

Exciting things continue to take place at Oakwood Elementary! By the time you read this, we will have completed the first quarter of our 2010-2011 school year, and we have already had some wonderful successes this school year. We will be acknowledging our Honor Roll and Perfect Attendance students at an awards assembly in the near future.

In October, we recognized Fire Safety Week. We were visited by the Oakwood and Auglaize firefighters and Oakwood EMTs. They conducted our monthly fire drill, visited the Pre-School through 2nd Grade classrooms, and gave students a tour of different types of fire trucks and an ambulance. We want to extend a very special thank you to the local firemen and women who took time out of their busy schedules to come teach us some important safety tips.

October 25th-29th is Red Ribbon Week. Activities for this week are planned by our guidance counselor, Karen Schlatter, to reinforce and to promote the importance of living a drug-free lifestyle. Each day during Red

Ribbon Week, we have a special theme to help draw students' attention to the drug-free message and to remind them of the importance of making good choices. Ms. Schlatter also arranged for our 3rd through 6th graders to listen to a special program about the dangers of drugs and alcohol, put on by our local Sheriff and State Highway Patrol departments.

In early November, we hold our first Parent/Teacher Conferences. Conferences are an opportunity for parents to ask questions about what they are seeing their child learn and do in the classroom, on assessments, and for homework. If you have questions or concerns, if you are wondering why your child is expected to master a certain skill, or if you are looking for ideas of how to help reinforce new concepts with your child at home, parent/teacher conferences are the perfect time to address any of these topics. The children who are most successful in school are those who know their parents and teachers are working together in their best interests. By forming a solid team, we can help our children excel.

Oakwood Elementary invites all Veterans to our Veteran's Day Program on Thursday, November 11th, at 9:30.

In mid-October, Oakwood Elementary received a Certificate of Commendation from The State Board of Education for achieving the designation of **Excellent** on our Local Report Card for 2009-2010. We are very proud of this award and will have it on display right next to the Certificates of Commendation we have received in the two previous years! Now you know why I frequently say great things are happening at Oakwood Elementary. As always, we need and appreciate the support of our whole community to meet goals such as this and to help our children be successful - thank you for being there for us!

Middle School-David Stallkamp

Hello From Paulding Middle School:
A big THANK YOU to everyone that supported our middle school fund raiser. The final totals are not officially in yet, but it looks like we netted a profit of close to \$6500. The items have been delivered and should be in your hands. If you are writing a check, please make all checks payable to Paulding Exempted Village Schools. Thank you again for your continued support.

Grade cards for the first nine weeks grading period will be mailed home on October 27th. Please look over this report very carefully and discuss any pertinent information with your student. For the most part, I have been very pleased with the academic progress of the students.

Our fall sports seasons have ended. Congratulations to all coaches, players, cheerleaders, and fans for making the fall sports fun and exciting - now on to the winter sports of wrestling and basketball.

Parent-Teacher Conferences are scheduled for Thursday evening, November 4th, and Tuesday evening, November 9th. You will be receiving a letter requesting a conference if the teacher wishes to see you or needs you to come in. If you do not receive a letter and still wish to see your child's teachers, please feel free to contact Marcy at the school office and set up an appointment to do so. I highly encourage ALL parents to visit their child's teachers to make sure home and school are always on the same page.

On Wednesday, November 10th, our 8th graders will be taking their annual tour of the Vantage Career Center. They will be going by bus to tour this wonderful facility. We thank Vantage for allowing our students to visit.

On Wednesday, November 17th, our students will be treated to an all school assembly entitled, "Dare to Move." It is a wonderful assembly that deals with how to deal with hardships that we all encounter in life. The students will discover that courage is not the absence of fear, but the judgment that something else is more important than fear. It will start at 8:30 in the auditoria.

On Friday, November 19th, we will be having our annual 6th grade HOG ROAST. This is always a great event and the 6th graders put in countless hours preparing for this day. I thank everyone that is involved and especially those that have donated their time, money, energy, and supplies to help with this event. I would especially like to thank Mr. Ted Wunderle, a sixth grade teacher, who chairs this event every year. He, along with Mr. Joel Parrett and Mr. Mike Leach, stay up all night cooking the hog for the next day's feast. A special THANK YOU to Mr. Brent Davis, who every year graciously donates the hog to the school. It is always delicious and we look forward to a great meal for the day. Picture Re-Take Day is scheduled for Mon-

day, November 22nd. Mid Term reports for the second nine weeks grading period will be coming home on November 23rd. There will be NO SCHOOL on Wednesday, November 24th. This is the start of Thanksgiving break. School will resume on Monday, November 29th. Have a Very Happy Thanksgiving.

I THANK YOU for your continued support of Paulding Middle School and I look very much forward to seeing many of you at Parent-Teacher Conferences. Have a great month.

High School-Todd Harmon

As November approaches, we prepare to exercise our rights to vote and give multiple forms of communication as to the performance level of our elected representatives. November also gives opportunity to evaluate the performance of your children through parent-teacher conferences. I hope you will be able to meet with your teachers concerning your child's progress as we move into the second nine weeks and begin to wrap up the semester. Conferences will be Thursday, November 4th, from 4:30-7:30 p.m. and Tuesday, November 9th from 4:30-7:30. Our staff looks forward to meeting you and working to help your child.

Thank you to the Student Council and their advisors Shawn Brewer and Julie McCullough and all the teachers who helped make Homecoming a big success. Thanks to the students for their cooperation and helping make the activities of Homecoming a positive experience.

A big thanks to all the fall coaches and assistants who have helped work with our students. Paulding High School's extra-curricular activities thrive on positive student leadership. Thanks to the Seniors for their efforts to demonstrate positive leadership efforts as it is necessary for continued success for our programs. May this time of the year, with the holidays approaching, bring families together and let you enjoy that time with each other.

NOVEMBER 2 - ELECTION DAY

All residents are encouraged to vote Tuesday, November 2. This is a great example for the students to see their family members participate in the most basic citizen's responsibility-the right and opportunity to vote.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES

The first parent-teacher conferences for the 2010-2011 year are scheduled for November 4 and 9 from 4:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. each day. These conferences not only provide an opportunity to learn about your student's work but allow you to show your student that his/her education is important to you. Attending the conference will give you ideas on how you can help your child be more successful in school. If you are not contacted for a conference, please feel free to call the school offices to schedule an appointment.

WINTER SPORTS SEASON TICKETS

Tickets for PHS winter sports will be on sale in the commons at all the home girls and boys scrimmages, at Meet the Team Night, and also during lunches the week of Nov 29 at the following prices:

SEASON TICKET:	Adult/Student
Boys' Basketball: (9 games)	\$45/\$30
Girls' Basketball: (10 games)	\$50/\$30
All Sports (all winter sports)	\$75/\$40
Family Pass:	\$200
(Includes children in grades K-12)	
Student Athlete:	\$10
◇ Boys' basketball presale tickets are \$5 for adults and \$4 for students. All tickets at the door are \$6.	
◇ Girls' basketball and varsity wrestling are \$5 for adults and \$4 for students at the door.	
◇ Jr. High basketball and wrestling, and freshman basketball are \$3 for adults and \$2 for students at the door.	

BASKETBALL PLAYERS in Grades 4-6

Our Mini-Panther Basketball league for boys in grades 4-6 begins on Saturday, January 8. Registration forms will be sent out the first week of December. If you don't receive one, you may go to the school's website at www.pauldingschools.org, click Athletics, click High School, under the Winter tab click Boys Basketball, and download a form there. Forms will be available at Oakwood Elementary, Paulding Elementary and Paulding Middle School after December 3. If you have any questions please contact Coach Brewer at 419-399-4656, ext. 1147.

DONKEY BASKETBALL

The after-prom parents will be hosting a donkey basketball game on Monday, November 1, in the high school gym at 7:00 p.m., doors

will open at 6:00 p.m.. The tickets are \$6 presale and \$8 at the door. Kindergarten and younger are free. There will also be donkey rides at half time. All proceeds go to the after-prom committee.

SENIOR CITIZEN BREAKFAST

The annual Senior Citizen Breakfast will be on December 8. All district residents 60 years and older are invited to join us at 8:00 a.m. for a great breakfast, fellowship and entertainment. Doors will open at 7:45 a.m. We will be showcasing the talents of our students from each building. Please call the administration office at 419-399-4656 to reserve a seat.

YEARBOOK SALES NOTICE

All high school students will be receiving a yearbook flyer in the mail in early November. Students may now order their 2010-2011 yearbook online by following the information on the flyer, or they may fill out the flyer and return it to school with a check enclosed. A second flyer will be mailed in the spring if a book has not been ordered by then. At that time, the cost of the book will go up from \$50.00 to \$52.00. Students are encouraged to order their book before January 31 to get the book at the current price. Please contact Carolyn Connelly at 419-399-4656 ext. 1157 if you have any questions.

SEARCH FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES

Our school district is participating in an effort to identify, locate and evaluate all children from birth through 21 years of age who may have disabilities. Disability, in this instance, means such conditions as hearing impairments, visual impairment, speech or language disabilities, mental retardation or other health impairments, physical impairments, autism and traumatic brain injury. Our school has responded vigorously to federal and state mandates requiring the provision of a free and appropriate public education, regardless of a child's disability. But before we can serve children they must be found. Many children with disabilities are not visible because they cannot function in the mainstream of the community. Also, many unidentified children with disabilities are preschoolers. Parents may not be aware their child has a disability, or that there are programs and services available. Our school district is interested in meeting the needs of the children with disabilities. If you know of a child who may have a disability, contact the school for information or help.

ATHLETIC CALENDAR

Varsity Girls Basketball Scrimmages		
Nov. 8	Wapak/Edon-H	6:00p
Nov. 11	Stryker-H	5:00p
Nov. 16	Riverdale-T	6:00p
Nov. 20	Fayette-T	11:00a
Nov. 30	Antwerp-T	6:00p
Varsity Boys Basketball Scrimmages		
Nov. 12	Elmwood/Swanton-H	5:30p
Nov. 16	Edgerton-H	5:00p
Nov. 20	Liberty Center-T	10:00a

DISTRICT CALENDAR EVENTS

Nov. 1	Band Boost Mtg. Band Room	7:00p
Nov. 1	Donkey Basketball	7:00p
Nov. 2	Band Concert	7:00p
Nov. 3	IPFW College Rep	1:45p
Nov. 3	Athletic Booster Meeting	7:00p
Nov. 4	Parent/Teacher Conf	4:30-7:30p
Nov. 5	Deadline for Dec 11 ACT Test	
Nov. 9	Parent/Teacher Conf	4:30-7:30p
Nov. 10	8th Graders Tour Vantage	
Nov. 11	MS/HS Vet Day Bkfst & Prog	8:00a
Nov. 11	PldgEl Veteran's Day Celebration	
Nov. 11	OakEl Veterans' Day Program	9:30a
Nov. 11	PLAN Test	
Nov. 12	OakEl Student/Month Lunch	
Nov. 15	FFA Chapter Mtg	
Nov. 15	FFA Alumni Mtg Ag Room	7:00p
Nov. 15	HS Picture Retakes	
Nov. 16	PldgEl Band Performance	7:00p
Nov. 16	Board Mtg. Admin. Bldg.	7:00p
Nov. 17	FFA Fruit Sales End	
Nov. 17	MS Assem "Dare to Move"	8:30a
Nov. 18	FFA Dist Food Science	
Nov. 19	MS Hog Roast	
Nov. 19-20	HS Play "The Cow Tipppers"	7:30p
Nov. 22	MS Picture Retake Day	
Nov. 22	PldgEl Picture Retake Day	
Nov. 22	OakEl Picture Retakes	
Nov. 23	MS/HS Mid-Terms sent home	
Nov. 23	Meet the Team Night-MS Gym	5:00p
Nov. 24	NO SCHOOL (due to teacher conf)	
Nov. 25-26	NO SCHOOL-Thanksgiving Break	
Nov. 30	PTO Movie Night	



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PAULDING COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEETING MINUTES FOR 10/6/10

This 6th day of October, 2010, the Board of County Commissioners met in regular session with the following members present:

Tony Zartman, Tony Burkley, Edward Straley, and Nola Ginter, Clerk

ALLOWANCE OF CLAIMS:
Warrants documented as 171018 through 172103 for County Bills were approved and certified to the County Auditor for payment.

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING 'THEN AND NOW' PURCHASE ORDERS AND PAYMENTS:

The Paulding County Auditor has certified the following "Then and Now" purchase order numbers and payments included in the Allowance of Claims on September 30, 2010. Warrants numbering 171783 through 171963 totaling \$1,798,181.84; and it is certified that both at the time that the contract or order was made ("then"), and at the time that the County Auditor is completing the certification ("now"), that sufficient funds were available or in the process of collection, to the credit of a proper fund, properly appropriated and free from any previous encumbrance; and, pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code §5705.41(D)(1), these purchases must be approved by resolution of the board of county commissioners; now the Paulding County Commissioners approve the Then and Now Purchase Orders as submitted by the Auditor; and it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Board of County Commissioners, County of Paulding, State of Ohio concerning the adoption of this resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Board of County Commissioners, and that all deliberations of this Board of County Commissioners and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements including Section §121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

IN THE MATTER OF APPROVING 'THEN AND NOW' PURCHASE ORDERS AND PAYMENTS:

The Paulding County Auditor has certified the following "Then and Now" purchase order numbers and payments included in the Allowance of Claims on October 4, 2010, Warrants numbering 171993 through 172001 totaling \$3,813.86; and it is certified that both at the time that the contract or order was made ("then"), and at the time that the County Auditor is completing the certification ("now"), that sufficient funds were available or in the process of collection, to the credit of a proper fund, properly appropriated and free from any previous encumbrance; and, pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code §5705.41(D)(1), these purchases must be approved by resolution of the board of county commissioners; now, the Paulding County Commissioners approve the Then and Now Purchase Orders as submitted by the Auditor; and it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Board of County Commissioners, County of Paulding, State of Ohio concerning the adoption of this resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Board of County Commissioners, and that all deliberations of this Board of County Commissioners and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements including Section §121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

tion were adopted in an open meeting of this Board of County Commissioners, and that all deliberations of this Board of County Commissioners and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements including Section §121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

IN THE MATTER OF MODIFYING THE 2010 ANNUAL APPROPRIATION (FUND 001-010):

The Board of County Commissioners does hereby modify the 2010 Annual Appropriation and hereby directs the Paulding County Auditor to transfer funds:
FROM: 001-010-00006 General Fund/Juvenile Court/Child Support
TO: 001-010-00014 General Fund/Juvenile Court/Appointed Counsel
AMOUNT: \$1,500.00

IN THE MATTER OF MODIFYING THE 2010 ANNUAL APPROPRIATION (FUND 009):

The Board of County Commissioners does hereby modify the 2010 Annual Appropriation and hereby directs the Paulding County Auditor to transfer funds:
FROM: 009-001-00017 Engineer-Gas Tax/Materials
TO: 009-001-00015 Engineer-Gas Tax/Other Expenses
AMOUNT: \$7,000.00

IN THE MATTER OF MODIFYING THE 2010 ANNUAL APPROPRIATION (FUND 009):

The Board of County Commissioners does hereby modify the 2010 Annual Appropriation and hereby directs the Paulding County Auditor to transfer funds:
FROM: 009-001-00021 Engineer-Gas Tax/Contract Projects
TO: 009-001-00015 Engineer-Gas Tax/Other Expenses
AMOUNT: \$10,000.00

IN THE MATTER OF MODIFYING THE 2010 ANNUAL APPROPRIATION (FUND 009):

The Board of County Commissioners does hereby modify the 2010 Annual Appropriation and hereby directs the Paulding County Auditor to transfer funds:
FROM: 009-001-00043 Engineer-Gas Tax/Laborers'-Workers' Comp
TO: 009-001-00015 Engineer-Gas Tax/Other Expenses
AMOUNT: \$1,180.00

IN THE MATTER OF ENTERING INTO A CONTRACT WITH KOHLI & KALIHAR ASSOCIATES, INC. AS THE "ROAD AGENT" FOR PAULDING COUNTY:

Kohli & Kalihar Associates, Inc. submitted a proposal to provide County and Township roadway engineering inspection services as the "Road Agent" for Paulding County; and Paulding County will serve as the agent for Paulding County and Blue Creek and Latty Townships, political subdivisions of Paulding County, which is a political subdivision of the State of Ohio; now, the Board of County Commissioners does hereby accept the proposed consulting agreement as presented by Kohli & Kalihar Associates, Inc., the original being on file at the Paulding County Engineer's Office.

MEETING NOTES OF APPOINTMENTS:

Susan Simpson and Kathy Sanderson, County Auditor's Office - Ms. Simpson and Ms. Sanderson met with the Commissioners to discuss the estimated revenue for 2011. Worksheets had been distributed for various offices to complete. Once returned, Ms. Simpson and Ms. Sanderson compiled the numbers and completed a master copy of the General Fund and Special Funds estimated revenue for 2011. The 2011 budget will be based on the estimated revenue.

Lou Ann Wannemacher, County Treasurer - Ms. Wannemacher presented monthly investment reports for the Commissioners' review. She also distributed the county health insurance income/expense spreadsheet.

Travis McGarvey, County Engineer - Mr. McGarvey reported the road agreement with the wind farms is almost complete. Construction of access roadways has begun in Van Wert County. Mr. McGarvey then discussed TIF agreements.

Brad Clark, SpyGlass - Mr. Clark reviewed the progress SpyGlass has made on reviewing the listing of County telephone numbers. He stated there will be some savings for the County as a result.

Marsha Yeutter, Senior Center - Mr. Yeutter met briefly with the Commissioners to secure signatures on a grant application.

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TOOL SALE: 24320 Tile Mill Rd., Woodburn, Fri & Sat, 8-5, Oct. 29&30. Power saws, saw zalls, cordless electric drills, hammer drills, 4" grinder, shop vacs, Ryobi 18v 5pc set, tool boxes, step ladders, 24' class A ext. ladder, metal shelving, 4 wheel flat cart, table saw, many hand tools, 4x8 peg board, 4x8 SS sheets, slat wall, many Craftsman hand tools, wrenches, sockets, ratchets, etc. Many items not mentioned. Many smaller items boxed & priced to sell quick. Items still being added. p

GARAGE SALE: Friday 9-5 and Saturday 9-12. Total gym - fitness flyers, children's clothes, cardio glide, housewares, small kitchen, appliances, dishes, file cabinets, TV. 107 E. Daggett St., Antwerp. p

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Mens High Series

1. Robert Johnson 608
2. Craig Womack 553
3. Phil Bauer 532
4. Kris Reinhart 515
5. Mike Bute 513
6. David Bauer 512
7. Mike Walley 507
8. Greg Shull 478
9. Ruy Schoenauer 477
10. Dustin Lucas 472

Mens High Game

1. Craig Womack 208
1. Deon Daugherty 208
2. Phil Bauer 206
3. Robert Johnson 204
4. Mike Bute 198
5. David Bauer 197
6. Barry Grant 196
7. Kris Reinhart 194
8. Dustin Lucas 189
9. Mike Walley 179
9. Scott Lichty 179
10. Ruy Schoenauer 175

Womens High Series

1. Angie Hudson 617
2. Marie Bauer 514
3. Mary Brown 503
4. Sue Molitor 498
5. Sherry Reinhart 480
6. Fay Sitton 455
7. Teresa Huard 453
8. Joyce Sanders 451
9. Marilyn Provines 450

10. Lisa Syndram 445
- Womens High Game*
1. Angie Hudson 244
2. Marie Bauer 206
3. Tina Conley 190
4. Mary Brown 187
5. Sherry Reinhart 180
6. Sue Molitor 179
7. Terri Meeks 178
8. Violet Hughes 177
9. Tricia Grant 174
10. Marilyn Provines 168

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WEST BEND NEWS - OCTOBER 27, 2010

GERSCHUTZ - STEEL



Mr. and Mrs. David Gerschut would like to announce the engagement of their daughter Amanda Nicole Gerschut to Dale Leo Steel, son of David Steel and the late Nancy Steel. The bride-elect is a 2007 graduate of Paulding High School. She is employed at

Fort Defiance Meats. Her fiance is a 1997 graduate of Paulding High School. He is employed by Defiance Metal Products.

The couple will exchange vows on Saturday, November 13, 2010 at the Paulding Church of the Nazarene.

PEVS BREAKFAST & LUNCH MENUS FOR THE WEEK OF 11/3 THROUGH 11/9

MS/HS - Breakfast:
 11/3 - Ham, egg & cheese croissant, juice, milk
 11/4 - Cinnamon bread stick, juice, milk
 11/5 - Sausage gravy w/ biscuits, juice, milk
 11/8 - Breakfast pizza, juice, milk
 11/9 - Pig in a blanket, tator tots, juice, milk
MS/HS - Lunch:
 11/3 - Taco salad or Cheeseburger w/bun, baked beans, chips, assorted fruit, milk
 11/4 - Chili soup, cheese bread stick, assorted fruit, milk
 10/5 - Popcorn fish & shrimp, oven potatoes, as-sorted fruit, milk
 10/8 - Pizza sticks w/marinara sauce or Breaded chicken w/bun, green beans, fruit, milk
 10/9 - Southwest chicken salad, churritos, assorted fruit, milk
Paulding Elementary - Breakfast:
 11/3 - Assorted cereals, graham crackers, milk, juice
 11/4 - Muffin, graham crackers, applesauce, milk
 11/5 - Pancakes, juice, milk
 11/8 - Cereal bar, graham crackers, juice, milk
 11/9 - Assorted cereals, graham crackers, juice, milk

Paulding Elementary - Lunch:
 11/3 - Vegetable beef soup w/crackers, bread or peanut butter, fruit, milk
 11/4 - Fish nuggets, broccoli tots, bread, fruit, milk
 11/5 - Breaded chicken w/bun, oven potatoes, fruit, milk
 11/8 - Hot dog w/bun, baked beans, corn chips, fruit, milk
 11/9 - Chicken strips, whipped potatoes w/gravy, bread, assorted fruit, milk
Oakwood Elementary - Breakfast:
 11/3 - Assorted cereals, crackers, juice, milk
 11/4 - Breakfast burrito, juice, milk
 11/5 - Assorted cereals, crackers, juice, milk
 11/8 - Warm whole grain cinnamon roll, juice, milk
 11/9 - Pancake-sausage on a stick, juice, milk
Oakwood Elementary - Lunch:
 11/3 - Hot dot or Chili dog w/bun, corn, fruit, milk
 11/4 - Salisbury steak, whipped potatoes, gravy, bread, fruit, milk
 11/5 - Cheese pizza, lettuce salad, fruit, milk
 11/8 - Mozzarella sticks w/ marinara sauce, green beans, fruit, milk
 11/9 - Maple pancakes, mini sausage, oven potatoes, fruit, milk
Menus are subject to change.

ANTWERP LOCAL SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS FOR THE WEEK OF 11/3 THROUGH 11/9

11/3 - Grilled cheese or Pork fritter on bun, noodle soup, salad, pineapple, milk; PLUS: Salad bar or Celery & peanut butter
 11/4 - Chicken strips or Cook's choice, peas, mixed fruit, milk; PLUS: Salad bar or Pie
 11/5 - Fiestada or Egg salad sandwich, celery w/dip, applesauce cup, milk; PLUS: Salad bar or Cook's choice
 11/8 - Chicken fajitas or Hot dog on bun, scalloped potatoes, orange smiles, milk; PLUS: Salad bar or Cottage cheese
 11/9 - Chicken nuggets or Cook's choice, tator tots, jello w/fruit, milk; PLUS: Salad bar or Jello
Menus are subject to change.

Be sure to tell the businesses you patronize, that you saw their ad in the West Bend News.

WAYNE TRACE LOCAL SCHOOLS BREAKFAST & LUNCH MENUS FOR THE WEEK OF 11/3 THROUGH 11/9

Breakfast:
 11/3 - Pancakes, sausage, milk, juice
 11/4 - Egg/cheese omelet, muffin, milk, juice
 11/5 - Turnover, milk, juice
 11/8 - Pizza, milk, juice
 11/9 - Egg/cheese/bacon muffin, milk, juice
Lunch:
 11/3 - Pizza, cheese or pepperoni, tossed salad, mandarin oranges, milk
 11/4 - Chicken nuggets, tator tots, peaches, milk
 11/5 - Cheeseburger sandwich, french fries, pineapple, milk
 11/8 - Breaded chicken sandwich, potato wedges, fruit crisp, milk
 11/9 - Corn dog, curly fries, mixed fruit, milk; WT: Fajitas
Menus are subject to change.

VAN WERT COUNTY FAIRS BIGGEST FAN



Bice Mosier, a resident at the Country Inn Enhanced Living Center, Paulding, Ohio was recently recognized for his 82 years of consecutive attendance at the Van Wert County Fair. Mr. Mosier started attending while just a baby. "It's unbelievable that I have never had to miss because of sickness." He reflects, "I always went with my

parents, then with my wife Nancy." Although the past several years, Nancy has been unable to attend. Bice continued to make the annual trip from Paulding to Van Wert. Nancy passed away earlier this year. Bice commented, "She would have been real proud of this award. She always enjoyed the fair, too." Bice generally attends on the Senior Day that the Fair Board sponsors. The Van Wert County Fair Board posted a poster honoring Bice and his commitment to the Van Wert Fair in the Commercial Building. Bice says, smiling, "I will continue to attend the fair as long as I can. I am in good health and look forward to going every year. I really appreciate the Board recognizing me in this way."

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