

RED RIBBON WEEK MESSAGES AT OAKWOOD ELEMENTARY



Third, Fourth, Fifth and Sixth graders at Oakwood Elementary were asked to write at least five things to say "Yes" to instead of drugs dur-

ing Red Ribbon Week which is celebrated nationwide from October 23-31, 2013. Some amazing messages were writ-

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DAVE BISCHOFF WILL BE INDUCTED



New Haven's Dave Bischoff will be inducted into the Indiana Baseball Coaches Association's Hall of Fame on January 24, 2014.

Bischoff, who attended Belmont and played in college for IPFW, began his coaching career at Norwell where he was an assistant coach until 1985.

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SETH ARMSTRONG GRADUATES FROM BASIC TRAINING

Seth Armstrong graduated from the Army's OSVT basic training and advanced individual training on October 11, 2013 at Fort Benning, GA. He is a part of the Infantry Brigade Delta 150. Next he is headed to Fort Campbell, KY where he is stationed with Air Assault training.

Seth graduated from Antwerp High School and Vantage Career Center. His parents are Denise Pauken and Jeffery and Amy Armstrong. His sister is Clarissa Armstrong, and his grandparents are Jerry and Elizabeth Wise, and Gary and Carol Armstrong.

LADY WARRIORS WIN SECTIONALS!



The 2013 Woodlan Volleyball team showing off their Sectional Trophy! More pictures at westbendnews.net

After winning a very close first volleyball game against Adams Central on Tuesday, the Warriors came back Saturday, October 26 to take on Canterbury for the second round of the tournament that took place at the Woodlan home court.

Woodlan beat Canterbury in three games in the second round of sectionals earlier in the day: 25-18, 25-13, 25-8.

This win sent the Lady

Warriors back Saturday night to take on the leader of the other side of the bracket, South Adams who won after the other contestants fell: Eastside, Bluffton, and Churubusco.

South Adams won against Eastside in second round earlier on Saturday: 25-21, 29-31, 25-19, 19-25, 15-13

The Woodlan team started the championship game with a bang and ended it just about

as fast, defeating South Adams in three very quick sets. Burgundy Price was confusing the opposing team with her incredible serves along with Kory Gerig and Tori Bontrager, the set and spike crew. The entire team was playing the best game they have all season.

Final score with Woodlan finishing South Adams 25-10, 25-12, 25-5.

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ganizer for the Auglaize Country Club. He was a former member of the Lions Club; and Paulding Chamber of Commerce. He was very active in the Paulding United Methodist Church where he held many offices. Robert and his wife, Marjorie were the 2008 Grand Marshals of the John Paulding Days Parade.

He is survived by his wife, Marjorie Gorman, Paulding; a daughter, Lou Ann (Joe) Martin, Eugene, Oregon; two sons, Gregg R. Gorman and Jeff Gorman both of Paulding; 2 grandchildren; and 8 great grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by 3 brothers, John, Charles and Fred Gorman; and 2 sisters, Doris Gorman and Thelma Keller.

Funeral services were conducted 2PM Friday, October 25 at Paulding United Methodist Church with Rev. Ben Lowell officiating. Burial followed in Blue Creek Cemetery with military graveside rites conducted by VFW Post #587.

Visitation was 12 Noon until time of services on Friday at the church.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations made to Paulding United Methodist Church.

Online condolences may be sent to www.denherderfh.com

Den Herder Funeral Home, Paulding, is handling arrangements.

ASHEVILLE, NC:

Former Paulding and Kalida resident, **Raymond H. Stults Jr.**, age 77 died Monday, October 21, 2013 at the John F. Keever Solace Center, Asheville.

He was born in Paulding County, Ohio, on October 8, 1936, the son of Raymond and Martha W. (Barnes) Stults. On April 7, 1957 he married Betty Ann Forney who survives. He was previously a truck driver for Beal Trucking.

He is survived by his wife, Betty of Asheville NC; two sons, Jon "Eric" Stults, Asheville, and Michael (April) Stults, Springhill, FL; two daughters Debra (Jerry) Goings, Cloverdale, OH, and Lisa Ann Stults, Asheville; 10 grandchildren; and 11 great grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his parents and a brother John C. Stults.

Funeral services were con-

ducted 1PM Saturday, October 26 at Den Herder Funeral Home, Paulding. Burial will follow at Cooper Cemetery, Paulding County.

Visitation was 10:30 - 1PM Saturday, October 26 at Den Herder Funeral Home, Paulding.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations made to Hospice.

Online condolences may be sent to www.denherderfh.com



JAMES MILAN HERZOG,

James Milan Herzog, loving husband and beloved father and grandpa, passed peacefully on Wednesday, October 23, 2013 at the Pickering House, Lancaster, OH. He was born on July 11, 1940 in Fort Wayne, IN. He was a graduate of South Side High School class of 1958 and Indiana Institute of Technology University in 1963. James served in the U.S. Navy as a statistician at the Great Lakes Exam Center, IL. He was a Certified Professional Engineer employed by General Electric in Fort Wayne and then by Anchor Hocking in Lancaster as a Project Engineer, where he was awarded patents for his work in the closure division. He was honored as a Senior Fellow for contribution to the success of the sealing machine business within the packaging group. He retired as a Senior Design Engineer after 30 years with Anchor Hocking/Crown Cork and Seal.

He is survived by his wife of 46 years, Patricia (Bruns) Herzog; 3 children, Thomas (Sandra) and Timothy all of Lancaster; daughter, Tonya (Thomas) Tanehill of Canal Winchester; 4 grandchildren, James and Emily Herzog and Alex and Amy Tanehill; 2 brothers, Frank (Marga-

ret) Herzog, Huntington, IN and Kerry Miller of Fort Wayne.

He was preceded in death by his father, Frank Joseph (Lucile) Herzog; mother, Marjorie (Wire) Herzog Miller and step father Daniel Miller.

He was an avid photographer who had recorded family celebrations with photos, slides, movies and videos since he was in High School. He also enjoyed gardening and sharing his photography. He valued his family and friends: they will hold him in their hearts.

Friends called from 2-5 pm Sunday, October 27, in the Halteman-Fett & Dyer Funeral Home and one hour prior to the service. Funeral Services were held Monday, October 28 at 10:30 am in Emanuel Lutheran Church with Pastor Mark Raddatz officiating.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Pickering House, 282 Sells Rd., Lancaster, OH 43130 in his memory.

LEAF PICK-UP & YARD RECYCLING DUMPSTER NEWS FROM WOODBURN

Leaf pick-up will begin this week in Woodburn. north and south streets will be picked up on Mondays and Wednesdays, and east and west streets on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Please rake your leaves to the curb.

On January 1, 2014 a 9 yard recycling dumpster will be available on Front Street at the current recycling site for outside residents who would still like to continue to recycle. An approved list is on our website www.cityofwoodburn.org or available at City Hall. There is no need to separate plastics, glass, cardboard and paper.

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Plastic bags (they get caught up in the gears of the recycling machine.); Food soiled material, Plastic tubs, Cups, Trays, Broken glass, Windows, Mirrors, Ceramics and Light bulbs, Cranking glasses, Aluminum foil, Scrap metal.

Please be aware that this container is provided as a service to the community. Please do not abuse it. City residents will start curbside recycling on January 3.

—Holly Sarrazine, Clerk Treasurer, City of Woodburn

TOWN HALL MEETING ON COMMON CORE

A Town Hall Meeting on Common Core will take place in New Haven. The host of the morning is Kevin Howell, Allen County Councilman 1st District. The guest speaker will be Dennis Kruse, Indiana State Senator District 14, Chairman, State Senate Education Committee.

This meeting is set for Saturday, November 2nd, 9:00-10:00 a.m. at the New Haven City Hall Police Training Room www.newhavenbulletin.com

PAULDING:
Robert E. Gorman, age 94 died Monday, October 21 at his residence.

He was born in Jackson Township, White County, Indiana, the son of Thomas E. and Wanda (Caughell) Gorman. On April 22, 1939 he married Marjorie Ann Albery, who survives. He was a WWII US Army veteran earning two Bronze Stars and owner/operator of R.E. Gorman Insurance Agency retiring in 1987; a member of the Buckeye Union Insurance Company for 67 years; a Life Member and former Chaplain of VFW Post #587, conducting over 1000 funerals; former member of Payne American Legion; and a former Mason. He was a member of the Ohio Independent Insurance Agents Association; Paulding County Independent Insurance Agency; RRNC Precinct Committeeman; and the original builder and or-

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SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK

"All flesh is like grass and all its glory like the flower of grass. The grass withers, and the flower falls, but the word of the Lord remains forever."
1 Peter 1:24-25

GOING DIGITAL AT BRUNE PRINTING



Brune Printing has expanded operations in Paulding. Adam Miller, graphics specialist, has joined the Brune team. He contributes to the vehicle graphics and numbering products.

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MAYFLOWER COMPACT LUNCHEON 2013

The Toledo Colony of the Mayflower Society will be meeting soon for their Fall Luncheon. This organization keeps alive the memory of our pilgrim ancestors. It is to educate people today with correct stories of the pilgrim's lives, activities, and relations with other people.

Their objectives also maintain and defend the principles of civil and religious liberty as set forth in the Compact of the Mayflower. "For the Glory of God, and advancement of the Christian faith, and honor of our country." This group also sets out to cherish and maintain the ideals and institutions of American freedom and to oppose any theories or action that threaten their continuity.

The speaker for our Fall Compact luncheon meeting on November 23 is Prof. Kristie Bilger of Lourdes University History Dept. She also serves as Director and Curator of the Firelands Museum in Norwalk, OH. The Firelands name comes from the Ohio territory land promised by the Connecticut legislature to the citizens of nine towns in 1792 in response to the damage done by invading British troops who set fire to those towns during the Revolutionary War. Prof. Bilger will give a power-point presentation on the history of the Firelands area. It will be held at the Holiday Inn French Quarter, 10630, Fremont Pike, Perrysburg, OH 43551 (US 20 at I-75 exit 193). For reservations, please call cell phone: 906-440-5088 (Jeff).

For more information on the Mayflower Society you may contact: Publicity Chrm: Caroline Zimmerman at 419-

258-2222; or Susan Fisher, Lt. Gov. of the Toledo Colony at 517-238-5302. Anyone directly descended from a signer of the Mayflower Compact is eligible. Help is available if you have questions.

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ten by many of the students. Several students were selected for doing an outstanding job on writing the messages and creating a well-designed picture to go along with the messages.

Some of the messages written were: Say yes to eating healthy, say yes to going to church, say yes to exercising, say yes to sports, say yes to being nice, say yes to playing music, say yes to picking up litter, say yes to respecting others, say yes to helping friends, say yes to helping our community, say yes to playing outside, say yes to being in the band, say yes to reading a book, say yes to doing homework, say yes to treating others the way you want to be treated, say yes to playing with someone who is lonely, say yes to spending time with family, and say yes to reading and learning. There were many other comments listed but these were some of the most powerful.

Great job students! Some of the students selected for doing an outstanding job on their Red Ribbon Week writing project.

caption: Students in the photo are (front) Hayden Mulden and Gabe Nunez (third graders), Olivia Sprouse (fourth grader); (back row) Audra Stuck (sixth grader), Mark Butler and Alivia Perl (fourth graders). Not in the photo but selected as winning fifth graders were Hannah VanScoder and Hailee Huner.

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This benefit will go to support Tracy's medical expenses, bathroom accessibility renovations, carpet replacement, and installation of hardwood floors for wheelchair mobility.

COASTING ON FAITHFUL FUMES

By: Regan Clem, Riverside Christian Church

I worship a Savior who was beaten up and killed for me. He didn't come riding on a horse, a tactical missile, or a drone and take over the world. He came in love, eventually bearing a cross that He was nailed to. If you are willing to surrender yourself to Him and His mission to love others... If you want to be part of a group of people doing the same, then following Jesus and getting involved in a church should be just the thing for you.

In the New Testament we are never called to mimic God's justice; we're called to mimic His love. He reminds us that vengeance is His, not ours. We're called to love our neighbor, enemy, and everyone else. Even when it is not convenient, cultural, or safe.

We, the church—you and me—people in relationship with Jesus and each other—not a building—we, the church are striving to be the people God wants us to be, loving the world the way God wants us to love it.

Are we really doing that? Or do we just say it? Are we striving to be the people God wants us to be, or do we just want to do enough to "get saved?" Are we loving the world the way God wants us to love it, or are we just loving it when it is convenient to us, fits nicely into our schedule, and doesn't really cost us anything?

Last week, I was blessed with the opportunity to be the middleman in delivering a \$1000 anonymous gift. God had laid it on another person's heart to give a certain family that money. They were faithful and did it. So I was able to deliver a great gift, a tremendous blessing, at really no cost to myself.

And I enjoyed being used to do that.

Then it struck me. Everything I do is like that. God has given me everything; it's all a blessing from Him. One of the greatest lies that we buy into as Americans is that we actually deserve this. We deserve to wake up every morning and have food available unlike others around the world. We deserve to be in a loving family unlike others around us. We deserve to have all the excess entertainment options we enjoy unlike those less fortunate. We deserve this and we deserve that. Because we work hard. Because we're smart. Because of this or that.

But it's all a lie. We don't deserve it.

It's by God's grace. Don't get me wrong. I think we can create fair and just systems that help accommodate His blessing. We can live lives that God's grace can more easily flow into. But we have become prideful. We think we deserve God's blessings because of how great we are. And we don't. That's the nature grace. It isn't something deserved. All our blessing, We don't deserve them. When we think we are deserving, then we fail to see all the love being poured into us.

We're coasting on the fumes of the faithful who have come before us. If we don't turn back to God soon, those fumes will run out. We'll sputter to a stop and find ourselves left on the side of the road of life—hungry, weak, without a family, without all the entertainment. All the blessings that our prideful selves have taken for granted will be taken from us. But the good truth is that you don't need to hit rock bottom to turn and respond to God's grace.

Instead of building up pride, God's grace should inspire selflessness, service, faithfulness. His grace should inspire in us a desire to draw as close to Him as we possibly can. It should inspire us to work toward His vision of living that we each have been called to. We should start (or continue if you are already) feeding the hungry.

We truly love God and live for Him when we love others. Love, in this case, isn't some emotional, fuzzy sort of thing. You can tell a needy person that you love Him and not help Him, but you can't trick God that way. He knows your heart, and He knows your actions. He says that if you love the needy person, then you should help her. If you care for the hungry, then feed him. If you love the homeless, then house them. He says that in doing those things, you are loving Him.

It doesn't matter how emotional you get when you worship God, whether you're spinning around in a wheat field with your arms raised, raising your hands in worship, or you imagine Him wrapping His arms around you in your quiet time. What matters is how you treat the least of these. Strangers. The hurt. The hopeless.

Because all that we do to love others is like that opportunity I was given this week. We don't earn what we are able to bless others with. It was given to us by God. It actually still is God's possession. And we must learn, if we claim to follow Jesus, to use the things that are His in a way that will bring Him glory.

Do you really want to follow Jesus?

You can read more of Regan's writings at www.regansravings.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.

HOSPICE DINNER/AUCTION: NOVEMBER 2nd AT GRANT'S CATERING

Community Health Professionals of Paulding will host its annual dinner/auction and Hospice-Beacon of Hope event on Saturday, November 2nd at a new location this year - Grant's Catering, 503 E. Canal St., Antwerp.

The dinner begins at 6:00 p.m. followed by a presentation of a lighthouse in memory of patients and families cared for by hospice in the past year.

Live and silent auctions will begin at 7:00 p.m. and include a variety of donated items.

This event will benefit the visiting nurses & hospice patient care fund. For more information, call 419-399-4708 or see the ad in this week's West Bend News.

CELEBRATING IF YOU GIVE A PIG A PANCAKE WITH PANCAKES



Pictured here is Owen Franks pouring in some ingredients for pancakes as his classmates looked on.

Mrs. Hammer's first grade class at Antwerp Elementary read the story *If You Give a Pig a Pancake* by Laura Numeroff and then followed the recipe to make blueberry pancakes in class. Students learned what ingredients are and how to follow a recipe step by step. Students also had to figure out how to use measuring cups and measuring spoons.

BOY, GIRL & CUB SCOUTS COMMUNITY FOOD DRIVE

A community food drive is being sponsored by the Cub, Boy and Girl Scouts of Antwerp. On November 2nd bags will be sent out to the community. Please put in them what you can and set them out for the morning of November 9th and they will be picked up and taken to the United Methodist Church Food Pantry by the Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and Girl Scouts. If you miss this pickup date the Pantry is open Mondays and Wednesdays from 9:00-11:00 a.m. Also, a donation box will be set up at the River Street Market in Antwerp from November 1st through 24th.

WOODBURN LUTHERAN SCHOOL "LESSON ON GIVING"



The Woodburn Lutheran School 8th grade class recently held a 'Boys vs. Girls Pennies War' to raise money for a local charity. They decided to donate the \$500.00 collected to the Woodburn

Christian Children's Home, since two of their fellow students are residents there. Pictured are students of the 8th grade class, and residents and staff of the WCCH.

YOU ARE NEEDED!

If you are looking for a way to get involved and help your community, but don't know where to begin, we would like to make a suggestion.

The Woodburn Community Association needs community residents who would be willing to come to one meeting a month (the 4th Tuesday), give your suggestions, and help in making Woodburn a better place to live.

Yes, it does require some of your time, but you will meet new people and find helping the community is a very rewarding experience.

We hope you will join us at Woodburn City Hall at 7:00 p.m. on the 4th Tuesday of each month.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Madison May Wiesehan was born on October 23, 2013 at 12:35 p.m. at Community Memorial Hospital, Hicksville. She was 7 lb. 3 oz. and 19 inches long.

Her parents are Mike and Danielle Wiesehan of Payne. Grandparents are Jay and Rocky Dangler of Paulding, and Keith and Susan Wiesehan of Antwerp. Great-grandparents are Linda and Gerald Dangler of Paulding, Dorthy Wiesehan of Antwerp, Jim and Joyce Griggs of Paulding, Don Rhonehouse of Payne, and Barney and Gertrude Michael of Montpelier, OH.

Other proud family members: Uncle Jayson Dangler, Aunt and Uncle Sarah and Ryan Noggle, Aunt and Uncle Aaron and Nancy Erford, and Aunt and Uncle Matt and Kendra Wiesehan.

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The Merl's Girls along with others will be serving up with their special style. "God put this in our hearts to start this ministry."

For more information about God's Loving Kitchen, please contact Edward Miller at 419-258-0265.

BIBLE QUESTIONS

By: James Potter, Oakwood church of Christ

1. Luke 9:57 - What did the man tell Jesus in this verse?
2. Luke 9:57 - How soon was this man willing to follow Jesus.
3. Luke 9:58 - What does Jesus mean by the foxes have holes and the birds of the air have nests?
4. Luke 9:58 - Jesus who made all, did not make for Himself what?
5. Luke 9:58 - What does Jesus mean, by saying son of man?
6. Luke 9:59 - What did Jesus say to this man?
7. Luke 9:59 - What excuse did this man have?
8. Luke 9:60 - What did Christ tell this man to do?
9. Luke 9:61 - What does

this man want to do before following Christ?

10. Luke 9:61 - What was this man more concerned about than Jesus?

Comments or questions? Call James Potter at 419-393-4775 or Lonnie Lambert at 419-399-5022. Jesus loves you and so does the Oakwood church of Christ.

Answers to last week's questions:

1. Talking about Christ crucifixion and ascension.;
2. Jerusalem.;
3. A village of the Samaritans.;
4. To make ready for Him.;
5. Did not receive Him.;
6. There was a set time for Jesus and His suffering and death and He knew it.;
7. Bring fire down from heaven and consume them.;
8. Yes.;
9. Know not what manner of spirit you are.;
10. Not to destroy man's lives but to save them.

Now for a few comments on what we have studied. As we have studied Luke 9:57-62. There are three different people who have made excuses why they can't follow Christ. Brother Lonnie Lambert always tells the congregation that an excuse is just a dressed up lie.

The first one said I will follow you wherever you go. Jesus told the person foxes have holes, birds have nests, what does He mean by this? That the foxes and birds have places to make their home, but the creator of the world, Jesus, has no home on earth to lay His head. This was after Jesus was denied a place of rest in a Samaritan village.

The second person wanted to bury his father, but Jesus said let the dead bury their dead. This has reference to those who are spiritually dead burying their dead. There can be no higher priority than one's duty to the Lord.

The third person wanted to say goodbye to those in his house and this seemed to be okay. But Jesus knew of the pressures this man would encounter at home and the persuasions that would thwart discipleship.

Loved ones, Christ must come first in everything. Loved ones, please continue

to pray, read and study the Bible! Till next time this is Ol' Baldy saying bye and luv ya!

ENERGIZE AT THE ARCH ON TUESDAYS

The Antwerp Community Youth Center will begin a once a week After School Program on Tuesday afternoons from 3:00-5:00 p.m. at The Arch (located across from Riverside Park in Antwerp). The program will be referred to as Energize. School age children 4th through 12th grade are welcome. They will be allowed to come and go during this two hour time frame unless a parental/care-giver note is provided.

The volunteers at The Arch will be available to help with homework or the kids can just come in to unwind, play some games and have a snack.

Any questions? Contact ACYC at acycthearch@gmail.com

FOOT IN MOUTH DISEASE

By: Rev. Ernie Johnson

I find it interesting how we all suffer from something called "Foot in Mouth Disease" and even the syndrome itself is an interesting study. I like to tell people that when I was younger I could place my foot behind my head, but now I can only get it as far as my mouth. The "foot in mouth" syndrome gives one much to think about if taken as a literal statement. Let us look at a few of the problems.

First, if one does not remove the footwear, one could damage the teeth, not to mention what "nice" surprise might be on that footwear. There is also the problem of getting tooth marks on the footwear and that would be a no-no. After removing the footwear, the sock becomes an issue. How much of an issue depends upon how many days (weeks) since the foot was last washed and a clean sock placed upon it. Does one really want to place that thing in his/her mouth? These are all legitimate concerns, but rarely considered when we fall victim to this "disease". Usually we just open the mouth, and insert the foot.

Looking at some other aspects of this "disease", we see other problems. First, it is very difficult to say anything intelligent when your mouth is full of food. Imagine the difficulty of intelligent speech with your entire foot stuffed in the mouth. The foot is, as a rule, attached to the leg and this makes it very difficult to walk when the foot is in the mouth. If we succeed in getting both feet into our mouth at the same time, we do not have a leg to stand on. There is one advantage to having one or both of your feet in your mouth; it cuts down on your food purchases. There are two reasons for this; one, the appetite is reduced, and two, it is difficult to get food past your foot.

Christians must take extra care to avoid the "Foot in Mouth Disease". If they remove the shoe, they remove part of the armor for they are to cover their feet with 'the preparation of the gospel of peace'. Removing the sock is removing a part of the covering, allowing "chinks" in armor, and this weakens the Christian's testimony. Placing the foot in the mouth, with or without the shoe and sock, either silences, or makes it

impossible to present a clear testimony to the world. With the foot in the mouth, it is impossible to walk in an upright manner, as believers are to do.

It becomes clear that when Christians place their foot in their mouth, they lose a part of the armor and a part of the covering, allowing their testimony to become unclear, and the walk becomes unstable. These are great reasons that a Christian must be very careful not to allow the foot to get anywhere near the mouth. The believer's testimony must be pure and the believer's testimony is this:

1 John 5:11-12 NASB, "And the testimony is this, that God has given us eternal life, and this life is in His Son. He who has the Son has the life; he who does not have the Son of God does not have the life."

QUESTIONS? Just ask and receive an answer. To learn more about this ministry, email erniejohnsonministries@aol.com or call 614-702-3132

DO YOU RECOGNIZE THE SOUND OF HIS VOICE?

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

When our youngest child was born the doctor gave him to a nurse to be cleaned up. As the nurse was doing her job he continued with the cry he started when he drew his first breath. Gently but persistently, I spoke to him with the name we had given him and each time he heard my voice he turned his head, looking for my voice and then stopped crying. This prompted the nurse to respond, "He knows your voice."

Brian Brown tells the story of being at the community pool with his family. Kids were screaming, playing, and splashing in the pool, music was playing, the lifeguard whistles were blowing and in the midst of the conversation, his wife shooshes him. He said, "What are you doing?"

"Shoosh, did you hear that?"

"Hear what?" he said. "Listen!"

And over all of the noise, she had heard their youngest daughter screaming. As she listened to it, she then said, "OK, everything's alright. That's a happy scream."

He said he was blown away that, over all of the other voices, she not only recognized her child's voice but was able to identify what type of scream it was. Why? Because every day she talked with them and in the process learned the sound of their voices.

And then he writes, Maybe that's what it takes for us to understand His voice, that every day communication and spending time saying to God, "Speak to me." This is why it's so important spending time in prayer. The only way you will be able to hear the voice of God is if you spend time together.

Jesus spoke of "the sheep knowing their shepherd by His voice... John 10:27 (NKJV), "My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me." Do you recognize the sound of His voice? For more information about the work of Youth for Christ, you may contact Youth for Christ at 419-782-0656, P.O. Box 111, 210 Clinton Street, Defiance, Ohio 43512, or email to: defyfc@embarqmail.com

RED RIBBON WEEK AT DIVINE MERCY



Mrs. Stoller's class at Divine Mercy Catholic School poses before their Red Ribbon Week bulletin board. Red Ribbon Week runs from October 21 to October 25, and every day has a different theme and slogan to remind kids to stay away from drugs.

WOODBURN BRANCH LIBRARY NOVEMBER EVENTS

SMART START STORYTIME:

Fridays, November 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 10:30 a.m. - This Storytime features finger plays, songs, stories of various lengths and crafts.

YARN LOVER'S GATHERING:

Thursdays, November 7, 14, 21, 7:00 p.m. - If you already know how to knit or crochet or if you want to learn how to knit or crochet join us at Woodburn. We have people that can help you get started or teach you new techniques. Join us for a creative evening.

WOODBURN LEGO CLUB:

Monday, November 11, 4:00 p.m. - Grades 3 and up can create with Legos. There will also be Legos at the library for you to use. And, of course, snacks.

WOODBURN KIDS CLUB:

Wednesday, November 13, 4:00 p.m. - A special club for children ages 6-11. Each meeting will include a game, a readers theater, a craft and a snack as well as book sharing. You will receive a button each time you attend. This month Aliens for Dinner!

INTERNET, WORD PROCESSING & E-MAIL HELP:

By appointment. We offer computer classes. No previous computer knowledge is necessary.

NEW HAVEN BRANCH LIBRARY NOVEMBER EVENTS

STORYTIME:

Tuesdays, November 5, 12, 19, 26, and Wednesdays, November 6, 13, 20, 27, 10:30 a.m.

November 5 & 6 - Hur-ray for Hats

November 12 & 13 - Whoo Whoo Owl

November 19 & 20 - Food Fun

November 26 & 27 - Turkey time

BUILDING BRAINS LEGO CLUB:

Tuesday, November 12, 3:30 p.m. - Do you love building with LEGO blocks? We'll supply the LEGOs you supply the imagination.

THOSE WITTY BRITS:

Wednesday, November 20, 7:00 p.m. - A book club devoted to British humor. Come and laugh with us. Check with the branch to find out the book of the month.

TOO FUN TUESDAY:

Tuesday, November 26, 3:30 pm. - Magazines aren't just for reading. We'll teach you how to turn magazines into some really neat art.

TEEN THURSDAYS:

Thursdays, November 7, 14, 21, 3:30 p.m.

November 7 - M i n e - Craft Craftiness

November 14 - Gitterize All the Things

November 21 - Game On!

Thank You
Dale and Anita McDorman Benefit
From east to west, north to south people rallied around Dale and Anita with love and support for what they are going through with Dale's MDS. Oct 12th was a day that the Lord had his hands on. We were so blessed with the many people that came, the many silent auction items that were donated, Dale and Anita's kids and family, the ladies/men of the church, all the people wanting to help and Pastor Todd & Liz. We may be a small town, but the heart of this town is huge. We thank you and many blessings to you.
—First Baptist Church Antwerp

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Contemporary & Heritage Services
Sunday School, Bible Study 9:15
Woodburn Lutheran School Affiliation (LCMS)
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www.christlutheranchurchwoodburn.com
Sunday Worship 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

ELECTION SUPPER
Tues. November 5, 2013
4:30 ~ 7:00 PM
Twin Oaks U.M. Church Fellowship Hall
200 Main Street - Oakwood, OH
~ M E N U ~
* Swiss Steak
* Oven Baked Chicken
* Mashed Potatoes & Gravy
* Cole Slaw & Dinner Roll
* Desserts (Pie & Cake)
* Beverages
Free-Will Offering
For further information, please contact the church office at (419) 594-2992. To order carry out meals on Tuesday, November 5, please call the fellowship hall at (419) 594-2100.

Rose Hill Church of God
TURKEY SUPPER
November 7, 2013
4:30 - 7:00PM
Free Will Offering
Carry-outs - \$7.00
17965 Rd 138 • Paulding, OH 45879
Corner Rt. 637 and Rd. 138

2013 Christmas Market Place
Harlan United Methodist Church
16434 State Road 37, 260-657-5364
Saturday, November 2, 2013 - 8am - 2pm
Sweet Shop - Crafts - Refreshments - Lunch
Vendor Items
Thirty One products, Scentsy, Crochet scarfs, Silk flowers, paintings, lap quilts, aprons, Table runners, crafts, handmade jewelry, Wooden bowls, boxes, pens, Mary Kay, Tupperware and Hair Bows
Drawings for
1. Handcrafted Quilt
2. Painting by Ardeth Ely
3. Handcrafted Clock by Mike Fouts
4. Hand-painted Ornament by Lucille Richmond
5. Hand-knit Shawl by Karen Oliver
6. Embroidered Sweatshirt
As well as several baskets full of goodies!
This and That
Beginning Sewing Basket
Garden Family Night Out
Bird Just Nuts
Hydrangea Wreath
Tickets are \$1.00 each
or 6 for \$5.00
Contact Harlan United Methodist Church (260) 657-5364 or Jackie Closson (260) 657-5457

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Although I no longer live in Paulding year round, I have considered it my hometown for nearly 40 years. I appreciate the Crescent News and Jack Palmer for the positive article written about our new superintendent in the October 20th edition of the Crescent News. This positive article is good news for the Paulding School District.

I believe this article is a true story about the teachers, administration, and staff at Paulding Schools. They do indeed do an outstanding job. What the article did not mention was the three-ring circus that is our elected school board. I, for one, have had enough of the no votes, refusal to vote, the motions that fail to get a second, personal agendas, and the attempts to micromanage the school district by the Board of Education.

I truly believe that a change in board members is of great importance. With the upcoming November election and in future elections I believe change must happen. In the upcoming election voters should give serious consideration to the election of two candidates, Mr. Mark Manz and Mr. Clint Vance.

The members who have been on the board for a long period of time have been negative in many of their decisions and it is time for a change. Our students and district deserve better.

—J. Steven Clark

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

My name is Benny Wyckoff and I am running for reelection for Carryall Township Trustee.

I am 62 years old and was born and raised in Carryall Township. I have been married to my wife, Deb, for 41 years. We have two daughters, Kara (Matt) Eicher, Tiffany (Josh) Leinbach, three grandsons and one granddaughter. I currently work at the Antwerp Post Office, serving Route 1 for over 30 years.

I am a member of the Antwerp United Methodist Church, currently serving as Administrative Council Chairperson. I am also an active member of the Antwerp Cemetery Association, Antwerp Community Improvement Corporation and Paulding Township Association. I previously served as President of the Antwerp Athletic Association.

I would appreciate your vote on November 5th.

—Benny Wyckoff

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

I'm writing in support of the library levy. The Paulding County Carnegie Library is near and dear to my heart. I worked in the library system for seven years. I began as a library page, after graduating high school I became a full time library clerk and my last four years I was the manager at the Payne Branch Library. In those seven years I met so many people who use the library. I grew to know them and even seeing them today they remember me from the library. I am still a part of the library by serving as President on the Friends of the Payne Branch Library group.

The library has so much to offer. Books, magazines, movies, CD's, newspapers, genealogy materials, computer classes, children's programs, teen groups, book clubs, summer reading program and all of those things are FREE to the community. They also have copy machines and fax ser-

vice and the list goes on and on. This levy RENEWAL will allow the library to continue to offer all of these things to our county. They even have a bookmobile! So many remember the bookmobile as a kid and are excited to share the experience with their own children and grandchildren. It gives people the opportunity to have access to materials who otherwise couldn't. I can't even imagine the excitement the bookmobile is to young children.

I now have two children that love going to the library. They love the "big library" and our local Payne Branch. Where else can you borrow books and movies for FREE! They aren't asking for more money but just to renew the 2009 levy. Visit all the libraries in the system. See for yourselves what each library offers. Stop at the Paulding County Carnegie Library to see the restoration they have done. It looks awesome. Visit the three branches in Oakwood, Payne, Antwerp and check out the bookmobile. Show your support of the library by voting YES for the LEVY RENEWAL.

—Stacy Thomas, Payne

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Yet one more year, it is necessary to gather to honor the life and remember the violent death of Nancy Eagleson who was abducted and murdered in Paulding, Ohio, November 13, 1960. One more year, we have to admit this murder is still unsolved. Recent developments at the old jail gave us brief hopes of a resolution to this crime, but now things seem doubtful again. Again, we, as a community, must insist that every avenue be pursued to solve this case.

Please join us on the Walk to Remember Nancy on Saturday, November 9th at 7:00 p.m., beginning at the old Paulding movie theater just west of the courthouse square on Perry Street. We will walk the route taken by Nancy and her little sister on that fateful night, and we will end the walk at the abduction site. There, we will say a prayer and perhaps have a song, and then Sheriff Jason Landers will let us know about any progress on the case.

This walk will take place, rain or shine, so please dress for the weather. Wear light colors and carry a flashlight to help with visibility and safety. It is important to show our support to the family and to our local law enforcement officers to make it very clear that we are in favor of all efforts to solve this murder.

Sincerely,
—Jeanne Windsor

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

I am writing in support of the Paulding Exempted Village (EV) School District's bond issue on the November 5th ballot. The 2.36 mill renewal levy will be used for operating expenses and will mean NO new taxes!

This renewal levy was first passed by voters in 1981 at 8 mills and has been renewed 7 times. The original levy in 1981 was called an "emergency levy," so the district must use that same language on the ballot this election. Increased needs in special education, technology, security, and educational resources are areas of

focus for the district and will require passage of the renewal levy to help fund them.

Paulding Schools works continuously while keeping a high quality education for students. The district has been rated excellent or higher for the past 3 years and a successful levy renewal will help them remain an excellent school district. Won't you help continue the excellence?

To remain fiscally stable despite the ongoing uncertainty of state funding and federal grants, the district needs your support. That's why I urge residents of the Paulding EV School District to support high-quality schools and vote yes on the levy on November 5th.

—Rob Delane, Deputy executive director Ohio School Boards Association

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Support the Library Levy! The Historic Paulding County Carnegie Library has been an integral part of our community for nearly 100 years. On November 5th, we are being asked to support the Library well into the future with a continuous levy so that the Library and its branches throughout our county can maintain current level of services. This means NO NEW TAXES, just what property owners are paying now. The millage amount will not increase even though property values may rise.

Our families depend on the library services for newspapers, magazines, books, movies, electronic media, internet use, IRS forms, genealogy research, and much, much more!

If you haven't been to the main Library for a while, take time to stop in and see the beautiful interior and new, comfortable reading areas. Take a moment to visit with staff members so you can appreciate their dedication to Paulding's strong Library system.

We want our children and grandchildren to experience the same sense of wonder and awe that the Library provided us throughout the years.

Please support the levy on November 5th.

—Friends of the Historic Paulding County Carnegie Library

Lady Warriors
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The girls travel to Westview for the first round of the Regional Tournament bracket on Tuesday, October 29.

- Stats for Woodlan girls:
- Brooke Gerbers - 4 kills, 1 ace
- Brooke Romines - 1 kills, 2 digs, 1 block assists
- Maddie Fredrick - 3 digs, 3 digs
- Burgundy Price - 10 kills, 3 aces, 14 digs
- Sarah Voors - 1 ace
- Kenzie Salsbrenner - 1 set assist, 5 aces
- Kory Gerig - 11 kills, 3 block assists
- Tory Bontrager - 12 kills, 3 aces, 2 block assists
- Rebekah Dignal - 3 digs

The West Bend News website has many pictures of area events. Be sure to visit www.westbendnews.net

3 ROAD CLOSURES IN NEW HAVEN

There are three road closures coming to New Haven. Two of them are associated with Street Improvement Projects and the third is for the annual Halloween event in New Haven.

- Broadway Street from Powers Street to Lincoln Highway and Broadway Street from Lincoln Highway to Park Avenue in New Haven will be closed Thursday, October 31, 2013 from 4:30 until 7:30 p.m. for the Downtown Businesses Trick or Treat and Halloween Carnival in Schnelker Park.

- Brookwood Drive between SR 930 and Courtney Drive in New Haven will be closed Wednesday, October 30, 2013 beginning at 12:00 p.m. until Friday, November 15, 2013 at 5:00 p.m. for work on the Adams Center and Brookwood Drive Street Improvement Projects (SIP-2013-01).

- Adams Center Road between SR 930 and Moeller Road in New Haven will be closed Wednesday, October 30, 2013 beginning at 12:00 p.m. until Friday, November 15, 2013 at 5:00 p.m. for work on the Adams Center and Brookwood Drive Street Improvement Projects (SIP-2013-01).

ODOT CONSTRUCTION & MAINTENANCE PROJECTS WEEK OF OCTOBER 28, 2013

Did you know this transportation fact?

The traffic signal poles and mast arms that are being installed on Ohio 117/309 on Lima's east side are painted with a three-layer paint system. This paint system is similar to what is used on structural steel beam bridges. Each layer of paint is different and is designed to protect the steel pole in a different way. Only the final layer is black, the other layers are a different color.

Defiance County:

Ohio 2 from Hicksville to Ohio 249 west of Farmer will be reduced to one lane through the work zone for sealing of pavement cracks. Work is being performed by the Defiance County ODOT maintenance garage.

Paulding County:

U.S. 24 ramps at U.S. 127 will be restricted through the work zone for berm repair. Work is being performed by the Paulding County ODOT maintenance garage.

Ohio 66 north of Oakwood will be reduced to one lane through the work zone during drainage work. Work is being performed by the Paulding

County ODOT maintenance garage.

Van Wert County:

Ohio 49 north of U.S. 30 to the Paulding County line will be reduced to one lane through the work zone for sealing of pavement cracks. Work is being performed by the Van Wert County ODOT maintenance garage.

FSA MILC PROGRAM ENDED & DAIRY OPERATIONS NEED TO PROVIDE PRODUCTION EVIDENCE & SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

The Ohio Farm Service Agency (FSA) would like to remind dairy producers that currently no legislation has been enacted to extend the Milk Income Loss Contract (MILC) program past September 30, 2013, as provided by the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012.

USDA's Milk Income Loss Contract Program (MILC), administered by FSA, compensates dairy producers when domestic milk prices fall below a specified level. The application deadline to sign-up for MILC program benefits was September 30, 2013.

Final production evidence and any supporting documentation for eligible months (this includes the 2009, 2010, 2012 and 2013 fiscal years) that MILC was in effect must be submitted by November 1, 2013.

Dairy operations can obtain more information on MILC by contacting your local FSA office.

Dave Bischoff
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He has coached 29 seasons at New Haven, winning 533 games, 10 sectionals and three regionals. His teams have made three Final Four appearances. Two of his players have gone on to professional careers and 51 have played in college.


Among the other inductees will be Gary DeHaven, a native of Huntington, who coached the last 26 years at Benton Central.

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Vote Yes
Paulding County Health Department

Proposed Tax Levy Renewal
Paulding County General Health District
This Levy would cost each taxpayer \$7.00 per year on a property tax evaluation of \$100,000
Paid for by: Bill Edwards 5635 Port Street Columbus Grove, OH 45830
Needed to maintain present Health Department operations and services.



MANAGER OF COUNTRY TIMES MARKET: KIM ARMSTRONG

By: Stan Jordan

Kim was born in the Paulding County Hospital in January of 1960. Her parents are Dennis and Kay Tinlin Doster. There were four in the family and they lived in the Broughton area.

She attended school at Wayne Trace and two years at Vantage. She graduated from there in 1978. She was a member of the 1st full two year class to graduate. After school she was employed at Ducats Clothing Store in Paul-



ding. Then she worked for 24 years at the Eagle Picture Plant in Grabill. She has been the manager at the Country Times Market in Antwerp for

the last three years.

The owner of the Country Times Market is Denny Knott. He has 10 of these gasoline stations, but this one is the only one with a restaurant. His stations sell Sunoco and Marathon products.

Kim married Jeff Armstrong in 1980 and they had three children: Michelle, lives in Van Wert and has one child; Eric lives in Van Wert and has one child; Ashley lives in Dayton. Kim lives here in Antwerp with her long time friend Tim Pitser.

Her hobbies are: baking, spending time with her grand children; a little gardening; loves to travel—maybe even to Europe, and is a big time fan of Ohio State.

As a teenager she thought she might go into the education field but that didn't work out. She said she is satisfied in the food business, she has learned a lot and has a lot to learn. She puts in many hours every day. She added, "We have 13 fine employees."

She said she enjoys her job because she loves the customers. She got acclimated to the area and the surroundings and is now a big booster.

Kim, it was a pleasure talking to you about the restaurant business.

See ya!

A LITTLE ON MANDALE

By: Stan Jordan

I heard from a person that lives in Mandale and he brought me up to date, sort of, on the status thereof. He says that the town is moving right along and has plenty of history.

It was named after Dale Mann. A plan for the town was filed in 1889 by Dale

Mann and Alice Mann.

It lays about five miles south of Oakwood on SR 66 and SR 114. The little Auglize River is in the area. Many years ago the FF & W Railroad went through there. That was the Findlay & Ft. Wayne & Western Railway. I have no idea when it was abandoned. Some of the other hamlets on the railroad were: Batson, Tipton, Grover Hill and Roselms. When the railroad, disbanded, some of those small towns went downhill.

See ya!



By: Stan Jordan

One Liners

**A man asked his blonde friend to help him check his rear turning signals to see if they were working. She stood at the rear of the car and said "Yes, no, yes, no."

**Blondie was going to bake a double batch of cookies but she couldn't get the temperature up to 700 degrees.

**Two blondes were going ice fishing, but they gave it up because they couldn't break the ice to get the boat in.

**Blondie's husband asked her to make a chocolate moose but she said the oven wasn't big enough.

**The young man came to Blondie's door and said he was from the Census Bureau, and he explained they wanted to know how many people were in the U.S.

Blondie replied, "How do you expect me to know that?"

**A man fell off of a 10 story building but he didn't get hurt. He had on a light fall suit.

**Blondie was at grandma's house when she received a call on her cell phone from her sister. Then Blondie wondered how her sister knew to call her at grandma's.

**Blondie called her husband at work. She knew that was a no-no.

He said, "I don't have time to talk to you, what do you want."

"I have some good news and some bad news."

He said, "Give me the good news first."

She said, "The air bag in your new car works very well."

See ya!

NAPOLEON, DEFIANCE & WESTERN RAILWAY RESTORES COMPETITIVE INTERCHANGE ACCESS

Pioneer Railcorp subsidiary, the Napoleon, Defiance & Western Railway has completed a major rehab project that will allow all shippers on the line to route traffic via both CSX Transportation and Norfolk Southern. Mike Carr, President and CEO of Pioneer Railcorp, said, "After purchasing this line in December 2012, a major priority was to rehab several miles of previously inoperable track between Defiance and Cecil. In doing so, we are now able to offer our eastern shippers NS access via Woodburn, IN and our western shippers CSXT access via Defiance,

OH." Carr continued, "The Ohio Railroad Commission was instrumental in the rehab process and shares our vision for the NDW's future. All current shippers should benefit immediately from this competitive access and multiple Class 1 connections are a necessity to participate in major industrial development projects going forward. The combination of industrial development sites, local support and 4 lane highway access puts us in position to attract major industries that would add jobs to a growing region." Pioneer Railcorp, an Iowa corporation, is a railroad holding company that owns shortline railroads and several other railroad related businesses including a railroad equipment company and a contract switching services company. Railroad transportation is provided by the Company's wholly-owned shortline railroad subsidiaries. Pioneer Railcorp wholly-owned subsidiaries collectively handle 25 rail operations in 14 states with over 600 miles of track serving over 100 customers.

USDA ISSUES CONSERVATION RESERVE PROGRAM RENTAL PAYMENTS, DIRECT PAYMENTS & ACRE PAYMENTS

Agriculture Secretary Tom Vilsack announced that USDA has begun distributing Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) annual rental payments to participants across the country. USDA also will distribute 2013 direct payments and 2012 Average Crop Revenue Election (ACRE) program payments beginning October 24. Payments originally were scheduled to be issued earlier in the month, but were delayed by several weeks due to the lapse in Federal funding.

"Farmers, ranchers and rural landowners across the country count on USDA programs and the payment delays due to the shutdown were an unnecessary burden," Vilsack said. "USDA has prioritized making these scheduled payments without any further delay and Farm Service Agency staff have worked hard to get this assistance out the door as quickly as possible."

Producers will receive

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The New Haven Area Heritage Association (NHAHA) is eager to put new use to an old building. Originally opened in the late 1880s, the New Haven Depot was an essential part of transportation in New Haven. Almost one year after completing the restoration, the NHAHA hopes the Depot will again be an asset to New Haven and surrounding communities.

It took years and years of planning, construction and red-tape-cutting, but last November, the Depot was restored and ready to welcome Santa. This year and in coming years, the NHAHA hopes the building can find good use as a bike or kayak depot, venue for classes, or rental facility for small events like birthdays and showers-not to mention another visit from Santa this year.

The NHAHA re-used and restored everything they possibly could from the original building. Vintage wood plank floors, some with square nails visible, 1880s window frames, intact ticket window, and original cabinets all add to the charm of the Depot. They went so far as to use original pieces of wood to reinforce the cabinets and what couldn't be salvaged for the building was made into bird houses for fundraising. To bring it up to code, they added a modern bathroom and handicap accessibility, and the facility has heating/air and electrical outlets.

The New Haven Depot is located on State Street near Mosier Park at the end of the River Greenway. This historic facility will no doubt enrich New Haven for many more years.

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By: Coach Stemmler

On Saturday, three members of the New Haven cross country team competed at the New Haven Semi-State. Deric Laurent finished 76th out of 179 runners in a time of 17:18. Three spots behind was Josh Hiatt in 79th place with a time of 17:19, which was a lifetime best on the IPFW course. In the girls' race Paige Boatright showed her determination as she ran through the race after

aggravating her foot injury. Instead of quitting, Paige fought through the pain and even though she did not place well or run the time she normally does, she earned the admiration and respect of many of her fellow competitors. All three runners represented New Haven with honor and will help the program continue to succeed next year.

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payments on almost 700,000 CRP contracts on 390,000 farms covering 26.8 million acres. In exchange for a yearly rental payment provided by USDA on contracts ranging from 10 to 15 years, farmers and ranchers enrolled in CRP agree to remove environmentally sensitive land from agricultural production and plant grasses or trees that will improve water quality and improve waterfowl and wildlife habitat. CRP reduced runoff and leaching of nitrogen and phosphorus into waterways by an estimated 605 million pounds and 121 million pounds, respectively, in 2012,

and soil erosion reductions totaling 308 million tons in 2012.

Direct payments for 2013 for the DCP and ACRE programs are being made to the more than 1.7 million farms enrolled in the Farm Service Agency's programs. Producers with base acres of certain commodities are eligible for DCP payments. ACRE payments for 2012-crop barley, corn, grain sorghum, lentils, oats, peanuts, dry peas, soybeans, and wheat are scheduled to be released beginning October 24 and contingent upon national average market prices and yields in each state. ACRE payments for large

chickpeas, small chickpeas, canola, crambe, flaxseed, mustard seed, rapeseed, safflower, sesame, and sunflowers are scheduled to be made in early December and for long grain rice and medium and short grain rice in early February 2014 when the final 2012/13 market year average price data becomes available.

The 2008 Farm Bill, extended by the American Tax Payer Relief Act of 2012, provides authority to enroll land in DCP, ACRE and CRP through September 30, 2013, however, no legislation has been enacted to reauthorize or extend this authority. Effective October 1, 2013, FSA does not have legislative authority to approve or process applications for these programs.

For more information on CRP, DCP and ACRE, producers should contact their local FSA office or visit FSA's website at www.fsa.usda.gov.

PAULDING COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEETING MINUTES 10/7/13

This 7th day of October, 2013, the Board of County Commissioners met in regular session with the following members present:

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

ALLOWANCE OF CLAIMS:
Warrants documented as 202561 through 202646 for County Bills were approved and certified to the County Auditor for payment.

TRAVEL REQUESTS:
Greg Geyer, OSAVSC Fall Conference, Dublin, OH - November 22-24, 2013

Tim Baumle, OSAVSC Fall Conference, Dublin, OH - November 22-24, 2013

Dan Wilder, OSAVSC Fall Conference, Dublin, OH - November 22-24, 2013

Roger Taylor, OSAVSC Fall Conference, Dublin, OH - November 22-24, 2013

Jonathan Lichty, OSAVSC Fall School, Dublin, OH - September 24-27, 2013

Angel Pease, Third District Court of Appeals' Clerk Seminar, Lima, OH - October 30, 2013

Don Stemen, Weights & Measure Training, Sidney, OH - October 8 & 9, 2013

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

The Paulding County Auditor has certified the following "Then and Now" purchase order numbers and payments included in the Allowance of Claims on October 2, 2013, Warrants numbered 202429 through 202152 in the amount of \$27,656.12; and it is certified that both at the time that the contract or order was made ("then"), and at the time that the County Auditor is completing the certification ("now"), that sufficient funds were available or in the process of collection, to the credit of a proper fund, properly appropriated and free from any previous encumbrance; and pursuant to the Ohio Revised Code §5705.41(D)(1), these purchases must be approved by resolution of the Board of County Commissioners. Now, therefore the Paulding County Commissioners approve the Then and Now Purchase Orders as submitted by the Auditor; and it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Board of County Commissioners, County of Paulding, State of Ohio concerning the adoption of this resolution were adopted in an open meeting of this Board of County Commissioners, and that all deliberations of this Board of County Commissioners and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal

requirements including Section §121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

A motion was made by Mr. Roy Klopfenstein to go into executive session at 10:40 a.m. with the Paulding County EMA Director to discuss personnel matters. The motion was seconded by Mr. Fred Pieper. All members voting yea.

At 10:49 a.m. all members present agreed to adjourn the executive session and go into regular session.

IN THE MATTER OF AMENDING THE 2013 ANNUAL APPROPRIATION (FUND 280):

The Board of County Commissioners does hereby direct the County Auditor to amend the 2013 Annual Appropriation by appropriating the following in the Sewage Permit Fund (Fund 280):

280-001-00003/Sewage Permit/Other

AMOUNT: \$500.00

IN THE MATTER OF AMENDING THE 2013 ANNUAL APPROPRIATION (FUND 281):

The Board of County Commissioners does hereby direct the County Auditor to amend the 2013 Annual Appropriation by appropriating the following in the Private Water System Fund (Fund 281):

281-001-00003/Private Water System/Other

AMOUNT: \$1,000.00

IN THE MATTER OF MODIFYING THE 2013 ANNUAL APPROPRIATION (FUND 280):

The Board of County Commissioners does hereby modify the 2013 Annual Appropriation and hereby directs the Paulding County Auditor to transfer funds in the Sewage Permit Fund (Fund 280):

FROM: 280-001-00003/Sewage Permit/Other

TO: 280-001-00002/Sewage Permit/ Fringes

AMOUNT: \$500.00

MEETING NOTES OF APPOINTMENTS:

Claudia Fickel, County Auditor - Ms. Fickel introduced her newest staff member, Angie Stoller. Ms. Stoller will be working in the Real Estate Department of the Auditor's Office.

Aaron Timm, Paulding County Engineer's Office - Mr. Timm presented the Commissioners drawing for the newly-purchased parking lot. The Commissioners noted a couple of adjustments. Mr. Timm will see that the adjustments are made and bring back a revised plan next week.

Jim Langham, Paulding Progress - Mr. Langham interviewed Paulding County Economic Development Director, Jerry Zielke. Mr. Zielke began his PCED directorship on October 1. His plans are to continue working with Paulding County businesses, offering assistance through RLF, tax abatement agreements, and CRA. He emphasized the importance of industrial, retail, and business opportunities in Paulding County. A few of his ideas for PCED are:

- 1) develop a comprehensive marketing plan
- 2) upgrade the website with more links
- 3) develop a mentor program, utilizing successful local entrepreneurs (current and retired) as a resource
- 4) work with local officials to improve communities
- 5) create a PCED foundation, funded by donations to support economic growth
- 6) apply for grants, both government and private, to assist in infrastructure and other costs involved in economic development

Mr. Zielke noted he is 'where he's at as a result of participating in 4-H and junior leadership'. He is excited to get started. The Commissioners congratulated him on his new position and look forward to working with him.

Randy Shaffer, EMA Director - Mr. Shaffer reported the generator at the OSU extension building has been serviced. Commissioner Klopfenstein noted all but four political subdivisions have submitted resolutions supporting the newly-formed EMA. Mr. Shaffer has a few more signatures to obtain on the January, 2012, journal pages. He requested permission to attend the EMA and State LEPC conferences on October 29th and 30th at the Ohio Fire Academy in Reynoldsburg. Commissioners Klopfenstein shared a tentative agenda for the first EMA Advisory Council meeting to be held at EMA office in the OSU extension building on October 21. Mr. Shaffer indicated he would like a website for the EMA. He further noted that while the website would be accessible to all county residents, a password-protected area for fire chiefs and EMS/EMT volunteers would be helpful. The Commissioners suggested that Mr. Shaffer work with E911 for a possible website link.

MINI ARCHER VOLLEYBALL PROGRAM



Mini Archer Volleyball Program took place this fall at the Antwerp Local School. Students in grades 2-6 participated. The high school volleyball team and coaches were in charge of teaching volleyball skills to these young athletes.

OHIO STATE PATROL TEACH ANTWERP KINDERGARTNERS ABOUT BUS SAFETY



Friday, October 25 was an exciting day for the Kindergarten classes at Antwerp Elementary. State Trooper J.J. McClain was explaining to the kids how easy it was to be safe around the big yellow buses. "Stand Back from the yellow and Black!" was the theme for Bus Safety Week.

Student Halley Hathaway was escorted by Ms. McClain to each different area including the front of the bus demonstrating to the other youngsters the best way to stay alive!

The 10 Basic School Bush Safety Rules are:

- Be on time.
- Never run to or from a school bus.
- Stand away from the curb.
- Don't push or shove.
- Stay in your seat.
- Don't yell or shout.
- Always obey the bus driver.
- Wait for the drivers signal before crossing.
- Always cross at least 10 feet in front of the bus.
- Never crawl under a school bus.

Following the safety demonstrations the kids were also shown how emergency safety window exits work. The trooper stated that Antwerp school buses have two different styles. The kids had to learn both styles to see how they work and be prepared just in case.

After the kids learned about how to exit windows, they learned how the rear exit door works. Then each one got to safely exit the emergen-

cy door with the help of Mr. Jordan and Ms McClain.

The kids had lots of fun and they had their picture taken with their teachers, Ms. Hibbard, Ms. McMichael, and Ms. Engel, with Gale Jordan, Director of Transportation, Trooper JJ McClain and Bus Safety Inspector Tina Eley.

SOUP SUPPER AT AUGLAIZE FIRE DEPT.

The Auglaize Township Fire Department Auxiliary will be hosting a Soup Supper on Saturday, November 2, 2013 at the Auglaize Fire Department, corner of SR 637 and Rd. 169. They will be serving from 4:00-7:00 p.m. The menu for the evening includes: Soup - chili, chicken noodle and bean; Sandwiches - sloppy joes, turkey, hot dogs/chili dogs; coleslaw, applesauce, desserts, lemonade, punch, and coffee.

WOODLAN LOSES IN 5th TO SNIDER

By: Jeff Abbott

After falling behind 2-0 to Snider, Woodlan figured out how to beat Snider and came back to win the next 2 sets before falling to the Panthers in the fifth set 15-9 and lose the match. Burgundy Price had 26 kills in the match and Brooke Gerbers had 42 assists for the Warriors. The reserve team dropped their match to the Panthers 16-25, 25-23 and 14-15.


Scores: 27-25S, 25-23S, 21-25W, 14-25W, 15-9S

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RAIDERS FOOTBALL WIN AT ANTWERP



Antwerp's Bevin Hall tackled by a host of Raiders. More pictures at westbendnews.net

The Archers took on Wayne Trace at Antwerp on the cold evening of Friday, October 25. The Raiders have only lost one game and the Archers have only won one game. It wasn't hard to figure who would probably pick up the win. That did not deter the home team from playing the game and working hard.

In the first minute of the game Raider Colby Speice passed 44 yards to Korbin Showalter delivering the first points to the board. The second touchdown was a pass to Jared Sherry from Speice with a minute left on the board. Both touchdowns got the two extra points added when they were successfully ran in.

The second quarter had Wayne Trace scoring once again with Sherry and the team pushing forward one

yard for the score and Speice ran in the two point conversion. The next point before the half was passed from Speice to Showalter. The point after came from Giuseppe Trapaldi kicking the point after.

The third quarter had Wayne Trace adding the points on the scoreboard faster than you could count. It started with Showalter and followed with Sherry, Devin Wenzlick and Darian Asher-Layman and once again Trapaldi added three more points in the kicks after.

The fourth quarter started with an injury to Connor Arnd after head-on helmet to helmet hit. It has been confirmed that he is recovering well and wasn't as serious as it could have been. Antwerp scored then in the fourth quarter. Finding the right

time, Tyler Messman had a 28 yard run, posting Antwerp's first points. Justice Clark ran the ball into the end zone for the 2 points. The Raiders responded with Gabe Wobler launching a 67 yard pass with Dave Sinn receiving. Antwerp's Bevin Hall added the next touchdown to the Archers and Clark ran the ball in adding to Antwerp's score.

Antwerp had 10 first downs, 184 Rushing yards, 41 passing yards (not too bad for having only 5 attempts), 3 fumbles with two lost.

Wayne Trace on the other hand had 20 first downs, 152 rushing yards, 371 passing yards (totaling an incredible 523 offensive yards), 21 pass completions, and one fumble but it was recovered by WT.

Score by quarter:
Antwerp: 0 0 16=16
Wayne Trace: 16 15 27 6=64

WOODLAN FOOTBALL WINS FIRST GAME OF SECTIONALS

It was a good week for Woodlan as they travelled to Central Noble on Friday, October 25 for the first game of Sectionals. The Warriors scored 18 points in the first quarter, in fact, they scored every quarter!

Score by Quarter:
Central Noble - 6 0 6 14=26

Woodlan - 18 12 16 11=57
The first touchdown was scored by Greg White with a

pass from Rick Ehle for a 7 yard touchdown. Jaylin Bennett scored the next touchdown of the first quarter. White also scored the third TD in a 15 yard rush. In the second quarter Bennet and White both ran in expanding the points for Woodlan. Deandre Woods ran in for a touchdown in the third and Bennett also scored a 91 yard dash.

Five times, Quenton Graber scored the extra points on the goals. Woodlan racked 28 first downs, 448 Rushing yards, and 9 passing yards.

Woodlan takes on Prairie Heights for the second game of the Sectionals at home on November 1st.

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PAULDING BROADSIDED BY PIRATE SCALLYWAGS



Touchdown by Quentin Vance in the fourth quarter. More pictures at westbendnews.net

Wouldn't it be fun to have a team name like the Pirates? Apparently somebody thought so a while back. The game was at Paulding on Friday, October 27. The Panthers were attempting to add one more victory to the winning side of the record. The Bluffton team altered the course of intent early in the game. The Pirates are a team with an average record of 4-4 while Paulding's record is at 2-6.

The game began completely in the favor of Bluffton and continued on until the end of the game. Paulding earned its first and only touchdown in the beginning of the fourth quarter by senior Quentin Vance. As the night began to get colder, the fumbles took place more often as the boys fingers were numb from the temperature.

Final Score: Bluffton 41, Paulding 7
Game Stats:
Passing:
Julian Salinas - 13 completions for 115yds
Zach Buchman - 3 com-



pletions for 6yds
Rushing:
Julian Salinas - 10 for 39 yds
Quentin Vance - 9 for 62 yds TD
Chazz Hahn - 1 for 14yds
Zach Buchman - 4 for 13yds
Tackles:
Chazz Hahn - 3, 1 TFL
Taylor Deatrick - 4
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Financial Focus by: Gabe Pollock, Edward Jones Advisor

After plenty of haggling, and a fair amount of political theater, Congress reached a last-minute agreement to raise the debt ceiling and end the partial government shutdown. Most people would agree that a fully functioning government that can pay its bills on time is a positive thing — and it's certainly good news for investors, because a default on the part of the U.S. government could have had serious repercussions in the financial markets. But what's next?

We may find out fairly soon, because the legislation that passed only funded the government through January 15 and raised the debt limit through February 7.

But as an investor, you don't have to wait until next year to respond to these ongoing political issues.

Consider taking the following steps:

- Look for opportunities. The stock market didn't overreact to the drama in Washington. Also, despite the likely short-term drag on the economy caused by the partial government shutdown, U.S. companies have shown that they are able to increase earnings, even with slow

sales growth — and corporate earnings are a key driver of stock prices. These are all good signs for investors. And stock valuations (as measured by price-to-earnings ratios) are reasonably attractive. So, now may be a good time to pursue new investment opportunities, assuming they're appropriate for your individual needs, goals and risk tolerance.

- Be prepared for volatility. The financial markets have their "likes" and "dislikes" — and one thing they don't like is uncertainty. So, despite the fact that the markets stood up pretty well during the shutdown/debt ceiling episode, it's still quite possible that we'll see some volatility in the weeks ahead. To prepare yourself for these potential fluctuations, you'll want to own an appropriate mix of investments — which means you may need to rebalance your portfolio. A diversified portfolio can't guarantee profit or protect against loss, but it can reduce the impact of volatility — and it can help keep you calm, too.

- Be aware of interest rate movements. If the debt ceiling had not been raised, it's highly possible that we would have seen a spike in interest rates, which could have hurt the value of your bonds. (When interest rates rise, investors won't pay full price for existing bonds because they can get newly issued ones at the higher rates.) But even though we avoided this scenario, you'll still need to be on the alert for interest-rate movements over the next several months — especially if the Federal Reserve discontinues its bond-buying program, which is designed to help keep long-term rates low. Still, it's probably not a good idea to totally avoid bonds in anticipation of rising rates, because bonds can help balance your portfolio if stocks were to decline. Nonetheless,

keep a close eye on the Fed's actions, and be prepared to make changes if it appears that rates may indeed jump.

Apart from registering your opinion with your elected representatives, you can't control what happens in Washington. But, no matter what political conflicts are taking place, you can control your investment decisions — and you can continue with a strategy that can help you make progress toward your long-term financial goals.

FOCUSED ON SERVING OUR COMMUNITY

Casey's Comments by: IN State Rep. Casey Cox, House District 85



I am humbled to serve as the new State Representative for House District 85. I step into the big shoes left by former-State Representative Phyllis Pond, and while I won't pretend to fill those shoes, I will be as dedicated a public servant as I can. I always admired Rep. Pond's tenacity and commitment to our community. She was a great leader for Northeast Indiana and a true champion of conservative, Hoosier values. It's an honor to follow her legacy.

Over the past several years, I have lived in various parts of District 85. It is my home, and I am dedicated to seeing it prosper. My focus is on serving the people of our community. In that vein, I'd like to introduce myself and tell you a bit about my background.

I am a graduate of Leo Jr./Sr. High School where through my studies and participation in activities like varsity basketball and student council, I gained a passion for service, teamwork and public policy at a young age. After high school, I headed to Indiana University where I continued my academic and public service pursuits. I served as Chairman of the College Republicans and later as Student Body President. Most importantly, I met my 'college sweetheart,' Melissa, and married her a few years after graduation. After I completed my undergraduate studies, I attended IU Bloomington's Maurer School of Law,

graduating with honors. During law school, I was appointed by Governor Mitch Daniels to serve on the Indiana University Board of Trustees, where I was one of nine trustees responsible for governing Indiana University.

After law school, Melissa and I came home to Northeast Indiana. Through my work with small businesses, nonprofits and local governments as a lawyer with Beers Mallery Backs & Salin and my involvement in various nonprofit boards and public commissions, I've been able to continue my passion for service and commitment to others.

Melissa and I now have two children—Adrienne and Andrew. I work hard to provide for my family, and I try to serve as a positive role model for my children. As a young father, I do my best to instill those values that I've learned through faith and family in our community in my own children. Now, as a state legislator, I have embraced an opportunity to become part of something much larger than myself.

I look forward to meeting you and listening to you over the next few months. As the new Representative for our district, I take very seriously the responsibility of bringing our community's voice to the Statehouse. I will work tirelessly to serve constituents and promote our shared Hoosier values.

GETTING OUR FEDERAL BUDGETING IN ORDER

Guest Column by: OH Representative Tony Burkley

There's no doubt that our nation has been going through a time of many financial struggles. The recent federal government shutdown only highlights this, and I'm hopeful that progress will be made to set us on the right path for the future. Here in Ohio, one of the tools we have in place to assist our state's financial health, is a requirement in the Ohio Constitution that our state budget be balanced. This makes the decision-making process for legislators all the more challenging during budgeting season, but we all recognize that it is good for Ohio as a whole.

Our nation's debt is now at \$17 trillion, so the question is raised of why the federal government cannot balance the books like we do at the state level.

Our Founding Fathers knew that it would be important for the states to have a check on the federal government. That's why a system was put in place to amend the United States Constitution. With our country at a crossroads, it very well may be the time to adopt a federal balanced budget amendment.

House Joint Resolution 7, which was recently introduced at the Ohio House, calls for a federal constitutional convention for the purpose of proposing a balanced budget amendment to the United States Constitution. If this convention were to take place after 34 states call for a balanced budget amendment (and about half of them already have), it would take 38 states to ratify the amendment.

PA'S HOMESTEAD IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS!



The Antwerp Chamber of Commerce would like to welcome Monica Dohoney to the opening of her new business, Pa's Homestead. Monica hosted a Grand Opening on Saturday October 26th at her new store at 2546 Road 204.

Pa's Homestead features antiques, primitives, candles and much more and is opening just in time for your holiday shopping. So stop in and check out everything that Pa's Homestead has to offer.

If Congress cannot fix the financial problems facing the United States, it is important that we explore other avenues and make the voices of Ohioans known. It's my hope that Washington will take notice and that steps for a more sustainable future will be put in place. After all, this is what leads to economic growth, more jobs, and better lives for our citizenry.

PCED HOSTING SMALL BUSINESS BASICS SEMINAR

The Paulding County Economic Development office will be hosting a Small Business Basics Seminar on Wednesday, November 6, 2013 from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Exploring the possibilities of starting, buying or expanding a business? SMALL BUSINESS BASICS is a FREE two-hour seminar that will answer the necessary questions about starting, buying or expanding a small business. This seminar will take the confusion out of your efforts and help you to avoid costly mistakes and unnecessary steps. Learn the basics of name registration, licensing, taxes, zoning, business entities, employees, insurance, financing, business planning and more! The Seminar is

presented by Merry Beavers, Director at NW Small Business Development Center located in Defiance, Ohio. Pre-registration is required by calling 419-782-6270 or e-mail RSVP to nwsbdc@defiance-county.com. Jerry L. Zielke, PCED Director said that this is an outstanding seminar for anyone thinking about starting, buying or expanding a small business. If you have any additional questions contact the PCED Office at 419-399-8282.

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NEW HAVEN GIRLS FALL TO ANGOLA AT SECTIONALS



Sophomore Hadley Decker gets a kill against Angola in the fourth set. More pictures at westbendnews.net

Bishop Dwenger was the host for the New Haven vs Angola Volleyball Sectional Game match-up on Tuesday, October 22.

The Bulldogs fell hard the first set when the Hornets outscored the guests team more than 2-1. The second set was closer and the third

set the New Haven team won. The young ladies had a great game and DeCamp had several great saves. This was probably the best game I have watched for the Bulldogs volleyball. The season finished with a record of 1-10

Final Score:
New Haven- Angola: 12-25, 23-25, 25-18, 20-25
Stat Leaders for Bulldogs:

Courtney Tracey - 14 assists, 6 aces

Annalea Francis - 9 kills
Lindsey DeCamp - 10 digs

Megan Kage - 5 blocks

GMC 2013 ALL CONFERENCE VOLLEYBALL

The Green Meadows Conference is proud to announce the All-Conference Selections and "Player of the Year" for Volleyball for the 2013 season.

PLAYER OF THE YEAR:

Molly Hammersmith, Sophomore, Ayersville High School

FIRST TEAM:

Molly Hammersmith, 10 Ayersville; Jamie Newman, 12, Edgerton; Allie Slattery, 11, Hicksville; Rachel Desgranges, 11, Holgate; Ashley Mack, 11, Tinora; Hannah Reineke, 11, Tinora; Sylvia Young, 12, Wayne Trace

SECOND TEAM:

Emily Hamman, 11, Antwerp; Jessie Church, 12, Ayersville; Sarah Fritch, 12, Edgerton; Kelsey Beck, 10, Fairview; Aubrie Crall, 12, Hicksville; Jourdan Taylor, 12, Hicksville; Brittany Steingass, 12, Tinora

HONORABLE MENTION:

Emily Derck, 10, Antwerp; Natalie Hammersmith, 12, Ayersville; Brenna LaLonde, 11, Edgerton; Cali Schoenauer, 11, Fairview; Micayla Tunis, 11, Hicksville; Jillian Clady, 12, Holgate; Chelsey Seifert, 12, Tinora; Maddie McClure, 12, Wayne Trace

2013 WOODLAN WARRIOR VOLLEYBALL SENIOR RECOGNITION

By: Jeff Abbott

Tori Bontrager (#14), daughter of Doug and Dawn Bontrager. She played volleyball for 4 seasons, basketball for 1 year, FFA member for 4 years and is currently president for 4 years and National Honor Society and is secretary. She plans to attend Grace College and play volleyball.

Brooke Gerbers (#1), daughter of Dean and Fay Gerbers. She played volleyball for 4 years, basketball for 3 years, and National Honor Society for 2 years. She plans to study nursing in college

Morgan Gerig (#10), daughter of Tim and Susan Gerig. She played 4 seasons of volleyball, member of Warrior Ambition Show Choir for 4 years, and National Honor Society. She plans to attend University of St Francis to study nursing.

Burgundy Price (#6), daughter of Dave and Joni Price. She played volleyball for 4 years, basketball for 3 years, and softball for 2 seasons. She plans to attend Purdue University, study education or business, and play volleyball.

Sarah Voors (#9), daughter of Dave and Tina Voors. She played 4 seasons of volleyball, basketball for 3 years, member of Pep Band and Concert Band, and National Honor Society. She plans to attend Anderson University and study Biology with plans to go to Purdue to study Veterinary Medicine.

Micah Koeneman (Mgr), son of Mike and Linda Koeneman. He is volleyball manager, played golf for 4 seasons, National Honor Society officer for 2 years, Service Club for 2 years, and FFA for 4 years. He plans to study Aeronautical Engineering in college

Toni Price (Mgr), daughter of John and Julie Price. She is volleyball manager and plans to study Physical Therapy in college and play volleyball.

Abby Wietfeldt (Mgr), daughter of Mike and Kim Wiedfeldt. She played volleyball for 3 seasons, volleyball manager for 1 season, and National Honor Society for 2 years. She plans to study Education at Concoridia-Wisconsin

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FOURTH GRADE:

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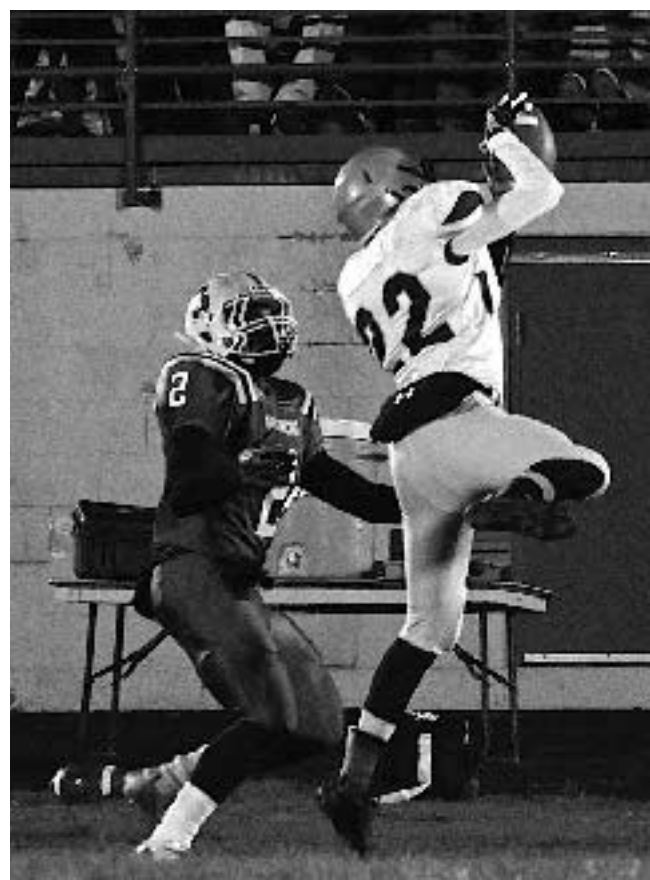
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FIFTH GRADE:

All A's - Rylan Brooks, Maycee Contreras, Carmen Cruz, Austin Lichty, Katie Oberlin, Molly Reinhart, Madison Ruen, Emily Sanders, Grace Tuttle

All A's & B's - Mady Bauer, Morgan Boesch, Heaven Bruce, Johnathon Buehrer, Jordan Buerkle, Lydia Butzin, Halie Davis, Kadi Donat, Jason Geyer, Aaron Hawley, Asa Humes, Zachary Laughlin, Alicia Maag, Logan McKeever, Chet Miller, Laura Miller, Eli Molitor, Siera Octaviano, Landyn Reyes, Autumn Smith, Eric Thornell, Joshua Timbrook, Ryan Van Vlerah

NEW HAVEN ROLLS OVER SOUTH SIDE FOR THE WIN



New Haven's Travis Crowe intercepts the the ball on a South Side long pass. More pictures at westbendnews.net

It's hard to believe Indiana high school football sectionals have started. The seasons are winding down and now half the teams have been eliminated.

New Haven took on Southside at the Fort Wayne school's home field. The Archers were 3-6 and New Haven was 8-1 before the tournament started on Friday, October 25.

It was a frosty evening with temperatures dipping to near freezing levels. The game started with New Haven receiving the ball and the first touchdown was by Bulldog Ariest Vasquez in the first quarter. The guest team scored 22 points in the first quarter.

The student block along with all the parents and the fans were there cheering their team on, packing in the bleachers. The difference in turnout between the schools was amazing and with the support the Bulldogs have compared to other rivals it's no wonder the team works so

hard to win.

Overall New Haven had 7 touchdowns on 81 passing yards, 346 rushing yards. Touchdowns were by Ariest Vasquez (4), D'Andre Smith (1), Javin Easterly (1), Travis Crowe (1). TJ Moeller kicked a field goal for 3 points and added 2 extra points after a touchdown.

The Bulldogs had a total of 48 tackles with leaders Adam Hoffer (7), Ariest Vasquez (6), Dustin Walls (6). The defense caused three fumbles and Nick Vachon recovering one of them.

Points by quarter:
New Haven - 22 13 6 6=47

South Side - 7 0 0 7=14

The next game of the tournament for New Haven is November 1st at the home field.

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of Andy's Knockout Chicken, with his 2013 plaque. Anderson states, "Thank you to the Chamber for promoting the event. It was overwhelmingly successful with many great businesses participating. Can't wait for next year!"

GROVER HILL STUDENTS LEARN IMPORTANCE OF COMMUNITY GARDENING



Since the beginning of the school year the students in Mrs. Foster's reading classes have been reading a series of books by Judy Schachner. These books are about a Siamese kitten named Skippyjon Jones that loves to pretend that he is a Chihuahua. He looks in his mirror and says, "My ears are too big for my head, my head is too big for my body, I am not a Siamese cat. I am a Chihuahua!" He then goes into his closet to go on adventures as Skippito Friskito with his amigos a

pack of Chihuahuas the Los Chimichangos.

Through reading these books the students have worked on rhyming skills as well as learning about the Mexican culture and a few basic Spanish words. On October 2nd Mrs. Foster's 3rd and 4th grade reading students took a walking field trip to the Grover Hill town garden to pick tomatoes and peppers to make homemade salsa. The next day the students helped Mrs. Foster make homemade salsa.

PAULDING COUNTY COURT REPORTS

Criminal Disposition Report:

Debra J. Cowans; Paulding; Count A, B, C; Pass Bad Check; J-Guilty; pay all fines & costs; restitution has been paid;

John J. Dyer, Sr.; Ft. Wayne; Dom Violence; Guilty; defendant to repay attorney fees; probation; community service; no unlawful contact w/victims; complete Ridge Project & Domestic Violence Program; pay all fines & costs

Johnathon R. Foster; Napoleon; Theft; pay for stay at jail; community service; complete 'Thinking for A Change'; submit to an evaluation to Westwood & complete counseling; make restitution; probation

Katelyn R. Ruiz; Defiance; Disorderly Cond; Guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs

Eric M. Jackson; Antwerp; Disorderly Cond; J-Guilty; pay all fines & costs

Andrea S. Klopfenstein; Count A; Paulding; Confine of Dog; J-No Cont; pay all fines & costs; make restitution to the Paulding County Dog Warden through Clerks office; Count B; Fail Reg. Dog; J-No Cont; shall pay all fines & costs

David M. Berridge; Melrose; Domestic Violence; Dismissed; case dismissed per State; w/o prejudice, costs waived

Jennifer R. Perl; Oakwood; Assault; Dismissed; case dismissed per State; w/o prejudice; costs waived

Jayson M. Anderson; Paulding; Dus/Child Support; proof of financial responsibility provide pay all fines and costs

Real Estate Transfers:

Auglaize Twp.:

10/6/13; Brian R. Lumpkins; Lot 77; Auglaize Hills Development #2; 0.448 acre; To: Fifth Third Mortgage Company

10/21/13; Kenneth E. & Beth E. Grunden; Lot 78; Auglaize Hills Development #2; 0.415; To: Kenneth E. & Beth E. Grunden

10/21/13; Samuel D. & Teresa Kiefer; Sec 30; pt NE¼; .139 acre; Sec 33; pt WFr¼ NE¼ NWFr¼; .356 acre; Sec 30; pt WFr¼ NE¼; .349 acre; To: Diana B. Byrne

Benton Twp.:

10/24/13; Reanna Lee; Sec 9; pt SE corner of NE¼; 3.111 acres; To: Maxine G. West

Blue Creek Twp.:

10/11/13; Deneal Williamson, dec'd; Sec 15; pt N½ SE¼; 77.87 acres; Sec 13; N½ SE¼; .601 acre; To: Linda S. Clark

Brown Twp.:

1/17/13; Clyde L. & Louise G. Riley; pt W½ N½ NW¼; 1.679 acres; To: Gregory A. Riley

10/21/13; Donald Scott & Katrina Bauer; Sec 11; 4.640 acres; To: Donald E. Bauer

Carryall Twp.:

10/17/13; Clarice Demongeot; Sec 28; parcel 1 part A, Don H. Lichty Parcels; 1.848 acres; To: Loren & Gary & Edmond Demongeot

Washington Twp.:

10/21/13; Aaron T. Powell, Trustee; Lot 32; pt S½ SE¼; 74.743 acres; To: Michael J. Edwards, LE et al

10/22/13; Gary L. Edwards, Trustee; Lot 32; pt S½ SE¼; 74.753; To: Michael J. Edwards, LE et al

10/22/13; Trustees of the Christian Church; Sec 29; pt NE¼ NE¼; Gary L. Edwards, Trustee

10/22/13; Gary E. Edwards, Trustee; Sec 32; S½ SW & pt S½ N½ SW¼; 60.270 acres; To: Barbara K. Bell, LE et al

10/22/13; Gary L. Edwards, Trustee; Sec 32; N½ S¼; 81.025 acres; To: Gary L. Edwards, LE et al

10/22/13; Gary L. Edwards, Trustee; Sec 32; pt S½ SW¼; 60.270 acres; To: Pamela S. Eberle, LE et al

10/22/13; Gary L. Edwards, Trustee; Sec 29; pt NE¼; 61.410 acres; To: Terry J. Edwards, LE et al

10/22/13; Robert Edwards,

Trustees, dec'd; Sec 29; NE¼; 61.410 acres; Sec 32; pt SE¼ SW¼; Gary L. Edwards, Trustee

Antwerp Village:

10/16/13; Kenneth E. Hodges; Lot 22,23,24; pts Webber's 1st Addition; To: Braeden Hormann

Haviland Village:

10/21/13; Mark Klewer & Donelda Hemenway; Lot 105; original plat Village of Haviland; to: Donelda Hemenway

Oakwood Village:

10/16/13; Fannie Mae aka Federal National Mortgage Association; Lot 11; 8' NS; Lot 11; less 8' NS; .17 acre; To: Harbour Portfolio, VIII, LP

Paulding Village:

10/17/13; Jacqueline S. Lamb aka Jacqueline Lamb, dec'd; Sec 12; outlet # 12904 NE¼ NW¼; .623 acre; To: JoEllen Price & Michael William Lamb

10/18/13; Karl M. & Marcey J. Burtch, dec'd; Lot 50; 40' of NS; .112 acre; Lot 51; Less 24' Nside Noneman's 2nd Addition; .101 acre; To: Karl M. Burtch

10/18/13; TED 1, LLC; Lot 171; Less 22' OP Paulding Village; .117 acre; To: Village of Paulding

10/18/13; Stykemain of Paulding, LLC; Lot 2; .117 acre; Lot 17; .15 acre; Lot 8; .1333 acre; To: Village of Paulding

10/21/13; Matthew A. & Karen J. Sunday aka Karen J. Dunbar; Lot 33; Klinger's Addition; To: Shawn L. Gregg

Payne Village:

10/17/13; John J. Wobler; Lots 22,24,21,23; Prentice Addition; 0.82 acre; To: Darla Roma Pevers & David Scott Gillespie

10/21/13; Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation; Lot 3; Emigh's Subdivision of Outlet J; 0.158 acre; To: Keith E. Myers & Pamela J. Myers

10/23/13; John & Susan E. Tinlin; Lot 125; Gibbons 1st Addition & E½ vacant alley; .036 acre; To: Karl T. Wilhelm, Trustee

WHITE BROTHERS FARMS DONATE TO 4-H LIVESTOCK BUILDING FUND



White Brothers Farms recently donated \$1,000.00 to the Livestock Building Fund, administered by the Paulding County Area Foundation. The Livestock Building Fund will be used for the building of three livestock barns on the

Paulding County Fairgrounds. Shown are Doug White, Mike Kauser, Livestock Building Chairperson and Bret White. If you would like further information on this program, please contact Lisa McClure at 419.399.8296.

NHHS MARCHING BAND PERFORMS AT ISSMA



By: Taylor Weddle

The New Haven High School marching band, after weeks filled with practicing and mentally preparing themselves, performed at ISSMA Scholastic A state competition this past weekend.

Saturday, the day of the contest, they performed their best show of the year. They received their highest score of the season, which cannot be revealed due to ISSMA guidelines. The band went up against

other local marching bands such as Bishop Dwenger and Huntington North, along with the rest of the state's Scholastic A class. The first place group was Chester-ton's marching band. They have the choice to compete in the Open class state finals next weekend, November 2, at Lucas Oil Stadium.

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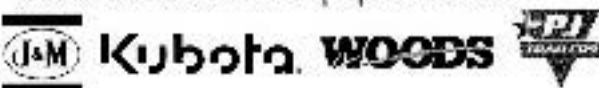
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The Paulding Elementary Preschool students were excited to have a visit from the Police Chief Randy Crawford. He came and talked to them about trick-or-treat safety. He stressed that the goal is to keep everyone safe during trick-or-treating.

BOO-TIFUL TIME AT ANN'S BRIGHT BEGINNINGS



Ann's Bright Beginnings Preschoolers had a BOO-tiful time at their Halloween party last week! Two police officers visited to talk about Trick or Treat safety, and we all brought our costumes and CANDY! Shown here with Officer Gonzales and Officer Weidenhamer are (from left) Grady Arend, Max Daeger, Lincoln Lucas and Lucy Conley. These children are in the morning class of four and young five year olds with Mrs. Cheri Collins and Mrs. Ann Miller.

SECRETARY HUSTED ANNOUNCES OCTOBER OHIO BUSINESS PROFILES

Ohio Secretary of State Jon Husted today announced that as part of an ongoing effort to recognize the impact of Ohio businesses, October's Ohio Business Profile highlights Ohio's strong manufacturing roots, featuring companies under the theme "Made in Ohio." Ohio ranks third in the country in manufacturing and the Ohio General Assembly recently dedicated October as Manufacturing Month in Ohio.

"Manufacturing is an important industry for our state that provides good paying jobs for hard working Ohioans and helps to build up and strengthen our economy," Secretary Husted said. "These companies show that Americans still make high-quality and innovative products we use every day."

Companies profiled this month include:

- Nidec Minster Corporation - Minster, Ohio - A world-class supplier of material forming equipment and services. Founded in 1896, it is one of the longest continually operating manufacturers in Ohio.
- Shoot-A-Way - Upper Sandusky, Ohio - They supply basketball shooting aides to coaches and players around the world. Their shooting machines, known as "The Gun," are used by nearly every college in the country and the USA Olympic basketball team.
- Milacron LLC - Cincinnati, Ohio - A world leader

in the development of plastics processing machinery. Founded in 1884, they currently employ nearly 1,000 workers in southwest Ohio.

• Classic Metal Roofing Systems - Piqua, Ohio - Manufactures residential and commercial metal roof systems that help increase a home's beauty, value and energy efficiency. Their roofs can be found on Pizza Huts, Dairy Queens and Dunkin' Donuts stores around the country.

Launched in June 2011, Ohio Business Profile has helped raise awareness about companies registered and doing business in Ohio that are creating interesting products, offering outstanding service, contributing to their local communities and employing Ohioans in the process. Each month, a handful of diverse businesses linked together by a common theme are featured on the Secretary of State's website at OhioBusinessProfile.com, where Ohioans are encouraged to go to submit companies they feel are deserving of recognition in future months.

Secretary Husted's office also releases a monthly report of new business filings in Ohio. Recent data has shown that the number of newly-registered businesses in Ohio is up for the year as compared to the same time-frame last year.

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THE WEST BEND NEWS
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Answers on Page 15

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JACK-O-LANTERNS IN PRESCHOOL



Mrs. Miller's preschool class at Oakwood Elementary had a fun time helping her clean out a pumpkin and turn him into a jack-o-lantern. Shown helping her with the pumpkin are Spencer Manz, Trenton Bail, Hunter Philipot, Brice Spear, Dexter Finnegan, and Joey Leininger.

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SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

November 18-22 has been designated as *American Education Week*. This is the 92nd observance of the event, which began in 1921 as a joint venture between the National Education Association and the American Legion. The annual theme is "Great Public Schools: A Basic Right and Our Responsibility." *American Education Week* spotlights the importance of providing every child in America with a quality public education from kindergarten through college, and the need for everyone to do his or her part in making public schools great. The employees of Antwerp Local Schools are proud to be part of a quality public school system and appreciate the partnership with the community. Together we can accomplish great things for our students.

Veteran's Day is an opportunity to educate our students about the important role our Veterans have played in the history of our nation. Please join us for our program on Tuesday, November 12 at 10:00 a.m. in the main gym. Veterans and visitors are asked to enter the building at our main/front entrance.

Drop off and pick up on the circle drive has been going well. When traffic is heavy in the morning, the aides will direct everyone to pull forward further than usual. This allows more cars to unload at once. Please have your passengers unload as soon as you are stopped along the sidewalk area. If we use the entire circle, approximately twelve cars can load or unload at a time. If you are still dropping your child off in the parking lot, without parking and walking them to the sidewalk, please use the circle drive. It is not only safer for your child, but also safer for our students who park in that lot. Thanks to all who have been cooperative in making this procedure better.

Antwerp Local School District is committed to providing the safest possible environment for our students. We have continued to enhance security, most recently with the addition of a camera and intercom system for entry into the building. In cooperation with the Paulding County Sheriff's Department, our staff has been training in the ALICE protocol, which we believe will increase the chance of survival during a situation with an active shooter. Parents and community members are invited to an informative meeting on the ALICE protocol on Nov. 18 from 6:00-8:00 in the

auditeria. This meeting will be the final step in the training process prior to presenting ALICE to the students as part of our safety drills.

As always, feel free to contact me with questions or concerns.

~ Mrs. Pat Ross, Superintendent

NOTES FROM YOUR PRINCIPALS

MR. BUTE—MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL
It is difficult to believe that we are in the second grading period already. The end of the first grading period of the 2013-2014 school year ended on Friday, October 18. Grade cards were distributed to the students the following week. We continue to encourage parents to communicate with our teachers about their children's progress.

MR. MANZ—ELEMENTARY
As the weather begins to cool and the daylight hours become shorter, we are continuing to move rapidly through the school year. Our teachers continue to work hard to provide the best education possible for our students. From the first week of school, our third grade teachers have been working very hard to prepare our students for the recently completed Fall Reading Ohio Achievement Assessment (OAA). We eagerly await the results, feeling confident that this year's students will continue to achieve at a high rate as our students in the past.

As we continue to progress through the school year, there are many important and engaging events upcoming. Picture retakes are scheduled for November 6. On November 14, the fourth grade will present their musical "Dig It" at 7:00 p.m. in the auditeria. Mrs. Smith has been working hard with the students, so please come out and support them for an exciting night of entertainment.

The PTO will meet at 7:00 p.m. on November 12, and will host PTO movie night for Antwerp Elementary students on November 21. Doors open at 5:30 with the movie beginning at 6:00 p.m. Refreshments will be available for purchase. The PTO is very active in the elementary and has contributed in many ways to our students. They are constantly looking for more participation from the community; please consider joining this worthwhile organization. For more information contact the elementary office. Parent-teacher conferences are just wrapping up

with the final day on November 1. Remember there are no classes for any Antwerp students that day. It is encouraging to see so many parents participate in this valuable link between their children and teachers. I encourage you to continue to keep in contact with teachers through email, phone calls, or meetings. Our teachers also have Google sites that you may access via the school webpage. Thank you for your positive contributions to your child's educational process here at Antwerp.

FROM OUR GUIDANCE DEPT.
Scholarship information can be found on the school website under Students—Guidance. The 2013-2014 ACT and SAT test dates can be found on our website under Students—Testing.

It is strongly suggested that seniors apply to their top choice colleges by December 1 (for Ohio colleges/universities). If you apply online, you must notify Mrs. Rogge so that a transcript can be sent to the college. Students will not be accepted until an official transcript has been received.

The PLAN test will be given to sophomores on November 21. Cost for the PLAN is \$12.95. Information has been shared with students in their English class. Contact Mrs. Rogge for details.

Eighth graders will visit Vantage Career Center on November 6. Students will tour the facility to learn about the programs offered. Students must wear closed-toed shoes on visit day.

- MENU—NOVEMBER 1-8**
- Fri., 11/01** NO CLASSES - P/T Conferences
 - Mon., 11/04**-Beef & Onion Burger on Bun, Baked Beans, Mixed Fruit, Milk
 - Tues., 11/05**-BBQ Pork on Bun, Baked Fries, Peaches, Milk
 - Wed., 11/06**-Br. Chicken on Bun, Gr. Beans, Orange Smiles, Milk
 - Thurs., 11/07**-Macaroni & Cheese, Salad, Pineapple, Milk
 - Fri., 11/08**-Cheese Pizza, Carrots w/Dip, Applesauce, Milk
- Please check our website at <http://antwerpschools.org> for the complete menu or stop by one of the school offices for a copy.

LUNCH PROGRAM
Applications for the Free & Reduced Lunch Program are available in the school offices and will be accepted at any time.

TIME CHANGE—NOV. 3

ATHLETIC CALENDAR

VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL
Nov. 30 6:00 @ Paulding
Dec. 6 6:00 @ Fort Jennings
Dec. 7 6:00 Home w/Fayette

VARSITY GIRLS BAKETBALL
Nov. 23 6:00 @ Delphos Jefferson
Nov. 26 6:00 @ Paulding
Dec. 3 6:00 @ Edon
Dec. 5 6:00 Home w/Kalida
Dec. 7 3:00 Home w/Fayette

FRESHMAN BASKETBALL
Nov. 30 11:00 @ Lincolnview
Dec. 2 5:00 Home w/Edgerton
Dec. 5 5:00 @ Parkway

JH BOYS BASKETBALL
Dec. 2 5:00 Home w/Lincolnview
Dec. 3 5:00 @ Edon

JH GIRLS BASKETBALL
Nov. 18 5:00 Home w/Holgate
Nov. 25 4:30 @ Tinora
Nov. 26 5:00 Home w/Ayersville
Dec. 2 5:00 @ Paulding
Dec. 3 5:00 @Home w/Edgerton
Dec. 5 5:00 @ Wayne Trace

VARSITY WRESTLING
Nov. 30 9:00 @ Montpelier Invitational
Dec. 3 6:00 @ Fairview/Tinora/Ayersville
Dec. 7 10:00 @ Lincolnview Invitational

JH WRESTLING
Nov. 30 9:00 @ Wayne Trace Invitational
Dec. 4 6:00 @ Fairview/Tinora/Ayersville
Dec. 7 9:00 @ Bryan Invitational

DISTRICT CALENDAR EVENTS

- Oct. 31 Parent-Teacher Conf.(Evening)
- Nov. 1 **NO CLASSES** - Conferences
- Nov. 3 **TIME CHANGE**
- Nov. 5 Election Day
- Nov. 5 7:00 Indoor Marching Band Concert
- Nov. 6 Picture Retakes
- Nov. 6 8th Graders Visit Vantage
- Nov. 11 Fall Athletic Awards
- Nov. 12 10:00 Veteran's Day Assembly
- Nov. 14 7:00 4th Grade Musical—*Dig It!*
- Nov. 18 6:00 ALICE—Parent Security Mtg.
- Nov. 21 PLAN Test for Sophomores
- Nov. 21 5:30 PTO Movie Night
- Nov. 26-27-28 **NO SCHOOL**—Thanksgiving

WOODLAN FALL SENIOR RECOGNITION

By: Jeff Abbott
Fall Senior Recognition (prior to regular season final football game)

MARCHING BAND:
Ashley Baum, daughter of Roger and Patty Baum. She has been involved with Winter Guard, National Honor Society, Solo and Ensemble, and Concert and Pep Band. She plans to study pre-med at IPFW, minor in creative writing.

Austin Brooks, son of Jim Brooks and Sharon Brooks. He is the Warrior mascot, National Honor Society, Youth Group, and Pep Band. He plans to attend Notre Dame or Indiana Wesleyan.

Logan Garman, daughter of Christa Garman. She plans to attend IVY Tech for Technical Engineering.

Tara Nicole Gerig, daughter of Troy Gerig and Carl and Alicia Stoker. She is a member of Color Guard and Winter Guard, FFA (vice-president), National Honor Society. She plans to study General Education at IPFW.

Josh Kayser (Drum Major), son of Doug and Christy Kayser. He is a member of Pep Band, Musical, and Service Club. He plans to study Architecture at Ball State.

Keri Koenig, daughter of Mark and Kim Koenig. She is a member of Winter Guard, National Honor Society, Musical set crew, Woodburn Li-

brary volunteer. He plans to study Graphic Design in college.

David Kurtz, son of Ralph and Diana Kurtz. He is a member of Jazz Band, Show Choir Band, IBA All-District Band, Musical Orchestra, Musical, Concert band, Pep Band, Solo and Ensemble, Baseball, middle school Campus Life volunteer. H plans to attend Huntington University to study Youth Ministry and minor in Music.

Corey Louagie, son of Chris and Angela Louagie. He is a member of Show Choir Band and plans to attend IPFW.

Alyson Miller, daughter of Mike and Shari Miller. She is a member of Student Council, Pep Band, Concert band, and Solo and Ensemble. She plans to study Psychology at IPFW.

Joshua Raber (Drum Major), son of Rick and Diane Raber. He is a member of Show Choir Band, Musical Orchestra, Concert Band, Pep Band, and Campus Life. He plans to attend IPFW to study either Culinary or Business Management.

Rikkilee Werst, daughter of John Hiloworth and Verna Werst-Hiloworth. She is a member of Concert Band and Club Soccer. She plans to study Athletic Training/Physical Therapy and minor in journalism in college.

COLOR GUARD:
Andrea Chase, daughter of Steve and Marti Chase. She is a member of Winter Guard

and plans to study Psychology at IVY Tech.

Dakota Gerig, daughter of Brian and Gen Gerig. She is a member of Winter Guard, Student Council, National Honor Society, and a junior-high Campus Life volunteer. She plans to major in Nursing and minor in Missions at college.

Brie Werling, daughter of Jon and Tami Werling. She is a member of Winter Guard and attend IPFW to major in History and minor in Creative Writing.

CHEERLEADERS:
Jazz Bevelle, son of Julie and grandson of Minnie. Track and Field manager and Football manager. He plans to attend Indiana University to study Marketing.

Rashel Dial, daughter of Jay and Lisa Dial. She is a member of Show Choir and National Honor Society and plans to attend college to study Criminal Justice.

Joey Hoot, daughter of Marvin and Apryl Hoot. She is a member of National Honor Society and Yearbook staff. She plans to attend University of Indianapolis to study Occupational Therapy.

Kassy Kensill, daughter of Craig & Denise Kensill. She plans to attend IPFW.

Elizabeth Parker, daughter of James and Marlene Parker. She is undecided of future plans.

Autumn Voirol, daughter of Bernie and Amanda Voirol. She plans to pursue a career in medical field.

BOYS CROSS-COUNTRY:

Zach Barrett, son of Bill and Sharon Barrett. He is a member of Track team and Show Choir. He plans to attend Anderson University or Taylor University to study Music Ministry and run Cross-Country and Track.

Ben Gruber, son of Mike and Sandy Gruber. He is a member of FFA, National Honor Society, and Track Team. He plans to attend Indiana University.

Jay Knepp, son of Jay and Beth Knepp. He is a member of FFA and Wrestling team. He plans to attend college.

Adam Strebis, son of Lisa Strebis. He is a member of Football and Track teams and plans to attend college.

GIRLS CROSS-COUNTRY:

Cassandra Lomont, daughter of Greg and Rae Lynne Lomont. She is a member of National Honor Society, Service Club, Show Choir, Senior Class secretary, and Wrestling manager. She plans to attend St Francis and double major in Nursing and Political Science.

FOOTBALL:
Chandler Alexander, son of Chris and Traci Alexander.
Jaylin Bennett, son of Curtis and Patti Bennett. He is a member of Basketball and Track teams and is undecided on college.

Derek Kruse, son of Kevin Kruse and Trudy Reddin Lee. He is undecided on college.

Timmie Lockett, son of Tommie Lockett and Roxie Brooks. He is a member of Basketball and Track teams and plans to study Business and Culinary in college.

I Sar, son of Than Hia and My Lar Buel. He is a member of Soccer team and plans to attend college and play soccer.

Corbin Smith, son of Mark and Beth Smith. He is a member of FFA and Service Club. He plans to pursue a

degree in Athletic Training in college.

Caleb Stieglitz, son of Lynn and Leonda Stieglitz. He is a member of National Honor Society, Band, and Basketball team. He plans to major in Social Work in college.

Jake Summers, son of Jeff and Tonya Summers. He is a member of Baseball team and plans to major in Criminal Justice in college.

Myrich Thieme, son of Keith Thieme and lives with Ernest and Tina White. He plans to study Criminal Justice in college.

Garrett VanBrocklin, son of Kevin and Tonya VanBrocklin. He is a member of National Honor Society and Baseball and Wrestling teams. He plans to study Construction Management in college.

Greg White, son of Emma Davis, Michael Woods, and Greg White. He is a member of Basketball and Baseball teams, and is undecided on college.

Deandre Woods, son of Michael Woods and Angela Householder. He is a member of Baseball and Track teams and plans to study Sports Management in college.

EIGHT IN 10 OHIO ADULTS REPORT BEING PHYSICALLY ACTIVE

“Being physically active is one of the most important things people can do to improve their health,” says Jaime Love, Program Officer, Healthy Eating and Active Living, Interact for Health. According to the 2013 Ohio Health Issues Poll (OHIP), 8 in 10 Ohio adults (78 percent) report being very or somewhat physically active. “As they get older, adults report being less physically active, and low-income adults also are less likely to report being physically active,” she says. “Nearly 7 in 10 Ohio residents think increasing their level of physical activity would improve their overall health.”

More than 9 in 10 adults (92 percent) who report excellent or very good health overall also report being very or somewhat physically active. Among adults who report fair or poor health, just less than 5 in 10 (47 percent) said they are very or somewhat physically active.

“Neighborhood conditions, such as access to shoulders or sidewalks and perceived safety, influence the physical activity levels of residents,” says Jennifer Chubinski, Director of Community Research, Interact for Health. Overall, 6 in 10 Ohio adults (62 percent) rate their neighborhood as an excellent or very good place to walk, jog or bike.

Residents in urban counties are more likely to rate their neighborhood as excellent or very good than rural county/small city residents. Nearly 9 in 10 rate their neighborhood as safe to walk, jog or bike. “On the other hand, fewer than 4 in 10 Ohio residents rate their sidewalks and shoulders as excellent or very good. Nearly 1 in 10 volunteered that they did not have sidewalks or shoulders in their neighborhood,” says Chubinski. “Many of these respondents live in rural counties/small cities.”

Residents who report living at or below 100 percent of the federal poverty level are less likely to report having excellent or very good sidewalks

WAYNE TRACE DIGITAL ACADEMY TO FINISH FIRST QUARTER OF SCHOOL YEAR



The Wayne Trace Digital Academy is about to complete its first quarter of the new school year. Students in the program have the option of working from home or coming into school and taking their classes in the digital classroom. Eight students are enrolled in the digital academy thus far and twenty-four juniors and seniors are taking at least one-online college class. Shown here are juniors and seniors who are taking college classes on-line. These students use the digital classroom for their on-line work as well.

WOODLAN SPELL BOWL TEAM FINISHES 2ND



Rochelle Faull, Anna Shaffer, Sophie Schultz

The Woodlan Spell Bowl team finished 2nd on Monday, October 14 at Hamilton High School Spell Bowl Meet. Team members include Ashley Baum, Rachel Baum, Ethan Brandenburg, Kateln Bowers, Andrea Chase, Rochelle

Faull, Spencer Faull, Ava Geiger, Chelsey Richhart, Anna Shaffer, and Sophie Schultz. Pictured above are Rochelle Faull, Anna Shaffer, and Sophie Schultz.

and shoulders. Only 2 in 10 of these residents (23 percent) rated their neighborhood as excellent or very good.

Ohioans' views on physical activity and other topics is available online at <https://www.interactforhealth.org/ohio-health-issues-poll>.

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SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

General Code, Section 11681
Revised Code, Section 2329.26

THE STATE OF OHIO,
PAULDING COUNTY:

CITIMORTGAGE, INC., Plaintiff,

vs.

GARY B. ENGLISH, ET AL.,
Defendants,

Case No. CI 11 250.

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 5th day of December, 2013 at 10:05 o'clock A.M., the real estate located at:

226 Fairground Drive,
Paulding, Ohio 45879
Parcel Number: 30-45S-020-00;
30-45S-021-00; 30-45S-022-00;
30-45S-023-00; and, 30-45S-027-03

Said premises appraised at Ninety-nine Thousand and No/100 (\$99,000.00) Dollars and cannot be sold for less than two-thirds of that amount.

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.

TERMS OF SALE: Ten percent down on day of the sale and balance before deed is to be issued.

Sheriff Jason K. Landers
Paulding County, Ohio
pauldingohsheriff.com

Richard J. LaCivita, Attorney for Plaintiff

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

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THE STATE OF OHIO,
PAULDING COUNTY:

BENEFICIAL FINANCIAL I INC.

SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO

BENEFICIAL OHIO INC.

dba BENEFICIAL MORTGAGE

CO. OF OHIO, Plaintiff,

vs.

MARVIN H. TAYLOR, ET AL.,
Defendants,

Case No. CI 13 069.

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 5th day of December, 2013 at 10:00 o'clock A.M., the real estate located at:

18993 Road 143, Cecil, Ohio 45821

Parcel Number: 16-02S-001-09

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2013 NWC ALL-CONFERENCE VOLLEYBALL TEAMS

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- Brooke Culp (11) (DJ)
- Kelli Vorst (12) (CG)
- Ashton Bowersock (10) (LV)
- Katie McClure (9) (LV)
- Tianna Rager (10) (CV)
- Lindsay Walden (11) (ADA)

- HONORABLE MENTION:**
- Kirstin Hicks (12) (CV)
 - Lauren Parkins (11) (BL)
 - Carlee Marshall (10) (ADA)
 - Schylar Miller (11) (SV)
 - Katie Goergens (12) (DJ)
 - Sydney McCluer (11) (CG)
 - Morgan Riley (11) (PL)
 - Madison Winegardner (12) (AE)
 - Sammi Stechschulte (12) (CG)
 - Jaycie Varner (10) (PL)
 - Carly Clum (11) (AE)
 - Ashley McClure (12) (LV)

- FINAL NWC STANDINGS:**
- Columbus Grove 8-0 19-3
 - Bluffton 7-1 15-7
 - Crestview 6-2 15-7
 - Ada 5-3 15-7
 - Allen East 4-4 9-11
 - Lincolnview 2-8 6-16
 - Paulding 2-8 4-17
 - Delphos Jefferson 1-7 7-15
 - Spencerville 2-7 4-18

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WOODBURN CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES 9/16/13

Meeting Minutes from September 16, 2013. Meeting called to order with the Pledge of Allegiance 7:00 p.m.

Mayor Hoepfner, Councilman Abbott, Rice, Renner, Gerig, Voirol, Treasurer Sarrazine, Superintendent Walls, Chief Duhamel were present.

CHIEF DUHAMEL:
The Woodburn Police Department hosted a Meth Lab Awareness Program. It was attended by police, fire and medical personnel. We also presented a program on hazardous materials.

AUDIENCE:
Kevin Heckley stated that he has no addition quotes on signage.

Resident asked for consideration on his water bill that had jumped up with no apparent reason. Councilman Voirol made a motion to monitor his usage for the next three months and compare usage. Councilman Gerig 2nd, Councilman Voirol, Gerig, Renner and Rice voted to approve. Councilman Abbott voted opposed. Motion carried.

A resident requested sidewalks from Burnwood to Hetrick Rd. approximately 290'. Council will look into it.

MAYOR:
Board of Works voted to go with Earth First for our refuse and recycling. It is a three year contract.

There was a progress meeting this morning with Gerig-Ottenweller. Superintendent Walls will be inspecting the work until project completion. The next progress meeting is September 30th at 9:00 a.m.

Next Council meeting is October 10, Thursday.

Brooks is tentatively scheduled to pre-binder and top coat Sunview on October 19th (this project has been completed).

Randy to hang door hangers with instructions.

There was discussion on the water tower color and Councilman Renner made a motion to go 2-3 shades darker in blue with dark blue lettering. Councilman Abbott 2nd, all agreed, motion carried.

TREASURER:
Councilman Renner made a motion to read resolution #19-192 (a resolution making Dean Gerig our ADA compliance officer) by title only. Councilman Voirol 2nd, all approved, motion carried.

Councilman Renner made a motion to adopt Resolution #13-192. Councilman Voirol 2nd, all approved, motion carried. Warrants were presented. Council-

man Voirol made a motion to approve, Councilman Renner 2nd, all approved, motion carried. Minutes from 9/13 were presented, changes were made. Councilman Voirol made a motion to approve as corrected. Councilman Renner 2nd, all approved, motion carried.

Treasurer presented financial statements for the month of August. Budget hearing was opened for discussion, after discussion from the board hearing was closed. Adoption of the budget will be October 10, 2013.

Two residents are requesting sewer discounts. One resident's current read is not above normal so no consideration was entertained. The other resident was given a discount back to his normal sewerage rate. Councilman Gerig made the motion to give discount. Councilman Voirol 2nd, all approved, motion carried.

The draft of the city's ADA Transition Plan was presented for council review.

SUPERINTENDENT WALLS:
The city needs to acquire the easement for a property on Park Lane for our water line. Mayor will get easement.

The city Pick-up truck is at Doerman's for repairs.

Leary is here and they have pointed out things that need to be fixed on the water tower. 1. Hatch on bottom of tank is too small and filter tanks are too small - \$4500 extra. Frost free vents need replaced - \$2,450. The stiffer needs replaced - \$3500. Over flow pipe - \$400. Councilman Abbott made a motion to go with Ryan's recommendations for repairs and take out of Water Bond and Water utility operating fund. Councilman Rice 2nd, all approved, motion carried.

COUNCILMAN ABBOTT:
I personally would like to see the sidewalks fixed in front of the businesses on Main Street this fall. The gravel will cause a mess in the businesses if not cleaned up.

COUNCILMAN RICE:
Will not be at the October 10th meeting. AEP needs to be contacted about the pole at Bull Rapids and Ash.

COUNCILMAN RENNER:
Apologized for missing last meeting.

COUNCILMAN GERIG:
Light pole is out at College and Stenger. The residents at 4312 Core would like their pipe to be shortened.

Councilman Voirol: No Report
Councilman Rice moved for adjournment. Councilman Voirol 2nd, all approved, motion carried at 9:00 p.m. Minutes prepared by Holly Sarrazine, Clerk Treasurer.

Sudoku solution from page 13

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

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VILLAGE OF ANTWERP PUBLIC NOTICES

The Council of the Village of Antwerp passed **ORDINANCE NO. 2013-34** on October 21, 2013, entitled "AN ORDINANCE GRANTING TO OHIO GAS COMPANY, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, THE RIGHT TO MAINTAIN A GAS DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM AND TO LAY, EXTEND, MAINTAIN, OPERATE, REPAIR, AND REMOVE MAINS AND PIPE IN, THROUGH, OR UNDER THE STREETS, ALLEYS, PUBLIC PLACES OF THE VILLAGE OF ANTWERP, PAULDING COUNTY, OHIO, FOR SUPPLYING GAS TO THE VILLAGE AND ITS INHABITANTS, AND THE TRANSPORTATION THEREOF IN AND THROUGH THE VILLAGE." This Ordinance grants a franchise to the Ohio Gas Company for use of the rights-of-way throughout the Village for a gas distribution system in the Village of Antwerp for a five (5) year period.

The Council of the Village of Antwerp passed **ORDINANCE NO. 2013-38** on October 21, 2013, entitled "AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A NOTE FOR THE PURPOSE OF SANITARY SEWERAGE SYSTEM IN THE VILLAGE OF ANTWERP, OHIO, AND DECLARING THE SAME AN EMERGENCY." This Ordinance authorizes a note to be issued by the Antwerp Exchange Bank to the Village of Antwerp for the balance due for the sanitary sewerage system capital improvement.

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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Saturday, Nov. 2nd, 2013

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3.0-3.49 - Justin Adams, Justin Carnahan, Aaron Contreras, Taylor Deatricks, Kyle Kauser, Sonny Manz, Seth Mattocks, Cotey Nichols, Ryan Schindler

JUNIORS:

4.0 - Kathryn Clapsaddle, Kayla Deitrick, Karolina Jakuczun, Amanda LoCastro, Morgan Riley, Shayla Shepherd, Ashlynn Strahley, Laurel Wehrkamp

3.5-3.99 - Taylor Ankney, Katie Carnahan, Lydia Clemence, Lyndi Clinton,

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3.0-3.49 - Alexandria Chandler, Treston Gonzales, Sean Holman, Skyler Huth, Tessa Jones, Melissa Martinez, Aaron Mock, Suzanne Reinhart, Lorenzo Salinas

SOPHOMORES:

4.0 - Lucas Arend, Allison Harpel, Taylor Manz, Matthew Martinez, Megan Reineck, Emilee Ringler, Taylor Schooley, Mei TenWalde, Cullen Wenzlick, Drayson Wenzlick

3.5-3.99 - Victoria Bradford, Zach Buchman, Kasandra Cogswell, Damon Egnor, Angelica Escalera, Kynsie Etzler, Nathan Gee, Lauren Johanns, Kacie Karlstadt, Taylor Kochenour, Sam Ladd, Branson Minck, Bridgett Moore, Krista Mullins, Haley Porter, Johnathon Rose, Jordan Shull, Jarrett Sitton, Jaycie Varner, Nicholas Warnimont

3.0-3.49 - Hailey Brittig, Sierra Bullard, Audrey Durham, Corbin Edwards, Megan Fife, Mayah Goings-Nance, Jowaine Grimes, Lucas Hanenkratt, Henry Hohenberger, Luke Jackson, Victoria Johanns, Breanna LaFountain, Kim Matson, Cynthia McCourt, Kristen Schilt, Sky Schooley, Michelle Spears, Andrew Stafford

FRESHMEN:

4.0 - Brittany Brown, William Deisler, Christopher Elder, Hannah Farr, Emily Knodel, Estee Miller, Chantal Monnier, Dayton Pracht, Jo Ellyn Salinas, Ashley Snipes, Beth Yates

3.5-3.99 - Allison Arend, Christine Clapsaddle, Destiny Dangler-Reed, Robert Deitrick, Camron Erb, Paige Fitzwater, Kaleb Goshia, Katlynn Fuller, Ty Harwell, Lauren Hill, Aaron Horstman, Preston Ingol, Caylin Johanns, Kaytlin Ladd, Skyler Maassel, Skyler McCullough, Molly Meeker, Ava Moats-Landis, Jared Paschall, Simeon Shepherd, Chella Vargas, Faith Vogel, Brooke Weidenhamer, Peter Wharry

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