



INDIANA MOURNS LOSS OF STATE REP. PHYLLIS POND

State Representative Phyllis Pond (R- New Haven) passed away on Sunday, September 22, 2013 at 6:34 p.m. after being diagnosed with pulmonary fibrosis in early September.

Rep. Pond was elected to the state legislature in 1978 and was the longest serving female state representative in the history of Indiana. She was also the first female lawmaker to earn a seat in the front row in the House Chamber, which is reserved for House leaders or representatives with the most seniority.

The calling and funeral arrangements will be held

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SCRAPATHON AT COOPER COMMUNITY LIBRARY

The Oakwood Area Scrapbookers will be hosting a Scrapathon September 27-29 in the Community Room of the Cooper Community Branch Library, branch of Paulding County Carnegie Library. We would like to invite all fellow scrapbookers to join us. The hours for the event are Friday 5:00-10:00 p.m., Saturday 9:00-10:00 a.m., and Sunday 1:00-5:00 p.m. You are responsible for bringing your own food and drink. Call the library, 419-594-3337 to sign up. Space is limited so reserve your spot. You do not have to be committed to the entire weekend to join us.

ALL ACPL LIBRARIES CLOSED FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 2013 FOR STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY

All Locations of the Allen County Public Library will be closed Friday, September 27, 2013 for Staff Development Day. All locations will be open regular hours Saturday, September 28, 2013.

The Staff of the Allen County Public Library will be participating in Staff Development Training on Friday, September 27, 2013. Regular library hours for all locations will be observed Saturday, September 28, 2013.

TWO FROM THE "OLD SCHOOL" SET TO RETIRE



A letter to our patients:

On November 26th, Arlene and I will be finishing our course in the practice of medicine. We feel blessed to have practiced in the best of times our county has known, especially in view of things currently on the medical horizon. However, I must say that it seems a bit unfair that after all these years of training, just as Arlene was beginning to understand and master her responsibilities, that now I must turn her out to pasture. That is how it goes.

On a serious side, I want to say two things. The first is

to say what a privilege it has been to care for all of you... not only caring for your physical ailments, but also for being allowed to share a slice of life with you. Many of you have become dear friends and have blessed us in many ways. There is an element of deep sadness for we feel like we are saying "goodbye" to people we love.

And secondly... I want to say something to my faithful nurse of 37 years. Arlene, as I have teased you unmercifully in front of our patients, I want to say something else before them all. You are the most kind, gentle, patient, compas-

sionate, and competent nurse I've ever known. I know of no equal, and I've desired no other help. Thank you... well done.

As you get settled with another physician, you may pick up your records at the office. If you call ahead, we will try to have them ready. After 11-26, Paulding County Hospital has graciously consented to become custodian of the charts, and they will assist you in accessing your medical records.

Arlene and I thank you for the memories of friendship and trust.

Sincerely,
Doc Miller

MARTINI LUTHERAN TO HOST HOG ROAST

Martini Lutheran Church in New Haven, IN, is celebrating our 160th anniversary of sharing the Good News of Jesus in our community this year. Join us for a wonderful home-cooked meal and chance to visit with your neighbors! The Hog Roast will be held on November 3, 2013, from 4:00-6:00 p.m. at Central Lutheran School. The school is located at 1400 Elm Street, New Haven, IN. The menu will include Pulled Pork, Sauerkraut, Choice of Sides and Homemade Pie. For more information call 260-580-3964. This event will be sponsored by Thrivent Financial for Lutherans. The proceeds from this meal will be used to support Martini's Family Education Fund.



BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Grayson Adam Hatlevig is the name Jami Akers and Brock Hatlevig have named their son that was born August 15, 2013 at 11:48 p.m. Grayson weighed 7 lb. 4 oz. and was 21 1/2 inches long. He is welcomed home by his brother, Avery.

Grandparents are Alvin and Debbie Bowers of Monroeville, IN and Curtis and Vicky Hatlevig of Antwerp, OH. Great-grandparents are Rita Williams and the late Ervin Williams, and Delores and Al Schmidt all of New Haven, IN, and Joyce Lisser and the late Elmer Lisser of Albany, WS.

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OBITUARIES

DEFIANCE:



Helen M. Sigley, age 76 died Friday, September 20, 2013 at the Laurels of Defiance.

She was born December 5, 1936 in Paulding, Ohio the daughter of Frank and Elizabeth (Keim) Eiserle. She retired in 1999 from Park Center, Ft. Wayne, IN. She was a member of Divine Mercy Catholic Parish, Paulding. She attended the Institute of Medical Technology, Cleveland, Ohio. She was a certified medical tech, and a lab tech for Stokley's of Paulding, and Dinner Bell, Defiance. She was a 1981 graduate of Defiance College majoring in accounting. She worked for River Region of Jacksonsville, Florida before returning to Paulding, Ohio, where she worked and retired from Park Center of Ft. Wayne, IN. She was also a 4-H Leader and Girl Scout Leader. She fought and won a courageous battle with breast cancer.

She is survived by three children: Diana (Bill) Shuler, Defiance, Michael (Marjorie) Sigley, Toledo, and Robert (Brenda Oliver) Sigley, Defiance; two brothers, Paul (Jackie) Eiserle, Paulding, and David (Debbie) Eiserle, Ft. Wayne; grandchildren: Brandi (Aaron Berry) Froelich, and

Bryan (Lisa Ward) Froelich, both of Defiance; Christina Sigley, Charleston, SC, Matthew (Sara) Sigley, Deshler, OH, Caroline (Mike) Sigley, Arlington, VA, James (Ashley) Sigley, Bryan, OH, and Nicole Sigley, Defiance; great grandchildren: Serenity, Kamdyn, Timothy, Lillian, Sophia, Desmond, Trinity, and Jonathon; and mother figure to Barbara (Rick) Watkins-Jones of Liberty Center, OH.

She is preceded in death by her parents; and a brother, Kenneth Eiserle.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be conducted 10 AM Wednesday, September 25 at Divine Mercy Catholic Parish. Burial will follow in Live Oak Cemetery, Paulding, OH.

Visitation will be 4-8PM Tuesday, September 24 at Den Herder Funeral Home, Paulding, with a Wake Service at 7:30PM.

Donations may be made to Alzheimer's Foundation or the Susan G. Koleman Foundation.

Online condolences may be sent to www.denherderfh.com

PAYNE:



Marietta Ruth Riley, age 74 died Thursday, September 19, 2013 at Parkview Regional Medical Center, Ft. Wayne, IN.

She was born December 13, 1938 in Ft. Wayne, Indiana, the daughter of Orville E. and Inez E. (Snook) Long. On June 28, 1959 she married Carl L. Riley Jr. She was a registered nurse; owner/operator of PNF Pet Products, Paulding, Ohio; ZIVI Bear

Samoyed; and Buckeye Samoyed Rescue. She was a member of United Methodist Church; United Methodist Women; Church Food Bank; Northeast Indiana Kennel Club of Indiana; and Samoyed Club of America.

She is survived by her husband, Carl Riley, Payne; three brothers, Donald E. (Martha J.) Long, Livingston, TX, Ralph E. Long, Antwerp, and Timothy Long, Ft. Wayne, IN; and many nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her parents; a sister, Sharon Long, and stepmother, June Long.

Funeral services will be conducted 11 AM Tuesday, September 24 at St. Paul United Methodist Church, Payne, with Rev. David Rohrer officiating. Burial will follow in Lehman Cemetery, Payne.

Visitation will be 2 - 8PM Monday, September 23 at Den Herder Funeral Home, Paulding, and one hour prior to services at the church on Tuesday.

Donations may be made to Samoyed Club of America or Purdue University Veterinary Department.

Online condolences may be sent to www.denherderfh.com

ANTWERP,

Leilani Lloyd, 76, of Antwerp, passed away Monday, September 23, 2013 at home.

Leilani was born in Fort Wayne on August 20, 1937, a daughter of the late Alice (Harshbarger) and Frank Schibley.

She worked at Taylor Made Glass, Payne & was a member of Divine Mercy Catholic Parish.

On Feb. 14, 1953 she married William Lloyd.

Leilani will be sadly missed by her husband, Bill; daughters Elizabeth (Jeff) Dunstan of Antwerp & Christina (Mark) Hamlin of Fremont, IN; 9 grandchildren & 9 great grandchildren.

She was also preceded in death by her son Mark & brothers, Richard, Olen & Butch Schibley.

Her Mass of Christian Burial will be at Divine Mercy Catholic Church, Monroe Street, Antwerp on Thursday, Sept., 26, 2013 at 10 am.

Viewing is at Wednesday, 3-7pm with a vigil service at 7:00 pm at Dooley Funeral Home, Antwerp, where viewing is also Thursday, 9-9:30 am.

Memorials are for Masses.

Condolences and fond memories may be shared at www.dooleyfuneralhome.com sent to www.denherderfh.com

*Phyllis Pond
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at the Emmanuel Lutheran Church in New Haven and will be made open to the public. Time and date are still being determined by the Pond family.

Cards can be sent to Rep. Phyllis Pond's family at 8530 Seiler Road, New Haven, IN 46774.

"The State of Indiana mourns the loss of a leader and a friend to all Hoosiers.

Phyllis was a revered colleague, a strong voice for her district and a compassionate conservative who always stood by her principles," said House Speaker Brian C. Bosma (R-Indianapolis).

Prior to being elected to the legislature, Rep. Pond worked as a kindergarten teacher. Based on this experience, she authored the Primetime Education Bill which capped kindergarten through third grade classroom sizes at 18. During her 35 years of service in the House, she was also instrumental in crafting many other key pieces of legislation to improve the livelihood and education of Hoosier students.

Reminiscent of her days in the classroom, for her last few years as a legislator, Rep. Pond cast her votes with a ruler. This allowed her to vote without reaching across the desk to push the buttons - an idea which she couldn't believe took her 30 years to think of.

She was also very passionate about giving back to those who have served our country. During the holidays, she always encouraged people to send cards and words of encouragement to the service men and women fighting overseas. To her, it was the least she could do to say thank you and show her support.

"Phyllis has been a steadfast leader in our caucus and has forged a new path for women legislators in Indiana. Her dedication and service will continue to be fondly remembered by all. She will undoubtedly be missed," said Speaker Bosma.

The House of Representatives will honor Rep. Phyllis Pond on Organization Day, November 19th in the House Chamber. At that time, her name will be added to the "In Memory Of" plaque that is displayed in the House Chamber that lists legislators who have died while serving the citizens of Indiana in the House of Representatives.

ELVIS CHRISTMAS SHOW AT BOB'S RESTAURANT

It's Christmas time at Bob's Restaurant in Woodburn, IN. Elvis (Matt Scott) will be there for three fun-filled shows. On Saturday, November 2nd he will be there to sing some of his great hits and Christmas songs. Choose either the noon show or the 6:00 p.m. show. On Sunday, November 3rd he will be there at 5:00 p.m. to sing some of his favorite Gospel and Christmas songs.

Call Bob's at 260-632-5233 for more information and to choose your show(s). A delicious meal will be served at all shows.

SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK

"Not only that, but we rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope," *Romans 5:3-4 ESV*

STYKEMAIN RELOCATES TO NEW FACILITY, CELEBRATES WITH CONTEST



Jim Stykemain stands with Dianne Jones representing the Paulding Chamber of Commerce

In serious need of remodeling, the dealership building downtown was in disrepair. The Stykemain Family Dealership stepped in and fulfilled the need.

The building project location north of Paulding on US 127 was decided several years ago and officially started two years ago. The GM dealership meets all the standards set forth for new design that all General Motors Dealers will have to comply with soon.

The facility will save time and safety for workers by not needing to cross a US highway to get from the body shop to the sales department. The new location puts all of the Stykemain offerings in one location including sales, repair and body shop.

One of the old Stykemain buildings located near the courthouse was sold to the village of Paulding for housing the village vehicles. The

parking lot next to Hometown Pizza was sold to the county to be used for courthouse parking. The other building was sold for a new business named the Penguin Peddler.

The new 21,000 square foot facility houses nine lifts in the drive-in work bay area and a new laser line-up machine to assist in much quicker and more accurate vehicle alignments.

The Stykemain Chevy Dealership has been in Paulding County for the past 11 years. The Stykemain family have been in the automobile business since 1953.

"We are going to be giving away a brand new Chevrolet Spark," stated Jim Stykemain, who is very much looking forward to the official Open House at the end of October. Keep reading the West Bend News to follow the details of how you might be the big winner!

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Ulrik Jan Zijlstra was born on September 20, 2013 at 1:26 a.m. at Community Memorial Hospital, Hicks Memorial, OH. He weighed 5 lb. 14 oz. and was 19 inches long. He was welcomed home by his siblings: Ilse, Alex, Anneliese, and Lily. His proud parents are Jan and Hillary Zijlstra of Antwerp. Proud grandparents are Jeanne and Ken Mathias of Burgoon, OH, Bill Bordner of Fremont, OH, and Leo and Sjiewke Zijlstra of Antwerp, OH. Proud great-grandparent is Mary Bordner of Green Springs, OH.

So, you like reading the West Bend News? Call or Stop on in and let us know.

In Memory of Bill Huff who passed away Sept. 27, 2011.

Death changes everything. Time changes nothing. We still miss the sound of your voice, the wisdom in your advice, the stories of your life, and just being in your presence. So no, time changes nothing. We miss you as much today as we did the day you died. We just miss you!

*Luella Huff
Brenda & Danny Thomas & family
Carole & Ray Murray & family*

Ladies and Gentlemen!! Boys and Girls!!
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PAULDING ELEMENTARY STUDENT ELECT STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS



Pictured here are the newly elected members of the Paulding Elementary Student Council. Front row from left to right: Sydney Reineck, Baylee March, Maggie Manz, Marissa Dobbelaere-Rosalez. Back row: Luke McCullough, Molly Adams, Caleb Manz, Gabe Sutton.

ANTWERP CUB SCOUTS TO ATTEND "DELIVER THE PROMISE"

The Antwerp Cub Scouts will be attending our district event "Deliver the Promise" at Camp Lakota in Defiance on Saturday, September 28. You do not have to be a Cub Scout to participate. We would like to invite anyone interested in Cub Scouting to join us for this fun event. Boys will get to experience fun camp activities such as archery, BB guns, Fishing, tower climbing, row boats, water rockets, and more! We will meet at the Antwerp United Methodist Church at 11:00 a.m. and plan to return around 4:30 p.m. Parents should plan on

attending with their child so that we have adequate supervision and enough drivers. Please bring a packed lunch (or there will be food available to purchase at the camp).

Our next Cub Scout meeting will be Sunday, October 6, at 2:30 p.m., at the Antwerp United Methodist Church. We will be painting pumpkins to donate to Vancrest Assisted Living to use in their fall decorating. Any boys in 1st through 5th grade interested in joining Cub Scouts can join us! We do ask that parents plan on attending at least the first half-hour of the meeting. If you have any questions about Cub Scouting in Antwerp, contact Doris Hawley at 260-348-1093 or by email: dorishawley72@gmail.com.

FLAT ROCK CREEK FALL FESTIVAL - ROCKS!!

Friday, September 20th kicked off the annual fall festival in Paulding. Kind of a soggy start to the weekend didn't seem to deter fair goers from enjoying the sights and aromas of the season. Many vendors had their displays and wares ready for spectators. All were friendly and helpful. Like Creamy Dreamy Soap Co. who told me the difference between goats' milk lotion, coconut lotion and the lotion and oil sticks. Great products!

Then there was Spittin' Image entertaining and leaving the listeners in stitches!

"Always follow a gospel song with a drinkin' song to keep the listeners on their toes!"

In the craft barns there was a wide array of craftiness—jewelry, handmade and other hair pretties and kids cloth books, kitchen towels and vintage Tupperware. Victoria Walters had her creations—Vicci's Little Critters. These cuties were hand-crafted by this talented lady. They take anywhere from two to six hours to complete, "The moose's ears take a while to get right."

Tractors and steam engines were a specialty at this festival. Several of the vendors all had their collections on display.



LWML EAST ZONE FALL RALLY AT MARTINI

"Lord of the Harvest" is the theme of the fall rally of the Fort Wayne East Zone of the LWML (Lutheran Women in Mission). The rally will be held Saturday, October 5, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. at Martini Lutheran Church, 333 Moeller Road, New Haven. Registration and breakfast begin at 8:30 a.m. The special speaker of the morning will be Ellen Mann who has served on mission trips to Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. She will share her love for the children there, and the needs of the Ethiopian Evangelical Church Mekane Yesus. The ingathering at the rally will be a love offering for this ministry. The pre-registration deadline is September 30; contact your congregation's LWML representative, or phone Elaine Nahrwold, zone officer, at 260-632-4107 to pre-register.

PHS TO HOST BEER & FOOD PARING EVENT

The John Paulding Historical Society is introducing a new event! A Beer and Food Paring will be held on Saturday, October 5th from 7:00 - 10:00 p.m. in Barn Two at the museum located across from the fairgrounds at 600 Fairgrounds Drive, Paulding, OH.

There will be eight tables offering three different beers to sample per table, plus food to compliment the beer. The event is made possible by local businesses and agencies that have paid a sponsorship fee for the table. The food is being provided by Brian Martin of Puckerbrush Pizzeria. There will also be live music by Josh Denning's band Corduroy Road.

For more information, please contact Kim Sutton at 419-399-2388; Ashley Doctor at 419-406-0911; or Puckerbrush Pizzeria at 419-263-2626.

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This class is perfect for physical therapists, physical therapy assistants, occupational therapists, certified occupational therapy assistants, and athletic trainers. For more information visit www.cmhosp.com or contact HealthFit at 419-542-5680.

PAULDING COUNTY GEOGRAPHY PROJECT



As part of their geography unit, the Wayne Trace Payne Elementary 6th grade students in Mrs. Brenneman's social studies class recently completed a Seasonal Scavenger Hunt in which they had to discover and document evidence of the changing seasons.

SUPERHERO 5K STRIDES FOR SCHOLARSHIPS AT PCH



The theme was "Superhero" for this year's Strides for Scholarships 5K that was held at the Paulding County Hospital campus. The event had 27 kids racers and 79 adult runners. The county school with the most participation won an extra \$500 scholarship, and it was Wayne Trace Schools for the third year in a row! Look for more winners in upcoming issue of West Bend News!

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month

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JUST ANOTHER SODOMITE

By: Regan Clem, Riverside Christian Church

I don't understand why nations in the Old Testament didn't just help the poor and needy. It's so easy to not be under God's judgment.

Why didn't they just tell them, "Get a better paying job."

Or "Go get an education if you want to make more than minimum wage and have enough money to live on. You understand that raising minimum wage would just make everything cost more."

Or "I can't just give you a handout because that would be enabling you."

Or "If you want health care, you should probably go and get a job that provides it. It's not a right that you should be taken care of when you are sick."

Or "We wouldn't be able to keep you safe with all of our military spending unless we cut spending on the food we give to you."

It's easy to help the poor. I just wonder why the nations that received God's judgment didn't see the easy solutions we have come up with these days.

"Behold, this was the guilt of your sister Sodom: she and her daughters had pride, excess of food, and prosperous ease, but did not aid the poor and needy," Ezekiel 16:49 (ESV).

Or maybe we're just Sodomites too?

After talking with a friend who read this article before

publishing, I guess I should clarify.

The point isn't to be inspired to say what the poor can do to help themselves. The point is to be inspired to ask ourselves what we can do to love the poor. All too often we would like the easy path of dictating to others what they should do rather than living sacrificially to love others.

God didn't judge nations who didn't help the poor and needy because they didn't give good advice to the poor and needy. He judged them because they didn't actually help the poor and needy.

The only reason we don't have people destitute and starving to death all around us is because of the social programs we have as a society. A minimum wage worker relies on these programs to survive.

The solution is to either have companies pay living wages or to keep the social programs in place. But to fight against living wages and against the social programs is something a Christian should not do. That would be unloving to the poor and needy. Unless we are willing and able to take up the slack. If we aren't willing to take up the slack, it's not too Christlike of us to actually fight against the poor and needy receiving the help that they need.

As for what you should do, I can't give you particulars. I can say this though. If we define "love" as being "not loving", then we make it very easy for us to feel like we are loving even when we are not.

That is what I was addressing. We can disagree all day

on how to actually love. But if we are actually trying to do something about it, seeking God's will in the matter, rather than justifying away our desire to not love, then we are heading in the right direction.

Although I do believe that we all may be into sodomy a little too much. That's the Ezekiel definition of sodomy where we see that the reason Sodom was judged was because they didn't love the poor and needy. We have more in common with the Sodomites than we would like to admit.

You can read more of Regan's writings at www.reganravings.blogspot.com or stop in to worship God with him and his church family on Sundays at 10:30 a.m. at Riverside Christian Church. Located at the corner of 192 & SR 49.

BIBLE QUESTIONS

By: James Potter, Oakwood Church of Christ

1. Luke 9:18 - Who was with Christ while He was praying?

2. Luke 9:18 - Where were the disciples or Apostles?

3. Luke 9:18 - What was the question Christ asked the apostles?

4. Luke 9:19 - Whom is Christ to you?

5. Luke 9:20 - Who did the apostles say Jesus was?

6. Luke 9:21 - Why did Christ tell the Apostles to tell no one who He was?

7. Luke 9:22 - Why is Christ now telling the disciples or Apostles about His suffering and death?

8. Luke 9:22 - What is the most convincing proof that Jesus is the Messiah?

9. Luke 9:23-24 - In preparing themselves for preaching what were the Apostles to do?

10. Luke 9:27 - What is the kingdom of God in this verse?

Jesus loves you and so does the Oakwood church of Christ.

Answers to last week's Bible questions:

1. Send them away;
2. Lodging and provisions;
3. Give them something to eat;
4. They have five loaves and two fish.;
5. Buy food for the people;
6. Trust Him;
7. Have faith;
8. To have people organized;
9. To have faith in our prayers;
10. There is enough

and plenty left over. Now for some comments on what we have been studying:

In these verses we see that Christ is praying alone. After prayer we see that Christ is talking with the disciples about the great things that pertain to the kingdom of God. V18 tells us Christ was alone in prayer to the Father. Christ asked a question: "Whom do people say I am?" The disciples said that people were saying He was John the Baptist, who had been beheaded just before this, or Elias, or one of the old prophets. By Christ teaching and training the disciples, they knew that Christ was the anointed, that He was truly God's son. Yes, Christ is the messiah that was spoken of through the pages of the Old Testament. In the rest of these verses Christ tells the disciples about His sufferings, death, and resurrection.

My prayer is that you would continue to pray, read and study, the Bible, for this is where the truth is! Ol' Baldy says bye for now! Luv ya!

WHY? CHANGING GOD'S WORD? PART 1 OF 3

By: Rev. Ernie Johnson

Genesis 2:16-17 NASB, "The Lord God commanded the man, saying, 'From any tree of the garden you may eat freely; but from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat from it you will surely die.'"

God told the man not to eat from the tree, (verses 21 and 22), then He formed Eve. This raises an interesting question, "Who changed God's Word?" It also demonstrates what God said later in Scripture when He said not to add to His Word nor take away from it (Deuteronomy 4:2; 12:32, Proverbs 30:6, Revelation 22:18-19). Genesis 3:3 tells us Eve "added to" God's word when she said they were not to touch the fruit. Reading the above scripture reveals that is not what God said.

The question now becomes, "Who told Eve not to eat from the tree?"

God told the man, Adam, not to eat before Eve was formed, therefore she must have been told after Adam was told. Was it Adam given the responsibility to instruct her about the tree? If so, did he add to what God said? If God told Eve it is quite unlikely He would have told her differently than He instructed Adam. No matter if God or Adam instructed her, if Eve added to God's words when tempted by Satan, she was guilty of the sin. However, if Adam had the responsibility, the question becomes much different. Did the man add to what God said, or did Eve add to what Adam told her? If Adam added words then he becomes guilty of irresponsible teaching.

Most assume God told both of them at the same time; however, this does not appear likely. Scripture shows God had created only the man when He commanded him not to eat from the tree. (Gen. 2:16) It is quite possible that God gave Adam the responsibility of instructing Eve because He had created the man first.

Rather than trying to assign the blame to either Adam or Eve, perhaps it

would be better to look at the danger of changing God's word. When Eve changed what God had said it gave Satan maneuvering room and he took full advantage of it. He still uses the same tactics today, placing just enough truth in his lies to make them believable.

Third, she believed the lie. Three fatal mistakes, and sadly we still do that today.

Eve's first mistake, she argued with Satan. That is always a mistake for he knows Scripture far better than we ever will, and he is a master of deceit. Claim the power of God and allow Him to argue with Satan for you, it then becomes a very short argument.

Second, she added to God's command, but only slightly. She quoted God as saying, "You shall not eat from it or touch it, or you will die." (NASB) God never said, "do not touch it", only not to eat it. Eve's problem arose when God's command was changed, not because of who she did or did not listen to.

Third, she believed Satan's lie. He always puts enough truth in his lies to make them believable. Satan does not dress in a red suit with a pitchfork and a point-

ed tail; in fact, the Bible tells us he disguises himself as an angel of light (2 Corinthians 11:14). The promise that she would "become like God" is the lie. The "truth" in the lie was that she would know "good and evil". She did discover the difference but at the cost of her relationship with God. She did not die instantly, but death entered the world at that point.

Next issue: Adam blamed for Eve sin.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Beware if you hire Brett Electric! I had him come out and look into installing a yard light. He described that he would go under the house and come out to it that way—I assumed to put on its own fuse. Well, here comes two men who knew nothing of going under the house but thought of a quicker way to do it and told me they could go under ground and to the porch—well, I asked that they go back to the foundation and along that way as I thought it would not catch feet or cut wire and assumed that it would be put in conduit. Well, they cut across the ivy bed and only a few feet is underground, the other part is just laying on top of ivy that they tore up. While they were installing the light the TV went off as well as some lights in the house, so now I know it must be connected into fuse box. Get the bid and the way he is to do it in writing!

When I picked up the evening newspaper off the porch,

his bill was there and about two hours later, Brett appeared at the door asking if I got the bill. I said, "Yes, but I want to see the light come on at dark and off at dawn."

He said, "I can show you it will." But I insisted that I wanted to see it in the evening. Next day, when someone came to the house I told them he must be hurting for money and so I chose to send him the check—which I did. I do not like to owe money. Well, a day or so later I was upset how the ivy looked and discovered they went across the bed and wire was on top of ground and not in conduit. I called Brett and wrote him also. He, on the phone, was very insulting and said, "You approved because you paid me." I tried to explain I thought he must have needed the money pretty badly as I have never had a bill put on the porch a couple hours after work done, but when I went out, I was not satisfied with it on top of the ground as I trim in there with electric clippers or could catch my foot and fall. He very smartly said, "I will come and put it under ground but it will cost you."

Well, after \$300.00, I thought I deserved to have the job done right. Since being installed, about four different people have seen the work and agreed with me it was shabbily done, but let me tell you we have all kinds of offices in Paulding being created and most we have no idea what they do as we have not seen much progress around and this is a town who does not have electrical inspectors so watch hiring Brett Electric!

—Deloris Whirrett

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PAULDING COUNTY CHAPTER OF OHIO GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY "MESS ON THE DESK"



With a brief time off during the summer months, the PCCOGS meetings are now monthly again with some interesting guest speakers on the roster. September 11th meeting, our program consisted of "Clear the Mess on the Desk" by Kelli Bergheimer.

She says it's easy. But by the looks of this desk, is it? Kelli offered 7 Steps to Success:

1. Scan, attach, and file documents known as "sure pile"
2. Scan and file "need to attach file"
3. Scan and file "not sure pile"
4. Photo storage
5. Research trip binders
6. Cousin notebook
7. Backup Solutions

Common Filing: Use ABC dividers, file by last name only, no sub-alphabetizing saves time. Prepare printouts or records collected & highlight the "must see" resources. Set up notebooks with dividers by county or by archive. Track what you looked at, found, copied and citation information. Create file boxes to hold your sorted documents & photos. **Cousin Notebook:** Create one for cousins so that they will receive shared updates.

Photo storage: Scan all photos, sort and attach to your family tree, then file in appropriate acid-free folders or page protectors. Research

binder: Contains area maps marked with places you researched, divided by County or archive. **Backup Solutions:** External hard drive, online backup, give passwords and account information to someone trustworthy, DVD's and who will take care of your archive of papers & photos.

A limited meeting followed with 17 members and 2 guests. President Terri Gorney noted October 9th, the 6:30 p.m. meeting on ground level at the Paulding Co. Library will feature Kathy Carrier's "Keepsake Threads" with customized quilts, pillows and bears. Dismissal at 8:00 p.m.

ATTENTION: 1st Families and Century Families of Paulding County, Pioneers & Ancestors can be recognized with a Paulding County "Certificate of Recognition." Applications are accepted all year long, 2013 deadline is October 1, 2013. A new round of Family ancestors will qualify in 2014. Proof is needed they were living in Paulding County in 1914 or before. They do not need to be born in Paulding County.

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SINGLE MOTHERS & WIDOWS FREE AUTO CLINIC

First Friends Church at 210 South Franklin St. in Van Wert will be providing a FREE Auto Clinic for area single mothers and widows on Saturday, September 28th. This is a part of First Friends Church's ministry of being "A Church with Heart, Caring for Our Communities".

"We will do a free oil change and a multi-point inspection to help area single mothers and widows prepare for the upcoming winter weather-driving season," shared Pastor Paul Hamrick. Area single moms and widows must pre-register by Thursday, September 26th by calling Pastor Paul Hamrick at 419-771-9378 to have the correct oil, filters, and schedule a time for their oil change.

Many area single moms and widows are struggling financially and in this small way, the generous people of First Friends Church and area friends share the love of Jesus. The Lord has richly blessed First Friends Church this year and they believe that to be blessed; you must first be a blessing to others. Over the years, we have saved single moms and widows, thousands of dollars in car care costs stated Pastor Paul.

"We might not be a big church but we are a friendly, caring, and growing church that believes in a big God,"

shares Pastor Paul. The people of First Friends Church believe in being the CHURCH not just going to church. We are looking for a few good men and women that believe as we do "that Jesus Christ cares for the hurting and struggling and we are to do the same in practical ways."

"It is easy to say we care but our actions speak much louder than words," shares Pastor Paul. First Friends Church has seen God perform many miracles of healings and dozens of family and friends lives transformed by the love of God this past year. If you do not have a home church that you regularly attend, Pastor Paul would invite you visit First Friends Church on Sunday mornings at 10:30 a.m. to celebrate with us the power of a God who transforms lives with His Love.

Another new outreach ministry of First Friends Church to area single moms and widows is "The Mr. Fix-it Program". Area single moms and widows, who need minor repairs on their homes, should call Pastor Paul Hamrick at 419-771-9378 to schedule a time to inspect their project.

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TRINITY IN CONCERT AT MANDALE CHURCH OF CHRIST IN CHRISTIAN UNION FOR HOMECOMING

The Mandale Church of Christ in Christian Union will be hosting local gospel singing group *Trinity* for the church's annual Homecoming Celebration on September 29, 2013. The group will be performing a sample of their songs during the 10:30 a.m. service and a full concert at 1:00 p.m. The day will also include a carry-in dinner following the AM service along with a cornhole tournament after the concert. The church is located at 2820 St. Rt. 66 in Cloverdale, OH.

Trinity has recently celebrated its 30th year of music ministry. Through the years they have shared a wide variety of Christian music, but have turned its focus towards Southern Gospel over the last twenty years. Vocalists for the group are Gary Adams, Cheryl Burk and Kim Mason.

The group recently released their newest project under the Willowood label. This new CD is entitled "Milestones" and features some southern gospel hits as well as some wonderful new songs. Trinity's last three projects have been produced by Dove Award Winning songwriter, John Darin Rowsey. ("Milestones", "Welcome Home and "Heaven Is Real") Trinity has also had the privilege of working with Roger Talley on their first four recordings, ("He's the Reason we Sing", "Embraced by the Father", "Let his Light Shine" and "Staying on the Right Track").

Over the last several years the group has had the privi-

lege of taking the stage and singing God's praises with some of the country's leading gospel artists: The Talleys, The Hoppers, Greater Vision, The Booth Brothers, Mark Lowery, Dallas Holmes, John Darin Rowsey and many others. God has also blessed the group by allowing them to take part in different showcases at the National Quarter Convention in Louisville, KY each year, various Gospel Cruises and the "Singing in the Sun" in Myrtle Beach. Trinity performs approximately 125 concerts a year throughout the Midwest and South.

Trinity recently hosted their 12th Annual "Southern Gospel Expo" held on April 4-7, 2013.

This year's event featured some new artists as well as your Expo favorites. On April 7, the Expo Finale once again featured The Booth Brothers. The Southern Gospel Expo is a FREE event and is sponsored by Trinity and many generous sponsors. The Expo is held in the Family Life Center at Trinity Friends Church in Van Wert, OH. Trinity is also currently working on plans for the 2013 Christmas Dinner Theatre with John Darin Rowsey, New Journey, Tom Kennerk and Trinity to be held on December 14, 2013, the 2014 Gospel Expo to take place April 3-6, 2014 with the Sunday evening finale featuring The Pfeifers.

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DAVID BAGLEY SHOOTS A MOUNTAIN LION

By: Stan Jordan

A few years back Dave taught a lot of classes on wild life for the DNR of the State of Ohio.

One of his students was working in the control of rabies in raccoons here and for the State of Ohio. It seems that it was mostly over in the Ohio Pennsylvania State Line area. But up in Canada they had already found a way to control that problem by putting a vaccine in dog biscuits and dropping them from an airplane. The coons would eat the dog food and it helped control the rabies.

One of the students worked for the USDA down in Texas and he had a representative from Canada to go to Texas and show them how to use this food for rabies control.

While he was talking to Dave he found out he was an avid hunter and was very well-versed in game control also. He invited Dave to come down to Ft. Stockton, TX to see how they did their work for the USDA in the wildlife area.

Oil is down close to the Mexican border, all desert and sand, hardly any water for the grazing cattle, hardly any water there.

Richard, the USDA man talked to Dave about getting a license and going to Texas and hunt for a mountain lion as they are numerous there and a problem for the ranchers.

They usually mounted up on a horse and followed

the dogs across the desert hoping the dogs would pick up the scent of a mountain lion.

This went on for a few days and the place was full of rodeo people and in the off time Dave learned a lot about roping and getting along in the desert. He found out scorpions and rattlesnakes were not a problem there.

Well, on this morning the dogs hit a trail. They hunted in the mornings because it got too hot in the afternoon. The dogs bark for awhile and it ended with the dogs in the bottom of a gully and the mountain lions up on the side of a hill and our hunters were on top of a mesa-like location. Richard motioned Dave to come forward as the animal was just down over the edge of the gully maybe 10' away but the lion was more interested in the barking dogs below him. One shot did the job and Dave had his mountain lion.

Mountain lions are a problem in that area as Richard shoots about 300 a year. There is not any predators to take care of the influx of the mountain lions.

Dave brought the animal home and had him mounted by a man named Burkholder in Defiance.

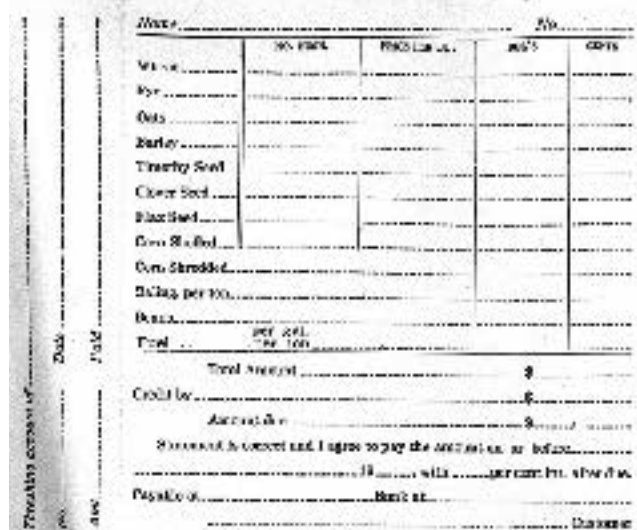
The mountain lion has a lot of names depending on the area you are in: Puma, Cougar, Catamount, Panther, Wild Cay, and some other names.

They are very strong and dangerous. They can bring down a horse or knock a man from a horse. With those claws they can tear an arm off. Farm animals are very leery. Richard, from the USDA, carries a hand gun and a .243 rifle at all times when he makes his rounds.

Dave really enjoyed that trip, everything was so different. The heat, the sand, the tension and the people. Dave will remember that hunting trip for a long time.

See ya!

THE OLD SEED MILL



By: Stan Jordan

The old picture is from an old receipt book loaned to me by Corky Hughes.

We think it was from a seed mill on the River Road West on St. Rd. 49, as all of the customers in the book lived in that area. I knew all of those farmers.

The book dates back to 1924 and into the 1930's.

It is very interesting if you read the kinds of seeds they had at that time.

Some of the customers

were: The Horn Brothers, John Harris; Tom Keating; W. Miller & Son; Kenneth Johnson; Andy Johnson; Arthur Hemrick; Julius Horn; Russell Murphy; Andy Ruger; Russell Brown; Billy Clinton and some others plus a man named Gore I didn't know. If you notice soybeans were not listed on the receipt as they had not been introduced in this area yet.

Many thanks to Corky Hughes for this receipt book. See ya!



THE EMAIL

A married couple was planning to go on vacation in Key West, Florida. The man went down first, while the wife was finishing up a business meeting in New York City. The husband arrived and decided to email his wife to tell her he arrived in Key West.

After he typed his message, he accidentally typed in the wrong email address. The email went to a woman who was grieving over her recently deceased husband. The grieving woman checked her email, read the man's letter, then passed out cold. Her daughter came in and looked at the computer screen. It read:

Honey,
This is your husband. I just wanted to tell you I got here OK, and I have all your bags checked in and ready for you to get here tonight so we can be together.

P.S. It sure is hot down here.

See ya!

GRANTS AVAILABLE FOR TEACHERS TO DEVELOP WILD SCHOOL SITES

The Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) now has grants available for Ohio teachers who have successfully used Project WILD in their classrooms. These funds will allow teachers more opportunities to provide students with hands-on learning about wildlife and habitat.

Grants totaling \$500 each will be awarded by the ODNR Division of Wildlife on a competitive basis to 40 schools that have par-

ticipated in Project WILD, a supplemental environmental education curriculum for grades K-12.

"A WILD School Site project allows teachers to bring conservation education concepts to life for students by taking lesson plans outdoors," said Jen Dennison, wildlife education coordinator for the ODNR Division of Wildlife. "It also improves schoolyard habitat for wildlife while providing an outdoor learning experience."

Project WILD uses wildlife and wildlife management techniques to teach traditional school subjects, such as math, science and language arts. Now in its 10th year, the grant program provides teachers with funding to purchase the materials, equipment and activities needed to develop WILD School Sites on their campuses.

The grants are awarded to applicants who best meet the WILD School Site criteria. Criteria includes participation in one of Ohio's Project WILD programs, direct improvement of the habitat on the school grounds, involvement of the students in the projects as much as possible and correlation of the projects to the school's curriculum.

Funding for the WILD School Site grant program comes from the sale of Ohio hunting and fishing licenses. Ohio has 133 certified Wild School Sites around the state. The ODNR Division of Wildlife has awarded 232 grants since 2004, when the grant program was introduced.

Interested educators should submit an application anytime between now and May 31, 2014, to the ODNR Division of Wildlife, Outdoor Education Section, 2045 Morse Road, Building G, Columbus, Ohio 43229. Complete details of the grant program and an application packet can be found at ohioprojectwild.com. Go to wildohio.com or call 800-WILDLIFE (945-3543) for more information.

MAGEE MARSH WILDLIFE AREA TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE

Access beyond the Sportsmen's Migratory Bird Center located at the Magee Marsh Wildlife Area to the beach area, including the boardwalk and beach trails, will be closed according to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR), Division of Wildlife.

This portion of Magee Marsh Wildlife Area will be closed in order to provide a quality hunting experience for Ohio's sportsmen and women.

This road closure is in effect starting September 30 through October 26, 2013 and from November 4 through December 7, 2013. Additionally, the road and beach area will be closed during the controlled youth waterfowl and deer hunts scheduled Saturday and Sunday October 5 and 6 and November 23 and 24, 2013.

The remaining Saturdays and Sundays during this time period hunters, anglers and wildlife viewers will be permitted access to the beach area and wildlife trails starting Saturday afternoons after the conclusion of the hunts until sunset, and sunrise to sunset on Sundays.

The Sportsmen's Migratory Bird Center and bird center walking trail will remain open for wildlife viewing during the fall hunting season.

For more information about Magee Marsh Wildlife Area or Division of Wildlife programs, visit wildohio.com.

ABOUT THE VETERAN'S MEMORIAL COLISEUM

By: Stan Jordan

On the news we hear that there is a move to change the name of the Veterans Memorial Coliseum in Fort Wayne. I am against that move heart and soul.

To us veterans that is sort of a shrine. It was built and dedicated to the American Veterans and it should stay that way.

I am a Buckeye, but I have attended many affairs at the Coliseum and when I see the name Veterans' Memorial on the edifice I walk through

those door with pride. That building serves the people for a radius of 50 plus miles in any direction.

I'm sure that the organization can use the extra money, but there are some things that money can't buy—love, honor, pride, devotion.

I don't know what nincompoop wants to buy his way into that shrine, but any and all veterans in this area should rise up as a body against any name change. Dropping the name Veterans surely lowers the feelings of Veterans and incoming Veterans.

I consider myself just one of 16 million Veterans of WWII and the name of the Veterans' Memorial Coliseum must stay as it is.

See ya!

FW AREA COMMUNITY BAND TO PERFORM

Fort Wayne Area Community Band will present a concert Tuesday, October 29 at the John & Ruth Rhinehart Music Center on the IPFW Campus. Downbeat is 7:30 p.m. The 70-plus member concert band, under the direction of conductor Scott Humphries and assistant conductor Susan Jehl, will perform a wide variety of music including a new arrangement of Amazing Grace, themes of suspense by John Williams called Chillers and Thrillers, Aesop's Fables with a narrator, The Gateway City March, The Raiders of Sunset Island composed by conductor Scott Humphries and more.

For more information, please contact Rod King, publicity manager at 260-493-3318.

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Members of the 2013-2014 Wayne Trace Red Football Team are (front row) Austin Pierce, Mason Elliot, Worth Clark, Kameron Bevis, Alex Reinhart; (second row) Robby Trammell, Gage Waltmire, Reed Zartman, Logan Smith, Nate Crosby, Zane Shaffer; (third row) Jacob Stouffer, Xaden Franklin, Gage Tinlin, Isaac Head, Eli Moore; (fourth row) Damien Griffith, Wyatt Shelton, Ty Tinlin, Caden Schaefer, Joseph Munger, Jayden Molitor; Coaches: Rick Waltmire, Randy Pierce, Travis Young, Russ Pierce; Absent: Jared Eklund.

WT PAYNE RED TEAM CHEERLEADERS



The Wayne Trace Red Cheerleaders have been doing an amazing job supporting their football team. The 2013-2014 Cheerleaders are (front row) Kaitlin Vest, Natalie Schultz; (second row) Zoey Burkley, Alizae Alejo, Madison Watson; (third row) Carlee Mead, Evie Kohart, Kelsey Dilling

WOODLAN JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING 2013

Homecoming Week for Woodlan Jr./Sr. High School is September 22-27.

Sunday, September 22 - Bonfire at Woodburn Missionary Church at 6:30 p.m.

Spirit Days:
Monday - Backwards Day
Tuesday - Neon Day
Wednesday - Twin Day or College Spiritwear
Thursday - Construction Day

Friday - Warrior Day (Woodlan Spiritwear) and Student Convocation with guest speaker Jeff Yaldan

Friday - Homecoming Court and Float Parade, 6:00 p.m.; Game, 7:00 p.m.; Dance 9:00-10:30 p.m.

Woodlan 2013 Homecoming Court:

Freshman Class - Sophia Schultz, Gedeon Shifler-Hoot
Sophomore Class - Emma Toerne, Gavin Keller

Junior Class - Rebekah Dignal, Herman Rorick

Senior Class - Michelle Aguilar, Tabi Hinrichs, Haley Hostetler, Kelsey Szajna, Jaylin Bennett, Austin Brooks, Kadin Gerig, Tyler Kern

ALLEN EAST WINS NWC GOLF TITLE

Allen East won the Northwest Conference golf tournament in an 18-hole tournament played at Hidden Creek Golf Course. The first-place tournament finish also clinched the overall 2013 conference golf championship for the Mustangs.

The Mustangs had a team total 343 to defeat tournament runner-up Bluffton (362) by 19 strokes. Other tournament team totals were Lincolnview (363), Paulding (368), Delphos Jefferson (370), Spencerville (378), Crestview (389), Columbus Grove (416), and Ada (424).

Allen East sophomore, Kayne Richardson, was the tournament medalist with a 76. Second place medalist honors went to junior Rich Streicher (77) of Bluffton. Co-third place medalists were Joshah Rager of Lincolnview and Lucas Herrmann of Allen East as each shot 80.

Following play on September 17th, the tournament finish for each school was combined with their regular season finish to determine the final golf standings for the NWC for 2013. Allen East won both the regular season and tournament, and took first place with a perfect 18 points. Lincolnview took second place in the conference with 15 points followed by Bluffton (14.5) in third place. The other schools' order of conference finish was Spencerville (10.5), Delphos Jefferson (10), Paulding (7), Crestview (7), Ada (4), and Columbus Grove (4).

Following the action of the day, the NWC also presented its All-Conference Awards for 2013.

The coaches voted Bill Mattevi of Allen East and Daryl Dowdy of Lincolnview as 'CO-COACHES OF THE YEAR'. Senior Slade Downing of Ada earned 'PLAYER OF THE YEAR' honors by virtue of points earned during each regular season match. Downing was joined on the NWC First Team by Joshah Rager of Lincolnview, Lucas Herrmann of Allen East, Mitchell Youngpeter of Spencerville,

Rich Streicher of Bluffton, and Kayne Richardson of Allen East.

ENRICHMENT DAY CLASSES STARTING IN OCTOBER

Dear Home School and Charter School Families,

The New Heights Educational Group Resource and Literacy Center is offering its biweekly or monthly enrichment day classes starting in October. Classes will be held in Defiance at the Zion Lutheran Church.

Parents and students are required to participate in these classes and help with the planning of them. Enrichment Day Classes are in the planning process. We now have a volunteer instructor to oversee the classes. So far we will be offering a culinary class and are open to more suggestions. Students are invited to not only attend but participate in instructing some of the classes. These classes will be held Fridays from either 11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. If you are interested in participating, volunteering, or tutoring, please contact us ASAP at NewHeightsEducation@yahoo.com or visit our website at www.NewHeightsEducation.org or call 419-786-0247.

NEW HAVEN VS HERITAGE BOYS SOCCER



New Haven's T.J. Moeller along with the Heritage player heads the ball. More pictures at westbendnews.net

New Haven took on the Patriots at the home field of Kreager Park on September 18. The score finished as a 1-1 Decision.

PAULDING SOCCER LOSE 2

In a very physical match, the Paulding Pathers and Defiance Bulldogs ended up in a 3-3 draw on Saturday afternoon, September 14th. Scorers for the Panthers were Kaleb Goshia, Jared Pachall and

Alex Schlegel. Goal Keeper William Deisler stopped 11 shots on goal. On September 16th, the Panthers were defeated by the Continental Pirates by a score of 6-0. Goal Keeper William Deisler was able to stop 7 shots on goal.

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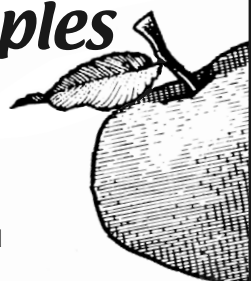
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FRIDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL



Bulldogs Jakhari Wilbert and Dustin Walls taking down the offense. Watch the video or see more pictures at westbendnews.net

It's week five for Indiana High School Football.

NEW HAVEN VS NORWELL

New Haven took on Norwell at home Friday, September 20 at home. New Haven's Jordan Hogue nailed the first touchdown with 8:51 in the first quarter. The second score was by Junior Adam Hoffer (watch video) to bring the score to 14-0. Nearly halfway through the second quarter, Norwell posted their first gain on the scoreboard.

One area where the Bulldogs struggled was the fumbles, totaling 7. Only two of the flubs were picked up by the bad guys, but discouraging nonetheless for the team. The weather didn't help with the situation, but getting a

grip on the ball is certainly something the coach is mentioning.

New Haven scored 7 points every quarter. It may not amount to near the points of previous games, but it was still an incredible win.

Score by Quarter:
New Haven: 7 7 7 7 = 28
Norwell: 7 0 0 0 = 7
NH Touchdowns by: Smith, Hogue, and Hoffer with the assistance of the entire team. 373 total yards gained with 73 Rushing and 300 passing.

Showing different styles of play, Norwell had more 46 to New Haven's 28 Rushing attempts.

Final Score: Norwell - 7
New Haven - 28

WOODLAN VS PRAIRIE HEIGHTS

RIE HEIGHTS

Woodlan was the visitors on the scoreboard at the Prairie Heights football stadium. The home team lead the first quarter against the Warriors, but it was the only score they posted. Woodlan's lowest addition was in the first quarter.

The Halftime score was 18-7 with Woodlan in the lead. The final score was 32-7 with the Woodlan team taking home the trophy.

Score by quarter:
Prairie Heights 7 0 0 0 = 7
Woodlan 6 12 7 7 = 32

Woodlan's Debo Woods in a 2 yard run scored the first Warrior TD. Jaylin Bennett scored 3 touchdowns for the Warriors, followed by senior Derick Kruse with last score for Woodlan, all giving Woodlan one of the best seasons yet.

The fourth game in the Ohio High School Football season:

WAYNE TRACE CRASH THE PILOTS

Wayne Trace wins over Ayersville in the next big win for the Raiders. The Pilots, previously undefeated, took a hard loss to the top team in the GMC. Both teams were tied at 3-3 in the conference.

How far can Wayne Trace take their season this year? They've lost only one game total counting this year and last year!

Final Score 40-6 in a not-even-close match.

HICKSVILLE OUTSCORES FAIRVIEW

Hicksville reports 49-23 win over Fairview. Hicksville is now 2-2 and Fairview is 1-3

PAULDING TRAVELS TO SPENCERVILLE

It was a hard loss for the Paulding team. They took on the Spencerville Bearcats at the away team. It was a slick field but it didn't seem to hurt

the home team. The Panthers took a 36-0 loss.

Rushing: Julian Salinas- 16 carries, 40 yards; Passing: Julian Salinas- 0/8, 0 yards

Defense: Brendan Thomas- 4 Solos, 1 ff, 1 fr; Lorenzo Salinas- 3 solos; Kenny King- 3 solos; Kyle Gardner- 1 solo, 1 fr

ANTWERP FALLS TO HOLGATE IN A CLOSE 24-20 SCORE

The Archers are now 1-3, while the Tigers move to 2-2

HOMECOMING FRIDAY FOR ALL AREA HIGH SCHOOLS:

Friday, September 27 big games - It's Homecoming!!

Garrett travels to Woodlan; New Haven invites Columbia City; Wayne Trace vs Holgate at WT;

Antwerp takes on Edgerton at home (homecoming) 6:00 p.m. - Homecoming Court and fall sports teams/school organizations will line up at the football field to do a circling of the track. The public is invited and encouraged to attend; 6:30 p.m. - Homecoming Court ceremony and crowning of the King and Queen;

Paulding High School's annual Homecoming Parade will be on Friday, September 27 at 6:00 p.m. The parade will be followed by the announcing of the Homecoming Court on the high school football field. At 7:30 p.m., we will play the championship powderpuff game. These activities will be open to the public. There is a bonfire at 9:00 p.m. for Paulding High School students.

Saturday, September 28 - Paulding is home against West Reserve Academy at 1:00 p.m.

ARCHER BOYS GOLF TAKE DOWN HILLTOP - BEST GOLF OF THE SEASON

The Archer Boys golf team played their best golf of the season this year (so far) and took down the Hilltop Cadets Monday night, September 16th by 30 strokes 163 to 193. The Archers were led by Jeffrey Coleman's 36, Erik Miesle's 39, Kyle Recker's 41, and Jack Godeke's 47. The Cadets were led by Isaac Vanarsdalen's 42, Trevor Shipman's 48, Levi Grant's 49, and Colin Savin's 54.

ANTWERP LOST TO HICKSVILLE IN VERY CLOSE GAME

Antwerp Volleyballers fought hard for the win against the Aces, but couldn't pull it out. Lady Archers lost in 5: 23-25, 25-20, 21-25, 25-23, 10-15

Archer stats:
Blaire Rebber - 18 kills, 1 block; Emily Hamman - 10 kills, 3 blocks; Avery Braaten - 6 kills, 9 digs; Peyton Short - 16 assists, 31-32 serving 5 aces, 15 digs; Emily Derck - 19 assists, 4 kills, 6 digs; Olivia Tempel - 12-16 serving 2 aces; Audrie Longardner - 18-20 serving 2 aces, 19 digs;

ANTWERP FALLS TO WOODLAN VOLLEYBALL



Antwerp Sophomore Blaire Rebber blocks Warrior Tori Bontrager's kill attempt. More pictures at westbendnews.net

Woodlan beat Antwerp in 3 games at Antwerp: 25-10, 25-12, 25-8 on September 16

Antwerp Stats:
Emily Hamman - 6 kills; Blaire Rebber - 3 kills; Audrie Longardner - 2 kills, 3 digs; Avery Braaten - 2 kills, 7 digs; Emily Derck - 2 kills, 8 assists, 6 digs; Peyton Short - 6 assists, 7 digs; Olivia Tempel - 6-6 serving 1 ace, 2 digs; Kiana Recker - 3 digs; Maddie Reinhart - 2 digs; Kaiya Jemison - 4 digs.

Antwerp JV lost in two. Antwerp Freshmen lost in two.

Woodlan Stats:
Brooke Gerbers - 4 kills, 29 set assists, 2 aces; Brook Romines - 2 aces; Burgundy Price - 11 kills, 1 set assist, 2 aces, 8 digs; Sarah Voors - 3 aces, 1 dig; Morgan Gerig - 2 kills, 5 digs; Tori Bontrager - 16 kills, 2 aces, 3 digs; Rebekah Dignal - 2 digs

Kiana Recker - 3 kills, 16-18 serving 2 aces, 26 digs
Antwerp Record 3-8 (1-2 GMC).
Antwerp JV lost in three.

WAYNE TRACE WALK OVER EDGERTON IN HIGH SCHOOL VOLLEYBALL



Wayne Trace took on Edgerton Volleyball at home on Tuesday, September 17 at and Wayne Trace won easily in a 3-0 game. Shown above is Raider senior Lauren Speice tapping the ball to the Bulldogs. More pictures at westbendnews.net

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WAYNE TRACE HOMECOMING COURT 2013



The 2013 Wayne Trace Homecoming Court has been announced.

Representing the Raiders from left to right are Freshman Attendants Ethan Linder and Kasey Reinhart, Junior Attendants Corbin Linder and Molly Crosby, Senior Attendants Devin Wenzlick, Madi Poling, Jared Sherry, Maddie McClure, Brock Worden,

Libby Stabler, Jake Gerber, Jordan Elick, and Sophomore Attendants Estie Sinn, Cole Shepherd, Victoria Ryan.

The Raiders will host the Holgate Tigers for the Homecoming game on Friday, September 27, with kick off at 7:00 p.m. The King and Queen will be announced during the pregame ceremony which begins at 6:30 p.m.

ANTWERP BOYS XC TAKE 3RD AT FAYETTE



Pictured here is the boys Cross Country team who came in 3rd at the Fayette Invitational on Saturday, September 21st: Justin in front are Jonathan Hudson, Jerett Godeke, and Downs Harvey. In the back are Josh Ehlinger, Coach Cord Ehrhart, Erik Buchan, Evan Hilton, Sam Williamson, Matt Reinhart, Matthew Dooley, Aaron O'Donnell.

photo by: Chrissy Reinhart.

On Saturday, September 14th the Antwerp Cross Country team travelled to Fayette for an invitational. They competed against 12 other high school teams.

Antwerp Varsity Boys took 3rd place for the day, Anthony Wayne (AW) got the top stop, while Fayette (F) snatched 2nd; Hudson (H) came in 4th, Pittsford (P) grabbed 5th, Patrick Henry (PH) 6th, Edon (D) 7th, Toledo Rogers (TR) 8th, Emmanuel Chris (EC) 9th, Evergreen (EV) 10th; Blissfield (B), Morenci (M) and Waldron (W) did not draw a team score.

Individually, Sam Williamson (A) finished 1st at 16:30; Skylar Lantz (F) in 2nd at 17:06; Jason Rumsey (AW) 3rd, 17:20; Wade Ballmann (P) 4th, 17:38; Joey Sechrist (AW) 5th, 18:08; James Jagodzinski (AW) 6th, 18:09. Other Antwerp finishers were Erik Buchan, 9th, 18:19; Matt Reinhart 22nd, 19:15; Chase Gerken 26th, 19:45; Evan Hilton 33rd, 20:03; Jerrett

Godeke 42nd, 20:58; Matthew Dooley 45th, 21:09.

Antwerp Varsity Girls landed in 7th for the day. Anthony Wayne (AW) came in 1st as a team, St. Ursula Acad (SU) took 2nd, Blissfield (B) 3rd, Pittsford (P) 4th, Morenci (M) 5th, Evergreen (EV) 6th; Emmanual Chris (EC), Edon (E), Fayette (F), Hudson (H), Patrick Henry (PH), and Waldron did not draw a team score.

Individually, Ruth Leatherer (P) took 1st, 20:25; Jessica Sucheck (AW) 2nd, 20:45; Danielle Szczesniak (SU) 3rd, 20:47; Cassandra Stephens (AW) 4th, 20:52; Alicia Roney (W) 5th, 20:54; and Haylee Verhoff (AW) 6th, 20:56. Other Antwerp finishers were Bailee Sigman, 32nd, 23:16; Samantha Provines, 56th, 25:08; Kayla Burns, 90th, 29:40; Maggie Reinhart, 99th, 36:11.

In Junior High girls, Brooke Hatlevig picked up 11th in 14:25; Callie Perry, 12th in 14:29; and Taylor Provines, 37th, 17:52.

In Junior High boys, Brandon Laney finished in 2nd place at 11:33; Drake Gerken, 9th, 12:20; and Brian Geyer, 10th, 12:22.

NEW HAVEN VS NORWELL TENNIS



New Haven's Wesley Elwood performing a backhand swing, returning the ball at the Norwell meet. More pictures at westbendnews.net

Varsity:
Dickey (N) def Yoh (NH) 6-1, 6-2
Barger (N) def Guise (NH) 6-1, 6-0
Shively (N) def Miller (NH) 6-4, 6-2
Burch and Hunter (N) def

Espy and Fox (NH) 6-1, 6-0
Tobias and Wilson (N) def Kraner and Rudolph (NH) 4-6, 6-4, 7-6 Tie Breaker: 7-2
Overall, Norwell defeated New Haven 5-0

FIRST OFFER IN FOR HOGUE

High senior receiver Jordan Hogue had a big summer on the camp and 7-on-7 circuit with the Athletes With Purpose team.

Hogue has continued his strong play this fall for the Bulldogs, helping lead them to a 5-0 start.

Ball State has recognized the in-state talent and offered the 6-foot-1, 175-pound Hogue a scholarship this weekend.

"I've been talking to them a lot lately," Hogue said. He's also receiving personal interest from Indiana, Michigan

State and Wisconsin, and visited the Spartans campus again earlier this month.

Hogue looks forward to visiting Ball State next Saturday.

"I like the coaching staff a lot and everything they have

to offer," he added.

Hogue also plans to visit Indiana and Wisconsin later this fall.

So far this season, Hogue has 25 receptions for 526 yards and 10 total touchdowns along with four interceptions on defense.

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NEW HAVEN GIRLS GOLF TEES SHORT AGAINST SOUTH ADAMS

The peaceful Whispering Creek Golf Course hosted New Haven and South Adams Ladies Golf on Tuesday, September 17. With a slight

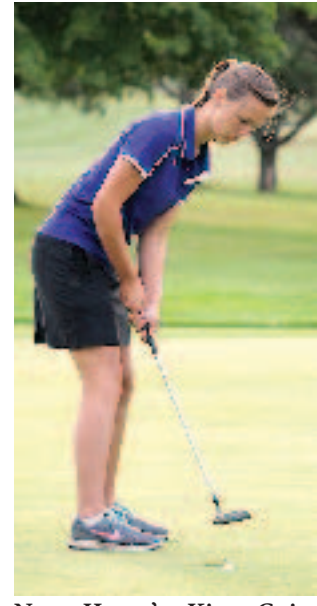
breeze and the sun shining bright it was a beautiful match up.

New Haven's Kori Thompson held the top position for the Bulldogs with 46. Sydney Willis of S. Adams had the over atop score of 36 which was also par.

Other New Haven scores: Kim Guise 52, Kennedy Watters 63, Hannah Lickey 67

South Adams: Kelli Lehman 51, Ally Wingler 53, Jaci Gorrell 53, Alaina Johnston 53.

Final score for holes 10-18: New Haven 228; South Adams 193



New Haven's Kim Guise putts on the green after reading the putt at Whispering Creek Golf Course. More pictures at westbendnews.net

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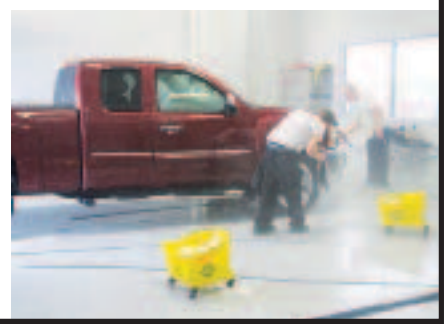
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Financial Focus by: Phil Recker, Edward Jones Advisor

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If this occurs, it's time for "Plan B." What does that look like? Here are a couple of possibilities:

- Continue working. If you like your job, you may not mind working an extra year or so. You'll be bringing

in more income and contributing more to your 401(k) or other retirement account — and, perhaps almost as importantly, you may be able to avoid tapping into these retirement accounts, thus giving them more time to potentially grow. (However, once you turn 70½, you'll need to begin taking withdrawals from your 401(k) and a traditional IRA.) But if you are really not enamored with the idea of working any longer, you might find that even the ability to "beef up" your retirement plans for another couple of years isn't much consolation.

- Adjust your retirement lifestyle. It's pretty simple: If you don't save as much as you had planned for retirement, you probably can't do all the things you wanted to do as a retiree. For example, you may not be able to travel as much, or pursue your hobbies to the extent you'd like.

Clearly, you'd like to avoid these "retirement contingency plans." To do so, though, you'll need to take steps well before you retire. And the most important move you can make may be to contribute as much as you can possibly afford to your IRA and your 401(k) or other employer-sponsored retirement plan.

During the last several years before you wish to retire, you may be in a strong position to "max out" on these plans because, at this stage of your life, your income may be at its highest point, your children may be grown and you may even have "retired" your mortgage. If you still have money left with which to invest, you may want to look at other tax-advantaged vehicles that can be used for retirement.

But while it's important to put in as much as possible to your retirement accounts, you need to do more than that — you also must put the money in the right investments within these accounts. Your exact investment mix should be based on your individual risk tolerance and time horizon, but, as a general rule, these investments must provide you with the growth potential you'll need to accumulate sufficient resources for retirement.

Of course, as you know, investments move up and down. You can't prevent this, but you'll certainly want to reduce the effects of volatility as much as possible when you enter retirement. Consequently, during your final working years, you may need to adjust your retirement accounts by shifting some of your assets (though certainly not all) from growth-oriented vehicles to income-producing ones.

It's a good idea to have contingency plans in place for virtually every endeavor in life — and paying for your retirement years is no different. But if you can make the right moves to avoid the contingency plans in the first place, then so much the better.

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ANTWERP'S GOT TALENT

The 8th grade class of Antwerp Local School is sponsoring an Antwerp's Got Talent show. It will take place at the Antwerp auditoria on Sunday, September 29, 2013 at 2:00 p.m.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Nolan James Rosalez was born in Fort Wayne, IN on August 5, 2013 at 8 lb. 9 oz. Parents are Clifton and Morgan Rosalez of Paulding, OH. Proud grandparents are Gilbert and Nancy Rosalez of Paulding, OH and Jaime Lee and Gina Mann of Payne, OH.

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

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The Senior Meal Program of the Paulding County Senior Center was granted \$6,000 to impact the health of many senior Paulding County residents 60 years of age or older. The Senior Center program serves approximately 30 meals per day at the Center and an additional 130 home delivered meals for clients unable to prepare meals for themselves. While there are no income restrictions, many of those served are isolated and do not have family to help with meals or day to day living.

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ANTWERP LOCAL SCHOOL OCTOBER 2013 NEWSLETTER

SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

The start of the school year has been very busy, with many activities throughout the district. I hope you have had the opportunity to attend one of the extracurricular events this fall. Did you know that residents of our school district who are at least 65 years old are eligible for a free all-sports pass? This is one of the many ways we thank our senior residents for their support of our school system. If you have not received a pass yet, see Mr. Altimus in the Athletic Director's office. He is usually available from 1:00-3:00 each afternoon. The pass is good for admission to all home junior high and high school athletic events.

Thanks for your patience as we made adjustments in bus routes following the first week of school. The routes have been going well, as has the common schedule for the entire district. The circle drive for student drop off and pick up has been congested at times, but we can make it better with your help. Please follow the directions of the aides supervising the circle drive and pull ahead as far as possible prior to letting your child out of the vehicle or picking up your child. Using the entire circle drive will allow us to unload and load children more efficiently. If possible, have your child get in and out of the car on the sidewalk side. I have noticed some parents dropping students off or picking them up in the parking lot instead of the circle drive. If you do not use the circle drive, please park your car and come up onto the sidewalk with your child in the morning, or to meet them at the sidewalk in the afternoon. The extra time it takes to wait in the circle drive or park and walk to the sidewalk is worth the safety of our children.

Our first quarter will be ending on October 18. I encourage all parents or guardians to attend Parent-Teacher Conferences. Communication between school and home is crucial for the success of our students.
~ Mrs. Pat Ross, Superintendent

MENU—SEPT. 30-OCT. 4
Mon., 9/30-Corn dog, Tater Tots, Pears, Milk
Tues., 10/1-Br. Chicken on Bun, Baked Fries, Apple, Milk
Wed., 10/2-Burrito, Black Eyed Peas, Pears, Milk
Thurs., 10/3-Veg. Soup, Roll, Cheese Stick, Mixed Fruit, Milk
Fri., 10/4-Fr. Bread Pizza, Salad, Applesauce, Milk
Please check our website at www.antwerpschools.org for the full Oct. menu.

NOTES FROM YOUR PRINCIPALS

MR. BUTE—MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL
I want to thank the students, staff and community members for the great start we have had in our 2013-2014 school year. As we move into October, it is difficult to believe that we are approaching the end of our first grading period (Oct.18). Grade cards will be given to students the week of October 22-25.

The National Honor Society induction ceremony will be held on Sunday, October 13 at 2:00 in the auditoria. Congratulations to the new inductees as well as the current members. Placement in the NHS is a prestigious honor that you and your family can be extremely proud of. I invite the community and parents to attend and honor these and current NHS members.

Again this year, we emphasize the importance of communication between the community and school. I encourage the staff to contact at least two parents each week. I extend the encouragement to the community as well. Effective communication between community and school plays a vital role in our district's continual growth philosophy.

MR. MANZ—ELEMENTARY
As we pass the mid-term of the 1st grading period, it is time to look ahead to the many activities coming up in the near future. Just a reminder that we ask that you pay at least \$20 of your student's fees in order to receive his/her grade card. You may stop in the office to pay this portion, or pay the full amount of \$65.

The third grade Reading Ohio Achievement Assessment (OAA) will be administered during the week of October 7. We encourage parents to make sure that their third grader gets a good night of sleep and a good breakfast each day. This will help ensure that your child does as well as he or she is capable of.

We have also recently completed our screening of K-3 students in accordance with the Third Grade Reading Guarantee (3GRG). This law requires the school to inform parents in writing if their child is in danger of not being "on track" to be able to read at a third grade level by the end of their third grade year. If this is found to be the case, these "not-on-track" students will receive targeted intervention during their K-3 years to help them reach this goal. For more information about this law,

you can go to the Ohio Dept. of Education website and click on the Third Grade Reading Guarantee link.

Finally, I encourage all parents to keep in contact with our staff regarding questions or concerns you have. Maintaining a strong line of communication is the first step in helping to address problems and issues that may arise. I would discourage just keeping concerns or problems to yourself, or only discussing these with other community members. Please do not hesitate to call us, send an email, and/or address an issue at our upcoming Parent-Teacher Conferences. We want to work together to resolve issues and help our children achieve their best.

ATHLETIC DEPT. DETERGENT SALE
The Antwerp Football Team is again having a detergent sale to raise funds to be used for team equipment. The detergent is sold in a 5-gallon bucket with a pump at a cost of \$45 per bucket. Detergents available include: Tide/original, Tide w/April Fresh Downy, Tide w/Downy Lavender, Tide w/Febreeze, Tide w/Bleach, Tide/Mountain Spring, Tide w/Dawn, Tide/Clean Breeze, Cold Water Tide, Tide HE, Tide HE w/April Fresh Downy, Tide HE w/Bleach. The sale ends on Saturday, October 5. If interested, contact Coach Drew Altimus at 419-258-5421, ext. 2111.

YEARBOOK SALES
The yearbook staff is accepting orders for 2013-2014 yearbooks. Order forms have been distributed to all students and additional forms are available in the offices. The cost is \$10 for the elementary yearbooks and \$35 for the middle school / high school yearbook. Orders and money should be turned in to Mrs. Sorrell or the school office. There are a few 2012-2013 yearbooks available. Elementary books are \$14; middle/high school books are \$40. Contact Mrs. Sorrell if interested.

PARENT-TEACHER CONFERENCES
Antwerp Local School will hold Parent-Teacher Conferences on Oct. 29 and 31, from 3:00-7:30, and on Nov. 1, beginning at 8:00 a.m. There will be no classes for students on Nov. 1. We encourage all parents to schedule an appointment with your child's teacher(s) to discuss his/her progress.

BOOK FAIR
Antwerp Local Schools will again host a book fair from October 28 through November 1. The book fair will be open during each school day as well as during Parent-Teacher Conferences.

ATHLETIC CALENDAR

VARSITY FOOTBALL		
7:00	Oct. 04	@Hicksville
7:00	Oct. 11	Home/Tinora
7:00	Oct. 18	@Fairview
7:00	Oct. 25	Home/Wayne Trace
JR. HIGH FOOTBALL		
5:00	Oct. 01	Home/Hicksville
4:30	Oct. 08	@Wayne Trace
5:00	Oct. 15	@Edgerton
5:00	Oct. 22	Home/Ayersville
VARSITY VOLLEYBALL		
5:30	Oct. 01	Home/Fairview
5:30	Oct. 03	@Montpelier
5:30	Oct. 07	Home/Van Wert
5:30	Oct. 08	@Wayne Trace
5:30	Oct. 10	@Ayersville
JR. HIGH VOLLEYBALL		
4:30	Oct. 01	Home/Ayersville
4:30	Oct. 03	@Hicksville
5:00	Oct. 08	@Montpelier
4:30	Oct. 10	Home/Liberty Center
TBA	Oct. 12	Home/GMC
FRESHMAN VOLLEYBALL		
4:30	Sept. 26	@Bryan
4:45	Oct. 03	@Montpelier
9:00	Oct. 05	@Paulding (Inv.)
4:30	Oct. 08	@Wayne Trace
CROSS COUNTRY		
5:00	Oct. 01	Home/Tinora-Hicksville-Holgate
8:30	Oct. 05	Home/Antwerp Invitational
4:30	Oct. 08	County Meet @Wayne Trace
9:30	Oct. 12	GMC @Wayne Trace
TBA	Oct. 19	District
TBA	Oct. 26	Regionals
TBA	Nov. 02	State

DISTRICT CALENDAR EVENTS

Oct. 2	Pictures-Grades PS-5, Vantage, Gr. 12
Oct. 3	Pictures-Grades 6-11
Oct. 9	2-Hour Delay —Inservice
Oct. 11	Academic Booster Chicken Dinner 4:00-6:00
Oct. 13	National Honor Society Induction—2:00
Oct. 14	Seniors—Jostens Meeting 7:00 a.m.
Oct. 15	Kids on the Block—3rd Grade
Oct. 19	End of First Quarter
Oct. 21	NO SCHOOL —Inservice
Oct. 24	Seniors Place Graduation Orders
Oct. 26	Band at Antwerp Halloween Parade - 2:45
Oct. 28	Band at Callithumpian Parade/Decatur - 7:00
Oct. 28-Nov. 8	Fall OGT (for Jr./Sr. who need to pass any content areas)
Oct. 29 & 31	Parent-Teacher Conferences— 3:00-7:30
Nov. 1	NO SCHOOL —Parent-Teacher Conferences

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5th ANNUAL OAKWOOD COMMUNITY WALK FOR DIABETES



In the picture are (l-r) Katie Goergens, Sally Armstrong, and Sandy Seibert (holding Haylee Schnipke). In front is Landon Neate and Levi Snyder. All the children, including event organizer, Sandy Seibert, are type 1 diabetics.

The 5th annual Oakwood Community Walk For Diabetes was September 14, 2013. With nearly 400 in attendance, it was another huge success. Following a slow paced walk around the Village of Oakwood, walkers enjoyed a free will donation lunch in the gymnasium of the Oakwood Elementary School. Raffle prizes were drawn, with Leslie Shugars (of Paulding) win-

ning the grand prize raffle, an iPad Mini. This year's event was held in honor of Nick Spencer, and in memory of Elijah Sherman. Kids enjoyed face painting and homemade sugar free cupcakes! Event organizers are Sandy Seibert and Sally Armstrong. All proceeds benefit the American Diabetes Association. For more info visit <http://www.fightdiabetes.weebly.com/>.

MAC GYMNASIUM ANNOUNCES FALL & WINTER TOURNAMENT DATES

The MAC Gymnasium has announced the Fall and Winter tournament dates for volleyball and basketball. The tournament schedule begins with junior high volleyball on October 19. The Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church will sponsor this 2nd annual eight team tournament. The following weekend brings the 6th grade and under "Pumpkin Smash" tournament on October 26. This open invite tournament is for any interested team.

November 9 brings a new tournament event to the gym through partners K&S Tumblefit. A cheerleading competition for youth, JH, Frosh/JV and varsity divisions will be held to match up cheer squads from all over to see how they perform and are judged. The next tournaments are basketball events. Paulding Kiwanis is sponsoring a youth girls only tournament on November 23. Black Friday, November 29, 6th grade and under boys and girls teams will compete in quick "mini" tournaments with morning or afternoon sessions so teams are not locked into the whole day for the holiday weekend.

December brings a JH girls

basketball tournament. Parochial school teams that can play in more than one tournament each year or public school teams that do not have a tournament will compete in a "season opening" tournament at The MAC. Boys and girls Saturday morning leagues will then run December 14, 21 and four Saturdays in January. There are only 28 available team slots and already 26 of them are filled. 2013 will then close out with the Santa Slam tournament on December 28. For entry forms or information go to www.macgymohio.com or contact Tim Copsey 419-506-0108.

October 19 - JH Volleyball Tournament sponsored by Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church

October 26 - 6th Grade and Under "Pumpkin Smash" Volleyball Tournament

November 9 - Youth, JH, Frosh/JV, Varsity Indoor Cheerleading Competition by K&S Tumblefit

November 23 - 6th Grade and Under Girls Tournament - Sponsored by Paulding Kiwanis

November 29 - Black Friday Youth Boys & Girls Basketball AM or afternoon Mini-Tournaments

December 7 - JH Girls Basketball Pre-Season Tournament

December 28 - 6th/5th Grade Boys and Girls Tournament

OHIO BALLOT BOARD CERTIFIES PROPOSED MEDICAID INITIATED STATUTE AS SINGLE ISSUE

Secretary of State Jon Husted announced that the Ohio Ballot Board has certified a proposed initiated statute concerning Medicaid as containing only one proposed law.

Petitioners must now collect 115,574 signatures, equal to three percent of the total vote cast for governor in the most recent gubernatorial election, 2010, to bring the issue before the General Assembly for consideration. Petitioners must file the required number of valid signatures with the Secretary of State's Office not less than 10 days prior to the start of any legislative session in a calendar year in order to get the issue on that year's General Election ballot.

The General Assembly has four months to act on the proposed law. If lawmakers do not pass the law, pass it in an amended form or take no action after four months, petitioners may collect additional signatures to place the issue on the ballot. The number of supplemental signatures required is 115,574, equal to three percent of the total vote cast for governor in the most recent gubernatorial election, 2010.

As part of the total number of signatures needed for both the initial and supplemental signatures filed, petitioners must also collect signatures from at least 44 of Ohio's 88 counties, and within each of those counties, collect enough signatures equal to one and one-half percent of the total vote cast for governor in the most recent gubernatorial election, 2010, in that county.

Members of the Ballot Board include: Secretary Husted, chair; Mark Griffin, vice chair; State Senator Bill Coley; State Senator Nina Turner; and William N. Morgan. Ballot Board meetings are open to the public.

FAST ForWord READING PROGRAM AT OAKWOOD ELEM.



Students in Kindergarten through 6th grade at Oakwood Elementary are working in the computer lab this year on the Fast ForWord Reading Program. The Fast ForWord Program is an online reading intervention that targets foun-

dational phonemic awareness, language, memory, attention, processing and sequencing skills. Shown in the photo is Adrieana Biliti who is a Kindergarten student in Mrs. Kelly Snyder's class.

BAKING WITH 1st GRADERS!



First graders at Oakwood Elementary were visited by their principal, Miss Manzanera. She was a guest speaker and talked to them about her favorite hobby, baking. She showed them her baking tools and even let them sample one of her recipes.

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Woodlan High School and Woodlan Intermediate students enjoyed some class time together. They were getting to know each other because of a writing project that was created to meet the 5th grade's curriculum-personal narrative writing. The high school volleyball team members were interviewed by the 5th graders in Mrs. Price's classroom on Tuesday, September 17th during their second period class. The 5th graders will be going through the writing process

with this project in class over the next few weeks. They will also create a final product that will not only be graded, but will be presented to the volleyball team member they interviewed. It will be laid out for the team members and parents to read at their "team table" at their next tournament. It is an exciting way for the 5th graders to become excited about writing. And what better role models than their own community's athletes and team!

ALL ABOUT APPLES IN SEPTEMBER



Mrs. Hibbard's kindergarten class at Antwerp Elementary learned about apples, parts of apples, and how they grow during the month of September.

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A KILLING ON BROADWAY

By: Beth Stauffer

One of the things that makes the downtown New Haven area so beautiful, at least in my opinion, is the intentional design and lovely landscaping of the public areas that line the sidewalks. There are plenty of places to walk and ride bikes, there's Canal Landing where residents can sit and enjoy the autumn weather, and on every corner you'll find a lush green tree enhancing the overall appeal of the city.

Well, that is, on almost every corner; if you are driving down Broadway, you'll no doubt notice that the street is lined with green tree after green tree, with the exception of the corner of Broadway and Middle Street.

The tree on that corner recently came to a rather fateful demise after an unknown person or persons poured rock salt all around the tree.

Strange, one might think, that someone would set out to commit arbor-cide in the middle of downtown New Haven. Even stranger, why would someone harm this particular tree out of all the trees lining Broadway?

That's where the plot in this story begins to thicken.

According to police records, early in September two businesses contacted the New Haven Utility Department about having the tree removed. Statements made in the police report indicated that business owners felt that the tree impeded visibility of their business signs.

The tree, which is located at 535 Broadway Street, is the property of the City of New Haven, and as such falls under the city's jurisdiction. After reviewing the request of the business owners, it was decided by the city not to remove the tree.

On September 3rd, a resident of New Haven walking downtown happened to notice rock salt all around the tree in question. The resident contacted the City Utilities Department, who went out to the scene of the crime to take pictures and clean up the mess; the New Haven Police Department was also contacted and asked to begin their own investigation.

By the time the City Utility Department and NHPD were notified, however, the damage was already done. In pictures taken on September 16th, you can clearly see that the tree at 535 Broadway Street is a goner.

Many questions remain about the vandalism of the Broadway tree, but one thing is certain: New Haven doesn't take kindly to any act of blatant vandalism. According to Mayor Terry McDonald in a written statement, "The city will plant another tree and when a suspect is identified, we will pursue criminal charges and full restitution."

New Haven City Council Member at Large Ron Steinman, who originally contacted New Haven Bulletin about this story, is asking all residents to keep their eyes and ears open for information about this ongoing case. If you have any information that would help NHPD in their investigation, contact Detective Henry McKinnon at 260-748-7080.

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SPACES AVAILABLE FOR CERTIFIED FISHING INSTRUCTOR WORKSHOP IN FINDLAY

Spaces are available for educators, leaders, or conservation clubs who have a sincere interest in taking kids fishing and want to become certified fishing instructors, according to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR), Division of Wildlife. A free workshop is available Saturday, October 19, 2013, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and will take place at Wildlife District Two Office, 952 Lima Avenue, Findlay, Ohio 45840.

Passport to Fishing is a one-day instructor training program that qualifies individuals to become Division of Wildlife certified fishing instructors. All participants will need to pass a background check before being certified.

Passport to Fishing was developed by the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service and adopted by the Recreational Boating and Fishing Foundation. Workshops teach volunteers the basics of fishing and how to run a four-station fishing program with a fishing event. These instructors then go back to their communities, with a written curriculum and training aids, to teach youngsters and beginning anglers the basics of fishing.

By becoming a certified instructor, attendees will not only be able to help in recon-

necting students with the outdoors, but will also have the skills and resources to do it in a more successful way.

For more information, please call Linda at 419-429-8347 by October 9 or visit www.wildohio.com.

ATHLETE OF THE WEEK... AMBER COLLINS

By: Angel Windom

This feature is brought to you by your friends at Fritch Construction.

Forward for New Haven High School's girls soccer team, Amber Collins, has been playing soccer since she was five. Collins says that multiple generations in her family have played soccer. She learned a lot of skill by watching and practicing with her mom when she was much younger, because of that she has been able to grow and perfect her game. Collins is the leading scorer for New Haven and has been the leading scorer for various teams she has played for throughout her career. She enjoys her coach, Nicole Gebfert, and loves all of her teammates. Collins says that she wouldn't be the player that she is today without her teammate and close friend, Mikayla Smith, who always "has her back". Amber plans to go into the military after high school and also wants to attend college someday.

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GEM OF THE WEEK... KEVIN WHALEY

By: Taylor Weddle

This feature is brought to you by your friends at Peter Franklin Jewelers.

Kevin Whaley is currently employed by the City of New Haven as the Land Use Planner. Kevin was born and raised in northwest Indiana, and graduated from South Newton High School in Kentland, IN. He attended Ball State University and studied Urban Planning and Development. Kevin then received a Bachelor of Science in Environmental Design and a Bachelor of Urban Planning and Development in 2000. Upon graduating, he began working for the City of Indianapolis, which ultimately led him to the Fort Wayne area. In 2004, he was offered and accepted his current position with the City of New Haven. Kevin's position entails a variety of functions that ensure that the City develops responsibly and sufficiently.

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MESSY DAY FOR OAKWOOD PRESCHOOLERS



The Oakwood Elementary preschoolers enjoyed the beautiful weather last Wednesday with Messy Day. The kids played in the sand, blew bubbles, slid down a slide filled with shaving cream, painted a cardboard house,

and ran a preschool car wash for their toy cars. Pictured here are Dylan Weible, Joe Leininger, Trenton Bail, Hunter Philpot, Janeé Tousley, and Jena Wayne-Deatrick cleaning their car at the car wash.

DEER HUNTERS RECEIVE MORE PRIME HUNTING TIME



2-DEER COUNTIES: A hunter may kill no more than two (2) deer in a 2-deer county during the 2013-2014 season. No more than one (1) with an antlerless permit and no more than one (1) with an antlered permit.

3-DEER COUNTIES: A hunter may kill no more than three (3) deer in a 3-deer county during the 2013-2014 season. No more than two (2) with an antlerless permit and no more than one (1) with an antlered permit.

4-DEER COUNTIES: A hunter may kill no more than four (4) deer in a 4-deer county during the 2013-2014 season. No more than three (3) with an antlerless permit and no more than one (1) with an antlered permit.

Several changes to Ohio's white-tailed deer hunting regulations take effect when the first deer season begins on Saturday, September 28, according to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR).

New deer hunting regulations implemented by the ODNR Division of Wildlife include extended hunting hours during gun and muzzleloader seasons, county bag limits, changes to deer permit use and an antlerless-only muzzleloader season.

"This year we were able to add 30 minutes of prime hunting time after sunset to every day of the deer gun and muzzleloader hunting seasons," said ODNR Director James Zehringer. "Ohio has some of the best hunting opportunities in the country, and this extra half hour is a golden opportunity for hunters to extend their time in the field."

All deer hunters are required to have a valid Ohio hunting license and a valid deer permit. A detailed listing of deer hunting rules is contained in the 2013-14 Ohio Hunting Regulations, available where licenses are sold, or wildohio.com. Ohio's 2013-2014 deer seasons include:

- Archery: September 28 - February 2, 2014;
- Antlerless muzzleloader: October 12-13;
- Youth gun: November 23-24;
- Gun: December 2-8 and Muzzleloader: January 4-7, 2014.

Deer hunting hours are 30 minutes before sunrise to 30 minutes past sunset for all deer seasons. This includes gun and muzzleloader seasons.

Deer bag limits are now determined by county (see map for bag limits). The statewide bag limit is nine deer, but a hunter cannot exceed a county bag limit. Additional ODNR Division of Wildlife authorized controlled hunting opportunities do not count against statewide or county bag limits. Hunters may harvest only one buck in Ohio, regardless of method of take or location.

Antlerless permits will be valid until December 1, the Sunday before the deer-gun season. Only one antlerless permit may be used per county, regardless of the bag limit. Ohio is offering an antler-

less deer muzzleloader hunting season October 12-13. It is legal to bowhunt during this weekend, but no bucks may be killed regardless of hunting implement. Archers hunting during the statewide gun, youth gun and muzzleloader seasons must meet the hunter orange requirement.

A new tagging procedure administered by the ODNR Division of Wildlife requires hunters to make their own game tag to attach to a deer. Game tags can be made of any material (cardboard, plastic, paper, etc.) as long as it contains the hunter's name, date, time and county of the kill. Go to the Deer Hunting Resources page at wildohio.com for more information on changes to the game check process.

All hunters must report their deer harvest using the automated game-check system. Hunters have three options to complete the game check:

- Online at ohiogamecheck.com;
- Call 877-TAG-ITOH (824-4864);
- Visit a license agent. A list of agents can be found at wildohio.com or by calling 800-WILDLIFE.

Game-check transactions are available online and by seven days a week, including holidays. Landowners exempt from purchasing a deer permit, and other people not required to purchase a deer permit, cannot use the 877-TAG-ITOH option.

The ODNR Division of Wildlife remains committed to properly managing Ohio's deer populations through a combination of regulatory and programmatic changes. Progress toward reducing locally abundant herds can be expected as strides have already been made in reducing deer herds in many counties closer to target levels.

Ohio hunters are encouraged to hunt more does this season to help the needy in their area. The ODNR Division of Wildlife is working with Farmers and Hunters Feeding the Hungry (FHFH) to help pay for the processing of donated venison. Hunters who donate their deer to a food bank are not required to pay the processing cost as long as funding for the effort lasts. More information about this program can be found online at fhfh.org.

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Sudoku Puzzle

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Deer hunting in Ohio continues to be a popular activity for many who enjoy the outdoors. Ohio hunters checked 218,910 deer during the 2012-2013 season. Ohio ranks fifth nationally in resident hunters and 11th in the number of jobs associated with hunting-related industries. Hunting has a more than \$853 million economic impact in Ohio through the sale of equip-

ment, fuel, food, lodging and more, according to the National Shooting Sports Foundation's Hunting in America: An Economic Force for Conservation publication.

ODNR ensures a balance between wise use and protection of our natural resources for the benefit of all. Visit the ODNR website at ohiodnr.gov.

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WOODWORKING TOOLS: 12" Wood Lathe, duplicator • Craftsman 10" table saw • Craftsman 6" planer-jointer • Craftsman 12" 2 spd. scroll saw • Delta chop saw • HDC 4" belt, 6" sander • HDC 16 spd. upright drill press • Dewalt 10" radial arm saw • 4" Grinder • Campbell-Hausfeld 3.5 HP air compressor • Craftsman 19.2 V combo set • Makita 7 1/4" skill saw • Elect. drills • Dremel • B&D router • Pneumatic finish guns • Wood carving set • Bar clamps • Panel making router bits • Wood bits • Carpenter belts • Hand saws • 6' Alum. level • Shop smith sharpener • Asstd. hardwoods & wood stock

SHOP TOOLS: Lincoln AC 225 Arc welder • Heavy duty dual pedestal grinder • 6/2 amp charger • Chain hoist • Craftsman buffer-polisher • Stack On rolling tool chest • Asstd. Craftsman, other sockets sets • Asstd. hand tools • Wagner paint sprayer • Power paint roller • Metal desk

ANTIQUES, COLLECTIBLES: Seeburg model Q160 juke box, working • Spiegel Brooklure outboard boat motor • Uhl pottery jug • Glass Dazey butter churn • Oak writer's desk • Old Ball & Mason canning jars, lids • Beer collectibles • Old Miller Beer bottles • Neon Miller Lite Beer "Rusty's Last Call" • Dr. Pepper metal cooler • Falstaff small kegger • Beer taps • Old books • African statues, figurines • Local artifacts • Caribou mount • Ptarmigan

mount • Black bear skulls • Warthog skull • Antlers • Duck's Unlimited 25th Ann. print • Pr. duck mounts • (3) Metal toy tractors • Old Cameras: Thagee Dresdaen Exacta V, telescoping lense • Crown view camera • Polaroid 545 Land camera, case, accessories • Ricoff R830 Video camera • Movie screen • Walnut stereo cabinet • Copper fire extinguisher • Elect. fan

GUNS, HUNTING, FISHING GEAR: Kungs, Hunte .50 cal. inline muzzleloader, Hawk HD 4x32 scope • (2) Mossberg 500 C 20 gauge shotguns, extra slug barrel, scope • Smith & Wesson .45 cal. revolver • Colt U.S. Army .38 long Colt 1896 revolver • German Walther P 38 police 9mm w/ holster • FEG 380 pistol • Beretta 22 Mink • Sharps 1852 repro'd .54 cal. rifle • Mossberg 801 Plinkster 22 rifle • British J.H. Hallis 455 antique 6 shot revolver • WWI British flare gun • "American Cowboy" pistol • French pin fire, antique • NRA Centennial BB gun pistol • Panther Arms Airsoft auto-semi auto rifle • German Nazi youth knife • Dirk knife, sheath • Cane sword • Golden Eagle youth compound bow • Hunting knives • 20 GA shells • Gun cleaning rack • Goss & duck decoys • Trail cams • Coleman lanterns • Deer feeder • 8x12 Hunting blind • Shooting targets • Poultry plucker • Elect. smoker • Elect. ice cream maker • Evinrude 2 HP boat motor • Fishing rods, reels • Tackle, some old • Ice fishing gear • Live trap • Hunting clothes, gear • Elect. dog waterer • Metal insulated dog house • Dog cage • Old cigar boxes

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FIREARMS: High Standard M-101 .22 LR 1497484 blue pistol • Springfield model 1875 .22 LR B168915 slide action rifle • Liberty Japan 903256 flint lock black powder pistol

ELECTRONICS: HP G62-407DX notebook PC • HP Pavilion Slimline s5000 PC • Hans G & AOC flat screen computer monitors • HP computer monitor • Olympus FE-210 digital camera • Garmin Nuvi 205w GPS

TOOLS, LAWN & GARDEN & OUTDOOR ITEMS: Powermate VX Power Series PM0103008 212cc 3000/3750 generator • Coleman Powermate PM54-4000 generator • Honda 2 wh EM8-3500S double handle generator • Pro-Tech table saw • Campbell Hausfeld 4 HP 13 gal. stnd duty air compressor • Pro-Tech 7207 10" compound miter saw • Craftsman ZTS 7500 44" zero turn mower w/ Kohler Courage 20 HP engine • Craftsman LTX1000 42" 18 HP riding mower w/ rear collector • Huskee Premium Series 175 pull type spreader • Honda 4 stroke 5 HP HS521 snow blower • Honda HS35 snow blower • Toro CCR 2000 E 4.5 HP snow blower • Gravelly Hahn Snow Giant AH-524 series model 31567 snow blower • B & D circular saw • Spiral cut SCS rotozip tool • Sears 10/2 amp auto battery charger • New Craftsman 6.5 amp 17104 reciprocating saw • Craftsman 3/8 HP 2 speed 6" sander/polisher • Craftsman 61052 rotary tool • B & D Pro 7/9" grinder/polisher • New Wagner heavy duty power painter • Heavy duty pneumatic grinder/polisher • 10 drwr rolling tool chest • Open & box end wrenches • Hammers, screwdrivers & many other small hand tools • Workmate table • Craftsman 32cc gas blower/vac • Weed Eater leaf blower • 2 wh cart • Yard tools • 2 dr metal storage cabinet • Char-Broil Patio Caddie lp grill • Brinkman Smoke-N-Pit Professional • Charcoal grill • Coleman camp stoves • Many new Coleman lanterns • Nelson tractor sprinkler • Red Devil spreader • Gas cans • Alum. extension ladder • Coolers • Set of Callaway Big Bertha irons & 5 Big Bertha War Bird metal woods including 3, 5, 7, 9 & driver • 2 plastic folding tables

CHILDREN'S TOYS: Plastic Radio Flyer child's wagon • Many plastic Little Tikes & Fisher Price toys including Houses, tables, chairs, kitchen appliances, cars, scooters, basketball goal, slides, toy boxes (this is only a brief overview of the large amount of plastic toys) • Vintage metal child's green oven & sink toys • Many stuffed animals

FURNITURE, COLLECTIBLES & HOUSEHOLD ITEMS: Round pedestal dining table w/ chairs & claw/ball feet • Lrg 2 dr cedar wardrobe • Antique 2 pc kitchen cabinet • Antique Koken shoe shine chair • Portable bar • Antique record player • 4'x8' pool table w/ pool balls, cues & rack • Magazine rack • Office chair • Microwave stand • Oak frame swivel mirror • Denver Mattress Co. Monarch Supreme pillow soft plush queen set • Computer desk • Entertainment center • Floor & table lamps • 2 dr file cabinets • Kitchenware & small kitchen appliances • Antique milk can • Bird cages • Craft decorative bird houses • 3 Syferys glass pretzel jars w/ lids • Oil lamps

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DIVINE MERCY STUDENTS IN LOVE WITH COOLER WEATHER!



Divine Mercy's new 3rd and 4th grade teacher, Mrs. Stoller is pictured with her students. They are all enjoying the cooler fall weather. Last week's temperatures made recess very hot, but this week the kids are looking forward to more moderate temperatures and a great week!

OCTOBER 7th IS VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINE

All people who are not registered to vote and wish to vote in the upcoming General Election on Tuesday, November 5th, must register by Monday, October 7th at the Board of Elections; (or, you may register to vote at an office of any Deputy Registrar of the Ohio Bureau of Motor Vehicles; public libraries; public high schools or vocational schools; County Treasurer's Office; Office of Secretary of State or any of the 88 county Boards

of Elections). Normal office hours for the Paulding County Board of Elections office are Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon and 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. The office will be open until 9:00 p.m. on October 7th, voter registration deadline.

Have you moved or changed your name since the last time you voted? If so, you should notify the Board of Elections by Monday, October 7th. Persons not certain of their registration validity may contact the Board of Elections office at 419-399-

MARSHALL MEMORIAL SUPPORTING FUND DONATES TO 4-H LIVESTOCK BUILDING FUND



Shown presenting a \$25,000.00 gift to the Livestock Building Fund, administered by the Paulding County Area Foundation are board members of the Paulding County Area Foundation; Jason Williamson, Myrna Cook, Virginia Paulus, Jason Thornell, Lisa McClure, Karl Mielke and Jay Schmidt. The

gift was presented from the Marshall Memorial Supporting Foundation. If you have questions on supporting the Livestock Building Fund, please contact Lisa McClure, Executive Director at 101 E. Perry Street, Paulding, OH or at 419-399-8296. All donations are tax-deductible.

8230, or write, email, or stop in the office at 105 East Perry Street in Paulding. You may review your voter information on our website at <http://electionsonthe.net/> or searching "Paulding County Board of Elections." You may also change your name or address online by www.MyOhioVote.com.

Should you wish to register at the Paulding County Bureau of Motor Vehicles which is located at 831 North Williams Street, Paulding, the office hours are Monday 8:00 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.; Tuesday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; and Saturday 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon.

You are qualified to vote if:

- You are a citizen of the United States.
- You will be at least 18 years old on or before November 6th.
- You will be a resident of Ohio for at least 30 days immediately before the election in which you want to vote.
- You are not incarcerated (in prison) for a felony conviction under the laws of this state, another state or the United States.
- You have not been declared incompetent for voting purposes by a probate court.
- You have not been permanently disfranchised for violations of the election laws.

You are eligible to vote in elections conducted in your

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

General Code, Section 11681
Revised Code, Section 2329.26

**THE STATE OF OHIO,
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vs.

**CHARLES L. DAVIS, ET AL.,
Defendants,**

Case No. CI 12 196.

Pursuant to an Order of Sale in the above entitled action, I will offer for sale at public auction, at the East door of the Courthouse in the Village of Paulding, in the above named County, on Thursday, the 31st day of October, 2013 at 10:00 o'clock A.M., the real estate located at:

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The appraisal of this property was completed without an interior inspection. Neither the Sheriff's Office nor the appraisers are responsible for the condition of the property at the time the purchaser takes possession.

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Jeffrey R. Jinkens, Attorney for Plaintiff

RUBBER BAND POWERED CARS DESIGNED BY WOODLAN HIGH STUDENTS



Students in Mr. Brad McAlexander's Physics class at Woodlan High School participated in the Physics Olympic Sport of Rubber Band Powered Cars on September 16. The students spent three weeks preparing and perfecting their cars for the competition. At the beginning of the project, students were instructed that vehicles could be made using any material, but the only method

of propulsion was to be four rubber bands that were provided. With this in mind, the students designed vehicles using compact discs, legos, baskets, wire and buttons. Students were graded on the distance the vehicle traveled and awarded prizes for the fastest and greatest distance traveled. At the end of the activity, students recorded their findings in the form of a lab report.

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Completed application forms should be delivered to the Paulding County Area Foundation office. Applications will be received until **4:00 pm, Monday, September 30th, 2013.** Paulding County Area Foundation looks forward to receiving your request.

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE VILLAGE OF ANTWERP HYDRANT FLUSHING SCHEDULE

The Village Utility Department intends to start hydrant flushing starting the week of September 16, 2013. The first area to be flushed will be located south of the Old U.S., 24 (River Street), depending on weather this process should take 7 to 10 days. Starting approximately September 26, 2013 hydrants north of Old U.S. 24 (River Street) will be flushed. The above schedule is contingent on weather and/or emergency repairs.

Residents may experience temporary discolored water during this process. If noticed, residents should run your tap water until the water is clear. This notice is being given to try to avoid discoloration to clothing during the hydrant flushing.

If you have questions, please call the Village Administrator at 419-258-2371

VILLAGE OF ANTWERP PUBLIC NOTICES

The Council of the Village of Antwerp passed **ORDINANCE NO. 2013-33** on September 16, 2013, entitled "AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING REVISIONS TO THE PERSONNEL MANUAL FOR THE VILLAGE OF ANTWERP, OHIO, SAID REVISED PERSONNEL MANUAL TO BE EFFECTIVE AS OF SEPTEMBER 16, 2013." This Ordinance adopts revisions to the personnel handbook for the employees of the Village of Antwerp.

The Council of the Village of Antwerp passed **ORDINANCE NO. 2013-37** on September 16, 2013, entitled "AN ORDINANCE DETERMINING THE VIDEO SERVICE PROVIDER FEE TO BE PAID BY A VIDEO SERVICE PROVIDER OFFERING VIDEO SERVICE IN THE VILLAGE OF ANTWERP PURSUANT TO A VIDEO SERVICE AUTHORIZATION; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO GIVE NOTICE TO THE VIDEO SERVICE PROVIDER OF THE VIDEO SERVICE PROVIDER FEE; AND DECLARING THE SAME AN EMERGENCY." This Ordinance authorizes the Village to impose a fee on video service providers in the amount of 5% of gross revenue, including advertising revenue, and requires the Mayor to provide notice of the same to any video service provider that gives the Village of Antwerp notice it intends to provide video services within the Village of Antwerp.

The publication of these Ordinances is by summary only. The Complete text of the Ordinances may be obtained or viewed at the office of the Village of Antwerp Fiscal Officer located at 118 North Main Street, Antwerp, Ohio.

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PAULDING COUNTY COURT REPORTS

Criminal Disposition Report
Anthony D. Brown; Stryker; Assault; No Cont; shall make restitution to the victim through the clerk's office; pay all fines & costs
Alayna C. Leatherman; Continental; Disorderly Cond; pay all fines & costs
Angela Cowdrick; Van Wert; Pass Bad Check; case dismissed per State; costs to defendant; restitution has been paid
Joshua J. Grimes; Defiance; Non Support; Ct-Guilty; pay all costs; probation; shall become compliant & current with all child support payments; shall make weekly payments for child support
Ronald J. Swary, Jr.; Paulding; Disorderly Cond; Ct. Not G; shall pay all fines & costs
Jonathan R. Bowman; Paulding; Theft; Guilty; pay all fines & costs; have no contact w/victim; make restitution through the clerk's office; Ct. Mischief; Guilty; make restitution to the victim through clerk's office; pay all costs; have no contact with victims or residence
Paul R. Brandenhoff; Oakwood; Domestic Violent; Ct-No Cont; shall pay all fines & costs; no contact w/victim; submit an evaluation at Westwood Behavioral Center; probation
Patricia S. Kipfer; Paulding; Obstruct Business; No Cont; pay all fines & costs; community service; complete "Thinking for A Change" program; submit an evaluation to Westwood; probation; amend to obstructing official business
Dalton J. Coburn; Grover Hill; Theft; Dismiss; case dismissed per State, with prejudice
Jeanine L. Goins; Grover Hill; Criminal Damag; Dismissed; case dismissed per State, with prejudice
Dustin N. Ripke; Oakwood; Disorderly Conduct; Dismissed; case dismissed per State, costs to defendant; Count A; Assault; No Cont; pay all fines & costs; probation; have no unlawful contact w/victims; community service; make restitution through clerk's office; Count B; Crim. Damages; Dismissed; Count B dismissed per State; Count C; Criminal Damage; No Cont; pay all fines & costs; comply with all community control transactions
David L. Smith; Antwerp; Count A; Weapon Intoxica; Dismissed; Count A dismissed; Count B amended; Count B; Dom Violence; Ct-No Cont; pay for stay while incarcerated; may apply for work release; weapon forfeited to the Paulding County Sheriff's Office; remain med compliant; probation; pay all costs; submit evaluation
Andres S. Martinez; Defiance; No Fish License; Guilty; case was waived by defendant
Brooks E. Starbuck; Cromwell; Litter; J-No Cont; pay all fines & costs
Real Estate Transfers:
Auglaize Twp.:
9/9/13; Betty M. Donaldson est.; Sec 34; pt SW ¼ SE ¼; 2.168 acres; To: Daniel J. DeSota
9/9/13; Tabitha M. Keezer; Sec 30; pt NW FR ¼; .100 acre; To: Shawn B.

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RAIN TECH Seamless Gutters, 419-258-1818. 38-40 WHISPERING PINES: 2 bedroom apartments for rent in Paulding. Please call 419-399-2419 or 419-670-4655. eot

HOUSE ON RIVER FOR SALE - on 1671 Rd. 250 on the Maumee River near the Ohio-Indiana State Line (1.88 acres). Finish to suit yourself and price is negotiable. (Some hardwood floors/ carpet optional in price). Two-story house, three all new bedrooms with closets, 1 1/2 new bathrooms, stained woodwork, full basement, deck in back; 4 yr. old furnace, elec. stove and frig stay; Unattached 3-car garage with new roof and paint (also overhead full 3-car attic). Dead trees cut down this summer. Circle drive and wooded lot. New sidewalks. Extra metal storage bin on new cement base. Would like to sell as is. BY APPOINTMENT ONLY. Please call 419-258-2222. Note: this is only 1 mile as the crow flies from Pond-a-River Golf Course. p

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ANTWERP STUDENTS STUDY 9/11 EVENTS



On September 11th, third grade students in Mrs. Tempel's Antwerp Elementary class studied the events of 9/11. They discussed that to honor the victims of 9/11 they could do acts of kindness. Each student wrote "I will" statements to communicate what they planned to do to make a difference in their lives or the life of another person. Pictured here (l-r) are Michael McCreery, Rayni Rister, Autumn Zuber, Aerial Snyder, and Parker Moore.

Sudoku solution from page 13

3	6	5	4	7	8	2	1	9
9	8	2	6	3	1	7	5	4
4	1	7	2	5	9	3	8	6
7	9	1	3	4	2	5	6	8
2	4	6	5	8	7	9	3	1
5	3	8	9	1	6	4	7	2
1	5	3	8	9	4	6	2	7
8	2	4	7	6	5	1	9	3
6	9	7	9	2	3	8	4	5

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Secretary of State Jon Husted announced that 7,094 new entities filed to do business in Ohio in August 2013. These numbers are slightly down compared to August 2012, in which 7,341 new entities filed with the Secretary of State. The Secretary of State's office has assisted with 62,323 new business filings to date in 2013 (January-August). This is an increase from the same time period last year, in which there were 60,069 new business filings. Though the most visible role of the Secretary of State is that of chief elections officer, the office is also the first stop for individuals or companies who want to file and start a

business in Ohio. While recognizing these numbers can't provide a complete picture of Ohio's jobs climate, they are an important indicator of economic activity that Secretary Husted hopes will add to the discussion of how to improve the state's overall climate for business.

NOTE: New business filings are classified as forms filed with the Ohio Secretary of State that declare the formation of a business entity, including for-profit, non-profit and professional corporations, limited liability companies, partnerships, limited partnerships and limited liability partnerships. Filing as a business in Ohio does not guarantee the company will begin operations, be profitable or create jobs.

MR. & MRS. DAN HAHN CELEBRATE 25 YEARS OF MARRIAGE



Mr. and Mrs. Dan and Karen Hahn celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on September 24, 2013. They were married at the Calvary Bible Church in Paulding on

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Donald and Marlene Kipfer, of Payne, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Amber Lee, to Timothy Everett Heck, the son of Daniel and Debra Heck, of Payne. The bride-elect is a 2008 graduate of Wayne Trace High School and a graduate of Ivy Tech Community College, Fort Wayne, IN, with an Associate's degree in Business Administration. She is currently employed at JAT Trucking in Fort Wayne, IN as a dispatcher. Her fiance is a 2006 gradu-

ate of Bethel S.T.A.R. Christian Academy and a graduate of Bowling Green State University where he earned a Bachelor's degree in Computer Science. He is enrolled in Bowling Green's Masters of Business Administration. He is currently employed at Marathon Petroleum Corporation, Findlay, OH as an advanced IT systems integrator. The couple will exchange vows on Saturday, October 12, 2013, at Divine Mercy Catholic Church, Payne. Following the wedding the couple will reside in Findlay, OH.

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