

## PARKVIEW HEALTH ADDS PAULDING COUNTY HOSPITAL TO ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORD SYSTEM

Parkview Health and Paulding County Hospital recently announced the two will collaborate in an effort to better patient care and access to medical information through Parkview Community Connect. Parkview's Community Connect program works to extend electronic health records to independent physicians and hospitals throughout the region. As part of this alignment, Paulding County Hospital remains independent but can tap into the same electronic health record system that Parkview facilities use.

"Availability of an electronic health record system is essential in today's fast paced, digital world and will help us further provide excellent care to our patients and improve healthcare access for the entire community," said Gary Adkins, CEO, Paulding County Hospital. "We are very pleased to collaborate with Parkview on this project. Access to such a robust system of records that patients and physicians can

## WIFFLEBALL TOURNAMENT AT WAYNE TRACE

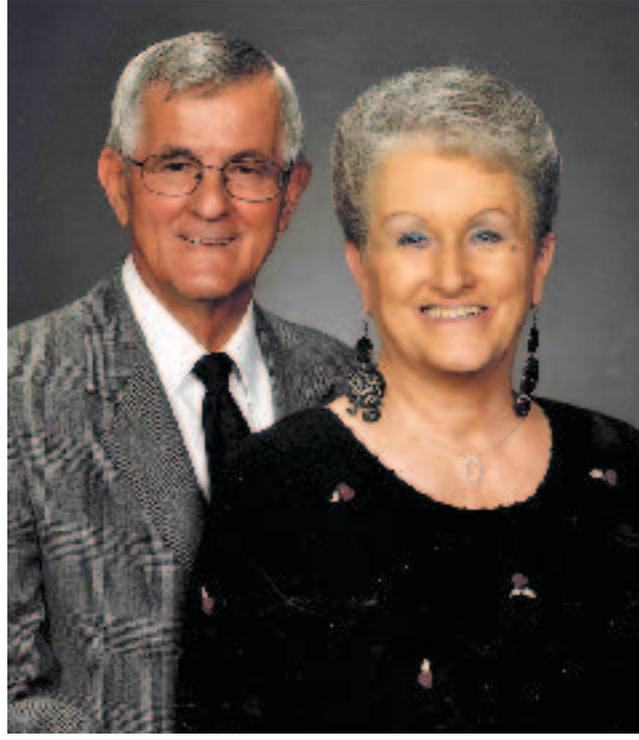
On Saturday February 8<sup>th</sup>, the Wayne Trace Baseball team will host an indoor wiffleball tournament at Wayne Trace High School. The tournament is a round-robin formatted tournament consisting of 7-person teams. All participants must be high school age or older. Team entry includes a t-shirt for all team members. More information regarding the tournament, including the registration form, can be found by visiting the Wayne Trace Baseball Facebook page, or by visiting <http://bit.ly/wtwiffleball>. Balcony level seating and concessions will be available for participants and spectators. This event will go to support the Wayne Trace Baseball team.

## OAKWOOD DEVELOPMENT COMPANY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR WILL BE KEYNOTE SPEAKER AT JPHS'S ANNUAL MEETING

Damien A. Morales, Executive Director of the Oakwood Development Company, will be sharing their company goals and objectives for not only Oakwood but for all of Paulding County, as a keynote speaker for the John Paulding Historical Society's "Annual Membership Meeting", an event which brings together members, friends and family to share in the excitement of a brand new year.

The meeting will be held at the museum, located across from the Paulding County Fairgrounds, on

## MR. & MRS. KARL POWELL CELEBRATE 60 YEARS OF MARRIAGE



Karl and Shirley Powell from Woodburn, IN are celebrating their 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary. They were married January 10, 1954. They have four children (Dennis,

Terry, Marty, and Karla), seven grandchildren (Jarrod, Ben, Alex, Emily, Logan, Evan, and Nick), and two great-grandchildren (James and Jackson).

Sunday, January 19, at 2:00 p.m. The keynote speaker will give members a chance to learn what the upcoming year will bring and see firsthand what direction the Oakwood Development Company plans on taking to highlight Paulding County's strengths.

Damien, who has been recently named the Executive Director for the Oakwood Development Company, is a degreed Sociologist from the University of North Texas, and has recently spent the last eight

years assisting franchisors in replicating their business models across the country. He's worked for some of the most recognizable brands in the franchise industry and has been a part of strategic planning for some of the fastest growing brands in franchising today.

"I'm humbled to share our development plan with the leaders of the Paulding community. The future brings challenges that we need to face together and head on with a positive attitude and energetic spirit.

## VOTER REGISTRATION FORMS AVAILABLE IN WOODBURN

Voter registration forms in English and Spanish are available at Woodburn City Hall, located at 22735 Woodburn Road.

## DATES TO REMEMBER FROM THE PAULDING COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS

Board Of Elections Office Closed:

**January 14-17** (for OAEO Conference)

**January 20** (in observance of Martin Luther King Day)

**February 5** by 4:00 p.m.: Filing deadline for declaration of candidacy for partisan candidates for May 6<sup>th</sup> primary election

**February 5** by 4:00 p.m.: Filing deadline for local questions and issues for May 6<sup>th</sup> primary election

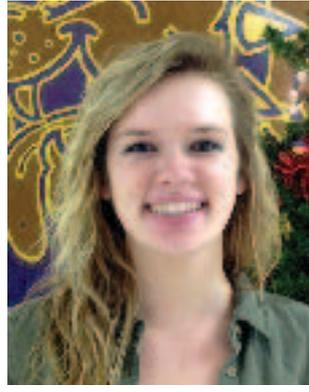
**The deadline for ads and article submissions is Friday at 5:00 p.m.**

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## HALEY FOX BREAKS 3 POINT RECORDS

At the December 18<sup>th</sup> win over Adams Central in High School girls basketball, New Haven Senior Haley Fox set three new school records. Most three points in a game at six, most three pointers in a season at 32 and most three pointers in a career at 52. With several games still to be played, Haley will definitely set the bar for future teammates.

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**OBITUARIES**



ANTWERP, OHIO  
**John A. Meyer, 79**, died peacefully surrounded by his loving family Tuesday, January 7, 2014 at his son's home in Cecil, Ohio.

He was born on August 7, 1934 in Antwerp, Ohio, the son of the late Francis and Madonna (Trembley) Meyer.

John was a 1952 graduate of Antwerp High School, Antwerp, Ohio.

On January 28, 1967, John was united in marriage to Catherine Bott and she preceded him in death on February 8, 2011.

John served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict from 1955 to 1959.

John retired from Navistar (International Harvester) in 1999. While working fulltime he also attended classes at IIT in Ft. Wayne and farmed.

He was very active member of St. Michael's Catholic Church, Hicksville, Ohio, where he was a charter member of the Knights of Columbus. He was a member of a men's bowling league, loved to fish and spend time with his grandkids and family.

John is survived by two daughters- Sara (Todd) Green of Hicksville, Cheryl (Steve) Pomesky of Waynesburg, Ohio; a son- Mike (Tom) Meyer of Cecil, Ohio; grandkids- Brian, Jason and Brandon Green, Isabella and Isaac Meyer, Emily, Alex and Elizabeth Pomesky; sisters- Irene Mascazine of Mansfield, Ohio, Mary Stump of Ft. Wayne, Indiana, Joan Miller of Hurst, Texas; brothers- Phil Meyer and Jerry Meyer of Hicksville, and Basil Meyer of Bluffton, Ohio.

He was preceded in death by a grandson Lucas and a brother Paul.

A Mass of Christian Burial for John was Saturday at 10:30 at St. Michael's Catholic Church, Hicksville with Father Dave Cirata officiating. Visitation will be Friday from 2:00 to 8:00 and the rosary was at 8:00 at Smith & Brown Funeral Home, Hicksville.

Burial was in Forest Home Cemetery, Hicksville.

Memorials may be made to St. Michael's Catholic Church or CHP of Paulding County.

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

**Jeannie Gerken, 77**, of Antwerp, passed away Friday Jan. 10, 2014. Arr by Dooley Funeral Homes of Antwerp & Payne CECIL, OHIO

**Thomas J. Howell, 77**, of Cecil, Ohio passed away Saturday, January 11, 2014 at his residence. Arr. by Dooley Funeral Homes of Antwerp & Payne.



HICKSVILLE, OHIO  
**Margaret A. Brickel, 94**, died Sunday, January 12, 2014 at Hickory Creek at Hicksville, Hicksville, Ohio.

She was born in Ft. Wayne, Indiana on January 21, 1919, the daughter of the late John and Erma (Connet) Reinhold.

Margaret was a 1939 graduate of Central High School in Ft. Wayne, Indiana.

In 1940, she was united in marriage with James Brickel and he preceded her in death on October 26, 1994.

Margaret worked at Dana Weatherhead in Antwerp, General Electric in Ft Wayne and Crook Miller Handle Factory in Hicksville.

She was a member of Grace United Methodist Church in Hicksville. She was past president and secretary of the Hicksville Eagles Auxiliary, and secretary of the bowling leagues. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and TOPS Club. She loved poodles.

Surviving Margaret are two sons-Richard (Dee) Brickel of Bryan, Ohio, David (Diane) Brickel of Hicksville; stepdaughter Patricia Hart Gumbert of New Haven, Indiana; four grandchildren; six step grandchildren; 15 great grandchildren and 9 great great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a stepson-Robert Brickel, three sisters and a brother.

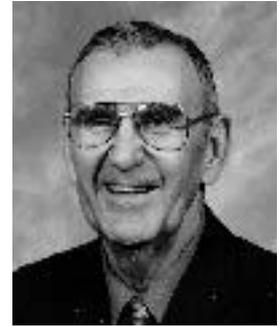
Funeral service for Margaret will be Friday at 10:00 at Grace United Methodist Church.

Visitation will be Thursday from 4:00 to 8:00 at Smith & Brown Funeral Home, Hicksville.

Burial will be in Forest Home Cemetery, Hicksville. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Defiance County Humane Society, Hickory Creek at Hicksville or Grace United Methodist Church.

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

**WOODBURN LISTING**  
**Noble C. Doehrman, 80**, died Sunday, January 12, 2014 at Genesis HealthCare, New Haven. Born in Fort Wayne, he was the son of the late Carl and Hulda Doehrman. He was a member of Christ Lutheran Church, Woodburn. Noble served his country in the US Army and was a member of American Legion Post 377. He was a mechanic for 19 years at Bohren's Trucking and was owner operator of Doehrman Repair Service for 29 years.



He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Darlene; sons, Jeff Doehrman of Phoenix, AZ and Joel (Teresa) Doehrman of Woodburn; brother, Willard (Ann) Doehrman of Indianapolis; and sister-in-law, Dru Chase. He was also preceded in death by his brother, Dale Doehrman.

Funeral service is 11 a.m. Wednesday, at Christ Lutheran Church, 4412 Park St., Woodburn with calling one hour prior. Pastor Tim Edwards officiating. Calling is also 4 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at the church. Burial in Christ Lutheran Cemetery, Woodburn with military honors. Preferred memorials are to Woodburn Lutheran School or Christ Lutheran Church. Arrangements by E. Harper & Son Funeral Home, 740 St. Rd. 930 E., New Haven. For online condolences please go to [www.harperfuneralhome.com](http://www.harperfuneralhome.com).

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Paulding County Hospital was the first hospital to participate in Parkview Community Connect. Since May, when Parkview began communicating the availability of Community Connect, multiple northeast Indiana physician practices have signed on. Implementation of the program in Paulding County Hospital is underway in anticipation of a May 30, 2014 activation date.

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**NEW HEIGHTS AWARDS RECEIVED FROM NOVEMBER'S MULTIPLE WINS**

New Heights Educational Group is proud to be honored again with two more awards this month! The final results of the 10<sup>th</sup> annual Stevie Awards for Women in Business were announced on Friday, November 8 at a dinner in New York City. New Heights Educational Group is the Silver Stevie Winner as "Organization of the Year - Government or Non-Profit- 10 or Less Employees" and Pamela Clark is the Bronze Stevie Winner as "Female Executive of the Year - Government or Non-Profit -10 or Less Employees."

More than 1,200 nominations from organizations of all sizes and in virtually every industry were submitted in 2013 for consideration in a wide range of categories.

Winners were selected by more than 240 executives worldwide who participated in the judging process in November 2013 and from 18 nations.

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**LATTA LEADS BIPARTISAN CHARGE TO CUT UNNECESSARY RED TAPE**

The U.S. House of Representatives passed H.R. 724, a bipartisan bill sponsored by Congressman Bob Latta (R-OH), to repeal a duplicative mandate on auto dealers. Co-sponsored by Congressman Gary Peters (D-MI), this legislation is the result of bipartisan cooperation.

"H.R. 724 is simple, direct, and sends a clear message that hardworking American taxpayers, and specifically auto dealers, should not be burdened with redundant regulatory requirements. This legislation will make the car-buying process a little simpler and let auto dealers spend less time complying with obsolete regulatory requirements and more time developing their businesses, investing in local communities and creating jobs. As this legislation represents, finding ways to reduce unnecessary red tape is not only a policy goal both sides of the aisle can agree on, but it is a policy goal that can actually get done," said Congressman Latta.

Under the current regulation, the Clean Air Act

**SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK**

"First be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift. Come to terms quickly with your accuser while you are going with him to court, lest your accuser hand you over to the judge," *Matthew 5:24-25 ESV*

**HERBER & TAYLOR TAKE THEIR SEATS AT ANTWERP SCHOOL BOARD**



The Antwerp Local School Board met for the first meeting of the year with addition of two new members: Robert Herber and Kipp Taylor. Anita Bok was reelected. The board nominated Dennis Recker and approved him as the new president. Mark Ryan was elected as the new vice president.

Anita Bok also took on the job of Student Achievement Liaison and Bob Herber volunteered for Legislative Liaison.

Dennis Recker noted Jack Palmer, who is normally here from the Defiance Crescent, passed away and mentioned he would be missed by the board members.

There was no report for Vantage since there hadn't been a meeting in between.

Kristine Stuart gave the treasurer's report.

High School Principal Mike Bute gave his report and was mainly about Engineering Your Future (EYF). Cord Ehrhart took over and talked about a chair the students made. It weighed only 3 pounds and can hold 200 lbs. or more. He explained how

good the problem solving of the kids' is and how important it will be to these young people throughout their entire lives. Do you want to be an engineer? After a project like this the kids will know if they like the field or not. This was their first Civil Engineering design project through team building. Jacob O'Donnell, Steven Bowers, Kaden Brummett were the designers of the winning chair.

Bute also reported Amy Barnhart will be here on Monday, January 13 at 6:30 in the Auditoria, helping students and parents with college aid including scholarships.

February 14 will end the third nine week term. It was delayed due to missing days of school from the weather.

The Winter Wonderland Dance fundraiser will be Saturday, January 11<sup>th</sup> 8:00-10:30 p.m.

Superintendent Pat Ross said January is Board of Education Recognition Month throughout the nation. She presented certificates to the incumbents on the board: Anita, Mark, and Dennis.

**FROM THE DESK OF THE PAULDING COUNTY GRAND JURY**

Paulding County prosecuting attorney Joseph R. Burkard announced that the Paulding County Grand Jury indicted four persons on Thursday, January 9, 2014.

Aaron S. McMillan, Paulding, DOB 2/5/82, Trafficking in Drugs F-4, Possession of Heroin F-4

Jennifer L. McMillan, Paulding, DOB 5/11/84, Trafficking in Drugs F-4, Possession of Heroin F-4

Scott J. Collins, Paulding, DOB 12/22/77, Sexual Offender Registration F-3

Donald E. Hammons III, DOB 11/24/77, Complicity to Robbery F-3

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**OFF THE WALL GRAFFITI TAKES ON THE SNOW!**

In the midst of the snow plows, sunshine, icy roads, a level 3 snow emergency and school closings, an abstract gathering of individuals took place on Tuesday, January 7<sup>th</sup>. Some Antwerp young people had the opportunity to meet, draw and paint with Off The Wall Graffiti. The original plan was to paint a wall in The Arch (the building of the Antwerp Community Youth Center), but alas, due to the non-cooperating weather, The Arch didn't have heat or water. But leave it to the "outside the box" thinking of Maura McCarthy, the founder of Off The Wall Graffiti, and her mother, Sharon McLaughlin, manager of the Essen House Restaurant in Antwerp—creativity would be born on this snow week! After a few back and forth phone calls with ACYC director, Angel Steiner, the venue was set: Essen House Restaurant. That's right! Those of you who remember the old school, know that there is a basement under that gym, and that's where the kids had the opportunity to collaborate with

some very talented artists. These artists really are all just philanthropists at heart. They stopped in Antwerp mid-way to Michigan, and used this opportunity to share with a few of the kids the importance of using their creativity as a positive outlet.

Off The Wall Graffiti is a non-profit organization (founded in 2010) that tours the country doing art where ever that may take them and in the process, mentoring budding artists who may have had a tendency to get "bored" with the rigidity of society's rules—sometimes getting them into trouble when they deface public or private property with their artistry. Maura states it best (taken from her website), "We are directing their self expression to sanctioned areas, we may even end up on walls—with permission."

The OTWG's Mission Statement:

"The mission of OTWG is to elevate the self esteem and talent of under-served 10-25 year old artists. In order to accomplish this mission, we will provide mentoring and contests for students to stretch their skills, focus their competitive nature, and win art supplies in support of self-expression, connecting them to a global community of artists in the pursuit of an education in the arts."

They are currently working on finishing a documentary, This or That Documentary Tour, which will showcase several US cities that they visit, organize painting event, connect with some budding artists, and get life lesson interviews. They are hoping this inspires the ones out there who feel that nobody is listening or cares.

This tour contains a collective of artists—photographers, painters, musicians...

PAUL NASSER is from



New York City, and has been drawing most of his life. "If you love it, do it every day..." This is what Paul told the kids who were doodling on paper, trying to express themselves, before heading for the paints. Check out his team at www.nassart.com

PHILIPPE MASTROCOLA is a Canadian by birth. He has also broadened his appreciation of art through his ongoing involvement with MU, a non-profit organization that supports and promotes public art in the greater Montreal area. His scope at present is called Spraycam. He spray



paints the venue by hand, then when he's finished with the cans, he fashions a pin hole camera and photographs his finished work. He is also the photographer. To see more of his work go to www.philippemastrocola.com

DANNY SEVERANCE is originally from the suburbs of Chicago, but is now based in New York City. He brings his own flavor to this collection of artists—he held the mood in the basement with his violin and harmonica melodies. Danny is part of The Maven Imprint which is a "for artists by artists" collaborative. It is an artists' agency and production company. As they build with their partners (such as Off The Wall Graffiti), they work as a movement to combine interconnectedness and cross-brand promotion with a professional business mentality. To learn more about The Maven Imprint and Danny visit www.themavenimprint.com.

MAURA MCCARTHY is sort of the mastermind behind everything in Off The Wall Graffiti. She gets contacts and gigs set up which has given them venues all over to do live art and other expressive events. What she loves about art is how it enables her to connect with kids of like-mindedness. Many kids have "found" her, so to speak, and she gets them talking, and they'll do art together—and a mentorship has been born! She's seen many kids rise above obstacles that life has put before them, and pursue their artistic talents for the good of themselves, society, and the world. Maura is the mother of two grown children—a daughter who is pursuing her BFA in art education from Southern Oregon University, and a son attending college at the University of Colorado, Boulder.

All of these fine human beings are currently traveling together as a collective with Off The Wall Graffiti on their This or That Documentary Tour. A designer from Ireland, Stuart Crawford, also toured with them, but has since returned home. The corporate sponsor of this group's endeavors has been Blick Art Supplies.

All of the kids in attendance on January 7<sup>th</sup> took part in a preliminary, inspirational time, by doodling on some Essen House Restaurant place-mats, but a couple of them were a little too intimidated to put their work on glass. Yep! They used four inch thick glass that Sharon McLaughlin said has been gathering dust in the basement. And what better way to reuse, than to let these guys demonstrated their creativity. The medium was acrylic paint and paint markers. The purpose of this activity? Well, there were a couple:

1) to get kids to be creative without the use of an elec-

tronic device;  
2) to help spruce up The Arch.

The kids all worked for almost two hours on their creations. But some of the more in depth masterminds couldn't get all of their expression out in that time frame. No worries, though! Sharon said they will be able to have their artwork to finish as soon as the weather breaks and they will be transported over to their new home at The Arch. There are many more pieces of glass like the ones the participants worked on, so the extra paint and as many pieces of glass needed/wanted will be donated to the Antwerp Community Youth Center kids.

"I want to thank Off The Wall Graffiti for taking the time with these kids and showing them how what's up in their heads can come out & look beautiful. I loved it! And to Sharon for getting this distraction from the weather set up," commented ACYC director, Angel Steiner.

For more information about this wonderful group, www.offthewallgraffitti.com

**DINOSAUR TRAIN COMES TO NISWONGER**

On Saturday, March 15 at 3:00 p.m., Jeffery-Mohr Dentistry, Inc. will welcome Dinosaur Train to the Niswonger Performing Arts Center Stage. Jim Henson's Dinosaur Train is a live show based upon the PBS series that embraces and celebrates the fascination that children have with both dinosaurs and trains.

Come join Buddy, Tiny, Don and all of their friends and family in this fun-filled, interactive and immersive live trip back in time to an age when

dinosaurs roamed the earth... and rode in trains.

Little Buddy is a proud Tyrannosaurus Rex living happily in the Pteranodon family nest. But, what exactly makes Buddy a part of this family, and just what will happen when he gets bigger and can't fit in the nest anymore? Buddy wants to know, so the Pteranodons decide to hop aboard the one and only Dinosaur Train and set off on an adventure across the Mesozoic to take Buddy to see his good friend King Cryolophosaurus. King's giving a big concert in Troodon Town and will be a great pal for Buddy to talk to and figure it all out. But, oh no! King is missing! Will Buddy and the gang be able to find him in time for his concert? Just why is King hiding anyway? Will Buddy discover what makes him special and such an important part of the Pteranodon family?

Jim Henson's Dinosaur Train Live: Buddy's Big Adventure will bring the beloved stars of the hit PBS series to your hometown for the first time. From giant King to teeny

Tiny, all of our friends will be brought to life in an exciting, original, musical story created just for the stage where our audience is always a part of the action. Utilizing lush projected backgrounds and vistas, magical special effects that fill the theatre, a full sized replica of the Dinosaur Train, unique hybrid puppeteered costume characters and an engaging live host, the dinosaur pals and their adventures will truly seem larger than life.

The fun goes beyond the show. Guests will have an opportunity to meet the characters after the show and capture a memorable picture. Also, as a sweet reward, all ticketed patrons will be entered to win a Dinosaur Train themed cake from the region's very own cakery, CakeCrazy.

For more information about Dinosaur Train LIVE contact the Niswonger Performing Arts Center at 419-238-NPAC; online npacvw.org; or by visiting the Niswonger Performing Arts Center Box Office at 10700 SR 118S, Van Wert, OH.



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**A PLACEBO FAITH**

**By: Regan Clem, Riverside Christian Church**

We may think that because we're spiritual that we're right with God.

We may think that because we are part of a church, we're right with God.

Both seem to be popular approaches to feeling good about ourselves depending on the circles we are in.

We post "praying" on Facebook at the appropriate times. We read popular spiritual or Christian books. We tell our hurting friend that we will pray for them. We read our Bible. Whatever it is that we do to think we're right with God may just be a placebo.

A placebo "is a simulated or otherwise medically ineffectual treatment for a disease or other medical condition intended to deceive the recipient." It's given because some people get better just from the thought of being treated. It's fake. It's not real.

And we fill our spiritual lives with so many placebos.

James wrote, "If anyone thinks he is religious and does not bridle his tongue but deceives his heart, this person's religion is worthless," (James 1:26 ESV). Talking religion can make people think that they are religious. The right answers. Impeccable theology or witty spiritual guidance. James recognized the danger in words. It can lead to a worthless religion. Just talking, even though it may make us feel like we have done something, is not religion. The focus of James' letter was to emphasize that having the right beliefs or saying the right things is no substitute for actually living out true religion.

When we think that we're right with God, yet it is not leading us to love the least of these, we're just taking a spiritual placebo. It may make us feel good, but it is not true religion.

James continued, "Religion that is pure and undefiled before God, the Father, is this: to visit orphans and widows in their affliction, and to keep oneself unstained from the world," (James 1:27 ESV). To visit orphans and widows in their affliction and to keep unstained from the world.

True religion is living the life that we read or hear about. True religion is truly helping rather than just saying

that we will pray in passing. True religion is living out what we read in the Bible and not just memorizing it. It's about living the sermon. We hear rather than just listening to and critiquing them. It's keeping ourselves free from the chains of this world that will bind us, so that we can love the way God wants us to love.

Our times spent together as a church and learning together are important. That is not to be discarded in our search for true religion. For those outside of a flawed yet reclaimed community, it is something to be part of. True spirituality is not found outside of relationships with God and other sojourners. Without authentic relationships where we learn together, we will not know the direction God wants us to go. But we always must remember that talk is not the goal. Knowledge is not the goal. Attendance is not the goal.

God has a different plan for humanity. When we are in touch with Him, our hearts hunger for that reality. We know it is there. We know things aren't supposed to be this way. We can see something greater than what we are experiencing. Glimpses grow greater.

Jesus wants us to love like He loves. He doesn't need a bunch of people being spiritual or going through the religious motions. If our hearts aren't breaking when we see injustice around us or when we see suffering—if our hearts are calloused to the pain around us or we have developed excuses to just let people suffer, then Jesus is asking us, whether we profess that we are already Christians or not—Jesus is asking us to follow Him. To bring His kingdom here on earth as it is in heaven. His kingdom. His love. May we learn to follow Jesus. May we learn to love sacrificially and completely. God, help us.

You can read more of Regan's writings at [www.regansravings.blogspot.com](http://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.

**6th ANNUAL MARCH FOR LIFE**

The 6th Annual March for Life will take place at the Defiance County Courthouse on January 22, 2014

beginning at 12:00 p.m. The March this year is sponsored by Mother Teresa Respect for Life.

The March for Life is to walk and stand up for those children who are within the womb of their mothers who cannot say how beautiful their lives are. The march will start at the same time as the March for Life in Washington D.C. to unite in prayer and walking for the voices of the unborn who cannot speak up for themselves. There will be a police escort to lead the march from the courthouse to The Monument of the Unborn on Jackson Avenue.

Host:

- Rick Small from Clear Channel Communications will host the march and lead a prayer for life at the monument of the unborn on Jackson street.

Speakers:

- The march will start with Father Dave Cirata, pastor of St Mary's Catholic Church, Edgerton who will lead a prayer then speak of how life is God's first and most important Gift. Jesus repeatedly associates His mission of salvation with the gift of Life.

- Jeremy Ayers, who is a classroom presenter in area schools for abstinence based programs. He will be speaking about healthy relationships in choosing friends setting goals that will promote abstinence.

- Lora Purpura with her husband Frank, from Bryan will share her witness of emotional stress and pain of an abortion turning into a recovering healing of forgiveness from God.

- "God's Girls" who are homeschool girls from the area will tell why they are pro life and sing a song in American sign language giving glory to God.

- Andrew Reinhart, who is a Pastoral Associate of Administration +Formation at Holy Rosary Cathedral, Toledo will speak how with every right comes responsibilities. We need to do more than proclaim life with our words but proclaim life with our bodies also.

- Mary Juarez, from Edgerton, who is with Never Let Go Ministries, is a Mother on a Mission who will talk about the unborn child who had a right to be born where they could have the answer to the end of addiction.

- The march will end at the church basement of St John's Catholic Church with Jim Zipfel and Olivia Paholak sharing pro life music.

- Reverend David Crobston, St Paul Lutheran Church, Defiance will then speak about God created life in the very beginning where life is good then end with a prayer.

All are welcome to join in giving witness of how life is so beautiful. All are invited for hot chocolate in the church basement.

There will be Mass for life celebrated by Father Randy Giesge at Holy Cross Catholic School Chapel at 9:30 a.m. then Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament at St John's Catholic Church throughout the day for those who want to spend time in prayer for life with Benediction at 5:00 p.m. with Deacon Mark Homier officiating.

**WHAT ARE YOU DREAMING ABOUT FOR 2014?**

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

The New Year that is before us will represent an opportunity for many to dream what might be or ponder what will be. What are you dreaming about for 2014?

In light of this moment to reflect on possibilities Dr. J. Wallace Hamilton in his book "Horns and Halos" tells about one of the weirdest auction sales in history.

The auction was held in Washington, D.C., in 1926, where 150,000 patented models of old inventions were declared obsolete and placed on the auction block for public auction.

Prospective buyers and on-lookers chuckled as item after item was put up for bid, such as a bed-bug buster or an illuminated cat that was designed to scare away mice. Then there was a device to prevent snoring. It consisted of a trumpet that reached from the mouth to the ear and was designed to awaken the snorer and not the neighbors. Then there was the adjustable pulpit that could be raised or lowered according to the height of the preacher.

"Needless to say, this auction of old patent models was worth at least 150,000 laughs; but if we would look into this situation a little deeper, we would discover that these 150,000 old patent models also represent 150,000 broken dreams. They represented a mountain of disappointments."

The important thing to remember in light of all this is to continue to dream or as Solomon puts it in Proverbs 29:18, KJV, "Where there is no vision the people perish."

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@embarq-mail.com](mailto:defyfc@embarq-mail.com)

**SNOW CLOSING & DELAYS**

**By: Beth Stauffer**

EACS Superintendent Dr. Kenneth Folks tells a story that during his tenure as principal, the teachers in the building he administrated had his full blessing to call 911 from the classroom in the event of an emergency.

"I had confidence in the teachers' ability to make a sound decision in the best interest of safety," said Folks. "If this meant calling 911 to summon an ambulance or the police when minutes counted, then it was the right decision to make."

This story well highlights Superintendent Folks commitment to both solid decision making and ensuring the safety of all EACS students, teachers, and staff.

Of course, said Dr. Folks, "We never want to miss out on instructional days. Yet, the safety of our most important commodity, our students, and our staff comes first."

The decision of whether or not to cancel school, or even to institute a delay, is not taken lightly by Superintendent Folks. Indeed, said Dr. Folks, "The decision to cancel or delay is truly a team effort made by EACS,

and one that we take very seriously."

In the event of inclement weather, said Folks, the team begins driving all of the very same roads the buses will be expected to drive as early as 4:00 a.m. to gather information about what is going on in the neighborhoods and towns that make up the EACS school district. The team also monitors weather reports and communicates with other school districts in the county to find out what they are seeing in their neighborhoods, said Folks.

For instance, to try and determine whether or not school would be in session



on Friday, January 10, 2014, Folks said he and the team began driving all of the roads on Thursday afternoon and felt very confident that the district could open for instruction on a 2 hour delay schedule.

One of the biggest obstacles facing the transportation department, said Folks, was the buses being able to turn the corners under the slippery and snowy conditions. Further complicating matters was the light snow that began falling late on Thursday, that combined with the dropping temperatures and the slick snow already on the ground, made for unsafe travel for the school buses once again.

"It's one thing for me and my little Chevrolet to take corners and maneuver the roads in this weather," said Superintendent Folks, who actually gave this interview while driving en route from Leo Jr. Sr. High School to Woodlan High School. "The buses on these same roads are another matter entirely."

With the loss of four student instruction days this past week, thoughts of many parents around the area have turned to how these days will be made up. Superintendent Folks says the district will apply to the Indiana Department of Education for a waiver for two of these days because school was cancelled due to county-wide Department of Homeland Security travel warning. Another day will be made up with an already-built-into-the-calendar school make-up day on February 20th. Dr. Folks plans to approach the school board at the next meeting about making February 11th (previously scheduled to be a district wide teacher in-service day) a student instruction day.

"I wish I had a crystal ball so I could see exactly what the weather was going to do and when it was going to do it," said Superintendent Folks of his school delaying and cancelling abilities. "We always try to give families as much notice as we can when it comes to delays and closings. Unfortunately, the safest decision isn't always the most convenient decision, however, we will always do what is safest for our students, faculty and staff."

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**READER'S THEATRE FOR ANTWERP KINDERGARTNERS & 1st GRADERS**



Students in Mrs. Hammer's first grade reading class at Antwerp Elementary performed a reader's theatre script for the kindergarten classes. Shown here are Bryce Sholl and Elle Clem reading

their scripts as kindergarten and first grade students look on. The students did a great job of reading their lines with expression and taking on the personality of their characters.

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**AN OLD-TIME STORY: SEMI-TRUE**

**By: Stan Jordan**

Years ago when Germany was at war with England, Winston Churchill was their Prime Minister. That was in 1940 or so. He made a number of trips to Washington D.C. to get some assistance from Bob Hope, the U.S. comedian. He had an hour long show on the radio at that time and he told the following joke (nobody was ever safe from Bob's remarks): On one of the trips to America, Churchill was staying at the White House. On this night Franklin D. Roosevelt was walking down the hall to go to his bedroom when he saw Churchill coming out of Franklin's bedroom. He said, "Winnie old boy, I will have no more of that."

Then Churchill replied, "And neither will I".

**Stan's note:** At that time, Germany and England both had radar, but the U.S. didn't and on one of these trips to the U.S., we traded 50 naval destroyers to England for the rights and plans of their radar. These ships were all in moth balls in the James and York Rivers. By the time the Japs pulled the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor, nearly all of our ships, carriers and subs, were equipped with working radar. That was a tremendous advantage for the U.S. and Pacific theater of war, as Japan did not have radar yet. That is the true part of this story.

See ya!



**One Liners**

- \*\*The quick brown fox jumped over the lazy dog.
- \*\*Maybe I'm not always right, but I'm never wrong.
- \*\*There is the correct way and then the Army way.
- \*\*What do you call a smart blonde? A golden retriever.
- \*\*Why are husbands like lawn mowers? They're hard to get started, emits foul odors and don't work half of the time.
- \*\*I never understood why women liked cats. Cats are independent, they don't listen, don't come when they're called, they like to stay out all night and when they are

at home, they like to sleep. In other words, everything women hate in men, and they love in cats!

\*\*What is the difference between a new husband and a new dog? A dog is always glad to see you, and a dog only takes a couple of months to train.

\*\*Farmer John took his cow away and had her de-cal-fined.

\*\*Today is the tomorrow, you worried about yesterday.

\*\*She took her half of the road right out of the center.

\*\*When a woman drives with her arm out of the window she might be signaling left turn, right turn, drying her nails, flipping the ashes off her cigarette... all you can be sure of is, her window is down.

\*\*The waiter at the restaurant asked me, "How did you find your steak?"

"I moved three peas and there it was."

\*\*A bad day at fishing, is still better than a good day at work.

\*\*I graduated with an illness diploma, they were sick of having me around.

\*\*Charlie got his new wife at the Bargain Barn. See ya!

**PREPARING KIDS FOR THEIR CAREERS**

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

With the 2014 legislative session officially underway, the Statehouse is buzzing with activity. This is my very first session, and I am excited to get started. I am proud to be part of a visionary team that is dedicated to keeping Indiana on the right track. This year is a "short session", meaning the General Assembly only meets for 10 weeks compared to a "long session" where the General Assembly meets for four months and addresses the budget. During this time, we have several items to address. While there are many matters to attend to, House Republicans have identified key legislative priorities. Among those top priorities are making sure that children are prepared for the future, starting as early as preschool.

Last year, the General Assembly took action on early education, opening the door for low-income Hoosier families to have access to high quality preschool options. It is a priority that we continue these efforts in 2014, so the youngest Hoosiers have the best possible start to their education. I am working to expand the current preschool education scholarship program for those who are up to 185 percent of the Federal Poverty Level. What this means is that a family of four with a household income of \$43,568 would qualify to have their son or daughter apply for the scholarship if the bill passes.

According to a study from the United Way of Central Indiana, children in poverty are read to an average of 25 hours before they begin first grade. By comparison, middle class children are read to an average of 1000 hours before they begin first grade. To shrink these levels of discrepancy, it is important that the state provide opportunities for low-income families to send their children to a high-quality preschool. Indiana is one of 10 states that does not cur-

rently offer state-funded preschool programs. The time for action is now, and we can no longer sit idly by.

Right now, 60 percent of Hoosier children (ages 3-4) are not enrolled in preschool. As a father of two young children, I recognize the importance of early childhood education. I view education as a critical investment, and I believe that a high-quality preschool education can pay tremendous dividends in children's lives down the road. This session, it is a top priority to make these opportunities more accessible to families of limited means.

Every child, regardless of their parents' financial situation, deserves the chance to receive a great education. It is our intention that with the creation of a preschool voucher program, even children with the smallest means can start off on the right track, and from there, continue on a path to academic success that will ultimately lead to a life of economic prosperity.

**SECRETARY HUSTED FEATURES "NEW USES" THEMED COMPANIES FOR JANUARY'S OHIO BUSINESS PROFILES**

Ohio Secretary of State Jon Husted is helping Ohioans find new uses for old and used items in the new year with January's Ohio Business Profile, featuring companies that put the concept of reuse and recycle first when it comes to their business plans.

"Recycling and reclamation are important industries for Ohio. It strengthens our economy and employs many hardworking Ohioans," Secretary Husted said. "I commend each business for their innovative approaches to reuse and recycle goods that others would deem waste."

According to the Ohio Environmental Council, recycling in Ohio is a \$30 billion industry that employs more than 98,000 people. The companies profiled this month are part of that industry, which helps bolster the state's economy. They include:

- **Olde Wood Ltd.** - Magnolia, Ohio - Provides customers with a variety of wide plank flooring options reclaimed from barns and other historic structures.
- **ReTread, Akron Ltd.** - Akron, Ohio - Finds new and inventive ways to use salvageable goods from old factories, schools, and houses.
- **EnviroFlight** - Yellow Springs, Ohio - Produces sustainable animal feed and oils from the byproducts of food manufacturing, biofuels and brewing industries.
- **Rustic Refinery** - Cincinnati, Ohio - Supplies quality furniture made from reclaimed wood and industrial metal. All items are 100% made in the USA.
- **The Stock Pile Reuse Store** - Canton, Ohio - A nonprofit building material reuse warehouse that provides people in need with affordable used materials and home improvement supplies. Each year, they help more than 3000 families improve their homes and divert 100 tons of material from landfills.

Launched in June 2011, Ohio Business Profile has helped raise awareness about companies registered and doing business in Ohio that are

**THINGS YOU MAY NOT HAVE KNOWN ABOUT THE BALD EAGLE**



Photo taken by: Jarrison Steiner

**Q:** How do young Bald Eagles learn to hunt and how long does it take them to learn? How much of their skills are innate, and how much do they have to learn from their parents?

**A:** An excellent question. Young eagles form wild nests develop their hunting skills on their own, but spend considerable time after they fledge watching their parents and undoubtedly learning by watching what the adults do. The actual skills involved are learned by trial and error, I'm sure. Much of the hunting skill (or at least the drive to hunt) is innate, as our hacked eagles were fledged into an environment without adults around to "teach" or "show" these young birds. Yet, these birds, again through trial and error,

learned to hunt for themselves and survive. We felt it was important to continue to provide food at our hacking towers after the eaglets fledged, to give them a source of food for as long as they needed it. Eventually, each eagle at its own pace, these young birds stopped using our offering and began foraging on their own. Similarly in the wild, the adult parents will continue to provide food for some time after fledging, while the newly flighted birds hone not only their hunting skills, but their flying skills. On average, I would say it takes about 4-12 weeks for young eagles to start hunting successfully. True, fully reined, specialized hunting skills, probably take years to develop.

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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.

**RAIDERS TAKE HOME THE WIN FROM WILDCATS**

The Raiders travelled to Wilcat country of Delphos Jefferson on Saturday night, January 11th for some high school boys basketball. Wayne Trace played hard and took home both the varsity and JV win: 48-27 (JV), 63-55 (Var)

- Score by the Quarter:
- Wayne Trace - 13 17 14 19=63
  - Delphos Jefferson - 6 13 14 22=55
- Scorers of the Game:
- E Linder 11, Speice 9, Ar-end 5, C Linder 26, Wenzlick 6, Sinn 2, Blackmore 4
  - Delphos Jefferson - Jettinghoff 18, Thompson 11, Smith 22, Fitch 4

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**RAIDER GIRLS SLAM EDON**



Madi Poling scores on a run away layup for the Raiders. More pictures at westbendnews.net

The first game was canceled for the Lady Raiders and rescheduled for Saturday, January 11. Edon came to the Raider gym and the game took place in the early afternoon.

There was virtually no contest for the Raiders in the JV match who took the game 40-6.

Varsity started soft and the first quarter made the game look close when Wayne Trace finished only one point ahead of the Bombers. For some reason the girls struggled to get the ball in the goal. The second quarter is where the game took a turn for the Raiders.

The second half of the game was entirely on the Raider side of the court. Shayna Temple picked off an impressive 13 rebounds. The girls out scored the Bombers by more than double in both the third and fourth quarters. Lady Raiders finished the game with another win 73-37.

Watching the Lady Raiders, one notices there is no single standout player, making this a real team to watch in the future since the wins are not dependent on a single person.

Score by the Quarter:  
Wayne Trace - 13 16 26 18=73

Edon - 12 11 6 8=37

Scorers of the Game:  
Wayne Trace - Erin Mohr 14, Shayna Temple 14, Lauren Speice 6, Brooke Wilcox 10, Brenda Feasby 15, Estie Sinn 4, Madi Poling 6, Sylvia Young 4

This brings Wayne Trace Girls record to 8-3.

caption: Madi Poling scores on a run away layup for the Raiders. More pictures at westbendnews.net

**ANTWERP & WAYNE TRACE JUNIOR HIGH WRESTLING AT AYERSVILLE INVITE**

The Antwerp Junior High Wrestling team competed at the Ayersville Junior High Wrestling Invitational on January 11, 2014. The Archer wrestlers were able to place all three wrestlers that competed in the tournament. Placing 3rd at 80 pounds was Aidan McAlexander. Ryan Kitchen also finished 3rd at 122 pounds with a record of 1 win and 1 loss on the day. Tyler Bauer was able to finish 2nd on the day while amassing a 1-1 record as well. Good work and congratulations to the Antwerp wrestlers for having all 3 guys place in the tournament. Their hard work is certainly paying off.

The WTJH wrestling team finished 2nd out of 13 teams at the Ayersville Invitational. Placers for the Raiders:

Austin Smith 3rd, Cassidy Knott 4th, Wyatt Stabler 2nd, Max Rassman 1st, Hunter Showalter 4th, Nick Barnett 4th, Anthony Rooks 3rd, Noah Reel 2nd, Braxton Asher 1st, Colton Hower finished 3-2 on the day but did not place.

Team Scores:  
Tinora 106, WT 95, Fairview 86, Montpelier 75.5, Paulding 73, Edgerton 71, Ayersville 59, Defiance B 57, Columbus Grove 48, Delphos St Johns 38, Hicksville 34, Antwerp 30, Patrick Henry 14

**CLEMENS 5-0 AT BELLMONT INDIANA SUPER DUALS**

The Wayne Trace varsity wrestling team competed in the Belmont Indiana Super Duals this past weekend. Wayne Trace finished with a 0-5 mark on the day. The Raiders were defeated by Bloomington South 60-15,

Homestead 45-28, Perry Meridian 76-4, Penn Kingsmen 74-4, and Belmont 61-17.

Leading the Raiders was George Clemens who was 5-0 on the day, defeating all of his opponents. Dustin Taylor was 2-2, Josh Reel and Riley Moore was 2-3, Ruger Goeltzenleuchter was 1-4, and Darin Showalter was 1-1.

Other Raiders that competed but fell short of a win were Matt Baxter, Jake Gerber, Jacob Dings, Rian James, and Justin Pierce. Coach Clemens commented that he was proud of how well his team wrestled. "When we come to an event like this and can simply compete, it's a good indication of how well we will do in the post season. Bloomington South is ranked 15th in the state of Indiana, Perry Meridian is 4th, Penn Kingsman 3rd, and Belmont 10th. And the majority of the wrestlers that we faced today, are ranked individually in the top 15 in Indiana. To me, it's not about wins and losses at this point, it's about whether we can wrestle the best and compete. I feel we did that today. I'm excited about the upcoming tournaments and the State Dual Tournament. We will be back inside our competition level, and I believe we will be ready."

**WAYNE TRACE TAKES ANOTHER WIN VS HOLGATE BOYS**



Senior Colby Speice is fouled while anticipating the basket. More pictures at westbendnews.net

Holgate travelled to the Welch Stadium in Haviland on Thursday, January 9. The Raiders and the Tigers both struggled early in the basketball game with a slow start as the ball didn't want to dive through the hoop. Later in the first quarter Wayne Trace started moving the ball more and the points started adding up for the boys. In the first quarter Wayne Trace completely dominated the court a then finishing the half with a 33-21 lead.

The third was the shining quarter for Holgate, outscoring the home team. Wayne Trace had their

highest scoring quarter in the fourth with 18 points and the Raiders finished the game with a win at 64-47.

Scorers of the Game:  
Wayne Trace - Ethan Linder 21; Colby Speice 8; Jake Arend 4; Corbin Linder 10; Devin Wenzlick 11; David Sinn 2; TJ Blackmore 6; Justin Speice 2

Score by the Quarter:  
Wayne Trace - 15 18 13 18=64

Holgate - 9 12 16 10=47

The varsity boys team is now 5-1 for the season. Wayne Trace junior varsity team also pulled off a win against the Tigers at 49-26.

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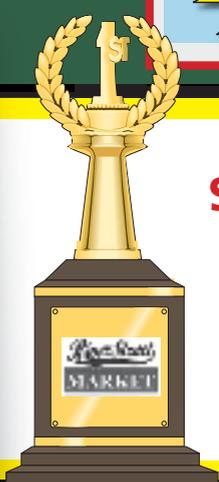
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**ARE ROUTINE PHYSICALS A WASTE OF TIME?**

**The Nurturing Well by: Jill Starbuck**

In recent years, much debate continues regarding the usefulness of routine physicals. Some people argue that the Affordable Care Act will add a significant number of eligible patients, which will take away time from more critical health issues. Others argue that it is unnecessary for relatively healthy people to undergo an annual exam.

A number of studies continue to imply that routine exams have no medical benefit. Some people argue that these exams are a ploy for the medical field to make easy money. Some studies indicate that these exams don't reduce overall deaths, hospitalizations, costs, etc.

However, before you readily agree with these arguments, take into account the flipside. Those who recommend the annual exam claim that patients can discover and treat conditions that could affect them later in life. Catching some of these issues ahead of time can prolong life. To counter the argument that only unhealthy people should schedule a routine physical, take into account the following true scenario.

**Scenario:** A healthy woman in her early 40s sought a routine physical. With the exception of occasional migraines, she routinely exercises, has healthy vital signs, is at a healthy weight, and eats a relatively nutritious diet. However, she decided with her competitive activities and a poor family health history that she should ensure her health stays on track. While the doctor and the patient felt that everything would turn out normal, an EKG showed an irregular heartbeat. Following that, the woman's bloodwork indicated a low platelet count. From there,

she was sent to specialists. The heart turned out to be fine, but the bloodwork was an issue. A normal platelet count is 150,000-400,000. The woman's was 33,000 and rapidly declining to less than 18,000 in a matter of weeks. The woman was now in the danger zone of bleeding internally or suffering a fatality in the event of an accident because platelets help a person's blood clot appropriately. Therefore, her blood was not clotting at a safe rate. This condition has absolutely no symptoms and the only way to know the problem exists is to have bloodwork drawn. What if she had fallen or gotten into a car accident? Her chances of survival were not good at her current platelet level. Typical conditions that cause this issue are cancerous or autoimmune disorders. While her condition is chronic and she will have to deal with it the rest of her life, in this case, the routine physical saved a perfectly "healthy" woman.

**Moral:** Everyone has the right to determine whether they should get a routine physical or not. But when a healthy person such as the one above runs into a shocking discovery, a routine physical seems to make sense and would be discriminatory to suggest that only those unhealthy should seek physical exams. Consider the benefits of a physical exam. A routine physical could be your only yearly medical expense by proactively ensuring your health. A routine physical may catch something in the early stages that can prolong your life and even reduce expenses if caught early enough. In some cases, such as the woman in the scenario, it can save a life. What's your take? Is a person's life worth all the expenses and recommendations for routine physicals? What do you think the woman in the scenario would say?

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**ANTWERP BOYS FALL TO TINORA IN BASKETBALL**



**Antwerp Senior Colton Stout shoots from under the rim. More pictures at westbendnews.net**

The poor weather didn't stop Tinora from competing at the Antwerp gymnasium on Thursday, January 9. Unfortunately for Antwerp the Rams were ahead nearly

double the entire game. The Archers looked good in the fourth quarter but still lost the game 79-53. Antwerp is now 5-4 for the season.

Melanie Buschor, Ailsa Doctor, MaKenna Gunnells, Isabella Knowles, Mason Lee, Rylin Moore, Keegan Rager, Kayson Ross, Blake Schultz, Christian Bohland, Brennan Egnor, Bailey Hildebrand, Chase Holt, Julia Manz, Beth Miller, Allison Noggle, Dyson Scott, Xavier Wenninger, Adalae Collins, Tyson Gerber, Emily Johnson, Mason Lane, Brooke Miller, Noah Parady, Ty Riebesehl, Keira Sargent, Luke Stouffer

Manz, Eli Moore, Chloe Parker, Waylon Smallwood, Maria Stoller, Gage Tinlin, Emily Zamarripa

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**SIXTH GRADE:**

All A's - Sydney Coyne, Nathan Gerber, Brianna Putman, Gage Waltmire

All A's & B's - Brittney Bauer, Cale Crosby, Max Laukhuf, Kylie Pfeiffer, Kiera Roddy, Logan Smith, Libby Wenzlick, Zoey Wright, Deacon Crates, Caleb Flynn, Zach Now, Austin Pierce, Zane Shaffer, Kaitlin Vest, Richard Williams, Reed Zartman

**THIRD GRADE:**

Martin Alejo, Zerika Burkley, Mallory Moore, Jared Pierce, Nyle Stoller, Evan Crosby, Elizabeth Mohr, Gracie Shepherd, Lilli Anderson, Emily Manz, Lane Morehead, Laura Stoller, Ian Clevenger, Arin James, Morgan Riebesehl, Brinley Warner

**PEVS BREAKFAST & LUNCH MENUS 1/15 - 1/21**

**JH/HS - Breakfast:**  
1/15 - Sausage, egg & cheese bagel, fruit/juice, milk  
1/16 - Mini pancakes, sausage links, fruit/juice, milk  
1/17 - Sausage gravy w/ biscuits, fruit/juice, milk  
1/20 - No school, Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
1/21 - Tator tots & cheese, sausage links, fruit/juice, milk

**JH/HS - Lunch:**  
1/15 - Walking taco, refried beans, salsa or Top Your Potato, bread stick, assorted fruit, milk  
1/16 - Corn dog, baked beans, celery or BD pizza slice, carrots w/dip, fruit, milk  
1/17 - Southwest chicken wrap, salsa, oven potatoes or Salad bar, bread stick, fruit, milk  
1/20 - No school, Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
1/21 - Spicy chicken, caesar salad, cheesy bread stick or Sandwich w/bun, oven fries, fruit, milk

**FOURTH GRADE:**

All A's - Kate Laukhuf, Jeremiah Molitor, Cameron Stoller, Malia Wittwer  
All A's & B's - Therin Coyne, Raydyn Egnor, Anastasia Gonzales, Carson Laukhuf, Corbin Daulton, Morgan Hefner, Kaylena Gray, Brookelynn Lee

**Paulding Elementary - Breakfast:**  
1/15 - Burrito, juice/fruit, milk  
1/16 - Muffin, string cheese, fruit/juice, milk  
1/17 - Cereal or cereal bar, juice/fruit, milk  
1/20 - No school, Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
1/21 - Pancakes fruit/juice, milk

**Paulding Elementary - Lunch:**

**FIFTH GRADE:**

All A's - Carlee Mead, Joseph Munger, Samuel Rager, Natalie Schultz, Riley Stoller, Jacob Stouffer, Ryan Wenninger  
All A's & B's - Bailey Coil, Emma Crosby, Draven Hanicq, Jeremiah Harris, Owen

**WOODLAN TOPS ANTWERP AT HOME 53-25**



**Woodlan's Brooke Gerbers shoots with Antwerp's Audrie Longardner attempting to block. More pictures at westbendnews.net**

The Lady Archers travelled to Woodlan for their latest match-up on Saturday, January 11. The Warrior basketball team was prepared to take on the guest team.

Woodlan - 16 14 11 12=53  
Antwerp - 6 6 9 4=25  
Scorers of the Game:  
Woodlan - Kendra Graber 2, Emily Summers 2, Haley Hostetler 6, Morgan Franklin 6, Vicki Cook 5, Brooke Gerber 15, Kenzie Salzbrenner 2, Jazmine Williams 2, Rain Hinton 13

Woodlan dominated each quarter from the start with Senior Brooke Gerbers and Freshman Rain Hinton leading the charge for the home team. Antwerp top scorer was Peyton Short and Kaiya Jemison.

Antwerp - Cheyenne Miller-Sweet 1, Audrie Longardner 4, Peyton Short 10, Kaiya Jemison 7  
Antwerp won the JV game by one point at 29-28.

Woodlan took the win 53-25

**Score by the Quarter:**

1/15 - Cheesy bread stick w/marinara, green beans or Corn dog, fruit, milk  
1/16 - Cheese & nachos, oven potatoes, peas or Corn dog, fruit, milk  
1/17 - Pizza, salad, fresh veggie choice, sherbet or Goldfish bread w/peanut butter, gogurt/crackers, fruit, milk  
1/20 - No school, Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
1/21 - Hot dog on bun, baked beans, fresh veggie choice, fruit snack or Peanut butter & jelly, gogurt/crackers, fruit, milk

1/17 - Assorted cereals, fruit, milk  
1/20 - No school, Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
1/21 - Mini pancakes, fruit, milk

**Oakwood Elementary - Lunch:**  
1/15 - Sloppy joe on bun, California blend, celery sticks, fruit, milk  
1/16 - Cheese bread stick, marinara sauce, green beans, fruit, milk  
1/17 - Taco in a bag, lettuce, refried beans, fruit, milk  
1/20 - No school, Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
1/21 - Breaded mozzarella stick, marinara sauce, green beans, fruit, milk

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**Oakwood Elementary - Breakfast:**  
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1/16 - Egg & sausage burrito, fruit, milk

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**Antwerp - Lunch:**  
1/15 - Walking taco, refried beans, salsa or Top Your Potato, bread stick, assorted fruit, milk  
1/16 - Corn dog, baked beans, celery or BD pizza slice, carrots w/dip, fruit, milk  
1/17 - Southwest chicken wrap, salsa, oven potatoes or Salad bar, bread stick, fruit, milk  
1/20 - No school, Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
1/21 - Spicy chicken, caesar salad, cheesy bread stick or Sandwich w/bun, oven fries, fruit, milk

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**Antwerp - Breakfast:**  
1/15 - Burrito, juice/fruit, milk  
1/16 - Muffin, string cheese, fruit/juice, milk  
1/17 - Cereal or cereal bar, juice/fruit, milk  
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1/21 - Pancakes fruit/juice, milk

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**ARE YOU PREPARED FOR THE UNEXPECTED?**

**Financial Focus by: Gabe Pollock, Edward Jones Advisor**



When you're working to achieve your financial objectives, you will encounter obstacles. Some of these can be anticipated — for example, you won't be able to invest as much as you want for retirement because you have to pay for your mortgage. Other challenges can't be easily anticipated, but you can still plan for them — and you should.

Obviously, the word "unexpected," by definition, implies an unlimited number of possibilities. However, at different stages of your life, you may want to watch for some "expected" unexpected developments.

For example, during your working years, be prepared for the following:

- **Emergency expenses** — If you needed a major car or home repair, could you handle it? What about a temporary job loss? These events are costly — especially if you are forced to dip into your long-term investments to pay for them. To help guard against these threats, try to build an emergency fund containing six to 12 months' worth of living expenses, held in a liquid, low-risk account.
- **Investment risk and market volatility** — Extreme price swings are unpredictable, and they can affect your investment success. To defend yourself against wild gyrations in the market, build a diversified portfolio containing quality invest-

ments. While diversification, by itself, can't protect against loss or guarantee profits, it can help reduce the effect of volatility on your portfolio. And here's one more thing you can do to cope with the ups and downs of investing: Maintain a long-term perspective. By doing so, you won't be tempted to overreact to short-term downturns.

- **Long-term disability** — One-third of all people between the ages of 30 and 64 will become disabled at some point, according to the Health Insurance Association of America. Disabilities can be economically devastating. As part of your benefits package, your employer may offer some disability insurance, but you may need to supplement it with private coverage.

- **Premature death** — None of us can really predict our longevity. If something happens to you, would your family be able to stay in your home? Could your children still attend college? To protect these goals, you need adequate life insurance.

As you approach retirement, and during your retirement years, you may want to focus on these challenges:

- **Living longer than expected** — You probably don't think that "living longer than expected" is necessarily a bad thing. However, a longer-than-anticipated life span also carries with it the risk of outliving your money. Consequently, you may want to consider investment solutions that can provide you with an income stream that you can't outlive. Also, you'll need to be careful about how much you withdraw each year from your various retirement and investment accounts.
- **Need for long-term care** — If you had to stay a few years in a nursing home, the cost could mount to hundreds of thousands of dollars. These expenses could jeopardize your financial security, so you'll need to protect yourself. You could "self-insure," but as that would be extremely costly, you may want to "transfer the risk" to

an insurance company. A financial professional can help explain your choices.

None of us can foresee all the events in our lives. But in your role as an investor, you can at least take positive steps to prepare for the unexpected — and those steps should lead you in the right direction as you move toward your important goals.

**WAYNE TRACE LOCAL SCHOOLS BREAKFAST & LUNCH MENUS 1/15 - 1/21**

- Breakfast:**  
 1/15 - Mini pancakes, sausage, juice, milk  
 1/16 - Cheese omelet, toast, juice, milk  
 1/17 - Fruit turnover, juice, milk  
 1/20 - No school, Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
 1/21 - Egg/cheese muffin, juice, milk
- Lunch:**  
 1/15 - Cook's choice, fruit, milk; JH/HS: Chef salad, Pizza sub or BBQ rib on bun w/salad bar  
 1/16 - Chicken nuggets, tator tots, carrot sticks w/dip, fruit, milk; JH/HS: Chef salad, Pizza sub or Grilled chicken on bun w/salad bar  
 1/17 - Fiestada, romaine lettuce salad, fruit, milk; JH/HS: Chef salad, Pizza sub or BBQ rib on bun w/salad bar  
 1/20 - No school, Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
 1/21 - Chicken strips, tator tots, carrot sticks w/dip, fruit, milk; JH/HS: Chef salad, Pizza sub or Grilled chicken on bun w/salad bar
- Menus subject to change at any time.*

**ANTWERP LOCAL SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS 1/15 - 1/21**

- 1/15 - Pizzaburger on bun, cooked carrots, mixed fruit, milk; PLUS: Salad bar  
 1/16 - Sloppy joe on bun, potato soup, pineapple, milk; PLUS: Salad bar  
 1/17 - Pepperoni pizza, tossed salad, applesauce, milk; PLUS: Salad bar  
 1/20 - No school, Martin Luther King Jr. Day  
 1/21 - Inservice Day, No classes
- Menus subject to change at any time.*

**OHIO PREP SPORTSWRITERS ASSOCIATION ANNOUNCES HALL OF FAME CLASS, ANNUAL WRITING CONTEST & STATEWIDE MEETING**

The officers of the Ohio Prep Sportswriters Association (OPSWA) have announced the 2014 OPSWA Hall of Fame induction class along with details for the annual writing and photography contest. The OPSWA was created in 1972 to support, promote and recognize the coverage of high school sports across Ohio.

Former Cleveland Plain Dealer sports writers Bob Fortuna and Tim Rogers, former Fremont News-Messenger sports editor Bob Marker and current Lima News sports writer Tom Usher have been selected to join 50 other prep sports writing greats enshrined in the OPSWA Hall of Fame. The four new Hall of Famers will be honored during the boys basketball state tournament in March.

Brief biography information for the four men is below. The OPSWA inducted its first

Hall of Fame class in 1983. The complete list is posted at: <http://www.ohsaa.org/news/OPSWA/HOF.htm>

**Annual Writing and Photography Contest**

Details have been finalized for the annual writing and photography contest. There are four divisions and the categories include investigative/enterprise, news story, feature story, column, game story and photograph. Entries must be postmarked by Saturday, Feb. 8. Entry requirements, details and the entry form are posted at: <http://www.ohsaa.org/news/OPSWA/Contests.htm>

**2014 Statewide Meeting**

The annual OPSWA statewide meeting will be held Thursday, April 3 at the OHSAA office in Columbus beginning at 10:30 a.m. The results of the annual writing contest will be announced, current officers will make announcements, a vote will be held for 2014 and 2015 officers, OHSAA Commissioner Dr. Ross will hold a question and answer session and lunch will be served. Please RSVP to Tim Stried. The meeting is free for OPSWA members.

**2014 Hall of Fame Inductees**

Bob Fortuna was inspired to become a sports writer by former high school English teacher, the late Hugh Howard, and enjoyed more than 36 years covering high school sports in Northeastern Ohio. He began his career at the Cleveland Sun Newspapers in 1977 and was at the Sun for 13 years, serving as sports editor, before moving on to the Plain Dealer for more than 23 years. Fortuna's past writing endeavors led to many honors, including OPSWA "Writer Of The Year," and has been a Media Award recipient from the Ohio High School Volleyball Coaches Association, the OHSAA Northeast District Board, the Greater Cleveland High School Basketball Coaches Association and Reality Sports Inc. Fortuna lives in Willowick with his wife of 29 years, Donna. The couple has two daughters: Jessica and Rebecca. He presently owns and runs "Nothing Fancy," a small interior painting/yard work business.

**Bob Marker** began his career at the Fremont News-Messenger in 1973 and spent 23 years as sports editor. A native of Greenville, Ohio, he was instrumental in starting the Fremont Ross High School Hall of Fame and helped start the Camelback, sponsored in part by the News-Messenger. Marker was inducted into the Fremont Elite Runners Club Hall of Fame in 2012. In addition to his time as sports editor, Marker also served as graphics editor, editorial writer and layout artist. After his retirement from the News-Messenger, Marker was elected to Fremont City Council in 2009, representing the second ward. He opted not to run for re-election this year.

Even though **Tim Rogers** entered semi-retirement in July, ending a career that spanned four decades at the Cleveland Press and the Plain Dealer, he remains active in the coverage of high school sports as a free-lance contributor to the JHuddle web site, the Akron Beacon Journal and Canton Repository. In addition to high school sports, Rogers also covered Major League Baseball, the NBA playoffs, United States Open golf tournaments and

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the PGA Championship. He has covered approximately 70 high school state tournaments. He currently is in his second term as president of the Ohio Prep Sportswriters Association, of which he was a founding member. In 2001 he was named as the organization's writer of the year and has won numerous writing contest awards. Rogers also was named as the Ohio Sports Writer of the year in 2012 by the National Football Foundation and recognized by such organizations as the Associated Press Society of Ohio and the Press Club of Cleveland. His wife, Linda, has been his greatest source of inspiration as a two-time cancer survivor. A native Clevelander, he is the proud father of three grown daughters, Kelley and twins Emily and Amy.

A native of Cincinnati, **Tom Usher** worked at the Cincinnati Enquirer and Xavier University from 1976-86 before moving onto the Lima News, where he has covered prep sports in Northwest Ohio for the last 28 years. Usher has covered over 50 Ohio state tournaments in various sports in addition to the Cleveland Indians in the World Series in 1995 and 1997, several Cincinnati Reds playoff games and Ohio

Northern University's basketball national championship season of 1993. He has won over 50 prep writers awards over the years, many of those first or second-place awards. Usher was named the prep sports writer of the year in 2008 and has won over 30 Associated Press awards. He was the Ohio AP sportswriter of the year in 1996 and was the runner-up as the AP sportswriter of the year in 2012.

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finished the day with 2 wins and 3 losses to claim 8th place in the 285 pound class. Logan Shaner was also 2-3 and placed 7th in the 120 pound class. Jordan Laker placed 5th in the 220 pound weight class with a record of 2-3 on the day. Justice Clark wrestled his way to a 4th place finish with a record of 2-3 as well.

WBESC DATES RESCHEDULED DUE TO WEATHER

Due to the inclement weather, the Western Buckeye Educational Service Center Governing Board Organizational and Regular January meetings have been rescheduled to Wednesday, January 15, 2014 at 6:00 p.m. The meetings will be held at the Van Wert ESC Office at 813 N. Franklin Street, Van Wert, OH 45891.

LADY RAIDERS TAKE A LOSS TO THE TIGERS

Wayne Trace took on the Holgate Tigers on Friday, January 10th at Holgate. Both Varsity and JV took a loss at the end of the night: 77-37 (Var), 38-34 (JV) Score by the Quarter: Wayne Trace - 7 11 8 11=37 Holgate - 16 26 23 12=77 Scorers of the Game: Wayne Trace - Mohr 8, Temple 6, Speice 8, Feasby 6, Poling 3, Young 3, L Sinn 3 Holgate - Abel 5, Myles 17, Willett 2, Grim 16, Clady 6, Niese 9, Like 5, Desgranges 17

ANTWERP WRESTLERS COMPETE AT LIMA

The Antwerp High School wrestling team recently competed in the Spartan Invitational at Lima Senior High School on January 11, 2013. Six wrestlers competed in this very tough tournament and four were able to place in the top 8 of their respective weight classes. Jarrett Bute

competed in the Mitch Aring Tiger Team Challenge in Liberty Center. Placing for WT: 1st Hunter Long, 2nd Jarrett Hornish, 4th Kameron Bevis

On January 12th, Hunter Long and Jarrett Hornish wrestled in Perrysburg at the 10th Annual Biddy P.I.T. Tournament. Long was 3-0, placing 1st, Hornish was 2-1, placing 2nd.

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NEW HAVEN TAKES 3rd AT WRESTLING INVITATIONAL



New Haven's Nick Potter wins by decision, sending him to the championship round. More pictures at westbendnews.net

New Haven hosted their annual Wrestling Invitation on Saturday, December 11. Team Results: 1st Penn (P) 235 2nd Wayne (Wa) 205 3rd New Haven (NH) 176 4th South Adams (SA) 150.5 5th Woodlan (Wo) 141.5 6th Eastside (E) 135.5 7th Harrison W. Lafayette (HaWL) 69 106 - Geoffrey Davis (Wa) 10-5 over Kadin Gerber (SA) 11-12, fall 1:30 113 - Rashaam Hill (Wa) 18-3 over Austin Roemer (Wo) 10-2, fall 3:46 120 - Sawyer Mill (SA) 21-0 over Shaun Snyder (Wo) 10-1, dec 6-1 126 - Nik Hoot (Wo) 10-2 over Trace Manspeaker (P) 10-5, dec 6-2 132 - David Lawhorn (NH) 13-3 over Braxton Riley (Wa) 15-10, SV-1 5-3 138 - Matt Nussbaum (SA) 16-9 over Kyle Bender (NH) 11-13, dec 6-5 145 - Boaz Marbach (SA) 25-1 over Kade Hensley (P) 13-4, dec 7-2 152 - Joe Mortorano (P) 15-2 over Gage Delong (E) 9-3, dec 11-10 160 - Shaun Johnson (Wa) 22-3 over Denzyl Prentice (P) 11-3, MD 14-5 170 - Luis Chacon (NH) 21-2 over Bruno Chaffee (P) 14-2, dec 9-3 182 - Mitch Slatton (P) 19-1 over Clayton Hinshaw (SA) 24-2, dec 7-4

195 - Kanez Omar (Wa) 25-0 over Brian Salmon (Wo) 9-3, dec 4-1 220 - Caymen Schultz (P) 7-2 over Jaycob Brower (HaWL) 8-3, MD 9-0 285 - Cory Christman (P) 11-3 over Mikey Rivera (NH) 18-6, dec 3-1

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**PAULDING COUNTY COURT REPORTS**

**Criminal Disposition Report**

Jeremy E. Barnes; Grover Hill; Disorderly Conduct; No Cont; fines & costs taken from bond

Christy N. Mobley; Disorderly Conduct; No Cont; pay all fines & costs; no unlawful contact w/victim; pay court appointed counsel fees

Richard T. Stacey; Cecil; Case A; Theft of Firearm; Prel-Held; preliminary hearing held; Case B bound over to Common Pleas Court of Paulding County; Case B; Weapon on Disab; Prel-Held; preliminary hearing held; Case B bound over to Common Pleas Court of Paulding County; Case C; Theft Scrip Pil; Prel-Held; preliminary hearing held; Case B bound over to Common Pleas Court of Paulding County

Ronald P. Garrity II; Paulding; Disorderly Cond; J-Guilty; pay all fines & fees

Angela K. Sproul; Paulding; Disorderly Cond; Guilty; community service in lieu of fine; must be completed in 6 months; pay all costs

Richard T. Stacey; Case Ax2; Cecil; Assault; Dismiss; case dismissed per state w/out prejudice, costs waived; Case Bx2; Agg Menancing; Dismiss; case dismissed per state w/out prejudice, costs waived

Lori L. Sidwell; Haviland; Disorderly Cond; No Cont; pay all fines & costs by 5/30/14 or case shall be sent to collections

Nathan J. Woodby; Cecil; Hunt w/o Permit; J-No Cont; deer is to be forfeited to Ohio Department of Natural Resources; fines & costs to be paid; False Informati; J-Guilty; deer is to be forfeited to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources; must be paid in full by 4/30/14 or case sent to collections

Yolanda R. Twyan; Cincinnati, Cas-esa; OH; Dus/Child Suppo; J-No Cont; pay fines & costs by 1/31/14 or sent to collections; Case B; Fail Control; J-No Cont; pay all fines & costs by 1/31/14 or sent to collections

Christina S. Dunderman; Antwerp; Theft; No Cont; pay restitution to victim through clerk's office; probation; community service; complete "Thinking for A Change"; shall not consume alcohol

Emily Foltz; Paulding; Assault; No Cont; pay all fines & costs; repay court appointed counsel fees; community service; probation; no contact w/victim; complete "Thinking for A Change" program; not to consume alcohol

Austin Steve Bortel; Paulding; Confine of Dog; Guilty; case was waived by defendant

**Property Transfers**

Auglaize Twp.: 12/31/13; Francis A. Berger, dec'd; Sec 25; SE 1/4 SW 1/4; 40.00 acres; To: Eric D. Berger, et al

Blue Creek Twp.: 1/8/14; Lisa A. Elick, dec'd; Sec 8; pt NE 1/4 NE 1/4; 1.65 acre; To: David L. Elick Brown Twp.:

12/23/13; Cooper Hatchery; Sec 9; pt SE 1/4; 2.00 acres; To: Mark A. & Jennifer M. VanCleve

12/26/13; Carol C. Recker, dec'd; Lot 2; pt lot 2 above 692; 5.78 acres; Lot 8; Cedar Parcels; 1.36 acre; To: Christopher L. Recker

12/26/13; Christopher L. Recker; Lot 2; pt Lot 2 above 692; 5.78 acres; Lot 8; Cedar Parcels 1.36 acre To: Christopher L. Recker, Trustee

12/30/13; William A. Steinem; Lot 17 Auditor's plat Village of Charloe; 0.36 acre; To: Stephen C. & Paula S. Schoepflin

12/30/13; Robert Leon Brown, Jr. & Rainell Koenn, Trustees; Sec 1; pt NW 1/4; 13.695; To: Mark A. & Luke A. Spangler; Sec 1; pt NW 1/4; 21.704 acres; To: Robert Leon Brown, Jr. & Rainell Koenn

12/30/13; Joshua Joe & Kimberly S. Grimes; Sec 1; pt SW & pt NW 1/4; 10.125 acres; To: Larry E. & Diana L. Brown; Sec 1; pt NW 1/4; 12.392 acres; To: Joseph L. & Alana R. Essex

Carrlyall Twp.: 12/20/13; Kim Cottrell; Sec 11; pt NE 1/4 SE 1/4; 2.178 acres; To: Kevin M. & Christina M. Timbrook

12/30/13; Stacy Laker; Sec 14; pt SE 1/4; pt SE 1/4 SE 1/4; 5.001 acres; To: James M. Hertel

Crane Twp.: 12/23/13; Kenneth E. Klender, dec'd; Sec 33; SW 1/4 NW 1/4; 40.0 acres; Sec 28; S 1/4 NW 1/4; 80.0 acres; Sec 29; E 1/2 NW S of Cor N 1/2 N 1/2 SW 1/4 NE 1/4 & S 1/2 NW 1/4 NE 1/4; 53.24 acres; To: Sandra J. & Kerry L. Knuth

12/23/13; Eric C. Hart; Sec 28; pt NW 1/4 Lot 6; 5.060 acres; To: Bank of America NA

1/8/14; Byron W. Rasey, dec'd; Lots 1-2; Lot 1-2 Noneman's Rolling Acres Allotment #2; 0.62 acre; To: Janice A. Rasey

Emerald Twp.: 12/31/13; Francis A. Berger, dec'd; Sec 35; NE 1/4 NE 1/4; 40.0 acres; Sec 23; SE 1/4 SE 1/4; 40.0 acres; To: Eric D. Berger, et al

Latty Twp.: 12/19/13; Jeremy S. & Mandi Whitman; Sec 16; pt E 1/2 SE 1/4; 0.998 acre; To: Marc D. Ryan

12/26/13; Connie S. & Glen L. Grundem; Sec 21; pt NE 1/4 SE 1/4; 1.50 acre; To: Jeremy & Mandi Whitman

1/3/14; Steve & Rhonda L. Lanton; Sec 5; pt W 1/2 SW 1/4; 1.00 acre; To: Joshua C. Sinn

Paulding Twp.: 12/18/13; Philip Allan Johanns, et al; Sec 5; pt SW 1/4; 15.50 acres; Sec 5; pt NW 1/4; 124.91 acres; Sec 6; pt S 1/2 SE 1/4; 81.210 acres; Sec 9; W 1/2 NW 1/4 80.0; To: Stacie L. Peters

12/18/13; Brett A. & Sara E. Johanns; Sec 5; pt SW 1/4; 5.001 acres; To: Stacie L. Peters

12/18/13; Stacie L. Peters; Sec 9; pt W 1/2 NW 1/4; 6.30 acres; To: Philip Allan Johanns

12/18/13; Stacie L. Peters; Sec 5; pt NW 1/4; 60.447 acres; To: Richard L. & Jacqueline E. Johanns

12/18/13; Stacie L. Peters; Sec 5; pt SW 1/4; 4.154 acres; To: Richard L. & Jacqueline E. Johanns

12/18/13; Stacie L. Peters; Sec 5; pt NW 1/4; 63.0 acres; To: Janet Ann Stump

12/18/13; Stacie L. Peters; Sec 6; pt SE 1/4; 63.0 acres; To: Gary R. & Pam Johanns

12/18/13; Stacie L. Peters; Sec 5; pt SW 1/4; 63.0 acres; To: Constance Jeanne Smith

12/18/13; Stacie L. Peters; Sec 5; SW 1/4 44.790 acres; Sec 6; 18.210 acres; To: Carol Ellen & Douglas Holland

12/18/13; Stacie L. Peters; Sec 9; pt NW 1/4; 17.533 acres; To: Barbara Marie King

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12/27/13; Dennis F. Price, Trustee; Sec 23; N 1/2 NE 1/4; 81.00 acres; To: Larry P. & Ellen R. Schlegel

12/30/13; Mildred U. Boshore, LE, et al; Sec 14; pt N 1/2 SW 1/4; 1.0 acre; To: Michael L. & Scott M. Lamb

1/8/14; Barbara Marie King; Sec 9; pt NW 1/4; 17.533 acres; To: Philip Alan Johanns

Washington Twp.: 12/18/13; Jeffery P. & Linda J. Altenburger; Sec 14; pt S 1/2 NE 1/4; 81.694 acres; To: Jeremy E. Shaffer

12/20/13; Guy E. & Linda L. Miller; Sec 35; S pt N 1/2 NE 1/4 & SW 1/4 NE 1/4 & N 1/2 SE 1/4 NE 1/4; 73.274 acres; To: Guy E. & Linda L. Miller

Antwerp Village: 12/19/13; William S. Bricker; Lot 42 & 43; Daggett's First Addition; 0.206 acre; To: Mowery Investments, LLC

12/19/13; Sara Maxwell & James P. Maxwell; Lot 23 & 24; Kaufman Addition; 0.298 acre; To: Megan E. Martines

12/23/13; Darrick S. & Terry L. Brown; Lot 16; Lot 16 & NE 1/2 Canal Bed Jones Addition; 0.27 acre; Lot 15; Lot 15 less 25' E & N 1/2 Canal; 0.18 acre; To: Erma Smith

1/3/14; Helen E. Majors, LE, et al; pt NW 1/4 Canal 39 & 75 15 outlets; 0.116 acre; To: Marcelo Cruz Cortez & Etelina Gonzalez Hernandez

Broughton Village: 12/27/13; Ken M. & Denise K. Kohart; Lot 16; pt Lot 16 SE cor outlets; 0.727 acre; To: Robert Schriver

Oakwood Village: 12/31/13; Olive L. Daub, dec'd; Lot 5; pt N pt 80x220; 0.380 acre; To: Perry J. Daub

Paulding Village: 12/18/13; Karl M. Burtch; Lot 50; 40' NS; Lot 51; less 24' NS; 0.21 acre; To: Karl M. Burtch, LE, et al

12/23/13; Rhonda L. Bakle, Trustee; Lot 3; Cullen's Addition; 0.20 acre; To: True Grit, Inc

12/23/13; Phyllis I. Hawkey; Lot 1; Schultz Addition; 0.24 acre; Phyllis I. Hawkey, LE, et al

12/30/13; Steven S. Stiger, et al; Lot 10; Klinger Addition; 0.241 acre; To: Arrowhead Real Estate, LLC

12/27/13; Ann M. Miller; Lots 54 & 56; pt outlet 54 pt outlet 56; 1.102 acre; To: Ann E. Pease

12/31/13; Alean Miles; Lot 26; Olds & Prentice Addition; 0.20 acre; To: Herbert E. Orr Co, Inc

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Re-enactors from "Les Habitants et Marines du Posted Miamis" will spend the weekend living in the Fort, which will be open for visitors on Saturday, January 25, 2014. Their goal is to recreate actual events which occurred in and around what is now Fort Wayne in the year 1754. They do so by examining letters written by the French commanders of what was then known as Fort Miamis and then attempt to recreate those events. These short glimpses of actual events in the area/city's history will be presented in the morning (11:00 a.m.) and afternoon (2:30 p.m.) on Saturday.

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**BIOLOGISTS PROPOSE REMOVING BOBCATS FROM OHIO'S THREATENED SPECIES LIST**

The Ohio Wildlife Council received proposed changes to several species designations, including bobcats, as well as potential dates for the upcoming fall hunting seasons on Wednesday, January 8, according to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR).

The ODNR Division of Wildlife biologists submitted a proposal to remove the bobcat from Ohio's threatened species list. The bobcat was one of 71 species on Ohio's first endangered list in 1974. However, the bobcat popula-

**Sudoku solution from page 10**

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tion began to rebound in the 1970s, and in recent years the number of verified sightings has continued to increase, prompting the status change from endangered to threatened in 2012. Bobcats are still considered a protected species in Ohio with no hunting or trapping season.

Three other species were proposed to be changed on Ohio's state-designated species. A fourth was added as a species of concern, and this designation does not require council action.

**Snowshoe Hares**

Now endangered, snowshoe hares were proposed to be changed to a species of concern. Translocated hares have not been detected in Ohio since 2010 as the population has declined.

**Bewick's Wren**

Presently listed as endangered, the Bewick's wren is proposed to move to extirpated. A Bewick's wren nest was last confirmed in Ohio in 1995.

**Smooth Greensnake**

Currently a species of concern, the smooth greensnake is proposed to move to the endangered list. This rare snake has lost much of its habitat and range in Ohio.

**Eastern Hog-Nosed Snake**

The Eastern hog-nosed snake will now be listed as a species of concern in Ohio.

Hunting season date proposals are prepared by the ODNR Division of Wildlife biologists and maintain many traditional opening day dates.

Monday, September 1, is the proposed start date for Ohio's fall squirrel and dove hunting seasons.

Hunting seasons for cottontail rabbit, ring-necked pheasant and bobwhite quail are proposed to start November 7, the first Friday in November.

Fox, raccoon, skunk, opossum and weasel hunting and trapping are proposed to start Monday, November 10.

Proposed 2014 fall wild turkey hunting season dates are Monday, October 13, to Sunday, November 30.

Proposed 2015 spring wild turkey dates are Monday, April 20, to Sunday, May 17.

The proposed 2015 youth wild turkey weekend dates are April 18-19.

New this year, it is proposed that youth hunters can harvest up to two wild turkeys during the 2015 two-day youth season (one per day). Checking two wild turkeys would fill the youth hunter's bag limit for the remaining 2015 spring wild turkey season. This proposed change would not take effect until 2015. The bag limit remains one wild turkey for the two-day 2014 youth wild turkey hunting season.

Proposed open counties for quail hunting remain the same as last season: Adams, Athens, Brown, Butler, Clermont, Clinton, Highland, Jackson, Meigs, Montgomery, Pike, Preble, Ross, Scioto,

Vinton and Warren.

Youth small game seasons are proposed statewide for two weekends: October 25-26 and October 31 - November 1.

Proposals concerning Ohio's white-tailed deer hunting season will be heard at the next Ohio Wildlife Council meeting on Wednesday, February 5.

The Ohio Wildlife Council is an eight-member board that approves all of the ODNR Division of Wildlife proposed rules and regulations. The council will vote on the proposed rules and season dates during its April 9 meeting after considering public input.

Open houses to receive public comments about hunting, trapping and fishing regulations and wildlife issues will be held on Saturday, March 1. Open houses will be held at the ODNR Division of Wildlife District One, District Two, District Three and District Four offices, the Greene County Fish and Game Association clubhouse in Xenia, the Lake Erie Fairport office and the Old Woman Creek Reserve office in Huron.

Open houses give the public an opportunity to view and discuss proposed fishing, hunting and trapping regulations with the ODNR Division of Wildlife officials. For Ohioans who are unable to attend an open house, comments will be accepted online at wildohio.com. The online form will be available until March. Directions to the open houses can be found at wildohio.com or by calling 800-WILDLIFE (945-3543).

A statewide hearing on all of the proposed rules will be held at the ODNR Division of Wildlife's District One office on Thursday, March 6, at 9:00 a.m. The office is located at 1500 Dublin Road, Columbus, Ohio 43215.

Council meetings are open to the public. Individuals who want to provide comments on a topic that is currently being considered by council are asked to preregister at least two days prior to the meeting by calling 614-265-6304. All comments are required to be three minutes or less.

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**SPELLING BEE WINNERS ANNOUNCED AT PAULDING ELEMENTARY**



Paulding Elementary held their annual Spelling Bee on Friday, January 10, 2014. Winning the Bee was Olivia Clark. Coming in first runner-up was Caleb Manz and second runner-up was Jasmine Wong. Congratulations to all three students. Olivia Clark will represent Paulding Elementary at the County Spelling Bee.

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For more information about this performance, please contact the Niswonger Performing Arts Center at 10700 SR 118 South, Van Wert, OH or visit their website at [NPACVW.ORG](http://NPACVW.ORG).

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**FRIENDS OF THE PAULDING CARNEGIE LIBRARY MEETING**

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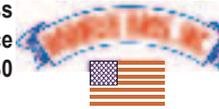
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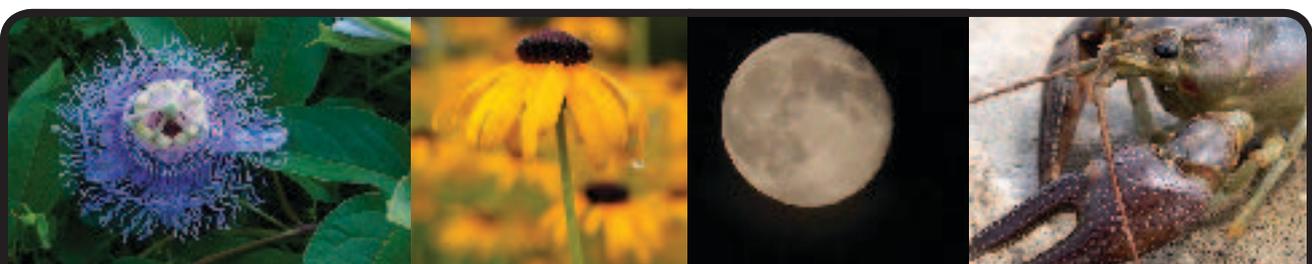
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