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WOODBURN DAY IN THE PARK OFFERS TWO GREAT

The Woodburn Community Association invites you to the Woodburn Community Park on Friday, July 19, 2013 for two new events. A Co Ed Softball Tournament will kick off the evening festivities at 7:00 p.m. An Adult Trivia Contest will also begin at 7:00 p.m. The events are new to Woodburn's annual Day In The Park festival and are guaranteed to be crowd pleasers!

NEW EVENTS

The Softball Tournament will be a Double-Elimination tournament with teams accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Anyone interested in participating can call 260-348-1191 for more information.

The Trivia Contest will be held in the Entertainment Tent and is sure to be an uproarious event filled with laughter and fun! Teams of 10 will compete against each other for serious prize money to see who knows the most useless information. Each team will have its own theme and receive special prizes for table decor. Beer and wine will be served during the contest, so all entrants must be 21 years of age or over. To register call 260-466-6599.

These fun new events will jump-start the community's annual Woodburn Day In The Park Festival scheduled to begin Saturday, July 20,

WOODBURN COMMUNITY HISTORICAL SOCIETY SETS JUNE MEETING

The Woodburn Community Historical Society will meet at 7:00 p.m. on June 27, 2013 (4th Thursday) at the Woodburn Library on the east side of the town on SR 101. We have been asked to have a display for the Day in the Park - July 20, 2013. Our main project for the evening is to plan for this day, so please bring your ideas.

FRAKE – DAVIS



Rev. and Mrs. Robert Frake of Oakwood announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Jacqueline Danielle, to Garrett Davis, the son of Roger and Michele Davis of Wayne,

The bride is a 2003 graduate of Wayne Trace High School and holds a bachelor and masters degree in Spanish and educational

administration. She teaches at Wayne Trace High School in Haviland.

The groom is a 2005 graduate of Elmwood High School and holds a Bachelor of Science in Biology from Bowling Green State University.

The couple will wed at The Apostolic Church of Van Wert in a morning ceremony October 26, 2013 followed by brunch.

ROAD CLOSURE IN THE CITY OF NEW HAVEN

Deveron Drive from Green Rd to N. Macgregor in New Haven will be closed Monday, June 17, 2013 beginning at 7:00 a.m. until Monday July 22, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. for work on the Deveron Drive Street Improvement Project (SIP-2012-01). No detour will be provided.

MOSER PARK NATURE CEN-TER OPEN FOR SUMMER FUN

New Haven Parks Department is happy to announce that our Nature Center in Moser Park is open for the summer and offering FREE hands-on activities. We have educational displays, live animals, games, crafts, and activities for all ages. Joy Weller, a parent and regular visitor, said, "This is a great opportunity for my kids. They always learn something new and

have fun and I'm seriously amazed that it is free."

The nature center is open Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Saturdays and Sundays from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. There is a Preschool program every Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. covering a different topic. You can also find a Naturalist at the New Haven Farm Market some Wednesdays in Schnelker Park from 4:00-7:00 p.m.

PAULDING COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS ANNOUNCES IMPORTANT DATES

The Paulding County Board of Elections upcoming dates:

Office closings:

Monday June 24 through Thursday June 27 - confer-

Thursday, July 2 - Independence Day

Filing deadline for November 5th General election: Wednesday, August 7 by 4:00 p.m.



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OBITUARIES

Paulding: Louise F. Sinn Copsey, age 78 died Tuesday, June 11, 2013 at the Laurels, Defiance, Ohio.

She was born July 24, 1934 in Paulding County, Ohio, the daughter of Alva E. "Hap" and Anna E. (Chester) Klingler. In 1953 she married Wilbur Fred Sinn Jr. who preceded her in death in 1989. In 2001 she married Paul D. Copsey, who survives. She was a member of St. John Lutheran Church, Briceton, OH; a life member of Eagles #2405 Auxiliary where she was a former Chaplin; and a former Girls Scout Leader. She retired in 1995 as a cook for the Paulding Exempted Village

She is survived by her husband, Paul Copsey, Bryan; four daughters, Colleen (Steven) Wilson, Lake Geneva, WI, Connie (Dan) Monroe, Churubusco, IN, Lucinda (Jeff) Yenser, Weston, OH, and Lanette (Paul) Doan, Paulding; a son, Wilbur "Fred" Sinn III, Latty, OH; three sisters, Beverly (Howard) Oskey, Paulding, Sharon (Duane) Bailey, Cecil, and Shirley (Marion) Reece, Defiance; a brother, Burl E. (Debbie) Klingler, Stryker, OH; seven grandchildren; and four great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by

her husband, Wilbur, and her Funeral services were con-

ducted Saturday, June 15 at St. John Lutheran Church, Briceton. Burial will follow in St. Visitation was Friday, June

14 at Den Herder Funeral Home, Paulding, and one hour prior to services on Saturday. Donations may be made to

St. John Lutheran Church, Bri-

Online condolences may be sent to www.denherderfh.com Fort Wayne: Herbert L.

Schaadt, 78, passed away Thursday, June 13, 2013 Dooley Funeral Home is handling ar-



NEW HAVEN CHAMBER SPOTLIGHT: MEYER TRUCKING



a supplemental income for Ken Meyer, the father of Jon Meyer the company's current VP/CFO. Jon's father was a farmer and in the 1970s and 80s needed to supplement his income during the winter months. With Jon's mother Marjorie dispatching from the kitchen table, one truck soon became two trucks and on until they set up an office in New Haven. At that time Meyer Trucking was basically a small regional trucking fleet with loads back and forth to cities such as Chicago, Detroit, Cincinnati, and Cleve-

Jon grew up with the business, "I grew up washing trucks, changing oil, helping dad change tires and riding along so I have always been involved and knew what was going on. After college my dad was always asking me to help with the computers or maintenance. I finally told him that if I was going to do the work I might as well get paid. That's when I became part of the staff."

Ken insisted that Jon start at the bottom and work his way up. Because of that business work ethic Jon says, "I know a little bit about everything, but I am not an expert on any one thing. I started out being a driver and I have been part of every job here from driving, to maintenance, to dispatching, and accounting, for a long time I was the primary book keeper."

Because of Jon's experi-

company he has the ability to understand how any decision affects everyone from the accountant to the customer. "Trucking logistics in general is a big jig saw puzzle" said Meyer. "You just try to get all the pieces together; the timing, the days, the hours. You have to coordinate between the shippers schedule and the trucker's schedule. Then you've always got break downs or delays something that throws a wrench in everything. We always say it's organized chaos.'

Meyer shared that trucking has changed a lot in just the last fifteen years. That change has been driven by the economy. He said, "A lot of factories and businesses had their own shipping department and now they have outsourced that to other people that handle all of their shipping. There were a lot more places that worked around the clock. They had shipping and receiving for 2nd and 3rd shift. When things slowed down a couple of years ago, people have cut back to where they are only shipping and receiving on 1st shift. That has made scheduling and dispatching a little tougher because there is a tighter window of picking up and receiving. Companies aren't carrying as much inventory as they used to. As soon as it comes off of production they want it shipped the next day. They don't want to warehouse." Because of these changes Meyer

Trucking has had to diversify

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and work with other trucking companies in order to get freight moved.

in a constant state of growth. Jon shared that their volume of business grew to the point that they needed more capacity. He said, "We've always been a fairly small company anywhere from five to fifteen trucks. We were getting to the point where we were pushing fifteen to twenty trucks and we still had more demand. Also, customers kept offering us loads that we couldn't possibly handle because of our size."
"I talked to a few companies and found a good match

have to sign over our company or equipment.' In the summer of 2011 Jon Meyer became a Landstar Agent. Landstar is a non-asset based provider of integrated supply chain solutions. Landstar delivers safe, specialized transportation and logistics services to a broad range of customers worldwide utilizing a network of

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we do with them. We didn't

Agent caused Meyer Trucking to expand in two directions. First they expanded from just being a regional fleet with flatbed trailers, to now moving shipments throughout the United States and Canada, with a variety of equipment. The second expansion that developed was, that as need grew, the Meyer Trucking fleet itself also increased in size. Meyer said, "It has allowed us to stay involved with customers instead of us always having to say we didn't have trucks or couldn't go to where they needed shipments to go. Now, through our affiliation with Landstar, we keep our foot in the door of that customer and provide servic-

Now when someone calls Meyer Trucking to move a load, they have access to Landstar drivers, load boards, and services. Meyer Trucking can search to find trucks and specific equipment and services in different parts of the country. "It's a search and hunt, where we will try to match up a driver, a truck, a company, or another trucking company with the freight we need to move on a specific day", said Meyer. "We work back and forth, maybe we are offered a load that we think would be good for a Meyer truck, but because of scheduling or locations it doesn't work and so then we'll see if the Landstar side can cover it or vice versa. We have loads Landstar can't cover and Meyer trucks han-

Meyer Trucking has been

with Landstar," Meyer said. "They have allowed us to op-

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es that we couldn't before."

"Sing to God, sing in praise of his name, extol him who rides on the clouds; rejoice before him—his name is the Lord. A father to the fatherless, a defender of widows, is God in his holy dwelling.

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SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK

-Psalm 68:4-5 NIV

Meyer Trucking is logistically centered in the Midwestern freight lanes of IN, OH, MI and IL. With three highways coming together in New Haven, they have flexibility in direction of where they can go. Jon has been happy to see manufacturing facilities come into the New Haven area over the past few years. SDi LaFarga and Superior Aluminum Alloys have shown that New Haven can be a great location to manufacture and distribute their products. It is his hope in the next five to ten years that Meyer Trucking keeps growing their capacity to provide transportation for all ship-

a New Haven Chamber of Commerce member off and on since 2001. Meyer said, "The biggest benefit of membership is staying up to date with what's going on around town. It is a way of keeping your ear to the ground to hear what's going on. It's important to know what the shipping trends are in the area. He also said, "Rob Callahan at Temporary Solutions (another chamber member) has been a great asset with our office staff as we've grown."

Meyer Trucking is a full service trucking and logistics company. They can move freight with vans, flatbeds, and LTL (less than a truck load) shipments. They now can go anywhere in the United States as well as Canada. Meyer had this to say about his company, "We are a small business, yet we have access to a larger capacity of drivers, trucks, and equipment. Meyer Trucking has small town ethics with big town reach."

VILLAGE OF ANTWERP COUNCIL MEETING 5/20/13

The regular meeting of the Village of Antwerp council was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Mayor Tom VanVlerah. Council persons present: Larry Ryan, Rudie Reeb, Ken Reinhart, Karen Lee, Steve Derck, and council President Jan Reeb.

Also in attendance: Administrator Sara Keeran, Solicitor Melanie Farr, Police Chief George Clemens, and Fiscal Officer Loretta Baker. Media present: Peter Greer from Defiance Crescent, and Joe Shouse from Paulding Progress.

Visitors present: Oley McMichael, Joseph Burkard and Roy Klopfenstein.

The minutes from the regular council meeting held April 15, 2013, were re-

Motion made by Jan Reeb, seconded by Reinhart, to accept the minutes from the April 15, 2013, council meeting. 6 yeas,

0 nays. Motion carried and approved.

The April disbursements were rewiewed.

Motion made by Jan Reeb, seconded

by Rudie Reeb, to approve the April reconciliation report. 6 yeas, 0 nays. Motion carried and approved.

VISITORS

Oley McMichael presented an issue on a new water tap and boring he purchased on Daggett Street. When he put in the sidewalk, he found an old water tap. However, the old meter was not hooked into this tap. Mr. McMichael feels that he should not have been charged a fee for this tap. The utilities committee will meet to

review this issue. Prosecutor Joe Burkard presented the county commissioners' proposal to dis-band the current formation of the EMA. In 1989, the EMA was organized by the formation of an executive board that selected a coordinator. The county and participating villages and townships entered into an agreement regarding the EMA. In 1995, legislation changed the EM organization criteria allowing the county to place the EMA under its sole jurisdiction. The commissioners want to disband the current EMA and centralize this position for oversight by the sheriff's office. After questions by council members, there was concern raised that a written plan had not been formulated setting forth the guidelines for the new EMA position. Council will review the request of the county commissioners once the council members have the written plan and time to review the same. Commissioner Klopfenstein stated the county commissioners will provide a plan to the village on the new EMA posi-tion, and the implementation of the same.

Police department reported 131 calls for service and 6 citations for the month

Randy Shaffer presented a written

report for the EMS showing 27 runs from April 1 to May 16, 2013.

ten report showing EMS run collections of \$26,497.03 Year-to-date. FISCAL OFFICER'S REPORT:

al to pay the annual PEP liability insur

Baker notified council that the village will receive a rebate from Worker's Compensation for \$23,770.00 in June. Also, the village received the money advanced from the general fund for the Depot Project in the amount of \$42,485.00. Motion made by Ryan, seconded by Reinhart, to approve the payment of the invoice to Public Entities Pool of Ohio for

village liability insurance of \$27,414.00 6 yeas, 0 nays. Motion carried and approved.

**2nd reading of ordinance no. 2013-15: An ordinance establishing a policy that maintenance and energy cost estimates will be obtained in determining whether to expend public funds for proposed public improvement projects in the Village of

**Emergency reading of ordinance no. 2013-16: An ordinance authorizing the fiscal officer to amend appropriations and declaring it an emergency. Motion made by Ryan, seconded by

Jan Reeb, to suspend the rules regarding ordinance no. 2013-16. 6 yeas, 0 nays. Motion carried and approved. Motion made by Derck, seconded by Rudie Reeb, to accept ordinance no. 2013-16. 6 yeas, 0 nays. Motion carried and approved.

**1st reading of resolution no. 2013-03: A resolution determining to proceed with the submission to the electors of the question of levying a tax in excess of the ten-mill limitation (O.R.C. Sections 5705.19, 5705.191, 5705.25, 5705.26).

**Emergency reading of ordinance no. 2013-17: An ordinance to retain the services of Melanie L. Farr as solicitor for the Village of Antwerp, Paulding County, Ohio, and declaring the same an emer-

Ryan from finance committee recfor legal services from the current rate of \$100.00 per hour to \$120.00 per hour, effective as of June 1, 2013.

Motion made by Derck, seconded by Jan Reeb, to suspend the rules regarding ordinance no. 2013-17. 6 yeas, 0 nays. Mo-

tion carried and approved. Motion made by Reinhart, seconded by Rudie Reeb, to accept ordinance no. 2013-17. 6 yeas, 0 nays. Motion carried

and approved.

**1st reading of ordinance no. 2013-18: An ordinance enacting the fire dam-

aged structures repair or removal fund for the Village of Antwerp, Ohio, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code section 3929.86.

ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT:

Items discussed: first phase of the Safe

Routes to School is almost complete. Second phase will be funded from state's new fiscal year in July and this phase will fund the construction of sidewalks all the way

Oswalt Street home demolition underway with award granted for asbestos removal. Maumee Valley Planning Organization will keep the village informed as

the demolition project progresses.

Site plan approval process for large commercial development projects is needed for the village. The planning commission recommended a zoning ordinance text amendment for site plan review. A public hearing will be scheduled and the zoning ordinance text amendment will be presented at next month's council meeting. Poggemeyer is working on a proposal for the comprehensive plan development. The comprehensive plan will require public meetings, public comment and will require council input.

The swing set at the park has been reset. The mulch and mud will be scraped out, left to dry and new mulch will be in-

Four "Canal Street 5" signs have been installed to honor the five Vets who lost their lives in WWII.

The Ribfest will be held on June 8, 2013, starting at 11:30 a.m.

Clean-Up Day for the village will be held on June 22, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. to

Mowing of private property by the village continues to be an issue.

Keeran has contacted Jim Mustard

who has experience writing FEMA grants for the purchase of fire equipment. These grants will be available in July with monies available next May. His fee is \$3,000.00, Payable only if the grant funds are award-

ed to the village NEW BUSINESS:

Finance committee will meet on June 4, 2013, at 8:00 a.m. to review the village handbook

MAYOR'S REPORT:

In April, mayor's court brought in ,690.00 for the village. Sandra Wann from the VETS committee scheduled a media press conference on Thursday, May 23, 2013, at 2:30 p.m. to distribute monies acquired from their VET book sales. Members of council

their VET book sales. Members of council are urged to attend.

Elaine Phillips notified the village about "Stepping With Faith," a donation organization asking for durable medical equipment or cash donations to help the community. Call (419) 487-1389 to help.

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Motion made by Jan Reeb, seconded by Rudie Reeb, to adjourn the meeting. 6 yeas, 0 nays. Motion carried and approved. Meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m.



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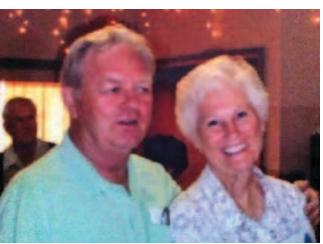




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Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth C Hahn of Antwerp, OH recently celebrated 50 years of

Kenneth & Janice (Rhinehart) were married in Woodburn, IN on June 14, 1963. They have three sons: Jeff (Leesa), Dan (Karen), and

Tony. They are also blessed with four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

To celebrate the special occasion, Ken and Jan have planned a family trip later this summer to visit their former exchange student Pete Theiss and his family.

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USS COLUMBUS CA-74/CG-12/SSN-762 Reunion will take place on October 2-6, 2013 at Hilton, Branson,

PAULDING COUNTY SHER-IFF NEEDS YOUR HELP!

The Paulding County Sheriff's Office has recently investigated numerous theft reports involving batteries that are stolen out of farm tractors and barns. Some batteries have been stolen out of tractors that are parked in the field on the side of the road.

A suspect and vehicle description in one of the thefts was a blue Chevrolet extended cab pickup truck with a white decal in the back window driven by a white male with a heavy build wearing a bandana. The suspect had tattoos on his neck and arms.

Anyone with information in regards to these thefts or the possible suspect/vehicle, you are asked to contact the Paulding County Sheriff's Office at 419-399-3791. You can always e-mail the Sheriff at jklanders@ pauldingohsheriff.com. or Facebook at www.facebook. com/pauldingcountysheriffsoffice.

This 5^{th} day of June, 2013, the Board of County Commissioners met in regular session with the following members pres-

Tony Zartman, Roy Klopfenstein, and Nola Ginter, Clerk; Absent: Fred

PAULDING COUNTY COM-

MISSIONERS MEETING

MINUTES 6/5/13

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ALLOWANCE OF CLAIMS:
Warrants documented as 198359
through 198432 for County Bills were approved and certified to the County Auditor for payment. TRAVEL REQUEST:

Claudia Fickel, Summer Conference, Dayton OH – June 10-12, 2013 Sandee Buffington, Directors' Dis-trict Meeting, Findlay, OH – June 7, 2013 EXECUTIVE SESSION:

A motion was made by Mr. Roy Klopfenstein to go into executive session at 8:09 a.m. with the County Prosecutor to discuss legal matters. The motion was seconded by Mr. Tony Zartman. All members voting was

members voting yea.

At 8:36 a.m. all members present agreed to adjourn the executive session

and go into regular session. 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 June 3, 2013, Warrants numbered 198289 through 198356 in the amount of \$2 404.00 and it is certified that both \$1.00 and \$2.00 and of \$2,404.00; and it is certified that both at the time that the contract or order was made ("then"), and at the time that the 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, therefore the Paulding missioners. Now, therefore the Paulding County Commissioners approve the Then and Now Purchase Orders as submitted by the Auditor; and it is found and de-termined that all formal actions of this Board of County Commissioners, County of Paulding, State of Ohio concerning the adoption of this resolution were ad opted 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 ADVANC-

IN THE MATTER OF ADVANCING FUNDS TO MOVING OHIO FOR-WARD FUND (FUND 190):

Moving Ohio Forward is a grant from the Ohio Attorney General's Office to be utilized for demolishing blighted residential structures; and it is necessary residential structures; and it is necessary
to make an advancement from the General Fund to cover expenses until receipt
of the grant payment. Now, therefore the
Board of County Commissioners does
hereby direct the County Auditor to;
ADVANCE: \$75.25
FROM: 001-001-99999/General

FROM: 001-001-99999/General Fund/Commissioners/Advances Out TO: 190-001-99999/Moving Ohio

10: 190-001-99999/Moving Onto Forward/Advances In Upon receipt of grant payment, \$75.25 will be paid into General Fund/ Commissioners/Advances Out (001-001-

99999).
IN THE MATTER OF AMENDING THE 2013 ANNUAL APPROPRIATION (FUND 189):

The Board of County Commissioners

does hereby direct the County Auditor to amend the 2013 Annual Appropriation by appropriating the following in the Health

appropriating the following in the reachi Insurance Reserve Fund (Fund 189): 189-001-00001/Health Insurance Reserve/Other Expenses AMOUNT: \$79,999.98 IN THE MATTER OF AMENDING THE 2013 ANNUAL APPROPRIATION (FUND 190): (FUND 190):

The Board of County Commissioners does hereby direct the County Auditor to amend the 2013 Annual Appropriation by appropriating the following in the Moving Ohio Forward Fund (Fund 190):

190-001-00001/Moving Ohio Forward, Miscellaneous Expenses AMOUNT: \$75.25

AMOUN I: \$/5.25

IN THE MATTER OF PERMISSIVE TAX APPLICATION FOR
FUNDS AVAILABLE UNDER SECTION 4504.05 OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE FOR THE VILLAGE OF

Antwerp Village, a municipal cor-poration within the County of Paulding, hereby makes application for funds available under Section 4504.05 of the Revised Code of Ohio, to plan, construct, improve, maintain, or repair the following a map presented to the Paulding County

Total amount of estimated cost of construction: \$16,534.00

Amount available according to ve-

hicle registration: \$5,969.23 Application date: June 3, 2013 Loretta Baker/s/, Fiscal Officer, Vil-

Loretta Baker/s/, Fiscal Omeer, Village of Antwerp
I, Travis McGarvey, Engineer of
Paulding County, hereby grant the foregoing request of the Village of Antwerp in
the amount of \$5,900.00.
Approval date: June 4, 2013

Travis McGarvey/s/, Paulding Coun-

ty Engineer Commissioners order to pay Antwerp Village. The Auditor is hereby authorized to issue a warrant to Antwerp Village in the amount of \$5,900.00 in conformance with Section 4505.05 of the Revised Code

of Ohio, to be paid from the Municipal Permissive Tax Fund. Approval Date: June 5, 2013
IN THE MATTER OF ENTERING
INTO A CONSULTING AGREEMENT

WITH AREND ENTERPRISES:

The emergency and law enforcement radio communications system for Paulding County is in need of upgrading; and a professional consultant is necessary to assist and advise on the radio system upgrade project. Now, therefore the Board of County Commissioners does hereby enter into a consulting agreement with Arend Enterprises to provide said assistance and advice on a radio system upgrade,

ANTWERP MUSIC BOOST-ERS SPONSORS DUCK RACE FOR DAY IN THE **PARK**

The Antwerp Music Boosters once again will be hosting the Duck Race at the Day in the Park. The grand prize is an iPad 2 and other prizes from area merchants as well. This year the race will be a little different. The duck race will be in a pool where the ducks will go around in a circle (because of safety precautions); so spectators will be able to see the ducks "racing".

about this race, talk to any Antwerp Music student (band or choir) or call Shelly Burns at 419-769-7317. This event helps purchase choir outfits for the high school choir and hopefully this year new band uniforms for the high school band. Choir director, Mrs

For more information

Smith, is also collecting box tops and Campbell labels. She will be using the box tops and labels to acquire more guitars for the younger kids in music and Her goal is to have one for each child in the class.

to represent the County when working with vendors and agencies, and to fill the Scope of Responsibilities as listed in the Consulting Agreement, which shall be on file in the Commissioners' Office. MEETING NOTES OF APPOINT-

Aaron Timm - Mr. Timm addressed

the old Children's Home site north of US 24. He stated the grass had gotten pretty tall around the memorial stone. They have done some initial mowing and raking to make it mower ready. Regular main-tenance mowing will take place for the summer. Mr. Timm also mentioned several project the Engineer's Office will be undertaking this summer.

Ann Pease, Clerk of Courts – Ms. Pease complimented the Commissioners on the exterior renovating working being done on the Courthouse. The Commissioners presented Ms. Pease with Maumee Valley Planning Organization's recent Public Records Policy for Paulding County's Public Records Retention Committee's review.

Emily Munger, County Court Probation – Ms. Munger presented ODRC grant paperwork for the Commissioners' signature. She explained Paulding County has utilized this grant since 2001. ODRC **CMH FOUNDATION AN-NOUNCES SCHOLARSHIP** WINNERS

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The Community Memorial Hospital (CMH) Foundation has awarded four \$1,000 scholarships to deserving students pursuing degrees in healthcare. Winners were chosen based on field of study, GPA, and an essay. CMH Foundation scholarships are awarded annually in memory of Rachel Hofmeister and Stevie Boon, both former Directors of Nursing at CMH, and Betty Altman, former RN and Board Member at CMH. The fourth scholarship is on honor of Peter and Maureen

This year's scholarship recipients are Conner Yoder (Hicksville), Austin Thomas (Ney), Ellise Wetli (Antwerp), and April Rock (Sherwood). Conner Yoder is a 2013

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graduate of Hicksville High School. He is attending Ivy Tech and IPFW to major in Nursing.

Austin Thomas is a 2013 graduate of Fairview High School. He will attend Northwest State Community College majoring in Radiographic Imaging.

Ellise Wetli is a 2012

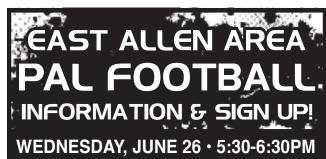
graduate of Antwerp High School. She currently attends The Ohio State University working towards her Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree.

April Rock is a full-time RN at Community Memorial Hospital. She is working towards her Masters of Science degree in Nursing at Frontier Nursing University, with the goal of becoming a Family Nurse Practitioner.

audits the grant and it cover a fiscal year from July 1 through June 30. Ms. Munger also announced the Thinking for a Change program continues to be available. She and Town Course will be offering a Domestic Tony Gonzales will be offering a Domestic Violence program soon. The recently went to Columbus to pick up a finger printer for use in the County Court room at arraign-

ment.
Vernon Killion – The Commissioners discussed summer mowing sites.





WOODLAN HIGH SCHOOL GYM ENTRANCE

AGES 9-11

AUGUST 15 - Date of Determination No Money Necessary @ Registration Night Please Bring Birth Certificate

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Paulding County Hospital will be purging our medical records on Thursday, July 11th and Friday July 12th. All adult records before January 1, 2006 will be properly destroyed. If you want your medical records a photo ID is required for record retrieval. (NOTE: you will be receiving your **ORIGINAL** record so please make sure you keep them in a safe location so they will not be lost or damaged. PCH will not have copies of these records).

ATTENTION <

- No Purge for current physician patients.
- If you were born January 1, 1994 or later, your records will be kept due to different retention guidelines for minors.
- Birth/Death Certificates are not included in the purge. These are kept permanently.

To make arrangements to retrieve your records please contact the appropriate department by July 10th.

Medical Records Purge

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For physician records please contact your physician's office.

> COUNTY HOSPITAL 1035 West Wayne St. Paulding, OH 45879 419-399-4080

www.pauldingcountyhospital.com

PAGE 4 – WEST BEND NEWS – JUNE 19, 2013 DAD'S, ARE WE MAKING A his shoulder, he said four

Winning the Battle for a Generation column by: Rick Jones, Defiance Area

DIFFERENCE?

This Father's Day may be filled with memories by many who read my weekly "Winning the Battle for a Generation," especially when you consider the following story of a seventeen year old young woman who experienced the grace of her

"PreachingToday.com tells the story of Anne Graham Lotz, who speaks of one particular moment when her father, Dr. Billy Graham, demonstrated to her what Christian fathering is all about...

As a 17-year-old Anne Graham Lotz, the daughter of Billy and Ruth Graham, was involved in a car accident. Speeding carelessly down a windy mountain road, Anne smashed into her neighbor, Mrs. Pickering. Anne was too afraid to tell her father about the accident, so for the rest of the day she kept avoiding him. When she finally came home, she tried to tiptoe around her dad, but there he was, standing in the kitch-

Anne tells what happened next:

I paused for what seemed a very long moment frozen in time. Then I ran to him and threw my arms around his neck... I told him about my wreck-how I'd driven too fast and smashed into the neighbor's car. I told him it wasn't her fault; it was all mine. As I wept on

Schedule:

things to me:

"Anne, I knew all along about your wreck. Mrs. Pickering came straight up the mountain and told me—and I was just waiting for you to come and tell me yourself."

"I love you."

"We can fix the car."

"You are going to be a better driver because of

Anne says, "Sooner or later, all of us are involved in some kind of wreck-it may be your own fault or someone else's. When the damage is your fault, there's a good chance you'll be confronted by the flashing blue lights of the morality police. But my father gave me a deeper understanding of what it means to experience the loving, forgiving embrace of my heavenly Father."

Billy Graham modeled the meaning of the scripture that captured the heart of a grateful father over a repentant son... Luke 15:32 (NASB), "But we had to celebrate and rejoice, for this brother of yours was dead and has begun to live, and was lost and has been found.'

For more information about the work of Youth for Christ, you may contact Youth for Christ at 419-782-0656, P.O. Box 111, 210 Clinton Street, Defiance, Ohio 43512, or email to: defyfc@ embarqmail.com

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By: James Potter, Oakwood church of Christ

1. Luke 8:7 - Where did some of the seed fall?

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2. Luke 8:7 - After the seed

came up what happened? 3. Luke 8:8 - Where did some other seed fall?

4. Luke 8:8 - How much did the seed produce?

5. Luke 8:8 - what did Jesus cry in these verses?

6. Luke 8:9 – What did Jesus disciples ask him?

7. Luke 8:10 – What was the answer to the disciples

8. Luke 8:10 - What is the mysteries of God?

9. Luke 8:10 - Who is the rest in this verse?

10. Luke 8:11 - What is the seed in this verse? Comments or questions

call James Potter 419-393-4775 or Lonnie Lambert 419-399-5022. Jesus loves you and so does the Oakwood church

Answers to last week's

1. A great multitude; 2. from every city; 3. Parable; 4. Answer; 5. by the way side; 6. it was trampled down; 7. Birds; 8. Rock. 9. Withered away. 10. Lack of moisture.

Now some comments on what we have studied. Luke 8:8 – a hundred fold: the point Jesus is making here in the different types of soil, is the quantity of increase depends on the quality of the soil. You and I as we go into different areas to teach the Bible, in some areas we have a small group of people to teach, then in other areas where the groups of people may not want to hear the Gospel. As in the saved; while thousands upon thousands were lost in the flood. God through Jesus and the Holy Spirit has given to us in the New Testament the way of salvation.

If people today continue to change God's word to fit their needs, then they will be lost. Some folks don't like hearing the truth, but the fact is the majority of the world is lost today, whether you believe it

Luke 8:9 - His disciples, these are other disciples along

with the twelve. Luke 8:10 - mysteries of the kingdom; Truths that can be known only by God, please read. Ephesians 3:2-5; 1 Peter 1:10-12; that seeing they nay not see: These sad words simply states the truth that those who are not willing to receive truth, which is Jesus' message will find the truth hidden

Ol' Baldy says bye for now, but am praying that you will continue to pray, read and study the Bible.

ON JUMPING TO CONCLU-

By: Pastor Joel DeSelm, **Woodburn Missionary** Church

A truck driver was making his way across town, faithfully following the designated truck route. But something was strange about this driver. Every time he came to a stop light or a stop sign and the truck came to a complete rest, he jumped out and repeatedly beat the side of the truck with a baseball bat. A curious ob-

driver and thought to himself, "This guy's a nut! There's something seriously wrong with him, to make him hop out of his cab and wail away on the side of his semi-trailer with a ball bat." Eventually, the curious onlooker happened to pull up next to the truck at another red light and, sure enough, the driver jumped out and began relentlessly pounding on the side of the dented semi. The observer rolled down his window and asked the guy the obvious question, "Why do you beat your truck with a bat every time you stop?" The driver grinned and replied, "Well, it's like this. I have a two-ton truck and four tons of canaries. So I have to keep two tons in the air at all times!" Pretty ingenious, huh?

The trucker's not so stupid after all. In fact, you've got to hand it to the guy-he's got a lot on the ball. But the funny thing about the story is that it's a real commentary on you and me. You see, I'm an awful lot like the guy following behind in the car. How many times I make judgment calls, evaluations, and assumptions regarding people and situations without knowing all the facts. How easy it is for us to sit back and criticize and find fault when, just maybe, there's more going on behind the scenes than meets the eye. Pretty easy to play Monday morning quarterback or throw tomatoes at the guy up front, isn't it? I'm fresh out of omniscience, how about you? We have to continue to fight the tendency to set ourselves up as judge and jury, making judgments and determinations without understanding what the other guy is carrying in his trailer.

The Book of Proverbs is a gold mine when it comes to practical suggestions for making sweeping statements without knowing the facts. Proverbs 29:11 says, "A fool uttereth all his mind, but a wise man keeps it until afterward." Solomon tells us in Proverbs 15:28, "The heart of the righteous weighs its answers, but the mouth of the wicked gushes evil." I like what he says in Proverbs 17:27, "A man of knowledge uses words with restraint, and a man of understanding is even-tempered."

I don't know about you, but I need a fresh dose of self-control when it comes to jumping to conclusions and making comments, when I don't have all the information. Let's all be a little more careful to give the other guy the benefit of the doubt and not make broad assumptions about what or why he's doing what he's doing. After all... he may be carrying a load of canaries.

CITY OF WOODBURN COUNCIL MEETING MIN-UTES 5/6/13

Meeting Minutes from May 6, 2013. Meeting Minutes from May 6, 2013. Prior to opening the meeting Mayor read a statement and asked us to pray to all get along. Meeting called to order with the Pledge of Allegiance at 7:00 p.m. Mayor Hoeppner, Councilman Ab-bott, Rice, Renner Voirol, Gerig, Treasur-er Sarrazine, Superintendent Walls, Chief

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Duhammel were present.
POLICE CHIEF:

The WPD had 60 incident calls in April. The reserves logged 65 hours in April. I have been working on the Emergency Preparedness Program for May 23rd. The Red Cross will be speaking. It will start at 7:00 p.m. at the Woodburn Community Center. One of the lo-cal churches have supplied me with the names of the elderly in their church so we can be aware of where they live and to make sure they are helped in case of an MAYOR:

Main Street approved Lan Plan and Sturtz Public Management contracts. Councilman Abbot made a motion to approve, Councilman Voirol 2nd; all approved, motion carried. Mayor requested approval to go to the Mayor's Conference in Lebanon on May 15, 16, 17. Mayor stated he would be paying for the \$75 fee for his wife to attend. Councilman Rice made a motion to approve the Mayor's request, Councilman Gerig 2nd; all approved, motion carried Mayor requested \$100 out of \$100 out o tion carried. Mayor requested \$100 out of the promotion fund for the Mayor's Citizenship Award at Woodlan. Councilman Renner made a motion to approve, Councilman Voirol 2nd; all approved, motion carried. Bid opening for the water main project will be at 5:00 p.m. Monday May 13. Bonds need to be sold before work can begin March by controlled the silved of the sold of the silved water by the silved of the sold begin. Mayor has contacted the railroad about crossings with no response. Mayor brought up an e-mail from the Clerk Treasurer that placed the Deputy Clerk at full time hours. The Mayor remarked that the Clerk Treasurer had used the word "I" seven times and there is no "I" in team. There was a discussion about the Deputy Clerk's hours and then in the middle the Mayor turned the discussion to the Clerk Treasurer and ridiculed her for contacting the lawyer on a legal issue he felt was inappropriate. Councilman Rice made a motion to decline her full time hours un-til legal counsel could be obtained. Councilman Abbott 2nd; vote was four yea's; Councilman Voirol – nay; motion carried. Councilman Abbott asked Treasurer Sarrazine if she was going to fight for the DC hours; response was yes. Councilman Abbott will call Pat Proctor to be at the next meeting

TREASURER:
Meeting minutes from April 15 were presented. Corrections were made. Councilman Abbot made a motion to approve; Councilman Rice 2nd, all approved, mo-tion carried. Warrants were presented for payment. Councilman Gerig made a motion to approve; Councilman Voirol 2nd, all approved, motion carried. Claim register were presented for signatures for payroll, payroll taxes, sales tax, and bank service charges. Fund Report for April was presented for any discussion. Trea-surer made a request that bid documents be available in the office for contractors

SUPERINTENDENT WALLS:

There is a leak at the Woodlan water plant. It's pitted from the outside. The old water tower is leaking but is should be under warranty. A letter was received from IDEM flagging the ponds. There is no money for the chlorine swirl. Next year there needs to be action taken. Su perintendent Walls presented quotes for the Zero turn mower. After discussion it

was decided to go with the GrassHopper at Heckley Auto & Outdoor with the premier suspension seat \$12,504.00. Money will come out of sewer/water/industrial park. Councilman Voirol made a motion to approve; Councilman Renner 2nd, all approved, motion carried. Superintenapproved, motion carried. Superintendent Walls then requested an aerator for one of the ponds to keep the stench down. Councilman Abbott made a motion to allow Ryan to purchase aerator for a max of \$10,000; Councilman Rice 2nd, all ap-proved, motion carried. COUNCILMAN ABBOTT:

Councilman Abbott addressed Su-perintendent Walls about the mayflies. Superintendent Walls responded that it was being taken care of. Councilman Abbott addressed Chief Duhamell requesting quotes for the computers to be ready at Board of Works Meeting. Chiel Duhamell responded that they were ready now. Councilman Abbott would like to

get the Sirens fixed. Mayor will get es-timate to fix. Girl Scouts did a great job at cleanup as well as everyone else that helped. The Community Association is giving the Main Street Group \$400 for the planters. Councilman Abbot asked the Mayor what the total cost for the plant-ers were going to be and he responded between \$600 and \$800. Councilman Abbott then made a motion to approve up to \$400 for the planters. Councilman Voirol

2nd, all approved, motion carried. COUNCILMAN RICE:

Councilman Rice address Superintendent Walls about the patch on Front Street, Superintendent Walls responded that it is on the schedule. Councilman Rice thank Chief Duhamell for hanging banners and pointed out to the council that the Siren next to the Oasis is leaning and wondered if that could be part of the

COUNCILMAN RENNER:

Addressed Superintendent Walls about cold patch in his district and asked if there is any plans to repave. Superinten-dent Walls said it would be considered for

Councilman Gerig – No Rej COUNCILMAN VOIROL:

Councilman Voirol addressed Super-intendent Walls about standing water at the Main Street Oasis. Superintendent Walls responded that it is not our leak, it belongs to the State Hwy. Councilman Voirol asked about the Annexation. Mayor responded that Sturz Public Manage ment would be at the next meeting. AUDIENCE:

Audience member asked about signage for the Industrial Park. Mayor shared a rendering of a design given him from the Baldus Corporation.

Councilman Renner made a motion to distance Councilman Weighler Medical Pade 1 and 1 tion to adjourn. Councilman Voirol 2nd.

Meeting adjourned at 8:55 p.m.

Notes prepared by Holly Sarrazine.

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Do you feel a tug toward helping the youth in the Antwerp community? Do you desire to make a long-lasting difference? Are you looking for something to do with all that extra time that you have? Then we have the opportunity for you.

The Antwerp Community Youth Center is looking for a Director.

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- · Oversee the scheduling of the ACYC building's use.
- Enforce adherence to ACYC policies.
- Oversee volunteer recruitment, training, and mobilization. · Represent ACYC at community events as appropriate
- Attend board meetings and provide a brief written summary of activities. actions, and plans.

As the Antwerp Community Youth Center is a Christian organization, The Director will be a Christian who is in good standing with his or her local church. The pastor of his or her church

will need to write a letter of recommendation prior to the Director being hired. Hiring would also be contingent upon a clean background check. We believe these tasks can be accomplished in fifteen to twenty hours a month. The director

will receive a nominal salary of \$175 per month. To apply, mail a cover letter and resume to ACYC, PO Box 123, Antwerp, Ohio, 45813.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

I am writing in concern of the Antwerp Community Youth Center. The youth center started off a little rough—before it was even opened it had caught on fire and a group of people put even more effort than they had already put in to get something going for youth in the area to enjoy. My friends and I were looking

forward to what the Youth Center had to offer—a Wii, pool table, computers, Foosball, and everything else. What happened? Myself being on the Youth Leadership Team doesn't even know. The 5th Quarter nights, the Lock-in Nights—they were so much fun! I drive by the Youth Center on a daily basis, wondering what it will take to get it open on a regular basis. It is being paid for but it just sits there, no one using all of the things donated. I believe it is time to get something done. Why waste a good building? Why let it sit?! I know that I cannot do this alone. Someone, please help out the youth of Antwerp and get something done about this. I am speaking for many people and we wish that we could have a lock-in again, 5th Quarter, Bible Study and possibly open on a normal basis! The building is there, why not use it!

> -Savanna Fettig, Antwerp FCA

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JACQUAY HEADLINES COU-GARS' HALL CLASS

Cory Jacquay, the NAIA football player of the year in 2004, heads a group of four former Saint Francis athletes who will be inducted into the university's Athletic Hall of Fame this fall.

Joining Jacquay will be baseball player Josh Widman, cross country and track and field standout Casey Shafer and former golfer Andy Mar-

Jacquay, who attended New Haven, set the USF single-season record with 1,980 all-purpose yards in 2004.

He tied a record with 20 touchdowns, and set three career records with 6,772 all purpose yards, 376 points scored and 61 touchdowns.

In four seasons, Widman, from Findlay, Ohio, set five USF career records: RBI (114), hits (189), runs scored (110), doubles (41) and at-bats (570). He also set a single-season record for RBI with 48 in 53Shafer remains USF's only

NAIA Cross Country National Championship Meet qualifier, a feat he accomplished in 2001 as a senior. He still has USF's top 10 times in the 1,500-meter run, the top eight times in the 5,000-meter run and the top six times in the 10,000-meter run.

Martin, who attended Tippecanoe Valley, finished fourth as a senior in the Mid-Central College Conference tournament.

The Alumni and Athletic Hall of Fame awards celebration will be at the USF North Campus at 7:00 p.m. October

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COUNTY GRAND JURY'S

Paulding County prosecuting attorney Joseph R. Burkard announced that the Paulding Grand Jury indicted nine persons on Thursday, June 13, 2013.

Daniel Miller, Antwerp, DOB 8/12/69, Illegal Processing of Drugs, F-1; Illegal Assembly or Possession of Chemicals for the Manufacture of Drugs, F-2; Endangering Children, F-3

Stephanie R. Kremer, Antwerp, DOB 1/21/81, Burglary, Robert A. Spooner, DOB

6/4/76, Breaking & Entering, F-5; Theft, F-5 Augustine A. Barajas,

Paulding, DOB 9/25/88, Felonious Assault, F-2; Aggravated Assault, F-4 Justin R. Sheaks, Defiance,

2/19/91, Theft, F-5 Catherine E. Trowbridge,

Paulding, 6/30/89 Jonathan R. Bowman, Paulding, 12/2/91, Burglary,

F-2; Theft, F-5 Corey J. Davis, Paulding,

Duane R. Grothause, Van Wert, 8/2/70, Theft, F-4

PAULDING COUNTY COM-MISSIONER MEETING **MINUTES 5/20/13**

This $20^{\rm th}$ day of May, 2013, the Board of County Commissioners met in regular session with the following members present: Fred Pieper, Tony Zartman, Roy Klop-

fenstein, and Nola Ginter, Clerk ALLOWANCE OF CLAIMS:

Warrants documented as 197935 through 198025 for County Bills were ap-proved and certified to the County Auditor for payment.
IN THE MATTER OF ADVANCING

FUNDS TO MOVING OHIO FORWARD FUND (FUND 190):

Moving Ohio Forward is a grant from the Ohio Attorney General's Office to be utilized for demolishing blighted residential structures; and it is necessary to make an advancement from the General Fund to cover expenses until receipt of the grant payment. Now, therefore the Board of County Commissioners does hereby direct the County Auditor to: ADVANCE: \$2,228.70

FROM: 001-001-99999/General Fund/ Commissioners/Advances Out

TO: 190-001-99999/Moving Ohio For-

ward/Advances In

Upon receipt of grant payment, \$2,228.70 will be paid into General Fund/ Commissioners/Advances Out (001-001-

IN THE MATTER OF AMENDING THE 2013 ANNUAL APPROPRIATION

The Board of County Commissioners does hereby direct the County Auditor to amend the 2013 Annual Appropriation by appropriating the following in the Sanitary Sewer Rev Fund (Fund 185):

185-001-00005/Sanitary Sewer Rev/ Contract Services AMOUNT: \$25,000.00

IN THE MATTER OF AMENDING THE 2013 ANNUAL APPROPRIATION (FUND 185):

The Board of County Commissioners does hereby direct the County Auditor to amend the 2013 Annual Appropriation by appropriating the following in the Sanitary Sewer Rev Fund (Fund 185): 185-001-00006/Sanitary Sewer Rev/

Utilities
AMOUNT: \$5,000.00

IN THE MATTER OF AMENDING THE 2013 ANNUAL APPROPRIATION

The Board of County Commissioners does hereby direct the County Auditor to amend the 2013 Annual Appropriation by appropriating the following in the Moving Ohio Forward Fund (Fund 190): 190-001-00001/Moving Ohio For-

ward/Miscellaneous Expenses AMOUNT: \$2,228.70 IN THE MATTER OF AMENDING

THE 2013 ANNUAL APPROPRIATION (FUND 251): The Board of County Commissioners does hereby direct the County Auditor to

amend the 2013 Annual Appropriation by appropriating the following in the CCW License Fund (Fund 251): 251-001-00001/CCW License Fund/

AMOUNT: \$5,000.00
IN THE MATTER OF SUSPENDING A SESSION FOR THE PURPOSE
OF MEETING WITH THE STATE AU-DITOR: The State Auditors requested a meeting

to conduct the 2012 pre-engagement con ference for the County; and this date was set by the State Auditors. Now, therefore the Board of County Commissioners does agree to suspend this meeting from 10:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. in order to meet with the State Auditors in order to conduct the 2012 pre-engagement conference for Paulding

County.

MEETING NOTES OF APPOINT-

MENTS:
Claudia Fickel, Kathy Sanderson, Auditor's Office; Cindy Peters, Clerk – In lieu of changing to a fully funded health insurance plan, there was discussion about

FROM THE PAULDING

Jim Langham, Paulding Progress - Mr. Langham met with the Commissioners to discuss the former Maumee & Western Railroad. On January 2, 2013, Pioneer Railcorp's subsidiary, Michigan Southern Railroad Company (MSO), purchased the rail line formerly known as the Maumee & Western Railroad. MSO will operate the new line d/b/a Napoleon, Defiance & Western, which has approximately 51 miles of track from Woodburn, IN, to Liberty Center, OH. The line was in dire need of repair due to years of lack of maintenance. The three counties the line runs through being Paulding, Defiance, and Henry, had tried for years to secure grants to use for improvements; but were not successful. The sale of the line brings plans to rehabilitate the line and restore two sections of bilitate the line and restore two sections of the track. When completed, the Napoleon, Defiance & Western will provide consis-tent freight rail service to all current and potential shippers utilizing the line. Rail use would improve safety, reduce cost to customers, and promote future develop-ment along the line. The Commissioners and Economic Development directors of all three counties support this project.

Health Insurance Funds 88 and 189.

three counties support this project.

Deb Mack, State Auditor - Deb suspended the Commissioners session for a pre-engagement conference (see resolution above). It was also discussed the current IT equipment needs appropriate wiring so the State Auditors can utilize the internet. Jason Landers and Brion Hanenkratt,

Sheriff's Office - Sheriff Landers and Mr. Hanenkratt met with the Commission-Hanenkratt met with the Commission-ers to discuss the E-911 levy. Fund 62 is for the tracking of the E-911 levy money and is used for salaries for the E-911 staff. Fund 170 is used for wireless maintenance and to purchase equipment. Sheriff Landers reported Fund 62 currently has a balance of \$203,000.00. 2012 expenditures in Fund 62 were \$262,424.00. Mr. Hanenkratt presented a memo from the E-911 Technical Advisory Committee recommending three voting members of the yet-t-be-formed E-911 Advisory Committee

Tony Langham, Paulding County Economic Development - Mr. Langham met with the Commissioners to secure a signature on an RLF subordination agreement. He also reported the RLF committee discussed the Napoleon, Defiance & Western Railroad. Mr. Langham noted the hiring committee recently met. Interviewing will begin sometime in June.

CORSA – Disciplining Difficult Employees – Mr. Frank Hatfield of Fishel, Hass,

Kim, Albrecht, LLP presented training for the elected officials and department heads held at the Nature Center from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. This training was offered as part of the CORSA Loss Control Incentive Program (LCIP). Reduction in program costs are offered from CORSA by participating

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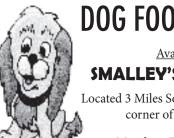


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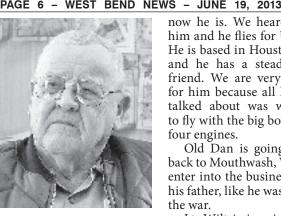
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GUNS & CROSSBOWS



OLD DAN & I CHAPTER 41: AT THE ZAMBOANGA AIR

By: Stan Jordan

It has been raining for three days now and we just sit around and talk and play euchre. Our planes are ready to go and we are also. Gen. Norm came in and said the war in Europe is over. This is May 8, 1945. We are certainly glad about that news and now we can put all our efforts in ending this war. Lt. Wiltsie received a package from home that had been forwarded over from Europe. The cake was pretty well beat up but we ate it with a fork right out of the wrappings—it was good anyhow.

Then we sat and talked about what we would do after this war is over and we are home again. If you remember we had a Lt. Meyers who flew with us. He lost his right leg on a raid in Wurms, Germany. He wanted to be a commercial pilot and

now he is. We heard from him and he flies for United. He is based in Houston, TX and he has a steady girlfriend. We are very happy for him because all he ever talked about was wanting to fly with the big boys with four engines.

Old Dan is going to go back to Mouthwash, WI and enter into the business with his father, like he was before the war.

Lt. Wiltsie is going back to teaching at the high school level. That is back in

Lt. Wilson is not sure. He wants to go back to Walk About Creek but he also wants to stay in the United

Lt. Hornish is going back to his trucking business in Goodyear, AZ and he plans to expand quite a bit.

Sgt. Jenkins wants to marry a girl in Wahoo, NE and go to Arizona to drive for Lt. Hornish.

Gen. Norm is going to retire from the Army and work with the Guggenheim Foundation with his family in New York City.

I'm going to go home and fish for bass for about a month and then give some thought about going to work like everybody else.

We ate the cake, drank the coffee, and played euchre well into the evening. We didn't draw dawn patrol tomorrow, we'll just wait for the scramble.

See ya!

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Harlan Days is August 1, 2 & 3 and we are in need of crafty

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After leaving a store, a blonde walked out and went up to a soda machine. The blonde put in 50 cents and out popped a Coke. She searched her bag for more money. She found some and kept feeding the machine money. Coke and Sprite and Mountain Dew bottles began rolling down the street.

A young man walked up behind her and watched this for a few minutes. Then he asked, "Can I get one now?"

She whizzed around and yelled, "No way, can't you see I'm winning?"

A blonde, a brunette, and a redhead are standing in front of the Mirror of Truth. It sucks up and kills anyone who tells a lie in front of it.

So the brunette says, "I'm the smartest person in the world." She gets sucked up

The redhead says, "I've got the most curly hair," and she gets sucked up and dies also.

The blonde says, think..." and she gets sucked up and dies.

See ya!

ANTWERP & THE 4th AN-**NUAL RIBFEST**

By: Stan Jordan

The summer season is well underway here in Antwerp. We had the village wide garage sales Saturday, the 5K run, a fund-raiser for the ACDC, and the 4th Annual Cleveland Street Ribfest. It was well attended and everyone had a ball.

A goodly number of people had booths or had merchandise as a fund-raiser. It reminded me of the Fireman's Day of years past.

The Corn Hole Tournament carried on all afternoon inside the firehouse, showing various degrees of expertise.

The evening music event held in the VFW by the Marshall Law Band was very well attended.

I was seated in the shade

by the Fireman's Auxiliary stand. They had a good business selling brats, hot dogs, burgers, fries, etc.

I met some old friends, I made some new friends and I had a fine day.

There was a Marine Corps Tech Sgt. with his wife and family in the crowd and I interviewed him a little. His name was Joseph A. Pumley, Gunnery Sgt. Sgt. Pumley has been in

the Marines for over 14 years. He has made a number of trips to the Middle East. He is now stationed at Defiance as a recruiter. He and his wife and two boys live in Sherwood. His goal is to finish out his career with the Marines and then return to his hometown in West Virginia. Some more of the go-

ings on here in Antwerp this year are: The Big Boy\$ Toy\$, a car show on Main Street; the Bethel Church Ice Cream Social on the 3rd Saturday in July; A Day in the Park in August; The Maumee River Raft Race in July; Veteran's Day in November; the annual Halloween Celebration and if you throw in the usual holiday parties you will have a very active year.

See ya!

THE OPEN HOUSE AT THE BANK

By: Stan Jordan

I walked into the Antwerp Exchange Bank Open House last Friday and I was flabbergasted. The remodeling job was done and the interior of the bank is flat out beautiful. I had no idea it would be that different and decorative.

The bank employees had a huge table of refreshmentsanything you could desire was there for your selection. They even assisted you if need be.

I managed to slow John Kobee down a little and he was telling me they have 20 employees. The remodeling job took from October until the following May. They picked up over six new offices, it is more compact and efficient that way.

All of those people are very proud of their new surroundings and they jolly well should be. The banks motto is 'We are not just bankers we are family', and they work on it. Yes, I'm proud to be a patron

See ya!

HONEY BEE SWARM; DO NOT PANIC

By: Jim Lopshire, PC Extension Educator

A cluster of bees hanging on the branch of a tree or on the side of a building is a sure cause for human excitement. This is referred to as honey bee swarming.

A swarm is the way honey bees start a new colony. Honey bee swarms can contain thousands of bees that have broken away from the original colony, including workers, drones and the original queen.

Swarms of bees sometimes frighten people, though they are usually not aggressive at this stage of their life cycle. This is principally due to the fact that swarming bees have no hive to defend and are more interested in finding a new nesting point for their queen. This does not mean that bee swarms will not attack if they perceive a threat;

however, most bees only at-

tack in response to intrusions

PH: 419-258-2000 • 260-246-8843 • info@westbendnews.net against their hive, and swarming bees have no hive.

The queen is at the center of the swarm. Her pheromones attract the other bees to her. A few scout bees will leave the swarm to seek out a suitable location for a nest, such as a cavity in a tree. When a location is found, the swarm will move to the site.

Oftentimes, local beekeepers are willing to capture a swarm. If you do not know one, give the Extension office a call. The beekeeper will place an empty container, such as a bee hive, at the base of the swarm, and shake or dislodge the bees from the swarm into the entrance. The now-occupied hive can be moved after dark, when the bees are done foraging and are less active.

Occasionally, honey bees will attempt to nest in house walls. The OSU Extension Fact Sheet, "Honey Bees in House [http://ohioline.osu. edu/hyg-fact/2000/pdf/2079. pdf] provides detailed information on removing a honey bee colony from structures. This will be my final news-

paper article, as I will be retiring as Extension county educator. My last day in the office will be Monday June 17. Paulding County has continued to support the Paulding County Extension program which has remained an active and integral part of the county. Thank you for allowing me to be a part of that experience for over the past twelve years.

BIG BOY\$ TOY\$ CAR SHOW GEARS UP!

Big Boy\$ Toy\$ Car Club will host their 5th annual Car Show on July 13th in Antwerp, OH. The judged show will include a 2000 and older class and a 2001 and newer class—rain or shine. The first 100 entrants will receive a dash plaque. Extended support from local and area sponsors has provided a total of 74 trophies to be given away in 4 ft., 3 ft., and 2 ft. sizes. There will be several special awards by the Antwerp Police, Antwerp Mayor, Antwerp VFW, Hospice, Club President choice and Best of Show. A new trophy this year will be a People's Choice trophy. This trophy will be awarded to the person with the most votes for his or her car. Everyone attending the show will have a chance to vote for their fa-

In addition to the car show there will be music provided by C&R Sound. Other events include a 50/50 raffle, door prizes, and a flee market swap meet. For more information about the flea market/swap meet, please contact Ed Glass at 419-786-9652 or Mike McNabb at 419-378-9456.

Registration for the car show runs from 3:00-5:00 p.m. with awards presented at 8:00 p.m. For more information about registration, contact Larry Copsey at 419-258-3175. Come out and enjoy some of the area's finer vehicles and enjoy a show that helps the local hospice.

THANK YOU! The 4th Annual Relay for Life

Golf Scramble was held at Pleasant Valley Golf Course on May \$994 was raised to donate to the

Cancer Walk in Paulding, which was held May 31st - June 1st. A Big THANK YOU goes out to

Pleasant Valley for hosting the event, along with the following businesses who purchased t-signs for the event: **Pleasant Valley Golf Course**

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Also, Thanks to Mike at Good Times Saloon not only for donating the beer, but letting us hold the lunch afterwards at the Saloon.

And to my helpers: Jim and Sandy Rossellet, Chris Gerardot, Dan and Ann Olwin, Bob Mutschelknaus, Heidi Conlon, Penny Schaffer, Kathy and Kiley Flaugh.

Thanks again to everyone and look forward to seeing you next year!

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WAYNE TRACE LOCAL SCHOOL RECOGNIZES RETIREES & AWARD WINNERS



At a recent Wayne Trace Board of Education meeting, board members and members of the administrative team recognized several retiring employees with a congratulatory plaque commemorating each employee's number of years of service to the district. Pictured above are this year's retirees (l-r) Mr. Alan Lautzenheiser, principal for 18 years; Mrs. Rita Treat, bus driver for 33 years; and Mr. Lyn Bell, teacher for 12 years. Absent from the photo is Miss Jane Bloom, teacher for 35 years.



At a recent Wayne Trace Board of Education meeting, board members and members of the administrative team recognized the 2012-2013 Excellence in Education Award Winners. Pictured above are this year's elementary school recipients: Mrs. Kay Head, Title I teacher at Wayne Trace Payne Elementary School and Mrs. Chelsea Miller, first grade teacher at Wayne Trace Grover Hill Elementary School.

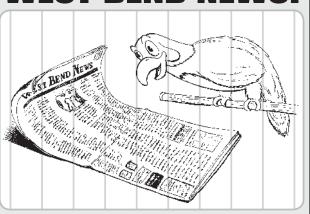


Pictured above are Wayne Trace student Jordan Elick, Mr. Dave Elick, and Wayne Trace Jr./Sr. High School Principal Mr. Kevin Wilson representing Mrs. Lisa Elick, the Excellence in Education recipient from Wayne Trace Jr./Sr. High School.

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EAST ALLEN POISED TO RE-VEAL PICK: 5 IN RACE FOR SUPERINTENDENT

By: Sarah Janssen, The Journal Gazette

The East Allen County Schools board plans to announce its new superintendent next week after a public hearing on the new leader's salary.

Thirteen candidates submitted applications to the board to fill the superintendent position vacated by Karyle Green, who left the district March 1 in a mutual agreement with the board.

The hearing is slated for Tuesday, and the board's legal counsel advised that the candidate announcement should be made shortly after the hearing. Board President Neil Reynolds said the announcement will be made first to the district's central office staff and then to the public, likely the following morning.

All but one application came from within the state. The board invited six candidates to participate in further interviews. At that time, one applicant withdrew, Reynolds said.

The board has been in discussions with five candidates but would like to offer the job to one in particular, Reynolds

said. The board is not releasing names of the finalists.

In a legal ad placed this month, the board announced that a public hearing will be conducted on the new leader's salary Tuesday. According to the announcement, the new superintendent would make less over time than was offered to Green.

Reynolds said the candi-

date has a similar level of ex-

perience as Green, who was a

principal in South Bend and

had previously worked in

central office administrative

positions before coming to East Allen.

Before Green's arrival, the EACS board approved a three-year contract with a salary of \$140,000 her first year, \$143,500 her second year and \$147,805 her third. She also received a \$900-a-month car allowance and payments

into a retirement account

that equals 2 percent of her

monthly salary.

The new leader would also start with a base salary of \$140,000 in the first year, \$143,000 in the second year and \$146,000 in the third, dependent on "acceptable performance as determined by the board," according to the

announcement.
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Leading Scorer VJ Beachem Takes a Piece of the Net at Saturday Night's Sectional Championship

New Haven's 2013 graduate V.J. Beachem went 9 of 9 from the floor, including 4 of 4 from the three-point line, to score 22 points in leading Indiana to a 114-60 trouncing of Kentucky in a high school All-Star game Friday at Freedom Hall in Louisville.

The 6-foot-7 Beachem, who has committed to attend Notre Dame, added two assists, two blocked shots and two steals as Indiana defeated Kentucky for the 10th consecutive time in the annual All-Star series.

Indiana led 44-29 at halftime, then outscored Kentucky 70-31 in the final half.

Former Northrop standout Bryson Scott, who is headed to Purdue, and Mr. Basketball Zak Irvin of Southeastern, Hamilton bound for Michigan, each scored 14 points for Indiana, which dominated Kentucky on the glass, 51-23. Clay Yeo of Triton added 12 points, and Devin Davis of Warren Central had 10 points and 10 rebounds.

grabbed an Indiana early 14-4 lead, watched Kentucky get within 16-10, then went on an 11-0 run that was helped fueled by a

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three-pointer and blocked shot from Beachem and a jumper from Scott.

In the girls game, Kentucky defeated Indiana 84-

Indiana Miss Basket-

ball Stephanie Mavunga of Brownsburg was sidelined with a knee injury with 16:03 remaining in the first half and never returned. She made her only field goal attempt for two points. Former South Side standout and IPFW recruit

play due to her high school graduation ceremonies. The Kentucky girls, led by Miss Basketball Makayla Epps' 17 points, seven rebounds and nine assists, scored the game's first nine points and never trailed.

Ariana Simmons did not

of 25 three-point attempts, whereas Indiana hit 4 of 20 from long range. Bridget Perry of Indianapolis Roncalli led Indiana with 19 points. Ally Lehm-

Kentucky connected on 12

points and 10 rebounds. The series for the boys and girls resumes today at Bankers Life Fieldhouse in Indianapolis.

Annual Colors

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an of Indian Creek had 10

M°DOUGLE EARNS HONOR-**ABLE MENTION**

Five Huntington University Forester softball players were honored by the Crossroads League for their outstanding play this season including a Paulding County



Junior Marcie McDougle (Wayne Trace, pitcher) earned her first All-Conference award as an honorable mention selection this season. The right-handed hurler gave up a mere three walks in 86.2 innings pitched to lead the nation in walks allowed per 9 (.31). She had a team-best 3.07 ERA and collected seven wins in the circle, giving up 98 hits and 46 runs, 38 earned, while striking out 46. She was 7-7 on the season with eight complete games. Marcie ranked in the top ten of the conference standings in the nine different pitching categories. She is at Huntington University majoring in psychology and was on the Dean's List all year.

Huntington University is 18-16 overall. Huntington University is part of the

OAKWOOD PARK BOARD HOSTS ICE CREAM SOCIAL

The maintenance and upkeep of playground equipment is a constant concern in every community. With that, the Oakwood Park Board will be hosting an Ice Cream Social for the community on Thursday, June 20, 2013 from 4:30-7:30 p.m. The Oakwood Community Band will play at 6:00 p.m. at the Giltz-Brown American Legion Hall in

PAULDING LIONS CLUB RAFFLE WINNERS

The Paulding Lions Club held its raffle drawing on Saturday, June 8, 2013 at 7:00 p.m. during the John Paulding Days Festival at the Paulding Eagles. The winners were Jim Caris (grill), John Orthman (power washer), and Tony Burkley (Paulding Lions Club membership).

The Paulding Lions Club had many who participated in the raffle this year and they received alot of support from the Paulding Eagles and Paulding Ace Hardware. The Paulding Lions Club

has been helping individuals with vision care for the past 64 years.

WBESC SCHEDULES JUNE BOARD MEETING

Western Buckeye Educational Service Center regular June governing board meeting has been scheduled for Wednesday, June 26, 2013, 6:00 p.m. at the Paulding ESC office, 202 N. Cherry, Paulding, OH 45879.

Cooper Farms had a predoubled their Hispanic popu-

The Paulding County Fair

happened June 10-15 at the

fairgrounds. There are lots of

people having a great time eat-

ing, and listening to the bands

and watching the truck and tractor pulls. The Grand Stand

was packed watching the pull-

were selling foods to raise funds

for trips or other expenses that

would not be covered under

of the animals and looked

great as they were about to

be presented to judges at the

The young people took care

their band budgets.

county seat.

The local high school bands

ing events

Hispanics are also the fastest-growing group of firsttime homebuyers, according to the "2012 State of Hispanic Homeownership Report" published by the National Association of Hispanic Real Estate Professionals.

Responding To Opportu-

This growth in the Hispanic market is reflected in the way some—but not all real estate companies are responding to the opportunity. For example, one company in particular, Century 21 Real Estate LLC, is actively recruiting Hispanic entrepreneurs who want to help other members of their community become homeowners, while pursuing a career with unsentation setup of a Sow with her young nursing that had just been birthed.

There presentations for area

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A GREAT WEEK AT PAULDING COUNTY FAIR!

business at the Youth building. Local bands are playing both Friday and Saturday evenings. The Paulding County Library gave tours through the Bookmobile. Be sure to stop

in and see how important this is for people's access to litera-

There was lots of food. And there was lots of fun!

Look for the full list of the 2013 Paulding County 4-H Fair results in next week's West Bend News!

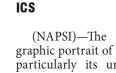
has created a Facebook page designed to connect with the Hispanic community. The page has the theme "İt's Our

Part Of A Market Trend?

The uptick reported in Hispanic first-time homeownership is consistent with what may be a general market

According to Rick Davidson, president and CEO, Century 21 Real Estate LLC, "The market is still presenting opportunities for first-time buyers." He also observed that according to the National Association of Realtors' April "Existing-Home Sales" report, pricing for sellers has trended upward for 14 consecutive months.

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demographic portrait of the U.S. particularly its urban centers—is changing. That's the word from the

GROWING AMONG HISPAN-

experts at the Brookings Institution who report that in the period 2000 to 2010, nonwhites and Hispanics accounted for 98 percent of population growth in large metro areas of the U.S.

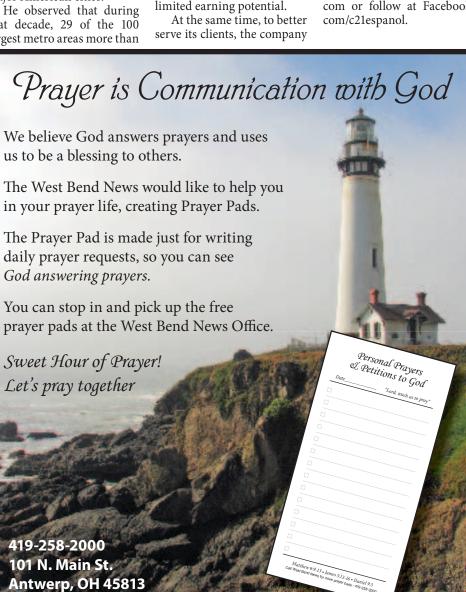
According to William Frey, author of the Brookings report, "The New Metro Mi-nority Map: Regional Shifts in Hispanics, Asians, and Blacks from Census 2010," growing Hispanic populations are driving demographic shifts in major American cities.

that decade, 29 of the 100 largest metro areas more than



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TAKE A VACATION

Financial Focus by: Phil Recker, Edward Jones Advisor

At long last, summer is almost here — which may mean it's time to put together your traveling plans. Still, while you and your family may enjoy going a summertime trip, there's one part of your life that should not go on vacation — and that's your investment portfolio.

So, what can you do to help your investments keep on working all year long, year in and year out? Here are a few suggestions:

 Don't chase after "hot" investments. Many times, you will hear about a "hot" investment, usually a stock. However, by the time you hear about such an investment, it may already be cooling off. Even more importantly, it might not have been appropriate for your needs — and any investment that has either "flamed out" or wasn't right for you in the first place will not be a "hard worker" in your portfolio.

• Monitor "lazy" invest-

ments. Under the right circumstances, just about any investment could be of value to you. However, under different scenarios, those same investments may not be doing as much for you. To cite one example, when interest rates are at historic lows, as has been the case recently, and your portfolio contains a relatively large amount of short-term fixed-rate vehicles whose interest payments don't even keep up with inflation, they could be considered "lazy" invest-

· Look for the "multitaskers." In most aspects of life, "multi-taskers" are valuable - and it's the same in the investment world. Can you find a particular type of investment that may be able to achieve multiple goals at the same time? Consider dividend-paying stocks. If you need the income to supplement your cash flow, you can cash the dividend checks. And since some companies tend to increase their dividends, your investment in these stocks can serve as a source of potential for rising income, helping keep you ahead of inflation. Furthermore, if you don't actually need the dividends to support your income stream, you can reinvest them to increase your ownership stake — a method of building your overall wealth. Finally, many dividend-paying stocks also offer significant growth potential. Keep in mind, though, that there are no guarantees, because companies can lower or discontinue their dividends at any time. And, as you know, stocks are subject to market risk, including the potential

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loss of principal invested.

• Don't take a "time out" from investing. The financial markets regularly move up and down. During the down times, it's important not to get so discouraged that you decide to take a "time out" from investing until "things get better." No one can really predict when a downturn will end, but you don't want to be on the investment sidelines when the market turns around — because the biggest gains can occur in the early stages of a rally. And in any case, if you're not constantly investing, or at least exploring new investment opportunities, your portfolio could begin to stagnate — or even become "unbalanced," in which case it may no longer fit your objectives or your risk tolerance.

By following the above suggestions, you can help keep your investments working for you this summer — as well as fall, winter and spring. The road toward achieving your financial goals is a long one — so try to keep moving.

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iAB Financial Bank was recognized as a Five Star Member of the Indiana Bankers Association (IBA) at the IBA Mega Conference in downtown Indianapolis. The bank earned the award in recognition of its commitment to the IBA in the areas of political awareness, issues advocacy, life-long learning, volunteerism and Preferred Service Provider utilization.

"As an employer of choice, iAB is excited to receive this Five Star Member recognition," state Karen J. Cameron, Executive Vice President of iAB. "Our core values of integrity, accountability and brotherhood mirror the commitments of a Five Star Member."

iAB also won a MAXI Award at the Mega Conference. MAXI Awards are presented annually to IBA-member institutions to recognize bank marketing excellence in Indiana. iAB won the in the category of Branding Campaigns for their new logo and campaign that occurred during the company's consolida-

"We're extremely thrilled with this recognition of our marketing efforts," stated Meegan D. Siegwarth, Marketing Director for iAB. "It's also nice to be recognized by your peers as a leader in marketing.

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OHSAA BOARD OF DIREC-TORS MEETING HIGH-LIGHTS FOR JUNE '13

The Ohio High School Athletic Association Board of Directors met Thursday morning in Columbus for its regularly scheduled June meeting, which marks the final board meeting of the 2012-13 school year. The following are highlights from the meeting. The complete set of meeting minutes will be posted later at OHSAA. • The board approved the

football divisional breakdowns and regional assignments for 2013 and 2014. The lists of schools in each of the seven divisions, along with the regional maps, are posted on the football page at OHSAA.org: http://www. ohsaa.org/sports/ft/boys/de-• The board approved a

proposal from the OHSAA staff for the 2013 football playoff schedule format. This fall, Divisions II, III, IV and VI will play their regional and state semifinal games on Friday nights at 7:30 p.m., while Divisions I, V and VII will play their regional and state semifinal games on Saturday nights at 7:00 p.m. The order and game times for the state championship games will be announced after the state semifinal games, which will include a determination as to which division (II, III, IV or VI) will play its state championship game on Thursday night, December 5.

• The board approved a proposal from the OHSAA staff that beginning in 2014, the start date for football practice will always be August 1 (unless August 1 is a Sunday, in which case football practice will start August 2). This makes football consistent with the OHSAA's other fall sports, which already begin practice August 1 (unless August 1 is a Sunday). Of note, this fall football practice begins August 5 except for those schools that begin classes August 16 or earlier, in which case football practice may begin August 1 for those schools.

· Four schools were recently penalized for committing infractions of OHSAA bylaws or sports regulations. The list of schools, along with their infractions and penalties, is always included in the meeting minutes posted at OHSAA.org, but media members may obtain the list in advance via email from Tim Stried (tstried@ohsaa.

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• The Board approved an OHSAA staff request to propose a rules experiment to the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFHS) regarding the wearing of jewelry in swimming and diving. The rules experiment, which will be conducted over the next three years if approved by the NFHS, will allow swimmers and divers to wear jewelry without being disqualified. • Except gymnastics, the

2013 winter sports financial reports were presented to the board. The new team wrestling regional and state tournament operated at an overall loss of \$96,166. Attendance at the one-day state tournament was 1,750. The boys basketball state tournament attendance increased by 2,513 tickets (total attendance of 115,343) and resulted in a net profit of \$871,858. The girls basketball state tournament attendance increased by 2,537 tickets (total attendance of 35,953) and resulted in a net profit of \$15,204. The bowling state tournament had a total attendance of 1,607 and resulted in a net profit of \$99. The ice hockey state tournament had a total attendance of 4,466 and operated at a net loss of \$4,798. The swimming and diving

state tournament had a total attendance of 8,354 and operated at a loss of \$8,979. The individual wrestling state tournament had a total attendance of 49,256 (down 1,187 from 2012) and resulted in a net profit of \$191,143. Of note, the OHSAA receives no tax dollars and does not charge annual membership dues or tournament entry fees. Eighty-percent of the OHSAA's operating budget comes from gate receipts at regional and state tourna-

• The board denied a proposal from the basketball coaches association that would require schools to do a film exchange at the regional and state tournament level.

 The OHSAA welcomes one new member school for the 2013-14 academic year with Columbus Patriot Preparatory Academy. Of note, Bedford St. Peter Chanel and Marion Catholic are no longer member schools, while Berea and Midpark have consolidated into one school.







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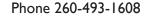
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OHIO MAYFLOWER SOCIETY MEETS IN MARIETTA



By: Caroline Wells Zimmerman, Society of Mayflower Descendants, Toledo Colony

The Marietta Mayflower Society was the hostess to the 115th Annual State Assembly and to their final luncheon meeting on Saturday, May 18, 2013 at The LaFayette, a beautiful historic hotel that draws its name from the visit in 1825 of Marquis de La-Fayette, French hero of the American Revolution. The last two members were the hostesses: Evelyn Worstell of Marietta, OH and Mary Dellinger of Reno, OH. They are transferring to the Columbus Mayflower Society.

On Friday evening (May 17th) the Society toured the area on their own (the Steamboat Museum and many

shops); then took a stern wheeler: the "Valley Gem" on a two-hour cruise on the Ohio River. It was a chaindriven paddle boat that went 6-8 mph, and actually took two gallons of fuel per hour to run it. The Captain was "J.J." (Jason Sanders), whose father designed and built the boat in a hay field in 1987. It weighs 100 tons, is 25 ft. wide and is 157 ft. long. It took two years to build. To launch it, they actually used grease from McDonald's Restaurant to slide it into the river. Some of the Mayflower passengers got to steer the boat (including myself). The weather and current was beautiful.

The Captain pointed out Devil's Island, where had been American Indians who had captured settlers going

down the river (many times the Indians would place a nice horse or a child near the shoreline and the settlers would go up near the shore and then be captured). There was evidence of a long lock wall on the Ohio side of the river bank and evidence of locks that are now gone. There were originally 54 locks and now there are 19 locks. There was a wicket and steel type dam. The river was adjusted by "wickets" in the late 50s-60s. We passed loading docks and river barges (1175 ft. long), used for hauling coal, on the river.

George Washington was said to have surveyed part of the Ohio country along the Ohio River and the DAR had placed markets at some important places in 1976 as a Bicentennial trip on the Delta Queen. At that time I had the honor to be the personal page for the former State Regent, Mrs. Norman H. Dement, from Defiance, OH.

Marietta was one of the official stops for the Delta Queen Steamboat Company (Mississippi Queen and the American Queen). I have been fortunate enough to have traveled on the Delta

Queen twice overnight before it has been retired. This river town is still talking about the 1936 flood and it takes great pride in its history and riverboat heritage. The Luncheon was held at

the LaFayette Hotel with Dr. Donald Nichols, Governor being the head officer. Ms. Charles Mays - Dep. Gov. called the meeting to order and called for the State Reports after the Pledge to the Flag of the USA was given and the reading of the Mayflower Compact. Members and Guests were introduced and Members were asked to tell which Mayflower Pilgrim(s) they are descended from. A welcome was given by the Marietta Colony as well as a "Thank You" from those present for all the work the two remaining members did for such a nice ending meeting for their Marietta Colony. They got a standing ovation from those present.

The speaker for the program was: Norman Pape. His topic was: "Marietta's Ties to the Civil War."

This The LaFayette Hotel is famous for it's "Gun Room" collection of guns and long rifles that are displayed in cases around the room. Some go back to the 1820's and were made in Lancaster, PA.

One particular rifle (Gun #9) was made by J.J. Henry & Sons, Boulton, PA. They were the first gunsmiths and the father was born in 1729 and produced a gun that was armour to Gen. Braddock in Western Pennsylvania in 1755 in the American Revolution. The stock is curly maple and mounted in brass. There were many flintlocks and various over/under percussion rifles. Many had personal names on them.

Various pictures and certificates were on the walls that were from the beginnings of Marietta by Rufus Putnam and other pioneers. In August 1788, the first flatboat of families came to the confluence of the Muskingum River and the Ohio River. The Indians were by no means gone from the area and were a very real danger. George Washington wanted land in Ohio and surveyed these parts. Virginia (now West Virginia) was just across the Ohio River from Marietta; it was all very coveted land and settlers were willing to risk their lives and what little fortunes they had to "settle" on it until they could get to a land office to get the paper work done on it and get it into their names. It

was Indian territory; the Indians knew it and the white people knew it, also, or they soon found out. There were Indian Wars over the land. Follow the River is a book

about Mary Ingalls, a woman who was kidnapped by the Indians in Virginia with her two little boys (she was expecting a baby). The Indians, while going West on the Ohio, let her ride a horse along the Ohio River for 500 miles. During that time, her water broke on the horse, her baby was born that night, and because she didn't cry out, the Indians considered her brave and let her live. After several months, she eventually escaped with an old woman who was also taken as a captive (they all had to run the gauntlet) and she and the old woman made it back to Virginia without the children. Mary left them behind, knowing that the children would not survive the trip. She nearly did not either. The old woman went crazy and tried to kill Mary Ingalls because she was starving. Mary had to stay on the other side of the Ohio River from her during the last hundred miles or so of the trip. Mary and the old woman did make it back to Virginia and Mary did see her children again

when they were grown. The Chief had actually wanted her for his wife and when she refused him, he took her sons. Her baby daughter was raised by a young squaw who had lost her baby. She got one of the boys back as an adult, but he was indoctrinated as an Indian during his growing up. The baby girl she had, she also got to see again as an adult. Her husband never gave up looking for her and there was a reunion when she made it back home to Virginia. She had never gave up looking for her and there was a reunion when she made it back home to Virginia. She had eaten bugs, weeds, snakes, and rotten fish and eventually nothing at all. Please read this fascinating story of a true pioneer woman who was a survivor.

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The history of the Ohio is only a little over 200 years old. The Indian Reservations (Oquanoxa's Reserve in Paulding County Ohio and Knagg's Reserve in Allen County Indiana) were not deleted until about the 1830s. Our country is actually not that old either: we just had our 200th birthday in 1976.

For more information about the Mayflower Society, contact Caroline at 7292 Rd. 176, Antwerp, OH 45813.

LEGAL NOTICE 2013 County Chip

Seal Project

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of County Com-

missioners of Paulding, Ohio, at its office in the Court House 115 N. Williams Street, Rm. B-1, Paulding, Ohio, until 9:00 A.M., D.S.T. on June 26, 2013

PROPOSAL:

Chip sealing various County and Township roads within Paulding County, Ohio. Engineer's Estimate = \$93,798.73

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Each Proposal must contain the full name of the party or parties submitting the proposal and all persons interested therein. The owner intends and requires that this project be completed as listed above.

All contractors and subcontractors involved with the project will, to the extent practicable use Ohio products, materials, services, and labor in the implementation of their

project. Additionally, contractor compliance with the equal employment opportunity requirements of Ohio Administrative Code Chapter 123, the Governor's Executive Order of 1972, and Governor's Executive Order 84-9 shall be

All contractors shall follow all applicable Federal and State OSHA regulations. The contractor shall also hold the County Engineer harmless for any violations or fines received while engaged in this project.

All contractors must provide current Certificate of Liability Insurance Coverage for \$1,000,000 along with a current Certificate of Worker's Compensation Coverage, before they can be hired to perform any type of work for the Paulding County.

Bidders must comply with the prevailing wage rates on Public Improvements in Paulding County, Ohio as determined by the Ohio Department of Industrial Relations.

All materials shall conform to the 1997 revision of the State of Ohio Department of Transportation Construction and Material Specifications.

"DOMESTIC STEEL USE **REQUIREMENTS AS SPECI-**FIED IN SECTION 153.011 OF THE REVISED CODE APPLY TO THIS PROJECT. COPIES OF SECTION 153.011 OF THE **REVISED CODE CAN BE OB-**TAINED FROM ANY OF THE OFFICES OF THE DEPART-MENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES."

Prevailing Wage. Recipient shall comply, and shall require that all Contractors and subcontractors working on the Project comply, with the prevailing wage requirements contained in Sections 4115.03 to 4115.16 of the Revised Code.

Sealed bids shall be in writing and in accordance with specifications furnished by Paulding County and on file in the Offices of the Paulding County Engineer and Commis-

Bids are to be sealed and addressed to the Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Paulding County, Ohio, and bids on the above named items to be marked:

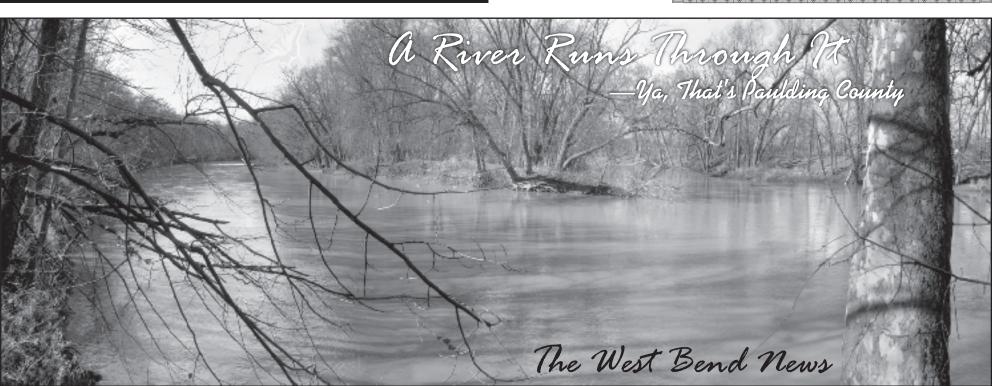
PROPOSAL: "2013 COUNTY **CHIP SEAL PROJECT"**

The Board of County Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids received.

BY ORDER OF THE **BOARD OF COUNTY** COMMISSIONERS PAULDING COUNTY, OHIO Nola Ginter Clerk, Board of Commissioners







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NEW HAVEN BRANCH LIBRARY PREPARES TO DIG INTO READING THIS SUMMER

By: Beth Stauffer

The New Haven Branch of the Allen County Public Library is preparing kids to Dig Into Reading this summer with the annual Summer Reading Program that is running now through July 26th.

Special incentive programs are available for babies to 5th graders. (A separate program is offered for 6th graders-recent high school graduates). Pre-school age children and school age children receive a free TinCaps ticket for signing up for the program and incentives for every 360 minutes of independent reading or time they are read to during the summer (incentives include an egg shaker or water bottle and up to two books). Parents can also participate in the fun by partnering with their children to complete literacy enrichment activities to earn a chance to win one of several \$100 gift certificates to local retail establishments.

The New Haven Branch will also host several free special programs during the summer for children to enjoy with their families. On Tuesday, June 18th at 10:30 a.m., the library will host A2 Magic, with magician Jeff Wawrzaszek presenting a hilarious magic show for all ages. Later in the afternoon on Tuesday from 2:00-3:00 p.m., children ages 6-11 are invited to come and learn all about Fairy Houses and make one of their own to take home.

On Tuesday June 25th, the always popular Mark's Ark and his amazing animals will visit the library at 10:30 a.m. for an exciting program for children and grown-ups of all ages. On Tuesday, July 2nd from 2:00-3:00 p.m., children can stop by the library to create a piece of art to take home, then on Tuesday, July 9th at 10:30 a.m. it's time for all things Superhero related at the library.

From 2:00-3:00 p.m. on July 16th, a super special lifesize Candy Land program will take place at the library, then on July 17th the loveable children's book characters Elephant and Piggie will come to story time at the library at 10:30 a.m.

On July 23rd, Dirt Detectives will be featured at the New Haven branch as children investigate archaeology and paleontology at this event that takes a scientific approach to learning all about dirt and why people dig it up. The Summer Reading Program will wrap up with a Family Fun Final Special Program on Thursday, July 24th at

According to Rachel King, Teen Librarian and Assistant Manager at the New Haven Branch, the Summer Reading Program has been a vital part of the library's programming for children and families since the 1960's.

Participating in the Summer Reading Program helps kids avoid the "summer slide," says King, referring to the lapse in reading skills that sometimes occur over the summer months. "The Summer Reading Program is a holistic program that not only keeps kids current with their reading skills, but keeps them interacting with other kids during the summer months and engaged with the

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community," added King. To sign up for the Summer Reading Program, stop

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len just celebrated her 93rd

PAULDING COUNTY COURT REPORTS

Criminal Disposition Report: Audra Ek Philipot; Cecil; Probation; Dismissed; case dismissed

Jessica D. McGuire, Grover Hill; Flee/Elude; Guilty; Defendant shall pay all fines & costs; placed on standard probation; remain on scram until 6/28/13; license suspension & jail time to

run concurrent w/ 13-tac-890 Jessica A. Masssengale; Antwerp; Endangerment Child; No Cont.; community service; parenting classes; probation; repay court appointed counsel fees; pay all fines & costs; pay or appear Catherine E. Trowbridge; De-

fiance; Receiving Stolen Goods; Prel-Waive; defendant waived preliminary hearing; case shall be bound over to the Common Pleas

Court of Paulding County Jonathon R. Bowman; Paulding; Burglary; Prel-Waive; preliminary hearing waived; case shall be bound over to the Court of Common Pleas

Rickey Rivas; Haviland; A.C.D.; Guilty; case was waived

Tevin L. Hale; Latty; F.R.A. Susp.; J-Guilty; pay \$50.00 per month; POA date; proof of financial responsibility not provided, defendant to show proof

Miguel A. Nunez; Continental; Theft; No Cont; pay all fines & costs; probation; shall repay court appointed council fees; pay restitution; placed on EMHA; community service

Chadrick R. Pool; Temperance, MI; Theft; case A dismissed per State; Disorderly Conduct; pay all fines & costs; make restitution; probation; complete 'Thinking for A Change'; shall have no unlawgood behavior; complete anger management; Criminal Damages; Guilty; pay all fines & costs; make restitution; no unlawful contact w/victims; complete 'Thinking for A Change'; probation; maintain good behavior Shane Zartman; Williams

Ctr. OH; Theft; Ct-No Cont; pay for stay policy; pay fines & costs; make restitution; probation; shall secure a valid driver's license; no contact w/victim; work release granted

Jamie L. Clark; Paulding; Theft; Ct-No Cont; pay all fines & costs; make restitution to the victim through the Clerk's office; POA date set Corey J. Davis; Paulding; Bur-

glary; Prel-Waive; preliminary hearing waived; case shall be bound over to the Court of Common Pleas, Pauldling County Todd A. Jackson; Paulding; Disorderly Cond; J-No Cont; shall

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Bradley Glenn Ramsey; Oakwood; Disorderly Conduct; J-Guilty; shall pay all fines & costs; 6/10/13; Janet S. Carpenter; Sec 21; pt SW¹/₄; 2.01 acre; To:

Bradley M. McLaughlin; Con-

tribute/Minor; Dismissed; case

dismissed per State

Property Transfers:

Auglaize Twp.:

Howard A. Carpenter 6/10/13; Howard A. Carpenter; Sec 21; pt SW1/4; 2.01 acre; To:

Pete Schlegel 6/12/13; Pete E. & Kathleen Schlegel; Sec 21; pt SW¼; 2.01 acres; To: Bobbi J. Doster

Benton Twp.: 6/12/13; Barbara R. French, et al; Sec 10; W1/2 NE1/4; 79.191 acres; Sec 3; SW¼ SE¼; 38.888 acres; Sec 1; E½ NE¼ & SW¼ NE½; 118.688 acres; Sec 1 NE¼ NW¼ & NW¼; 80.00 acres; To: Winding Road Farms, LLC

Brown Twp.: 6/6/13; Leo E. Winchester, dec'd; Sec 3; pt SW½; 48.07 acres; To: Beulah M. Winchester

Edward A. Merriman, dec'd; Sec 4; pt NW¼; 5.275 acres; Sec 4; pt NW¼; 20.00 acres; To: Gary L.

6/12/13; Gary L. Mason, Jr. & Amanda Mason, et al; Sec 4; pt NW¼; 5.275 acres; Sec 4; pt NW¼; 20.00 acres; To: Gary L. Mason

Carry All Twp.: 6/7/13; Frieda A. I. Gordon, Trustee, dec'd; Sec 11; pt SW¼ SW¼; 25.739 acres; To: Len P. Gordon, Trustee

Len P. Gordon, Trustee; Sec 11; pt SW1/4; SW1/4; 25.739 acres; To: Stateline Property Association

Crane Twp.: 6/7/13; Danny & Almalee C. Riggenbach; Sec 29; pt NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$; 5.002 acres; To: Michael J. &

Jennifer L. Mudel 6/12/13; Stewart Ray Tramett; Sec 19 Lots 38-41; Noneman's Rolling Acres #2; 1.50 acres; To: Rickie D. Slone

Emerald Twp.: 6/5/13; Rex A. Hasch; Sec 10; W½ W½ SE¼; 38.025 acres; To: Rex A. Hasch, LE & Six Mile Creek, LLC

6/6/13; Ronald L. Riggenbach; Sec 30; pt NE¼ & pt SE¼ & pt SW¼; 120.47 acres; To: Deborah

A. Riggenbach Latty Twp.: 6/19/13; Anna Marie Plummer; Sec 6; pt W½ SW½; 1.00 acre; To: Ricky E. & Denise E. Plummer

Antwerp Village: 6/7/13; The Advisory Board Northwestern Ohio District Church of the Nazarene; Sec 34; pt NW¼ SE¼; 1.201 acres; To: Village of Antwerp

Grover Hill Village: 6/7/13; Phillip N. & Sandra Rettig; Lot 110; original plat; 0.200 acre; To: Taylor Brothers &

Oakwood Village:
6/6/13; Leo E. Winchester,
decd; Lot 32; Taylor Addition;
0.165 acre; To; Beulah M. Win-

6/11/13; Tyson N. Schilt, et al; Lot 29. S½; Sec 30; S½; original plat; 0.316 acre; To: Fifth Third Mortgage Company

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Second Steps, LLC. kicked off its second annual day camp for children with behavioral disabilities associated with autism. The camp, which began Monday, June 10, will be held on weekdays, continuing through Friday, June 21, is being held at Dare to Dream Youth Ranch, in Fort Wayne, IN.

The camp is one of many special activities provided to the community by Dare to Dream Youth Ranch. During the camp, children spend time at the ranch, ride on horses while assisted by volunteers and therapists, create crafts and even paint on the horses with water-soluble paint. "This camp is an amazing experience for the kids, many of whom really connect with the horses and can relate to the environment and activities here," said Lisa Compton, Owner and President of Second Steps, LLC. "This year, working together, our staffers and the Dare to Dream ranch staff have taken the camp to a whole new level."

Jim Buck, Executive Board Member of Dare to Dream

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Youth Ranch, agrees. "By providing ranch experiences like these, which are core to the mission of the ranch, we can encourage the child, heal the horses, build the family and spread the message of hope. This camp is a great example of what can happen when we join forces, collaborate together and help children to reach their potential."

About Dare to Dream Youth Ranch:

Dare to Dream Youth Ranch serves the Fort Wayne and surrounding area by offering children the opportunity to experience a horse ranch, learning the values of integrity, leadership and compassion, through hard work, cooperation and caring for horses in a supervised and supportive environment. The ranch rescues and rehabilitates abused and neglected horses and integrates them into the ranch program. www. daretodreamyouthranch.com

About Second Steps LLC: SECOND STEPS LLC provides therapeutic services within its clinic, creating a comprehensive program that

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assists individuals with the behavior problems often associated with autism. SECOND STEPS LLC, which serves children from ages 2 to 18, has Board Certified Behavior Analysts (BCBAs) to conduct initial assessments, set goals and oversee each program. http://www.secondstepsllc.

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2013-14 OHIO HUNTING & TRAPPING SEASON DATES ANNOUNCED

The 2013-2014 Ohio hunting and trapping season dates have been released by the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR). The seasons include changes to address deer management on a county level, and increase hunting opportunities through extended hours and a new early muzzleloader sea-

2013-14 hunting and trapping seasons:

- Deer archery: September 28 – February 2, 2014
- · Antlerless deer muzzleloader: October 12-13
- Youth deer: November
 - Deer gun: December 2-8 • Deer muzzleloader: Jan-
- uary 4-7, 2014 • Squirrel (gray, red and fox): September 1 - January
- Ruffed grouse: October 12 – January 31, 2014
- Fall wild turkey: October
- 14 December 1
- Youth upland game: October 19-20, October 26-27
- · Cottontail rabbit: November 1 - February 28, 2014
- Ring-necked pheasant: November 1 - January 5,
- Bobwhite quail: November 1 – December 1
- Fox, raccoon, opossum, skunk and weasel: November 10 - January 31, 2014
- Mink and muskrat: November 10 - February 28,
- Mink, muskrat, raccoon, opossum, skunk and weasel (Erie, Ottawa and Sandusky counties, and Lucas County east of the Maumee River): November 10 - March 15,
- Beaver: December 26 - February 28, 2014
- River otter: December 26 - February 28, 2014
- Crow: June 7 March 8, 2014; June 6, 2014 - March 7, 2015 (Friday, Saturday and Sunday only)
- Youth spring wild turkey: April 19-20, 2014
- Spring wild turkey: April 21, 2014 - May 18, 2014
- Coyote and feral swine (wild boar): No closed season
- Groundhog: Closed only during deer gun season Deer bag limits are now

bag limits, by county: One either-sex permit, one antlerless permit (eight counties): Darke, Erie, Fay-

determined by county. Deer

ette, Hancock, Madison, Ottawa, Sandusky and Wood. Two either-sex permits,

one antlerless permit (23 counties): Auglaize, Butler, Champaign, Clark, Gallia, Harrison, Henry, Hocking, Jackson, Jefferson, Lawrence, Logan, Meigs, Mercer, Miami, Monroe, Montgomery, Perry, Preble, Ross, Shelby, Van Wert and Washington.

Three either-sex permits, one antlerless permit (57 counties): Adams, Allen, Ashland, Ashtabula, Athens, Belmont, Brown, Carroll, Clermont, Clinton, Columbiana, Coshocton, Crawford, Cuyahoga, Defiance, Delaware, Fairfield, Franklin, Fulton, Geauga, Greene, Guernsey, Hamilton, Hardin, Highland, Holmes, Huron, Knox, Lake, Licking, Lorain, Lucas, Mahoning, Marion, Medina, Morgan, Morrow, Muskingum, Noble, Paulding, Pickaway, Pike, Portage, Putnam, Richland, Scioto, Seneca, Stark, Summit, Trumbull, Tuscarawas, Union, Vinton, Warren, Wayne, Williams and Wyandot. Deer hunting hours are

30 minutes before sunrise to 30 minutes past sunset for all deer seasons. Antlerless permits will be valid until December 1, the Sunday before the deer-gun season. Hunters may harvest only

one buck in Ohio, regardless of method of take or location. The statewide bag limit is nine deer, but a hunter cannot exceed a county bag limit. Additional controlled hunting opportunities do not count against the statewide bag limit. The antlerless deer muz-

zleloader season was added in October. The December bonus gun weekend, the early muzzleloader season at three public hunting areas (Salt Fork Wildlife Area, Shawnee State Forest and Wildcat Hollow), and urban hunting zones are discontinued. The fall wild turkey sea-

son begins on October 14, the Monday following the antlerless deer muzzleloader season. Butler, Delaware, Fairfield, Franklin, Hamilton, Huron, Seneca and Warren counties are added to the list of counties open for fall turkey hunt-

Deer and fall turkey permits will go on sale July 1.

Cottontail rabbit hunting restrictions are removed in the snowshoe hare protected area in Geauga and Ashtabula counties. Remaining snowshoe hares are still protected as a state-endangered species, and it remains illegal to kill them in Ohio.

Season dates and bag limits for migratory birds, including mourning dove, Canada goose, rail, moorhen, snipe, woodcock and waterfowl will be set in August in compliance with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's 2013-2014 framework.

CITY OF WOODBURN COUNCIL MEETING MIN-UTES 5/20/13

Meeting Minutes from May 20, 2013. Meeting called to order with the Pledge of Allegiance 7:00 pm. Mayor Hoeppner, Councilman Abbott, Renner, Voirol, Gerig, Treasurer Sarrazine, Superintendent Walls, and Chief Duhammel

were present.
POLICE CHIEF:

Chief Duhamell turned in his report. There have been 23 incidents within the city since the last council meeting. Woodburn Redents within the city since the last council meeting. Woodburn Reserve Officers have logged 62 hours on duty since May 1st. The Woodburn Emergency Plan – Phase 2 will be this Thursday at 7:00 p.m. There will be speakers from the Red Cross as well as the Department of Defense We are houring to Red Cross as well as the Department of Defense. We are hoping to have handouts from FEMA. Police Chief Duhamell has been looking into have a Woodburn Police Reserve sponsored Golf Cart Drag Race for the fall festival on October 19th.

AUDIENCE: AUDIENCE:

Resident wanted to let council know he did not want the Recy-cling program changed. Mayor explained services that had been explored to resident

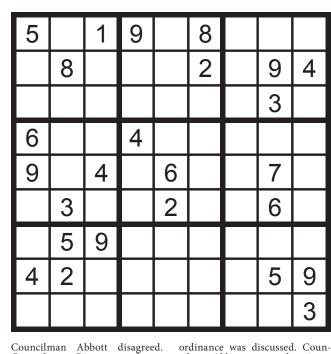
CITY ATTORNEY PROCTOR:

PROCTOR:

Mr. Proctor explained IC Codes which in his opinion gave the Clerk Treasurer the authority to increase the Deputy Clerks hours. Each Councilman present gave their opinion. Councilman Renner said his opinion was to go with making her full time. Councilman Gerig said his district wanted the office open. Councilman Voirol agreed with the Clerk treasurer increasing the Deputy Clerk to full time

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Sudoku Puzzle



Councilman Abbott disagreed. Councilman Rice was absent. There was no vote. Deputy Clerks hours will be from 7:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. with a 1 hour lunch from 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. MAYOR:

A resident has called about mosquitos. Mayor asked Super-intendent Walls to keep an eye on it. Gerig-Ottenweller was the only bidders on the Water Main Project on Main Street. Councilman Gerig moved to approve the \$296,250 contract with Gerig Ottenweller (no relation) dependent on the sale of the bonds. Councilman Renner 2nd, all approved, motion carried. The purchase of a new dump truck was discussed. Councilman Voirol made a motion to purchase the International dependent on sale of the bonds. Councilman Gerig 2nd, all approved, motion carried. ERS was contacted and sirens are now working. Mayor received a certi-fied letter from IDEM on violanew refuse contract.

TREASURER:

Warrants were presented, Councilman Voirol made a mo-tion to pay. Councilman Gerig 2nd, all approved, motion carried. Councilman Abbott made a motion to approve meeting minutes from May 6, 2013 with no changes. Councilman Voirol 2nd, all approved, motion carried. Grass cilman Abbott requested copies to UPERINTENDENT WALLS:

Answers on

Aerator ordered. Superinten-dent Walls will be on vacation next week. Pumps were installed to fix water wagon. Councilman Abbott made a motion for the city to pay for the pumps. Councilman Gerig 2nd, all approved, motion carried. Superintendent Walls is getting estimate on the drain at the gas station. Two Midland radios have been ordered at \$79.95 been ordered at \$79.95/pr.

COUNCILMAN ABBOTT:

Thank Superintendent Walls or the mayfly reduction. Thank the Mayor for getting the sirens

Councilman Rice: Absent COUNCILMAN RENNER: Flower planters look nice. **COUNCILMAN GERIG:**

Stump has been removed on Stenger/College. Charlie sprayed for dandelions at the Industrial Park. Councilman Gerig reported that Bob Zimmerman had showed him the sirens.

Councilman Voirol: No Re-

Councilman Renner made a motion to adjourn. Councilman Gerig 2nd. Meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m. Notes prepared by Holly Sarrazine, Clerk Treasurer.





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SUMMER ART CAMP FOR GROVER HILL STUDENTS



Students in Grover Hill Elementary are shown learning painting skills during the five-day summer art camp held with Art teacher Mallory Diamond. Art students include: Ashlynn Parrish, Katie Stoller, Mason Elliott, Eli

Stoller, Reid Miller, Claire Sinn, Alisa Elliott, and Tiffany Sinn. Pictured here are Wyatt Shelton and Mason Elliott painting on canvas.

Spinner, Miriam Sinn, Wyatt

Shelton, Cara Davis, Katrina

LATTA: RUSSIAN ADOPTION **BAN IS UNJUST**

Congressman Bob Latta (R-Bowling Green) sent a letter to Secretary of State John Kerry urging him to work with President Putin and the Russian Federal Assembly to ensure the reversal of the Russian adoption

The Russian government banned all adoptions in the United States late last year. Many adoptions were in the final stages of the adoption

process but have not been completed due to the ban.

"Families in Ohio are eager to open up their homes and hearts to these children. Many of these families have been to Russia and spent time and countless amounts of their hard earned resources to provide a home for these children," said Latta. "Banning U.S. adoptions is unjust - I will continue to work to bring attention to this important issue and towards the reversal of this



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The Village will supply rolloff waste containers for bulky items plus a separate container for Steel Only and Recycle bins for Paper, Cardboard, Plastic #1 and #2, Steel and Aluminum cans, Glass bottles and Computer Components. Batteries will also be taken.

Normal bulky waste that can be brought to the water plant would be considered anything that a person would take when moving from house to house. Carpet must be cut 6ft. wide pieces rolled, and tied in a bundle. Appliances such as washer/dryers, stoves, hot water heaters and microwaves will be taken. New this year, batteries will be taken and appliances with Freon Also, computers, printers, electronic items and cell phones. TIRES WILL BE TAKEN FOR A PRICE OF \$3.00 EACH FOR CAR AND LIGHT TRUCKS AND \$6.00 FOR SEMI TIRES THIS DAY ONLY. **DO NOT DROP TIRES AT ERIE RECYCLING CENTER**

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FARMERS MARKET SET TO OPEN WEDNESDAY

By: Beth Stauffer

After a brief reprieve from a busy Canal Days Festival, Schnelker Park, which is nestled in the heart of downtown New Haven between the New Haven Middle School Campus and the Broadway Street business district, is busy preparing this week for another fun summer event: the New Haven Farmers Market! The season Grand Opening will take place at Schnelker Park, 956 Park Avenue, New Haven, on Wednesday, June 19th from 4:00-7:00 p.m. Prepping for its 2nd sea-

son in New Haven, this year the market's organizers have partnered with the Fort Wayne Farmers Market association to give shoppers more choices when it comes to selecting the finest in local produce and quality handmade goods. New Haven's affiliation with the Fort Wayne Farmers Market has provided much needed awareness for the Wednesday night event at other Farmers Markets, such as Georgetown and Jefferson Pointe; the newfound relationship has also been beneficial to vendors, making it easy to register for several area farmers markets in one simple step.

According to Anna Gurney, Recreation Director for the New Haven Adams Township Parks and Recreation Department, the Wednesday night market is unique from other Farmers Markets in the area because of its quaint, Mayberry-esque setting nestled in Schnelker Park's pavilion amongst the shade trees and nearby gazebo and playground. The New Haven Farmers Market offers a fun shopping experience for the family that is sure to enhance the reputation of the community and area businesses.

This year, the market will again host local vendors, emphasizing those who have committed to being a consistent presence at the market each week. "Last year, we would have 14 vendors one week and the next week we might have six," said Gurney. "The majority of these vendors have committed to the season, and that's a really good thing."

"We feel there is a real need in the community for a farmers market," said Gurney, "We really want to enrich the culture in the community, and we want to keep the market in Schnelker Park, in the heart of downtown New Haven."

Several sponsors agree with Gurney that there is a real need for a farmers market in New Haven, including Parkview LiVe, a community outreach program which emphasizes lifelong habits for healthy living. With the help of sponsors like Parkview LiVe, the Parks Department has worked diligently to come up with many unique ideas to attract new shoppers to the Farmers Market on Wednesdays evenings from June 19th through October 16th.

One of those ideas is hosting a special 3rd Wednesday of the Month Arts & Crafts Market in addition to the Farmers Market, where the ratio of arts & crafts vendors will be higher than on a typical Wednesday. According to Gurney, most weeks they try to keep the vendors at the market selling local produce

and handmade goods at an 80% to 20% ratio. On the 3^{rd} Wednesday of the month, the ratio may be more like 50/50, said Gurney, adding that there will be some craft items available every week at the market. This Wednesday's Opening Night will also be the first Arts & Crafts Market of the season. Speaking of crafts, the

Parks Department will keep the Craft Shed open in Schnelker Park late every Wednesday during the summer for the little crafters in the family. The playground will also be open for business to entertain the little ones while the grown-ups peruse the vendor booths at the mar-Once again this year, Jim

Mohr will provide entertainment and host an Open Mic format over at the Gazebo every Wednesday night. Local musicians, poets, writers, and bands are welcome to show up and sign up to play on the Gazebo stage every Wednesday night during the Farmers Market from 4:00–7:00 p.m. Visitors to the Farmers

Market are also encouraged to plan to grab a bite to eat when they visit the park on Wednesday evenings this summer. Andy's Knock-Out Chicken will be available for purchase on opening night, along with an on-site food truck vendor from the Food Truck Association. As the season progresses, Gurney says she hopes to be able to include other local restaurants as vendors in the park.

"It is so exciting to see all of the planning and hard work that went into making this market become a reality," said Gurney during an interview on June 14th. "The Parks Department believes that the New Haven Farmers Market will enrich the community by providing a place for friends and neighbors to enjoy a meal, relax, and shop. We especially want to focus on shopping locally, so all of our produce and goods are either handmade by the person selling them or grown locally."

Each week will bring something new and exciting to the New Haven Farmers Market, according to Gurney, and she isn't referring to the fresh produce, handmade soaps, jewelry, pet treats, and baked goods. From hands-on nature education activities to non-profit displays and karate demonstrations, the Wednesday Night New Haven Farmers Market is the place to be from 4:00-7:00 p.m. For more information about the New Haven Farmers Market, contact the Parks Department office at 260-749-2212.

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ue to complaints about at large cats and dog in the village, the village is publishing excerpts from the following ordinance.

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or cat food or water on a regular basis for more

than 24 hours will be presumed to be the owner or keeper of the animal As a part of this ordinance, any person having control or charge of a dog, cat or other animal while away from such person's premises, shall

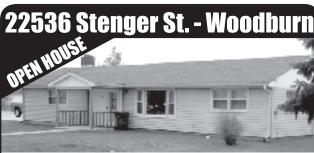
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neanor of the fourth degree for a second or

third offense, and a misdemeanor of the third

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PARKVIEW CANAL DAYS 5K 4 WELLNESS



The Parkview Canal Days 5K 4 Wellness Event was a successful event this year! Their were 168 runners and walkers. This was up significantly from last year. East Allen University had over 65 students participate, with several age level winners and their leader, P.E. Teacher, Bonnie Bonneli winning the female masters. St John's The Baptist Catholic School also had several participants with Alex Ebitino winning the overall female for ages 14 and under. The new addition of 5K 4 Wellness Raffle also played positive for both schools. EAU will be using their proceeds to buy exercise equipment for their wellness/fitness facility. Winners for EAU were \$500 Dr. Nance, \$200 Regina Miller, and \$100 to Pam Miller. St John's will be using their earnings for seasonal shading on their playground and a student nutrition enrichment program. St John's raffle win-

in the 5K 4 Wellness Raffle.

Individuals, businesses, and schools wanting to learn more about this event or wanting to participate next year can contact Mike Clendenen at 260-749-2212. Schools can call at 260-433-0024. This event was the second event of the 4 WELLNESS SUMMER SERIES put on by New Haven Parks Department. The third event is the Jury Kids Triathalon on July 13th and the fourth and final event is the Indiana Physical Therapy New Haven 10K on August 3rd. Registration for these events can take place at www.runrace.net or through the New Haven Parks Department. Race results are posted on newhavenbulletin. com and runindiana.com

NEW HAVEN FARMERS MARKET SET FOR SECOND SEASON. MORE SELECTION & ACTIVITIES FOR THE

The New Haven Farmers Market at Schnelker Park is about to kick off for the season! They have partnered with the Fort Wayne Farmers Market this year, giving shoppers more choices.

The New Haven Farmers Market is a wonderfully unique, family friendly experience unlike any other. The goal of this market is to bring

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fresh local produce, locally homemade prepared foods, and locally home-crafted goods to the families of the community. The market will include local vendors, local musicians, the Park Playground Recreation Program, and educational programs from the New Haven Moser Park Nature Center and displays from local non-profit

organizations. This park has a quaint, small town feel to it, as if you are taking a step back to the days when neighbors came out of their houses to visit with one another and

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ners were \$500 Jan Robinson, \$200 Janice Comito, and \$100 Tom Barkimer. Schools with a minimum of 10 registered participants could participate

children played outside, unaffected by the business of everyday life. Come downtown to the Market, shop local, and then stay for a while, play with your kids, eat dinner beneath the shade of mature trees and create memories to last a lifetime. Each week will bring

something different to the New Haven Farmers Market. In addition to freshly made and locally grown foods, there will be soaps, jewelry, pet treats, and other goodies. There are crafts for the kids, hands-on nature education activities, an open mike stage as well as live music provided by Jim and Sue Mohr, nonprofit displays, karate demonstrations, and so much more!

The opening night is also the kickoff for the once monthly Arts and Craft Market. The third Wednesday of each month shoppers can find an even greater selection of handmade items!

This exciting opening of the second season of New Haven Farmers Market will be Wednesdays, June 16 through October 19, 4:00-7:00 p.m. at Schnelker Park, 956 Park Ave., New Haven, IN 46774.

FSA COUNTY COMMITTEE NOMINATIONS START JUNE

The Acting State Executive Director for Ohio's Farm Service Agency (FSA), David Drake, announced that candidate nominations begin Monday for local Farm Service Agency (FSA) county committees. FSA is accepting nomination forms for eligible candidates to serve on the local FSA County Committees. The nomination period ends August 1, 2013.

"I urge all farmers and landowners to participate in this year's county committee elections by nominating candidates by the August 1 deadline," said Drake. "County committees are a vital link between the farm community and the U.S. Department of Agriculture and provide a voice to landowners and farmers so that they have an opportunity for their opinions and ideas to be heard.

FSA County Committees have an important role in the decision making process for commodity price support loans and payments, conservation and disaster programs and other important agricultural issues in their farming

Almost anyone participating or cooperating in a local FSA program may be a candidate. Individuals may nominate themselves or others. All nomination forms must be received in the County FSA office or postmarked by August 1. The nomination form is available at local FSA offices and online. Voting takes place between November 4th and December 2nd, 2013.

A producer is eligible to be a County FSA Committee member if the producer lives in the Local Administrative Areas (LAA) up for election, participates or cooperates in a program administered by FSA and is an eligible voter. Additional information about eligibility to hold office may be obtained at your local FSA

For more information about FSA county committees, visit your local FSA office or the FSA website at: http://www.fsa.usda.gov/elec-

OHSAA MEMBERSHIP APPROVES SEVEN OF NINE REFERENDUM ISSUES

Seven of the nine proposed Ohio High School Athletic Association con-stitution and bylaw revisions passed as voted upon by OHSAA member schools, Commissioner Daniel B. Ross, Ph.D., has announced. Highlighting the voting was approval of a significant change to the transfer bylaw, but a proposal to change how schools are placed into their tournament divisions for team sports failed for the third consecutive year.

Overall, changes were approved to two constitution items and five bylaw items. The change to the OHSAA transfer bylaw reduces the penalty for transfer from one year to the first 50 percent of the maximum allowable regular season contests in any sports in which the student participated the previous year. student participated the previous year and reduces the number of exceptions for immediate eligibility. This change, which will be applied both retroactively and prospectively, passed 346 votes to 288 and becomes effective June 1, 2013.

Highlighting the two bylaw issues that did not pass was a proposal to change how schools are assigned to tournament divisions in the team sports of football, soccer, volleyball, basket-ball, baseball and softball to address competitive balance. Rather than place sions based strictly on male or female enrollment, an adjusted enrollment count would have been used. The adwould have been derived by multiplying a sport specific factor by the number of students in grades 9 through 12 on each specific team roster whose parents reside outside the public school district or the attendance zone of the school, then adding that number to the original enrollment count. The competitive balance proposal failed 327 to 308 (51.5 percent to 48.5 percent). Other similar competitive balance proposals failed 339 to 301 (53 percent to 47 percent) in 2012 and 332 to 303 (52 percent to 48 percent) in 2012 and 332 to 303 (52 percent to 48 percent) in 2012 and 332 to 303 (54 percent). to 48 percent) in 2011. Approval of this year's proposed amendment would have been implemented in 2015.

"When this new proposal was placed on the ballot, we said at the time that the vote would come down to the wire, and it certainly did," Ross said, "It's disap-pointing that it did not pass because we believed this formula addressed the main issue to which schools voiced con-cern: the impact on athletic success by students on a school's team roster who are from outside that school's geographic boundary or attendance zone

"As everyone is aware, this is the third year in a row a competitive bal-ance proposal has been narrowly de-feated. I will be consulting with our Board of Directors to see what action, if any, we take next, but I anticipate at a minimum that a proposal on separate tournaments for public and non-public schools will again be placed on the ballot next spring via the petition process."

OHSAA tournaments to be conducted separately for public schools and non-public schools was removed from this year's ballot in late March when the OHSAA and the petition originator, together with representatives from his group, mutually worked to reach a resolution on the issue. It was replaced by the latest competitive balance proposal

the latest competitive balance proposal.

"I believe separation of our tournaments is not the best option," Ross added. "That being said, I also believe almost 50 percent of our member schools believe some type of change is needed, but no one seems to have the answer for what change would satisfy the most people. One thing seems pretty certain, though: this issue is not going to go away. It's something in which many, many other states are also strugding to many other states are also struggling to

many other states are also struggling to find an answer."

All nine 2013 proposals were placed up for referendum vote by the OHSAA Board of Directors. High school principals had between May 1 and 15 to cast their votes on eight of the issues, and one issue was voted upon by 7th and 8th grade principals. A simple majority is all that is required for a proposed amendment to be adopted.

amendment to be adopted.

The complete final voting results are available on the OHSAA website (ohsaa. org), and the 2013-14 OHSAA Constitution and Bylaws will be posted on the site sometime in late June or early July.

A Review of the Other 2013 OHSAA Referendum Issues: Constitution 5, Governance

- Changes the ex-officio member on the OHSAA Board of Directors from the Ohio Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association (OIAAA) to a representative of the OIAAA rather

than the president-elect. Effective date: August 1, 2013. 551 in favor; 85 opposed Constitution Article 8, Amendments to the Constitution and Bylaws

– In the event that a conflict would arise with Ohio state law or proposed legislative action that necessitates an immediate change in the bylaws or constitution, this change permits the Board to authorize an emergency petition for vote of the membership to change or modify a bylaw or article of the constitution. Ef-

fective date: August 1, 2013. 561 in favor; 75 opposed Bylaw 4-3, Enrollment and Atten-

dance – Adds a note preceding Section 3 to clarify enrollment status; amends exception 7 of Bylaw 4-3-1 to note that students who attend STEM schools are also subject to the transfer bylaws, and modifies Bylaw 4-3-2 to make it clear that the bylaw applies only to the ap-plication of the semester bylaws within this section and also clarifies that a student is still considered to have trans-ferred whenever his or her enrollment is changed to another high school, even if the student has not been officially with-drawn from the former high school. Ef-fective date: June 1, 2013.

557 in favor, 79 opposed
Bylaw 4-6-3, Residence – Adds
language that would permit the Commissioner's Office to grant eligibility to
a student who moves into Ohio with an

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Natashia Overmyer and Robert Winslow, both of Antwerp, would like to announce their upcoming wedding.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Barbie and Pete Wales of Antwerp, and John and Jenny Peffley of New Haven, IN. She is a 2006 graduate of Antwerp High School and is currently employed by Taylor Made Systems in

The groom-elect is the son of Bob and Pam Winslow of Antwerp. He is a 2006 graduate of Antwerp High School and is currently employed by Taylor Made Systems in Payne.

The couple have two children: Kayden and Rylan. They will exchange vows on June 22, 2013 at the Antwerp United Methodist Church.

individual who has had legal custody of the student for more than one year and the parents do not reside in Ohio. The student would not be eligible until ruled so by the Commissioner's Office. This also adds another exception that addresses an unusual situation in which a United States citizen, who is precluded from obtaining a J-1 visa due to his or her U.S. citizenship, cannot study in the United States for one year when the parents are not U.S. citizens and live outside the United States. This exception would permit just one year of participation in interscholastic athletics. Effective August 1, 2013.

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562 opposed; 71 in favor
Bylaw 4-9, Recruiting – This proposal would have permitted open houses
to take place in specified facilities other
than just the high school campus.
324 opposed; 309 in favor
Bylaw 4-10, Amateur – Modifies
the bylaw by permitting students to
receive travel expenses to competitions
from sponsors that are not connected

with their school. Effective date: June

460 in favor; 171 opposed Bylaw 4-4-5, Scholarship (7th-8th Grade Issue) – Adds exceptions 1 and 2 to this scholarship bylaw to track the same provisions that are found in the high school scholarship bylaw (waiver for a student who has been withdrawn of removed from school due to accident, illness or family hardship; ability to restore eligibility when an 'incomplete' has been received in one or more courses due to calamity days, family tragedy or illness/accident and the 'incomplete is recorded in accordance with board policy). Effective date: August 1, 2013.

347 in favor; 183 opposed 823 high school ballots were mailed. 667 ballots were returned including 4 invalid and 27 past the deadline (81

percent)
765 7th-8th grade ballots were mailed,
369 ballots were returned including 4
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