

FRAPPIER - KOBEE



Lara Frappier and Zachary Kobee would like to announce their engagement and upcoming marriage.

Lara is the daughter of Doctor and Mrs. J. Gregory Frappier of Cincinnati, Ohio. She is a 2004 graduate of Indian Hill High School in Cincinnati and a 2009 graduate of the DAAP program at the University of Cincinnati. She is employed by Bath and Body Works in Columbus, Ohio as a Trend and Concept Designer.

Zachary is the son of Mr. (Continued on Page 2)

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WCCH 15th ANNUAL BENEFIT AUCTION



The much-anticipated Woodburn Christian Children's Home 15th Annual Benefit Auction is more than an auction. The event goes beyond valuable auction items, beyond delicious food, and beyond family-friendly fellowship. The fundraiser auction goes beyond all of this and into the hearts of children in our communities.

The auction raises essential funds so that WCCH can empower disadvantaged children to reach their full potential while remaining privately funded through community partners. In 2018, the auction raised over \$85,000 with more than 400 people in attendance. This year's goal is

\$100,000 with an attendance goal of 600 people.

Join us Saturday, October 19 at our new location: Woodlan Jr/Sr High School Gymnasium (Located off US Hwy 24 in Woodburn, Webster Rd. Exit, minutes east of Fort Wayne.) The Hog Roast and Silent Auction begin at (Continued on Page 4)

WOODLAN FFA CHILI SUPPER

On October 24th at 6:00-8:30 p.m. in the Woodlan Auditoria everyone is invited to come enjoy some chili.

Come join us for the Woodlan FFA Chili Supper! The Woodlan FFA Chili Supper is a cook-off amongst FFA members. Each team will serve a bowl of chili and guests will vote for the best recipe. If you have won an award or contest for the Woodlan FFA chapter, from 1963 to present day, please come to be recognized.

LIBRARY HOSTING RECEPTION

The staff and Board of Trustees of Paulding County Carnegie Library would like

to invite the public to visit the main library on Thursday, October 10 between 6 and 7:30 PM. They will be hosting a reception to meet

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Community Calendar

- October 8**
- Fall Extravaganza "Mother Goose" @ PC Library, 6pm
- October 9**
- Pickleball @ Tennis Courts, Antwerp, 6-8:30pm
- October 10**
- Meet & Greet Ms. Williams @ PC Library, 6-7:30pm
- October 12**
- Party on the Plaza @ Woodburn, 1-4pm
 - Cruise In @ Edgerton Fall Fest, 10a-2p
 - Ladies Intro to Firearms @ Ant. Cons. Club, 9a-3p
 - Bean Soup Supper @ Twin Oaks UMC, Oakwood, 5pm
- October 13**
- Antwerp Ball Assoc. public meeting @ Ball Park, 3pm; park clean up to follow
 - Music Service @ Cecil Comm. Church, 6pm
 - Trinity Concert @ Grover Hill Zion UMC, 6pm
- October 14**
- Pregnancy Loss Support Group @ Hands of Hope, Paulding, 6:30pm
 - Woodburn Leaf Pickup begins
- October 16**
- Pickleball @ Tennis Courts, Antwerp, 6-8:30pm
- October 17**
- Volunteer Expo @ Glenbrook FW, 3-7pm
- October 19**
- Pancake & Sausage Breakfast @ First Christian Church, Paulding, 8-11am
 - WCCH Benefit Auction: WHS; 4pm
 - Chili Supper @ Crane Twp/ Cecil Fire Dept, 4-7pm
 - Live Oak Historic Graveyard Tour @ Live Oak Cemetery, 3pm
 - GH Fall Festival @ Roselms Church, 2-5pm



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NORTHWEST STATE HOSTS MANUFACTURING DAY



Northwest State Community College the 2019 Manufacturing Day Expo earlier today at the Archbold campus. Now in its sixth year, the event brings area manufacturers and high school juniors and seniors together to display the numerous career opportunities available right here in northwest Ohio. This year's event hosted over 30 employers and over 400 area students. Congressman Bob Latta (OH 5th District) was on hand to meet with employers and students, and see first-hand how the community comes together to promote advanced manufacturing to our future workforce.

LUTHERAN EARNS AMERICAN COLLEGE OF CARDIOLOGY'S HIGHEST RECOGNITION FOR SECOND CONSECUTIVE YEAR



Earning the American College of Cardiology's most important accolade is twice as nice for Lutheran Hospital in 2019. That's because this is the second year in a row it has been awarded the ACC HeartCARE Center National Distinction of Excellence.

Lutheran joined elite company in 2018 when it became one of only seven hospitals in the country to reach HeartCARE Center status. During its second review, Lutheran again demonstrated its commitment to comprehensive, high-quality culture and cardiovascular care. This achievement is based on

a hospital's ability to meet specific accreditation criteria, and through its ongoing performance registry reporting.

"Lutheran is now one of just a few repeat recipients across the U.S.," said cardiologist Scott Mattson, DO, FACC, FASE. "This demonstrates the cardiovascular service line's dedication to providing objectively high standards of care and a commitment to quality improvement."

Hospitals and health systems that have received an ACC HeartCARE Center designation have met a set of requirements including at least two earned CV accreditations offered by the ACC, a third earned CV accreditation offered by the ACC or participation in a National Cardiovascular Data Registry, and involvement in additional efforts designed to help hospitals and institutions close gaps in guideline-based care.

As part of its 2019 attestation, Lutheran's list of accreditations through the ACC included: Chest Pain Center - Primary Percutaneous Coronary Intervention with Resuscitation; Cardiac Catheterization Lab with Percutaneous Coronary Intervention; Heart Failure; and Atrial Fibrillation with Electrophysiology Services.

"In healthcare, many of the reviews we receive from outside organizations occur no more frequently than

once every three years," said Latesa Conley, RN, accreditation manager, Lutheran Hospital. "It's very important to our team to have a respected body like the American College of Cardiology not only evaluate annually how we're doing in multiple quality improvement programs, but also verify in consecutive years that the comprehensive heart care we're providing is of the highest quality. Collectively, the entire Lutheran family is demonstrating that its focus on patients in need of these specialized services remains strong and consistent."

According to the ACC, hospitals receiving its HeartCARE Center designation have exhibited their commitment to reliable, high-quality cardiovascular care through comprehensive process improvement, disease and procedure-specific accreditation, professional excellence, and community engagement. Based on its assessment, the ACC believes Lutheran has proven to be a forward-thinking institution with goals to advance the cause of sustainable quality improvement.

The ACC offers U.S. and international hospitals like Lutheran access to a comprehensive suite of cardiac accreditation services designed to optimize patient outcomes and improve hospital financial performance. These services are focused on all aspects of cardiac care.

BERICH & SCHAEFER BOLSTER LUTHERAN HEALTH PHYSICIANS LEADERSHIP TEAM

Lutheran Health Physicians announced two additions to its leadership team, appointing Diana Berich as chief quality officer and Mark Schaefer as vice president of ambulatory services.

Berich assumes her role with LHP after previously representing Lutheran Health as the vice president of Dukes Medical Group. She has also served as the executive director for primary care for Lutheran Medical Group, where she managed operations for over 50 primary care offices consisting of more than 300 employees working in 17 locations.

Berich holds an undergraduate degree from the Kelley School of Business

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Jeffrey Koebe, Canton, Michigan and Mrs. Valarie Bashore, Hicksville, Ohio. He is a 2004 graduate of Antwerp High School and attended IPFW and Columbus State. He is the Founder and Lead Strategist of Archer Co., LLC in Columbus, Ohio.

Maternal grandparents of the bride are Ms. Joanne Conn Woods and the late Daniel Conn and the late Bill Woods of Lebanon, Ohio. Paternal grandparents of the bride are the late Doctor and Mrs. Robert Frappier of Clio, Michigan.

Maternal grandparents of the groom are Mr. Phillip Kitson and the late Mary Kitson of Antwerp, Ohio. Paternal grandparents are Mrs. Eva Sharron Koebe and the late John Koebe of Antwerp, Ohio.

The couple will exchange vows on October 12, 2019 in Milton, Kentucky.

SCRIPTURE OF THE WEEK

"You, God, are my God, earnestly I seek you; I thirst for you, my whole being longs for you, in a dry and parched land where there is no water."

Psalm 63:1 NIV



Diana Berich

at Indiana University and a master's of business administration from Doerner School of Business at Indiana University - Fort Wayne. Currently, she is pursuing a doctorate in health administration from the University of Phoenix with anticipated completion in spring 2020.



Mark Schaefer

Schaefer joins LHP from Parkview Physicians Group where he oversaw its colorectal, gastrointestinal and weight management service lines as the director of specialty services. Prior to that, he served as the chief executive officer at Summit Radiology in Fort Wayne, where he was responsible for the physician practice's growth from 30 physicians to 47 physicians and its affiliations from 10 hospitals to 19.

Before stepping into his CEO role at Summit Radiology, Schaefer spent time as the executive director for MD Imaging in Fort Wayne, where he directed the joint venture between several area facilities and represented approximately 85 internal and contracted employees. Schaefer also previously held the title of chief operations officer at the former Kindred Hospital, currently Parkview Lagrange.

He has a master of business administration from Taylor University, as well as a bachelor's degree in general studies from Indiana University - Fort Wayne.

NEW HERITAGE LIONS CLUB OFFICERS INSTALLED

Ed Coy was elected as the Heritage Lions Club President for 2019/2020. Larry Smith has agreed to be First Vice-President and will become the President in fall of 2020. Rick Boys was approved as Second Vice-President. Cindy Wolfe was elected to serve as the new club secretary. Kathleen Coy volunteered to be the chapter's Tail Twister, providing fun quizzes at each meeting.

Heritage Lions have donated well over \$100,000 to local organizations in the past 10 years. Recipients have included Monroeville Fire and EMS, Monroeville Park, Cornerstone, Hoagland Fire and EMS, Poe Fire and EMS, and the three local food banks. Several Heritage High School donations have also been made, including Prom/After Prom as well as uniforms for the Heritage Band and the JV team. Finally, Heritage Lions have provided funds for many eye-related projects including Lions School For the Blind, Lions Eye Bank, Lions Dog For the Blind, and for local in-school eye exams and for blind bowlers.

If you are interested in helping the Heritage Lions help your local community, please call Jan Hockemeyer at 260-639-3643. New members are always welcome. By working together we can strengthen our communities.

Thank You!

The Family of Ethel Jewel, would like to express our sincere gratitude to friends and family for the outpouring of love, support and prayers for our Mom, Grandma & Great-Grandma in her 4 1/2 year battle with cancer.

A special thanks to her business partner, Jim Allen, Jack DenHerder Funeral Home, Defiance Regional Oncology Staff, Defiance Hospice Staff, Toledo Pro-medica Hospital sixth floor staff, Kircher's Flowers, St Pauls Lutheran Church, and Rhonda Bakle.



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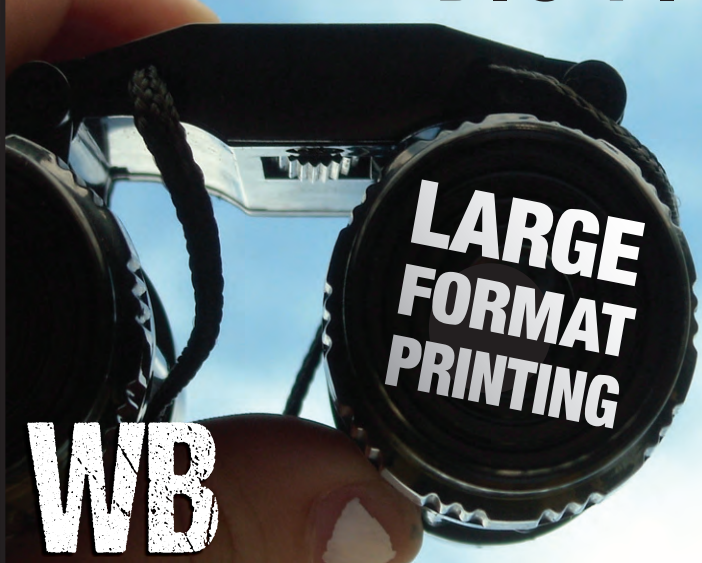
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PAULDING MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS PARTAKE IN KAYAKING FIELD TRIP



On Thursday, September 26th the Paulding Middle school 7th grade class engaged in a team building activity by going on a kayaking field trip. Shown in the photo are some of the 7th grade students kayaking down the Auglaize River.

“FOOTWEAR” CREATED IN MISS SINN’S SCIENCE CLASS AT GROVER HILL ELEMENTARY



The Grover Hill Elementary sixth graders in Miss Kathy Sinn’s Science class created “footwear” using Styrofoam, cardboard and tape. They enjoyed working together to modify several times in order to put the best ideas together. Students are showing their final product - and, yes, they are taking orders!

THE KING & I AT THE HUBER ON OCTOBER 18-19-20

The King and I is based on a true story and is rich with familiar songs such as “Whistle a Happy Tune,” “Getting to Know You,” “Hello, Young Lovers,” and the famous scene of “Shall We Dance?” The show-within-the-show, the ballet, entitled “The Small House of Uncle Thomas,” is always a show stopper and an outstanding feature of the score. Set against a dazzling and exotic backdrop, the conflict between Eastern and Western cultures inspired this well-loved musical by Rogers and Hammerstein. This musical is the story of English schoolteacher Anna Leonowens (Elisabeth

Wilson) in the court of Siam. As Anna and her son Louis (Luke Eicher) arrive in Bangkok in the early 1860s, they are warned by Captain Orton (Larry Pickett) of the cultural differences they may encounter. The Kralahome (Andy Gross) further explains to Anna that she is now at the mercy of the King. The King (Rob Young) rules over his domain with unquestioned authority, but he’s never encountered someone like Anna, a willful widow who doesn’t take no for an answer. He promised her a house of her own in his employment letter, and she intends for him to make good on it. The King’s first wife, Lady Thiang (Earlee Harris) empathizes with Anna and tries to bridge the gap between their two worlds.

Meanwhile, Tuptim (Triniti McFarland), a “gift” to the King from a neighboring country, dreams of a life with her secret lover, Lun Tha (Merrick Breckler). As a British delegation led by Sir Edward Ramsey (Michael Murphy) nears Bangkok, the King becomes increasingly torn between his dual impulses to modernize and to reassert his traditional royal authority. But the King decides to entertain the traveling dignitaries with a European dinner and suitable entertainment of a ballet to impress them with the enlightenment of a sophisticated society. Phra Alack (Dustin Harris) and The Kralahome warn the King of the pitfalls of taking on Western ways. With his inability to punish Tuptim for running away with her lover, his absolute power evaporates, and he becomes a broken man. The dying King commands his eldest son, Prince Chulalongkorn (Trey McFarland), to listen well to the teachings of Anna as he assumes the role as the new King.

The cast of 50 talented individuals also includes the King’s Children (including Princess Ying Yaowalak (Clara Harris)), the King’s Wives, the Ballet Dancers, Priests, Amazons, and Dignitaries. Director Julie Hall is joined by Producer Chris Feichter, and Music Director Andy Gross.

ALTERNATIVES TO SUGAR

I want to lower my sugar intake, so I'm looking for a sugar substitute for my coffee. What are the different types of sweeteners?



First, I want to congratulate you on your decision to lower your sugar intake. Lowering your sugar intake is a wise and healthy choice, as research shows that consuming too much sugar can increase your risk for chronic diseases such as diabetes, some cancers, and heart disease.

If you want to lower your sugar intake from your coffee to zero, you could choose to drink it black.

But, if you’d rather not do that, you aren’t alone. Some two-thirds of coffee drinkers and one-third of tea drinkers add milk, cream, sugar, flavorings, or other additives

to their drink, according to a study from the University of Illinois. Interestingly, the study found that more than 60% of the calories in those coffee drinkers’ beverages came from added sugar.

That’s not surprising, considering that it’s part of human nature to crave the sweet taste of sugar, writes Jenny Lobb, an educator in family and consumer sciences for Ohio State University Extension.

But, “the World Health Organization recommends consuming no more than 10% of your daily calories from added sugar,” Lobb wrote in All Things Sweet: Sugar and Other Sweeteners, an Ohio-line fact sheet. “For someone who eats 2,000 calories a day, 10% of daily calories would be 200 calories, or 50 grams of added sugar a day.”

Ohilone is OSU Extension’s free online information resource and can be found at ohilone.osu.edu. OSU Extension is the outreach arm of The Ohio State University College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences.

With that in mind, it’s important to understand what sweeteners are.

“Sweeteners are classified in two different groups: nutritive sweeteners, also called caloric sweeteners or sugars, and non-nutritive sweeteners, which are also called sugar substitutes or artificial sweeteners,” Lobb said.

Nutritive sweeteners include agave, brown sugar, powdered (confectioners’) sugar, corn syrup, dextrose, fructose, fruit juice concentrate, glucose, high-fructose corn syrup, honey, invert sugar, lactose, malt sugar, maltose, maple syrup, molasses, nectars, raw sugar, and syrup, she wrote.

Non-nutritive sweeteners are sugar substitutes that can be either naturally occurring or artificially made. Naturally occurring sugar substitutes include stevia and sugar alcohols, which include, among others, erythritol, used as a bulk sweetener in low-calorie foods, and sorbitol, used in some sugar-free candies, gums, frozen desserts, and baked goods, Lobb wrote.

“Artificial sweeteners are man-made sweeteners that contain no calories or sugar,” she wrote. “Currently, there are six different artificial sweeteners that the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has thoroughly tested and approved for use.”

Those, Lobb said, include: acesulfame-K, sold under the brand names of Sunett, Sweet One, and others; advantame; aspartame, sold under the brand names of Equal and Nutrasweet; neotame; saccharin, sold under the brand names of Sweet’N Low, Necta Sweet, and others; sucralose, sold under the brand name of Splenda

PATROL OFFERS PEDESTRIAN SAFETY TIPS

People walk or run for various reasons. Whether it is exercise or out of necessity, safety should be a primary concern. That is why the Ohio State Highway Patrol is reminding both pedestrians and motorists that pedestrian safety is a shared responsibility.

“Pedestrians and motorists each have an important role in safety,” said Governor Mike DeWine. “Through

education and increased awareness, we can prevent tragedies before they occur.”

Of all pedestrian-related crashes, 82 percent occurred in urban areas, while the remaining 18 percent happened in rural areas. Forty percent of fatal crashes involving a pedestrian occurred in rural areas.

“The Patrol reminds both pedestrians and motorists that safety is everyone’s responsibility,” said Lt. Bob Ashenfelter, Defiance Post Commander. “Follow pedestrian signs and signals, always be aware of your surroundings and watch for traffic to ensure you are seen.”

Pedestrians and motorists can follow these tips to increase pedestrian safety:

- Walk on sidewalks whenever they are available. When no sidewalk is available, walk facing traffic as far away from the edge of the roadway as possible.
- Stay alert at all times, motorists and pedestrians should be prepared in case a hazardous situation arises.
- Do not be distracted by electronic devices that take your eyes and ears off the road.
- Pedestrians should wear bright or reflective clothing, especially at night.
- Pedestrians should cross where motorists expect them to, follow pedestrian signs and signals, and never assume a driver can see you.
- Motorists are required to yield to pedestrians in a marked crosswalk and in unmarked crosswalks at intersections.
- Motorists can use bright headlights when legally able to illuminate the roadway and possibly spot a pedestrian walking near the roadway.
- Motorists should slow

Do you have old Paulding County Pictures? Call the Paulding Progress or West Bend News. The Paulding County Bicentennial Committee needs old pictures from around the county outlying areas and both newspapers are working together to preserve the memories the best we can. We would scan them and give them back to you, or we could pass them along to the John Paulding Historical Society for you. Stop in or call either office and make your contribution to Paulding County history today!

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and greet their new Director, Ellen Williams. She will also be available at each of our branches on the same day at the following times: Payne 1-2 PM; Antwerp 2:30-3:30 PM; and Oakwood 4-5 PM. Please stop by the location most convenient to you and welcome Ellen to the Paulding County Library System. Refreshments will be served at all locations.

down and drive cautiously in residential areas.

For a statistical map regarding pedestrian-involved crashes and a county-by-county breakdown of where these crashes have occurred, please visit: https://www.statepatrol.ohio.gov/doc/Pedestrian_Bulletin_2019.pdf

KENNA PANCAKE NAMED TO BELLARMIN UNIVERSITY SUMMER DEAN’S LIST

Bellarmino University has named Defiance resident Kenna Pancake to the dean’s list for the summer 2019 semester. Pancake is a Senior Elementary Education, UG major who previously attended Tinora High School.

Bellarmino’s dean’s list recognizes students who receive a grade point average of 3.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale.

Bellarmino University is an independent Catholic university in Louisville, KY., preparing students for lives of leadership and service to others. Bellarmine offers more than 60 majors, as well as graduate and doctoral degrees. Forbes Magazine, the Princeton Review and U.S. News and World Report rank Bellarmine among the nation’s best colleges. For more information, visit <http://www.bellarmino.edu>.

ARCHERS TAKE ON WARRIORS; PILOTS IN JH VOLLEYBALL

The Antwerp JH girls volleyball traveled to Woodlan Monday night. The 7th grade Lady Archers won in 2 sets and 8th grade Archers took a loss in 3 sets.

Antwerp 7th graders were led by Caroline Rohrs going 1-1 with 7 aces, 1 kill and 1 assist. Jessica Thornell went 15-15 with 9 aces and 3 kills. Madysyn Peters added 6 aces going 9-9 and contributed 1 kill.

Samantha Sheedy went 9-9 for the 8th grade with 1 ace, 1 kill and 5 digs. Addyson Hormann was 12-13 with 3 aces, 2 assist and 1 dig. Emma Townley went 6-7 with 1 ace, 2 kills and 3 digs.

Later in the week, Antwerp hosted Ayersville. The 7th grade won in 2 sets, 8th grade lost in 2 sets.

The 7th grade was led by Madysyn Peters serving 11-12 with 8 aces, 1 kill and 2 assist. Jessica Thornell was 10-11 with 5 aces and 3 kills. Caroline Rohrs went 17-18 with 3 aces and 1 kill.

Addyson Hormann led the 8th grade serving 14-15 with 2 aces, 3 kills and 3 assist. Samantha Sheedy was 7-7 with 1 ace, 1 block, 2 kills and 3 digs. Caydence Shull was 5-6 and had 2 digs.

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ST. JOHN LUTHERAN PARTICIPATES IN HICKSVILLE SCARECROW FEST



St John Lutheran, 812 East High Street, Hicksville is participating in Hicksville's Scarecrow Fest. The Church will be celebrating Reforma-

tion Sunday on October 27, so we have depicted Martin Luther with the posting of the 95 Theses on the church door. All are welcome!!

PARSON TO PERSON

By: Dr. James Bachman
Dear Parson,
Why do Christians have so many rules? It turns me off.

God's rules (commands) or standards reflect His character and bring Him honor. They are also right and best for us. I John 5:3 - "For this is the love of God, that we keep his commandments: and his commandments are not grievous." They set us free

from the results of disobedience. - "And I will walk at liberty: for I seek thy precepts." - Psalm 119:45 "And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." - John 8:32

There are some so-called Christians who seem to serve, honor, and love the rules more than the One Who gave them. They have "religion," but they don't have the love relationship with Christ which represents true Christianity. I was one of them before I really received Christ by faith.

The Bible says the letter of the law killeth, but the Spirit giveth life (II Corinthians 3:6.) The Holy Spirit gives us a love for God which motivates us to want to obey Him and please Him.

Perhaps you need to accept God's give of love which is Jesus Christ and you will be turned on to loving Him back by keeping His rules.

Send questions and comments to: jamesbachman@juno.com

TRINITY MUSIC COMING TO GROVER HILL ZION UMC

Trinity is coming to Grover Hill Zion United Methodist Church, Sunday October 13 at 6:00 p.m.

The church is at 204 S. Harrison Street, Grover Hill,

Ohio.

Come and enjoy an evening of gospel music.

Love offering taken for the quartet.

GROVER HILL AREA MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION 2nd ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL

Twelve churches represent the Grover Hill Area Ministries Association and on October 19, 2019 the church families are inviting the community to the second annual fall festival. Roselms church at the corner of State Route 114 and County Road 177 east of Grover Hill will be the host church.

There will be all kinds of activities throughout the three hours from 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Jim Barron from WBCL will return to share his magic from 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Randy Long will bring a message in song from 3:15 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Alan Seibert will entertain with his guitar music throughout the afternoon as the people come and go. And a clown will be present for the enjoyment of young and old.

There will be a chili cook-off and a prize given to the winner. There will be a variety of food available including a cake walk.

There will be all kinds of games for children including Trunk or Treat and bouncy houses. Costumes are welcome.

We hope to see you at the festival. This event is free, but donations will be accepted for further functions sponsored by the ministerial group. For several years, book bags have been given to children at the Grover Hill School at open house, the group sponsors a worship in the park during the Grover Hill Summerfest, and several churches participate in Holy Week services. We also sponsor the monthly Grover Hill Food Pantry.

GETTING TO KNOW JESUS

Presented by the Oakwood Church of Christ

Appearance to Disciples Read John 20:19-23.

30. This also happened on: a) Saturday (Sabbath); b) Sunday (first day of week); c) Monday.

The disciples had closed the door to the room: a) because it was cold; b) for fear of the Jews; c) because it was the Sabbath.

When Jesus entered the room he said: a) "Peace be unto you." b) "Why are you afraid?" c) "I am here."

To prove that it was really him, he showed them: a) his clothing; b) his face; c) his wounds.

After telling them that they would receive the Holy Spirit, he said that they would: a) preach on politics; b) follow several religions; c) forgive (remit) sins and not forgive others (retain).

As his Father had sent him into the world, so he was going to: a) bless them; b) send them; c) leave them alone.

These were men who were chosen to be his apostles. The term apostle means one who is sent, that is, sent on a mission. During the years he had been with them, he had prepared them and was going to send the Holy Spirit to be their helper and guide. By preaching the gospel they would show what was necessary to have sins forgiven.

Of course any who would not obey would not be forgiven.

Proof for Thomas Read John 20:24-31.

The Bible says Thomas was called: a) Didymus (the twin); b) Simon; c) the Doubter.

He said he would not believe Jesus was alive unless he could: a) see his face; b) see and touch his wounds; c) talk to Mary Magdalene.

After how many days did Jesus come to the apostles again? a) six; b) seven; c) eight.

Jesus gave Thomas the opportunity to touch his wounds and told him to: a) be not faithless, but believing; b) be careful; c) bow his head.

In response Thomas said to Jesus: a) "My great teacher"; b) "I am amazed"; c) "My Lord and my God."

T/F. Jesus rebuked Thomas for calling him "God."

Thomas and the other apostles were eye witnesses, but Jesus said there would be a blessing on those who believed even though: a) they had not seen him; b) they were wicked; c) they were not apostles.

Those who have not seen Christ can be believers because the things Jesus did are: a) not real; b) written; c) in visions.

This has caused some to call him "doubting Thomas." It is true that he refused to believe without personal evidence. He did not have the written word to assure him. Further, he was to be one of the men who would give the world their eyewitness account. This is not included in the Bible to make us think Thomas was not a good man. Rather it shows us how careful he was to be sure. Jesus gave the apostles "many infallible proofs" (Acts 1:3). Thus they became the witnesses to tell all men that Jesus had been raised (Act 2:32). We all should be careful what we believe. We are to "prove all things" (I Thessalonians 5:21). This requires searching the Scriptures (Acts 17: 11).

ANSWERS: 30. B; 31.B;32.A; 33 .C; 34. C; 35. B; 36. A; 37. B; 38. C; 39. A; 40. C; 41. F; 42. A; 43.B.

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BEAN SOUP SUPPER @ TWIN OAKS

Ya'll come!!! This Sat., Oct. 12, at Twin Oaks United Methodist Church (Fellowship Hall parking lot), Main Street, Oakwood, Ohio at 5:00 P.M. there will be open kettle bean soup and corn bread.

Bring any thing for extra food to share; table service provided.

Sit around the camp fire, bring a musical instrument if you can. Bring your kids, friends, neighbors...

And if it's too chilly outside, we'll go inside and eat!!!! Every one welcome!!!!

ANTWERP MANOR ACTIVITIES



Welcome to Antwerp Manor Assisted Living located at 204 Archer Drive in Antwerp, Ohio. As you can see in the picture we are very busy preparing for our many trick or treaters! Trick or Treating will be on Saturday, October 26th from 5:00-7:00 p.m. We all enjoy seeing the variety of costumes that come in our door ready for a bagful of candy!

October will bring several more events for our residents. Our Walmart shopping trip is fast approaching. It is scheduled for October 11th at 9:00 a.m. We are always home by 1:00 p.m. If you would be willing to be a volunteer on this trip please give Jennifer Ramsier a call at 419-258-1500 x5. We will enjoy lunch at Subway after our shopping excursion.

The Board of Elections representatives will be here with ballots on the 18th. The residents were able to meet and greet Mayor Ray DeLong, Council members Jan Reeb and Ken Reinhart as well as Cody Mabis, who is also running for Town Council this election. Dennis Recker, Antwerp Local School Board Member who is running for reelection visited and spoke to the residents. Judge Suzanne Rister and Deb Wyckoff who are running for reelection introduced themselves as well. The residents appreciated meeting the candidates. They are now able to put a face with the candidates' name on their ballot.

If you area Senior Citizen

please join us at Antwerp United Methodist for Senior Center on the Road Friday, October 25th. Doors open at 10:00 a.m. There will be Bingo, entertainment, and lunch will be served.

Thank you to all of our wonderful volunteers who continue to entertain us on a regular basis. Pictured you can see how much we enjoy our guests!

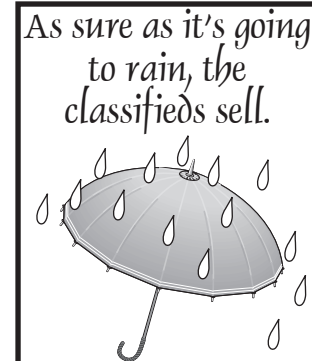
Please feel free to contact Jennifer Ramsier with any Assisted Living questions or any questions concerning our October activities.

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4:00 PM, and the Live Auction at 5:00 PM.

You may never have considered attending an auction before, but this event is more than an auction - this event helps children reach their full potential in life, in faith, and in action.

At the Woodburn Christian Children's Home, we do not raise victims, we raise OVERCOMERS! Come support our effort.



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DEFIANCE BRIDGE NOW HAS A FLOOR!



At 9:00 p.m. it appears that the work is about 20% done being poured, starting on the south end.



By 8:00 a.m. the work is nearly completed as there are only a few feet to go. The concrete is then being covered to protect it while it cures.

BE CREATIVE WHEN WITHDRAWING FROM RETIREMENT ACCOUNTS



Bryan Post, Edward Jones Financial Advisor

Like many people, you may spend decades putting money into your IRA and your 401(k) or similar employer-sponsored retirement plan. But eventually you will want to take this money out - if you must start withdrawing some of it. How can you make the best use of these funds?

To begin with, here's some background: When you turn 70 1/2, you need to start withdrawals - called required minimum distributions, or RMDs - from your traditional IRA and your 401(k) or similar em-

ployer-sponsored retirement plan, such as a 457(b) or 403(b). (A Roth IRA is not subject to these rules; you can essentially keep your account intact for as long as you like.) You can take more than the RMD, but if you don't take at least the minimum (which is based on your account balance and your life expectancy), you'll generally be taxed at 50% of the amount you should have taken - so don't forget these withdrawals.

Here, then, is the question: What should you do with the RMDs? If you need the entire amount to help support your lifestyle, there's no issue - you take the money and use it. But what if you don't need it all? Keeping in mind that the withdrawals are generally fully taxable at your personal income tax rate, are there some particularly smart ways in which you can use the money to help your family or, possibly, a charitable organization?

Here are a few suggestions:

Help your grown children with their retirement accounts. Your grown children may not always be able to afford to "max out" on their IRAs. You might want to help them with any excess

The Defiance Clinton Street bridge update - October 4 and 5th. The bridge concrete is poured starting at 6pm and intending to finishing in the morning around 8 am. The men and women worked all 14+ hours to finish and the cement trucks were lined up ready to unload. They used about 1200 yards of concrete for the bridge.

The progress was slowed down to the extremely wet spring and summer and now they are working extra to try and get the bridge open by December. The project is scheduled for completion July 2020.

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funds from your own retirement accounts. You can give \$15,000 per year, per recipient, without incurring any gift taxes - an amount far higher than the current annual IRA contribution limit of \$6,000 (or \$7,000 for individuals 50 or older).

Help your grandchildren pay for college. You might want to contribute to an investment specifically designed to build assets for college. A financial professional can help you choose which investments might be most appropriate. Of course, if your grandchildren are already in college, you are free to simply write a check to the school to help cover tuition and other expenses.

Help support a charitable organization. Due to recent changes in tax laws, many individuals now claim a standard deduction, rather than itemizing. As a result, there's less of an incentive, from a tax standpoint, for people to contribute to charitable organizations.

But if you'd still like to support a charitable group and gain potential tax benefits, you might want to consider moving some, or all, of your required distributions from your IRA to a charity. You can transfer up to \$100,000 from your IRA in this type of qualified charitable distribution, thus meeting your RMD requirements without adding to your taxable income. Furthermore, this move might keep you in a lower tax bracket. (Before making this transfer, though, you will need to consult with your tax advisor.)

Your RMDs can contribute greatly to your retirement income, but, as we've

seen, they can do even more than that - so use them wisely.

This article was written by Edward Jones for use by your local Edward Jones Financial Advisor.

38th ANNUAL WOMEN'S RETREAT

First Presbyterian Church (EPC) in Paulding OH is hosting its 38th Annual Women's Retreat on Saturday, October 26, 2019 from 9 am until 2:30 pm. Doors open at 8:30 am. The church is located at the corner of Caroline and Cherry Streets in Paulding, one block from the courthouse square.

This year, special guest speaker Rita Stewart will explore the topic: "How Did I Get Here and Where Am I Going?"

Rita's teaching will help us celebrate the circumstances that God has placed in each of our lives, and to be uplifted and encouraged as we walk day by day in our faith. She will lead us through three sessions: "Did He really mean it when He said, 'I love you?'" (based on Romans 8:28); "Recognizing your miracle" (based on I Corinthians 13:4-7), and "Yes, He meant it!" (based on I Corinthians 13:8a).

Ms. Stewart and her husband, Jim, founded Everlasting Arms Ministry and host a weekly radio program on prayer, "Praise, Prayer and Power for Today" on WXML radio. Rita speaks, prays and takes phone requests while Jim runs the sound system for the program. Rita also speaks to churches, women's groups, mothers' clubs, and weekend or one-day retreats. Her professional career began in the banking field, and she still works full-time in another arm of financial services.

If you could use some encouragement in your daily life, or if you hunger for a time to get away and refresh yourself with some inspiring teaching and music, this year's Annual Women's Retreat in Paulding on Sat., Oct. 26th is for you!

Special musical guests are Susan Kayser on the piano; Robin Chamberlain leading praise; and Jim and Rita Stewart presenting special music; A catered luncheon is included.

Women from around northwest Ohio and northeast Indiana have gathered at the Paulding church each October for many years. They come from various churches, are diverse ages, and come from many walks of life, yet all want to renew their spiritual passion. While the retreat ends at 2:30 pm, ladies are welcome and encouraged to linger and visit as long as they wish.

Pre-registration is requested by Wed., Oct. 18. Cost for the retreat is \$20. Checks made out to First Presbyterian Church, with 'women's retreat' in the memo line, can be sent with mail-in registrations. Fees may also be paid at the door the morning of the retreat if registration is made by phone or online. Nursery care is available for infants through age 3 or 4. Be sure to mention this need when you register so we are adequately staffed, and to bring a sack lunch for your child.

Registration can be made online at www.firstpresbyterianpauldning.com (go to the 'in the community' section and scroll down to 'Women's Retreat'); by mail to the church office (PO Box 366, Paulding OH 45879), or by calling 419-399-5533 (Susan Paulus) or 419-399-2438 (church office).

DIVISION II GIRLS GOLF DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

On Monday, September 30, the Division II Girls Golf District Tournament took place at Sycamore Springs Golf Course, Arlington, OH.

The following are the results of the afternoon.

1st Lima C.C. * 334 - E Mulcahy 76; M Kelly Mulcahy 73; E Mayers 95; B Mulcahy 93; C VanMeter 92
2nd Huron * 367 - K Stadler 87; G Buathier 95; A Baus 98; M Nelson 90; J Cobleigh 95

3rd St. Henry * 371 - E Naumann 71; C Clune 98; A Siefring 94; C Hemmelgarn DQ; G Elking 108

4th Shelby * 379 - N Jones 77; J Gutchall 86; G Stumbo 99; M Westmeister 117; T Carroll 140

5th Wayne Trace 383 - K Daeger 84; C Sinn 91; A Etzler 113; C Parker 101; M Lopez 107

6th Edison 384 - J Pruitt

85; L Neher 87; K Hunter Barylski 106; A Grant 106; J Fry 134

7th Otsego 385 - O Jackson 85; M Lehsten 94; H London 104; C Tussing 102; S Berry 113

8th Gibsonburg 386 - S Leyerle 76; O Paul 92; M Albanese 104; T Sworden 115; E Stout 114

9th Bellevue 387 - L Spurlack 85; O Martinez 115; I Sanchez 105; T Layne 107; K Schneider 90

10th Margaretta 395 - C Lewis 98; E Schaefer 101; T Malson 96; A Thomas 100; Opper 102

11th Wauseon 406 - L McQuillin 89; C Gerken 99; H Frank 107; J King 111; E Oyer 126

12th Coldwater 411 - E Eckstein 101; L Finke 100; S Diller 109; G Buschur 102; J Hemmelgarn 108

13th Perkins 414 - A Kim 99; A Bing 96; L Visci 105; I Weatherly 114; G Kosior 129

14th Fairview 441 - E Singer 105; E Wermer 114; L Hetrick 105; A Macsary 117; K Andrist 158

15th Van Buren 496 - C Recker 99; A Bishop 125; C Youngner 135; T Stewart 138; K Odenweller 137

16th Ft. Recovery 0 - J Bruns 91
New Bremen 0 - S Parker 91

Minster 0 - L Voisard 91
Lakota 0 - K Dull 71
Hopewell-Loudon 0 - K Cline 91

Elmwood 0 - K Kingery 104

Kalida 0 - G Miller 85; K Nartker 93

Hicksville 0 - K Schroeder 95

New London 0 - K Barber 102

St. Peter's 0 - D Powell 90
Col. Crawford 0 - M Cotsamire 121

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MORE ON THE SCHOOL AREA

By: Stan Jordan
Down on East Canal Street, where the Water Plant Road goes to the south, the town had owned some land there for years because of the city water works and some more area if they had to drill another well.
So the school bought the rest of that area. Now I don't know or remember all of it but the school and town traded some acreage there, to the benefit of both of them.

I do remember that Dick Rhoads was water superintendent and he had the Water Plant Road (which was just a stone road) black topped for \$5000.00 of water dept. money. Well, that was legal and correct, but some people raised a stink over that waste. A stone road was good enough for that traffic, but look what we have now.

For years that road was used for traffic for the Water Works, Firemen Day Parade lineup, football traffic and parking, and the recycling office.

See ya!

ELECTRIC SMOKING DEVICE

By: Stan Jordan
Over the last few weeks I have been pretty vocal about this Ohio State Law making young folks have to wait until they are 21 years of age to buy tobacco.

Well, things are getting mixed up between smoking tobacco and this vaping craze, where they use these electric cigarettes. I understand there are over two hundred people dying from this vaping craze., but the news stated that the average user of this craze is 26 years old, not a teenager.

I think all of that stuff should be taken off the market completely because if it is there the people will buy it. I guess the powers that be are working on a law that will take them off the market. Some of these products are worse for the body than dope.

That is one thing that

America does, if some cars, machinery, food or drink is questionable it is taken off the market at once, with warnings also.

I think the government should take any and all of these electronic smoking devices off the market at once.
See ya!

FARMING DOWN THE ROAD

By: Stan Jordan
I had lunch with one of the area's young farmer today, and I hope that happens again tomorrow.

He was telling me about how farming will be in less than fifty years. Now some of this is speculation and some is already being pursued.

In this GPS a farmer plants the end rows first and programs all the data and statistics so the planter will quit planting when it comes to the part of the end rows and it will lift the planter for the turn, if it is so programmed. Most farmers don't use the row markers, they follow the line made by the GPS. Now this is done whenever you start a new field. The combines the farmers use now will blow your mind: heaters, air conditioners, extra good seats and air ride also, under the seat is a small refrigerator, some young boys have a small TV screen...it's according to your likes.

If you had a field with no trees, ditches or anything that you have to turn out for, an enterprising young farmer, after he fills the planter and sets all the data and info, he could go do another chore and leave the planter do the job alone. Now that sounds good maybe it is possible, but right now most farmers want to do the job themselves.

The factories already are testing a new tractor that has no cab, the entire job will be done with automation, no driver needed. It might all be with electric, maybe no diesel fuel at all.

The combine of the future will probably have no driver, it will operate itself like the planter does. When the grain wagon pulls along side, it will trip an electric switch and the combine will dump the grain into the wagon and continue to cut the grain, more switches and the wagon drives over to where the big trucks are. Now here we will probably find a driver.

Of course this will not fit into all farming operations or types of farms, but this is going to happen and I bet it already has in some test plots. Or maybe the farmer will

guide the grain wagon with electricity like a drone...who knows?

See ya!

JOHN DILLINGER

By: Stan Jordan
This is another part of John Dillinger's life or escapades...all taken from Wikipedia.

Prison time

Within Indiana Reformatory and Indiana State Prison, from 1924 to 1933, Dillinger began to become embroiled in a criminal lifestyle. Upon being admitted to the prison, he is quoted as saying, "I will be the meanest bastard you ever saw when I get out of here." His physical examination upon being admitted to the prison showed that he had gonorrhea. The treatment for his condition was extremely painful. He became embittered against society because of his long prison sentence and befriended other criminals, such as seasoned bank robbers like Harry "Pete" Pierpont, Charles Makley, Russell Clark, and Homer Van Meter, who taught Dillinger how to be a successful criminal. The men planned heists that they would commit soon after they were released. Dillinger studied Herman Lamm's meticulous bank-robbing system and used it extensively throughout his criminal career.

His father launched a campaign to have him released and was able to get 188 signatures on a petition. Dillinger was paroled on May 10, 1933, after serving nine and a half years. Dillinger's stepmother became sick just before he was released from the prison, and died before he arrived at her home. Released at the height of the Great Depression, Dillinger had little prospect of finding employment. He immediately returned to crime.

On June 21, 1933, he robbed his first bank, taking \$10,000 from the New Carlisle National Bank, which occupied the building at the southeast corner of Main Street and Jefferson (State Routes 235 and 571) in New Carlisle, Ohio. On August 14, Dillinger robbed a bank in Bluffton, Ohio. Tracked by police from Dayton, Ohio, he was captured and later transferred to the Allen County Jail in Lima to be indicted in connection to the Bluffton robbery. After searching him before letting him into the prison, the police discovered a document which appeared to be a prison escape plan. They demanded Dillinger tell them what the document meant, but he refused.

Dillinger had helped conceive a plan for the escape of Pierpont, Clark, and six others he had met while in prison, most of whom worked in the prison laundry. Dillinger had friends smuggle guns into their cells, with which they escaped, four days after Dillinger's capture. The group, known as "the First Dillinger Gang", consisted of Pete Pierpont, Russell Clark, Charles Makley, Ed Shouse, Harry Copeland, and John "Red" Hamilton, a member of the Herman Lamm Gang. Pierpont, Clark, and Makley arrived in Lima on October 12, where they impersonated Indiana State Police officers, claiming they had come to extradite Dillinger to Indiana. When the sheriff, Jess Sarber, asked for their credentials,

REMEMBER BACK

SEATED: Left to right, Nancy Wannemacher, Joyce Donat, Karen Seslar, STANDING: Mr. Fast (adv.) Eva Friend, Linda Cottrell, Janet Bowers, Kathy Mavis, Laurenda Hunt.



By: Stan Jordan
This photo was taken from the 1960 year book that someone gave us.

First off, the teacher there is William Fast who taught business subjects. Nearly

all the subjects Bill taught aren't used anymore. Almost everything now is on a computer and electronically. Yes, it's a long ways from the graphite pencil with an eraser on the end to a lap top

computer.
I am glad to run this picture, because we don't have an all girl photo of class activities very often.
See ya!

Pierpont shot Sarber dead, then released Dillinger from his cell. The four men escaped back to Indiana, where they joined the rest of the gang.

Bank robberies

Dillinger is known to have participated with The Dillinger Gang in thirteen separate bank robberies, between June 21, 1933 and June 30, 1934.

Before Lima:

- New Carlisle National Bank, New Carlisle, Ohio, of \$10,000 on June 21, 1933
- The Commercial Bank, Daleville, Indiana, of \$3,500 on July 17, 1933
- Montpelier National Bank, Montpelier, Indiana, of \$6,700 on August 4, 1933
- Bluffton Bank, Bluffton, Ohio, of \$6,000 on August 14, 1933
- Massachusetts Avenue State Bank, Indianapolis, Indiana, of \$21,000 on September 6, 1933
- After Dillinger was broken out of Lima:
- Home Banking Company, Saint Marys, Ohio of \$12,000
- Central National Bank And Trust Co., Greencastle, Indiana, of \$74,802 on October 23, 1933
- American Bank And Trust Co., Racine, Wisconsin, of \$28,000 on November 20, 1933
- First National Bank, East Chicago, Indiana, of \$20,000 on January 15, 1934

After Dillinger's escape from Crown Point:

- Securities National Bank And Trust Co., Sioux Falls, South Dakota, of \$49,500 on March 6, 1934
- First National Bank, Mason City, Iowa, of \$52,000 on March 13, 1934
- First National Bank, Fostoria, Ohio, of \$17,000 on May 3, 1934
- Merchants National Bank, South Bend, Indiana, of \$29,890 on June 30, 1934

Relationship with Evelyn Frechette

Evelyn "Billie" Frechette met John Dillinger in October 1933, and they began a relationship on November 20. After Dillinger's death, Billie was offered money for her story and wrote a memoir for the Chicago Herald and Examiner in August 1934.

Escape from Crown Point, Indiana

Dillinger and the rest of his gang were captured in Tucson, Arizona on January 25, 1934. He was later escorted back to Indiana by Matt Leach, the chief of the Indiana State Police, and imprisoned within the Crown Point jail sometime after committing a robbery at a bank located in East Chicago, Indiana on January 15, 1934. The local police boasted to area newspapers that the jail was escape-proof and posted extra guards as a precaution. What happened on the day of Dillinger's escape on March 3 is still open to debate. According to Deputy Ernest Blunk, Dillinger had escaped using a real pistol. FBI files indicate that Dillinger carved a fake pistol. Sam Cahoon, a trustee that Dillinger first took hostage in the jail, believed Dillinger had carved the gun with a razor and some shelving in his cell. However, according to an unpublished interview with Dillinger's attorney, Louis Piquett, investigator Art O'Leary claimed to have snuck the gun in himself.

On March 16, Herbert Youngblood, who escaped from Crown Point alongside Dillinger, was shot dead by three police officers in Port Huron, Michigan. Deputy Sheriff Charles Cavanaugh

was mortally wounded in the battle and died a few hours later. Before he died, Youngblood told the officers that Dillinger was in the neighborhood of Port Huron, and immediately officers began a search for the escaped man, but no trace of him was found. An Indiana newspaper reported that Youngblood later retracted the story and said he did not know where Dillinger was at that time, as he had parted with him soon after their escape.

Dillinger was indicted by a local grand jury, and the Bureau of Investigation (a precursor of the Federal Bureau of Investigation) organized a nationwide manhunt for him. After escaping from Crown Point, Dillinger reunited with his girlfriend, Evelyn Frechette, just hours after his escape at her half-sister Patsy's Chicago apartment, where she was also staying (3512 North Halsted).
According to Billie's trial testimony, Dillinger stayed with her there for "almost two weeks", but the two actually had traveled to the Twin Cities and moved into the Santa Monica Apartments, Unit 106, 3252 Girard Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota on March 4 (moving out on March 19) and met up with Hamilton (who had been

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Antwerp Conservation Club
Event Schedule

October 10th – Monthly meeting at 7pm

October 12th – Ladies Introduction to Firearms from 9 - 3pm. Safety training, 22 rifle, shotgun and pistol. Open to the public and free to attend.

October 13th – Trap shoot at 1pm

October 19th – 3 Gun Charity Match. Proceeds go to Toys for Tots.

All of our advertised events are open to the public.

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The Paulding County Veterans' Service Office

The Paulding County Veteran's Service Office is dedicated to aiding Paulding County veterans and their families in time of need.

There are two basic services the agency provides:

1 – Emergency Financial Assistance – Provide short term financial assistance to eligible veterans and their families who demonstrate a need. This includes, but is not limited to, food, gas, mortgage/rent and assistance with utility payments.

2 – Claims Assistance – Provide services for veterans and other claimants for help with VA claims for any federal, state, or local benefits.

We also provide reimbursement for the cost of transportation to VA medical facilities in our area, or in the case where the veteran cannot drive himself, we will provide a driver.

Our office hours are Tuesday thru Friday, 9:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

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Any questions, please call 419-399-8285

DESK VIEW



By: Katie Oberlin

I am in love with the opportunity I have to live and love life as not only as an exchange student but as a young person and as a citizen of the world. I am not particularly sure of what the future holds for my life, for my year, or for tomorrow even, but I have been really experiencing the value in connecting with others, seeking to see and know more, and not being afraid to pursue what I want. Stepping outside for five minutes can teach me more than the walls of my room.

The world surrounds every person, and I am convinced there is enough of it to live lifetimes before one person could ever see it all. If only a walk down the street can

teach me a new lesson every day, imagine all of the enlightenment the entire world beyond that one street holds.

I believe it is important to desire to see more, ask more, learn more even if and especially if it is more convenient and comfortable to not. It is hard for me to imagine what and who I would be without the time I have had here. The amount of new places I have seen, friendships I have created, and moments I have had here is astronomical. I cannot consider the idea of never having these experiences. Living here has redefined my idea of something beautiful. An old German church's vastness, a Rhein village's charm, a castle's view of the town and river below, and simply a mountain's existence all warm my heart and make me see life and this world a little differently.

Another part of what I am doing in my life here that I find particularly expanding is being with the 24 other exchange students in my district. My first encounter with them consisted of my acceptance that I have been viewing the globe with much too little awareness of the quantities of culture everywhere. Nevertheless, I have the great opportunity of being sur-

rounded by a unique, loving, and willing group of people who are a key part of my further learning. Two months have gone so immensely fast for all of us to the point that it is incomprehensible; this reminds me to take advantage of every day, have conversations, go outside, and say yes to everything because I never know what could come from doing something new or different. As an exchange student, as a kid, and as a citizen of this world, I am here living a life I never could have without the goodwill and support I have been fortunate enough to come across.

PANTHERS PICK UP FOUR SET VICTORY OVER ADA

ADA - Paulding hit the road for a long trip to Ada on Tuesday night in Northwest Conference volleyball action.

The Lady Panthers, though, made that trip home feel a little shorter with a four-set victory over the Bulldogs by scores of 25-18, 21-25, 25-23 and 25-19.

Leigha Egnor had 24 kills and 19 assists to pace the maroon and white while adding three aces, two blocks and two digs.

Claire Schweller dished out 25 assists and picked up

PLEASANT VALLEY GOLF COURSE ENJOYED BY GROVER HILL ELEMENTARY 6th GRADERS



The Grover Hill Elementary sixth graders enjoyed their time at the Pleasant Valley Golf Course. They were able to interact while

doing a golf scramble of 4 holes. Shout out to Mrs. Jen Mohr, Physical Education teacher, Mike Brady, an owner of Pleasant Valley

Golf Course, Ken Lentz, retired Wayne Trace teacher, and to all who made this possible for the day.

three digs with Gabbie Stallbaum posting four kills and 15 digs.

Maggie Manz chipped in five kills and nine digs while Jalynn Parrett recorded 11 kills, 18 digs and five aces.

Paulding improves to 11-9 overall and 4-3 in the Northwest Conference.

ARCHERS WIN FIVE SET BATTLE OVER PIRATES

ANTWERP - In a non-league battle at the home of the Archers, it was Antwerp who posted a five-set win over

visiting Continental in Monday night volleyball play.

The blue and white won the first set 25-19 and appeared to take control with a 25-20 victory in game two.

However, the Lady Pirates came back to post a 25-22 win in the third set before recording a 25-20 game four win to even the match at two sets each.

Antwerp, though, pulled away in the decisive fifth set for a 15-6 victory to wrap up the evening.

Karsyn Brumett dished out 47 assists while posting

six digs for Antwerp. Alyssa Fuller picked up a dozen kills to go along with 24 digs and an ace.

Astianna Coppes also had 24 digs for the Archers and led the blue and white with 23 kills. Alyvia Devore aided the Archer cause with 19 digs and two aces while Faith Nestleroad finished with 11 slams.

Grace Schuette chipped in six kills for Antwerp as well.

The Lady Archer junior varsity also was victorious, sweeping the Pirates by scores of 25-9 and 25-7.

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recovering for the past month from his gunshot wounds in the East Chicago robbery), and the two mustered up a new gang consisting of themselves and Baby Face Nelson's gang, including Nelson, Homer Van Meter, Tommy Carroll and Eddie Green.

Three days after Dillinger's escape from Crown Point, the Second Gang robbed a bank in Sioux Falls, South Dakota. A week later they robbed First National Bank in Mason City, Iowa.

Lincoln Court Apartments shootout

Dillinger and Billie then moved into apartment 303 of the Lincoln Court Apartments, 93-95 South Lexington Avenue (now Lexington Parkway South) in St. Paul, Minnesota on Tuesday, March 20, using the aliases "Mr. & Mrs. Carl T. Hellman". The three-story apartment complex had 32 apartments — 10 units on each floor, plus two basement units.

Daisy Coffey, the landlord/owner, would testify at Frechette's trial that she spent most evenings during Dillinger's stay furnishing apartment 310, which enabled her to observe what was happening in apartment 303 di-

rectly across the courtyard. On March 30, Coffey went to the FBI's St. Paul field office to file a report, including information about the couple's new Hudson sedan parked in the garage behind the apartments. The building was placed under surveillance by two agents, Rufus Coulter and Rusty Nalls, that night, but they saw nothing unusual, mainly because the blinds were drawn.

The next morning at approximately 10:15, Nalls circled around the block looking for the Hudson, but observed nothing. He parked, first on Lincoln Avenue (the north side of the apartments), then on the west side of Lexington Avenue, at the northwest corner of Lexington and Lincoln, and remained in his car while watching Coulter and St. Paul Police detective Henry Cummings, pull up, park, and enter the building. Ten minutes later, by Nalls's estimate, Van Meter parked a green Ford coupe on the north side of the apartment building.

Meanwhile, Coulter and Cummings knocked on the door of apartment 303. Frechette answered, opening the door two to three inches. She said she was not dressed and to come back. Coulter

told her they would wait. After waiting two to three minutes, Coulter went to the basement apartment of the caretakers, Louis and Margaret Meidlinger, and asked to use the phone to call the bureau. He quickly returned to Cummings, and the two of them waited for Frechette to open the door. Van Meter then appeared in the hall and asked Coulter if his name was Johnson. Coulter said it was not, and as Van Meter passed on to the landing of the third floor, Coulter asked him for a name. Van Meter replied, "I am a soap salesman." Asked where his samples were, Van Meter said they were in his car. Coulter asked if he had any credentials. Van Meter said "no", and continued down the stairs. Coulter waited 10 to 20 seconds, then followed Van Meter. As Coulter got to the lobby on the ground floor, Van Meter opened fire on him. Coulter hastily fled outside, chased by Van Meter. Van Meter ran back into the front entrance.

Recognizing Van Meter, Nalls pointed out the Ford to Coulter and told him to disable it. Coulter shot out the rear left tire. While Coulter stayed with Van Meter's Ford, Nalls went to the corner drugstore and called the local police, then the bureau's St. Paul office, but could not get through because both lines were busy. Van Meter, meanwhile, escaped by hopping on a passing coal truck.

Frechette, in her harboring trial testimony, said that she told Dillinger that the police had showed up after speaking to Cummings. Upon hearing Van Meter firing at Coulter, Dillinger opened fire through the door with a Thompson submachine gun, sending Cummings scrambling for cover. Dillinger then stepped out and fired another burst at Cummings. Cummings shot back with a revolver, but quickly ran out of ammunition. He hit Dillinger in the left calf with one of his five shots. He then hastily retreated down the stairs to the front entrance. Once Cum-

mings retreated, Dillinger and Frechette hurried down the stairs, exited through the back door and drove away in the Hudson.

The couple drove to Green's apartment in Minneapolis. Green called his associate Dr. Clayton E. May at his office at 712 Masonic Temple in downtown Minneapolis (still extant). With Green,

his wife Beth, and Frechette following in Green's car, the doctor drove Dillinger to an apartment belonging to Augusta Salt, who had been providing nursing services and a bed for May's illicit patients for several years, patients he could not risk seeing at his regular office. May treated Dillinger's wound with antiseptics. Green visited Dil-

linger on Monday, April 2, just hours before Green would be mortally wounded by the FBI in St. Paul. Dillinger convalesced at Dr. May's for five days, until Wednesday, April 4. Dr. May was promised \$500 for his services, but received nothing.

More next week...
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RAIDERS CRUSH ARCHER IN MONDAY NIGHT FOOTBALL



Trevor Speice, ball carrier, of Wayne Trace looks to the side as he leaves a trail of Archers in his wake. More pictures at westbendnews.net



Antwerp's Hunter Sproles scores the first touchdown in Monday night's game against the Raiders. More pictures at westbendnews.net

In a unique twist of scheduling around the weather, Antwerp vs. Wayne Trace football game that was originally scheduled for Friday, September 27th commenced for some High School Monday Night Football, September 30th. Wayne Trace demonstrated their endurance and strength at Archer Field this night. After a slow first quarter, 7-6 Raiders, the momentum was awarded to Wayne Trace who took off like a rocket in the second, closing at half-time in a hefty lead, 29-8. The second half was more of the same, Raiders chalking up 13 points in the 3rd quarter, and no scoring for either team in the 4th. This left a

final score in a Raider win: 49-14.
 Score by the Quarters:
 Wayne Trace - 7 29 13 0 = 49
 Antwerp - 6 8 0 0 = 14
 Scoring Summary:
 Antwerp - Blake Schuette 53 yd pass to Hunter Sproles (kick failed), 9:35 1st
 Wayne Trace - Trevor Speice 31 yd pass to Owen Manz (Trevor Speice kick), 1:05 1st
 Wayne Trace - Trevor Speice 20 yd pass to Alex Reinhart (Trevor Speice kick), 7:04 2nd
 Antwerp - Blake Schuette 18 yd pass to Jordan Buerkle (Schuette pass to Sproles), 2:58 2nd
 Wayne Trace - Trev-

or Speice 55 yd pass to Owen Manz (Speice pass to Kameron Bevis), 2:32 2nd
 Wayne Trace - Kameron Bevis 70 yd interception return (pass failed), 1:47 2nd
 Wayne Trace - Trevor Speice 35 yd pass to Nathan Gerber (Speice pass to Gerber), :26 2nd
 Wayne Trace - Kameron Bevis 23 yd run (Trevor Speice kick), 10:48 3rd
 Wayne Trace - Nate Showalter 2 yd run (kick failed), 3:09 3rd
 Individual Leaders:
 Rushing:
 Wayne Trace - Trevor Speice 7-57, Jared Pierce 7-42, Nate Showalter 7-25
 Antwerp - Hunter Sproles 6-22
 Passing:
 Wayne Trace - Trevor Speice 11-15-258
 Antwerp - Blake Schuette 11-24-179
 Receiving:
 Wayne Trace - Nathan Gerber 4-110, Alex Reinhart 3-36, Owen Manz 2-86,
 Antwerp - Hunter Sproles 5-111, Landyn Reyes 3-48

WARRIORS GO DISTANCE TO GET PAST STARFIRES

BERNE - Woodlan made the trip to Berne on Tuesday night in ACAC volleyball action and the Lady Warriors came home with a five-set victory over South Adams.
 Woodlan captured game one 25-20 before the Lady Starfires took the next two games, winning the second set 25-22 before taking the third set 25-19.
 After the Lady Warriors evened the match at two sets each with a 25-20 victory in the fourth set, Woodlan completed the comeback with a 15-12 win in the decisive fifth set.
 Reagan Salzbrenner led the way for the Warriors with 14 kills in the match while Madison Smith and Ashton Widenhoefer recording nine slams each.
 Katie Chin chipped in four kills for Woodlan with Maddi Snyder getting four and Ella Smith adding two.
 Avah Smith and Taya

Kitzmiller both served three aces for the Lady Warriors while Addison Bayman and Ella Smith posted a pair each. Katie Chin also had one for Woodlan.
 Salzbrenner, Bayman and Ella Smith all had two blocks for the Lady Warriors as well.
 Chin picked up 29 digs to top the Warrior effort and Kitzmiller had 18 digs. Bayman and Avah Smith recorded seven digs each and Clare Yagodinski finished with five.
 Madison Smith (four), Myah Van Camp (two), Widenhoefer (two), Ella Smith (two), Salzbrenner (one) and Maddi Snyder (one) also had digs for Woodlan.
 Bayman dished out 24 assists for the Lady Warriors and Ella Smith posted 18 helpers.

GENTZ WINS ACAC TITLE; WARRIOR BOYS, GIRLS FINISH SECOND

BERNE - Woodlan junior Abbey Gentz captured the ACAC cross country meet championship in the varsity girls race to lead the Lady Warriors to a second place finish as a team.
 It was a good day overall for the Warriors as the boys team also picked up a second place finish as a team. South Adams won both the boys and girls team titles.
 The Lady Starfires with 36 points while Woodlan was second in the girls meet with 76 points.
 Gentz claimed the individual championship with a time of 18:34.0, easily in front of second place runner McKenzie Sturwold, who is a sophomore from South Adams that posted a time of 19:58.9.
 Woodlan freshman Addie Goheen also picked up a top ten finish, placing tenth with a time of 21:33.5.
 Riley Zent was 12th for the Lady Warriors in 21:41.3 while freshman Brenna Lake took 25th in 23:33.1.
 Completing the list of Woodlan participants were freshman Morgan Miller (28th, 23:56.3), junior Lydia Dyer (30th, 24:11.8), sophomore Ellie Koos (32nd, 24:23.4), junior Morgan Moore (34th, 24:45.0), freshman Lydia McCagg (38th, 25:39.7), junior Alexis Henderson (40th, 25:49.8), sophomore Olivia Baumert (42nd, 25:57.4) and junior McKenna Elwood (51st, 27:45.6).
 Woodlan's boys varsity posted a second place finish as a team as the Warriors totaled 61 points compared to first place South Adams' 36.
 The Warriors' Kevin Zehr led the way for Woodlan by finishing fifth in 17:41.3 with teammate Max Moore placing ninth in 18:20.8.
 Tyler Loucks crossed the finish line in 12th place in 18:27.7 while Carter Hohenbrink (18:46.0) and Nate

WARRIORS SWEEP RAIDERS, FALL TO RAILROADERS



Woodlan senior Addie Bayman blocks the ball, bouncing it back to the Raiders. More pictures at westbendnews.net

WOODBURN - Woodlan improved its record to 17-9 overall and 5-1 in the ACAC with a three-game sweep of visiting Southern Wells Thursday night in high school volleyball action.
 The Lady Warriors outlasted the Raiders 25-18 in the opening set before cruising to a 25-10 victory in game two of the match. Woodlan then wrapped up the evening by rolling to a 25-5 win in the third set.
 Reagan Salzbrenner topped the Warriors with seven kills and Madison Smith chipped in six while Ashton Widenhoefer added three.
 Myah Van Camp recorded nine kills for the Lady Warriors with Avah Smith picking up eight. Katie Chin led Woodlan with five digs while Widenhoefer posted three. Van Camp also dished out eight assists while Addison Bayman had six and Ella Smith aided the cause with four.
 In earlier action last week,

Woodlan dropped a four-set non-conference match at Garrett on Wednesday.
 The Raiders won one of the match 25-14 but the Warriors answered with a 25-21 win in the second set.
 However, Garrett hung on for a 27-25 victory in game three and the Raiders followed that up with a 25-23 fourth set win to wrap up the match.
 Widenhoefer and Salzbrenner paced the way for the Warriors with nine and seven kills, respectively, while Madison Smith and Maddi Snyder each had five.
 Bayman recorded seven aces to lead the Lady Warriors with Chin picking up 21 digs to top the squad. Taya Kitzmiller and Bayman also chipped in 13 digs apiece for Woodlan while Ella Smith and Avah Smith finished with nine and eight digs, respectively.
 Ella Smith also dished out 17 assists and Bayman recorded a dozen.

Lockridge (18:48.3) took 17th and 18th, respectively.
 Rounding out the Warrior runners were Brysen Art (31st, 19:31.3), Conner Shawver (48th, 21:01.3) and Camden Bullerman (22:57.6).
 In the junior high boys race, the Warriors took eighth as a team but were led individually by Cooper McDaniel and Johnathan Baxter. McDaniel placed 35th in 13:26.8 while Baxter placed 36th with a time of 13:44.8.
 Damien Garner finished 42nd in 14:10.9 with Collin Klepper taking 48th in 14:30.0. Camdyn Garri-

son rounded out the Warrior runners with a time of 17:20.5, good for 64th place.
 Grace Martin ran a time of 13:56.8 to lead the Lady Warrior junior high girls with a 25th place finish while Alexis Smith finished 27th in 14:14.9. Savannah Hopper took 30th in 14:37.6 for Woodlan followed by Alexis Moehring (33rd, 14:44.2), Cara Chen (34th, 14:48.5), Olivia Roney (35th, 14:54.2), Kaidence Carter (44th, 16:05.1), Kyra Elwood (49th, 17:06.8) and Mia Morris (53rd, 17:58.3).
 The Lady Warriors posted a sixth place finish as a team.

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PILOTS GET FIRST WIN OVER ARCHERS



Archer Blake Schuette scores the first touchdown of the game. More pictures at westbendnews.net



At Friday night's football game the girls state softball champions were honored by Paragon Tempered Glass for their outstanding accomplishments in their 2019 softball season!

ANTWERP - On Homecoming Night at Archer Field, it was all working out the way it was supposed to as the local Archers held an 18-14 advantage at halftime over visiting Ayersville.

However, the Pilots had other ideas as Ayersville outscored Antwerp 19-0 in the second half in rallying for a 33-18 win over the blue and white Friday night.

Only four days after falling to county rival Wayne Trace, the Archers struck first on a 34-yard run by Blake Schuette in grabbing a 6-0 advantage.

Dakota Oswalt would answer for the Pilots, rumbling 48-yards before the end of the first quarter as the Pilots seized a 7-6 lead entering the second stanza.

Antwerp struck first in the period when Schuette connected with Jordan Buerkle on a 28-yard scoring strike to give the blue and white a 12-7 lead.

Chase Eitnrear then plunged into the end zone from one-yard out to put Ayersville back on top 14-12 following Eitnrear's extra point kick.

The Archers would strike again before the half when Schuette and Dylan Hines connected on a 24-yard touchdown toss that gave Antwerp the 18-14 halftime advantage.

From there, it was all Pilots.

Owen Berner hooked up with Blake Eiden for a 28-yard touchdown pass that put Ayersville in front 20-18 and

the Pilots would never look back.

Eitnrear scored his second touchdown of the game on a 19-yard run before adding a five-yard scamper for a touchdown that sealed the win.

Chase Eitnrear ran for 200 yards and three touchdowns to lead Ayersville to the victory.

Blake Schuette paced Antwerp with 213 passing yards while also running for 54.

Things don't get any easier for the Archers this week with a road trip to Gibsonburg. The Golden Bears are currently 6-0 on the season and have outscored their opponents 222-48 on the year. Antwerp comes into the game with a record of 0-6 overall and 0-3 in the Green Meadows Conference.

PANTHERS GET BIG ROAD WIN AT BLUFFTON

BLUFFTON - The Paulding Panthers scored a touchdown in each of the final three quarters as the maroon and white posted a 21-9 win over host Bluffton in Northwest Conference football action Friday night.

Jacob King put the Panthers on top for good with the first of his three touchdowns in the second quarter, plunging into the end zone from one yard out.

Kyle Koontz got the Pirates on the scoreboard as time expired in the first half, splitting the uprights on a 26-yard field goal to pull Bluffton within 7-3 at the break.

However, King picked up

his second touchdown run of the night from two-yards out as Paulding posted a 14-3 advantage with 9:42 left in the third quarter.

The lead would stay 14-3 into the fourth quarter when Bluffton cut into the deficit.

Nate Schaadt found the end zone on a one-yard run to pull the Pirates within 14-9 at the 5:18 mark of the fourth quarter.

However, Paulding sealed the victory on the ensuing drive as King capped the possession with a three-yard scoot to the end zone in giving the Panthers the 21-9 victory.

The Panthers were led by Jacob Deisler with 98 yards rushing on 19 carries while King added 28 yards on nine

tries, including the three touchdown runs.

Quarterback Payton Beckman was five of nine passing for 80 yards in the contest.

Paulding's defense limited Bluffton to nine first downs in the game and 220 yards of total offense. The Panthers posted 14 first downs and gained 276 yards overall.

Next up for the Panthers, who are now 2-4 overall and 1-2 in the Northwest Conference, is Delphos Jefferson. The Wildcats are currently 1-5 in all games and 0-3 in the league, having been outscored 176-84 in three conference losses to Crestview, Ada and Allen East.

CAVS, PATRIOTS NIP WARRIORS

WOODBURN - Woodlan's boys soccer team hosted Canterbury in boys soccer action Thursday night with the visiting Cavaliers nipping the Warriors 3-2.

Canterbury scored three times in the first half to open a 3-0 advantage but Woodlan would make things interesting.

Junior Xavier Heitzel and senior Colton Hathaway

each picked up second half goals for the Warriors but the Warriors were unable to get the tying goal in coming up short.

In other action last week, a pair of Allen County rivals met in boys soccer action as Heritage slipped past Woodlan 3-2.

The Patriots scored twice in the first half to take a 2-1 advantage and each team added a goal in the second half.

Sophomore Jordan Weatherbe and Heitzel each scored for the Warriors in the contest.

Heritage got a pair of goals from sophomore Kyaw Myint with junior Aung Naing Moe adding the other Patriot score. Woodlan is now 3-11-1 on the season.

THUNDERBIRDS RUN PAST WOODLAN

LIMA - The Lima Central Catholic Thunderbirds came into Saturday night's football game against Woodlan wanting to establish the running game. The Thunderbirds did just that.

Lima Central Catholic totaled 372 rushing yards in the contest and the Thunderbirds dominated the contest in a 51-0 win over the Warriors at Lima Stadium.

The Thunderbirds scored 21 points in the opening quarter and added 21 more in the second stanza, taking a commanding 42-0 advantage at the break.

Lima Central Catholic cruised through the running clock in the second half, adding nine points to wrap up the 51-0 victory and improve to 5-1 on the season.

2019 ANTWERP HOMECOMING KING & QUEEN



Garrett Laney and Karsyn Brumett were selected as this year's Antwerp Homecoming King and Queen! More pictures at westbendnews.net. The 2019 Homecoming Court was the following: Senior Attendants Chase Friend and Alyssa Fuller, Junior Attendants Eric Thornell and Siera Octaviano, Freshmen Attendants Owen Brinnemann and Saylor Baum, King Garrett Laney, Queen Karsyn Brumett, Sophomore Attendants Gaige McMichael and Hailey Grant, Senior Attendants Nicholas McCreery and Julia Steiner, Prince Quintin Reyes and Princess Olivia Kosch

Shaun Thomas ran for 151 yards on five carries for Lima Central Catholic, including scoring on touchdown scampers of 11 and 80 yards.

Rossy Moore added 86 yards on the ground over three attempts, one of which was a 64-yard touchdown run.

Dylan Wilson also had 44 rushing yards on six tries with touchdown carries of 1 and 13 yards.

Michael Jay Riepenhoff added a pair of touchdown receptions from Thunderbird quarterback Nevan Stolly. Riepenhoff's two catches went for 74 yards.

Woodlan was held to four first downs in the contest and 53 total yards of offense. The Warriors ran for 39 yards in the game.

The Warriors fall to 3-4 overall on the season, including 0-2 in games against Ohio teams. Woodlan was outscored 100-0 by Buckeye schools Marion Local and Lima Central Catholic, who are a combined 10-2 on the season.

Things don't get any easier for the Warriors on Friday as undefeated South Adams (7-0) makes the trip to Woodburn.



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EDGERTON; HOLGATE CONTROL ANTWERP XC INVITATIONAL: SENIORS RECOGNIZED



Each participating school recognized their Seniors at the Archer Cross Country Invitational on Saturday, October 5, 2019. Pictured here is the Seniors who represented Antwerp this year: (l-r) Aleyah Cline, Chloe Saul, Sydney Miller and Garrett Laney.

The morning dawned cool and dewy October 5th as eight school ascended upon Riverside Veterans Memorial Park in Antwerp. Antwerp hosted its annual Archer Cross Country Invitational. Host school held fast in the varsity girls division taking 2nd place trophy and Edgerton sitting at the top spot. Holgate and Fairview vied for top position in the varsity boys race. Host school landed the 6th place finish.

HS GIRLS:

Team Results: Edgerton (EDG) 36; Antwerp (AN) 69; Fairview (FV) 70; Blackhawk Christian (BC) 76; Paulding (PAU) 114; Hicksville (HV); Holgate (HO); Ottoville (OV)

Top Finishers:

1 R Willett, HO, 19:26; 2 C Hogue, BC, 20:33; 3 E Willett, HO, 20:58; 4 L Layman, FV, 21:07; 5 S Thiel, EDG, 21:13; 6 P Hoersten, OV, 21:40; 7 A Snyder, AN, 21:47

HS BOYS:

Team Results: Holgate 45; Fairview 66; Blackhawk Christian 80; Edgerton 103; Ottoville 118; Antwerp 126; Paulding 167; Hicksville 195

Top Finishers:

1 T Hastings, FV, 16:54; 2 G Connelly, BC, 17:05; 3 N German, OV, 17:29; 4 A Casillas, HO, 17:38; 5 R Bower, HO, 17:41; 6 A Casillas, HO, 17:44; 7 N Breining, FV, 17:45

JH GIRLS:

Team Results:

Holgate 31; Blackhawk Christian 42; Archbold (AR) 49; Antwerp; Edgerton; Fairview; Ottoville; Paulding

1 K Ashbaugh, HO, 13:21; 2 H Swary, HO, 13:43; 3 R Bok, HO, 14:08; 4 I Furley, OV, 14:16; 5 A Wampole, BC, 14:18; 6 A Buehrer, AR, 14:18; 7 M Rhodenizer, BC, 14:35

JH BOYS:

Team Results: Fairview 40; Holgate 62; Paulding 64; Blackhawk Christian 83; Archbold 114; Edgerton 131; Antwerp; Hicksville; Ottoville

Top Finishers:

1 L Miller, HO, 11:33; 2 M Garcia, FV, 11:49; 3 T Manz, PAU, 12:07; 4 N Tomlinson, EDG, 12:12; 5 A Zijlstra, 12:14; 6 K Rabe, FV, 12:27; 7 C Sims, FV, 12:30

IHSAA RELEASES VOLLEYBALL PAIRINGS

INDIANAPOLIS - Volleyball tournament matchups were released by the Indiana High School Athletic Association on Sunday with all local squads finding out who they play in the upcoming state tournament.

In Class 4A, Sectional 5, at North Side, the hosts play Northrop in one opening round matchup while Snider takes on Carroll.

DeKalb awaits the winner

of the North Side-Northrop match with East Noble playing the Snider-Carroll victor.

Sectional 6 action at Huntington North has New Haven taking on the hosts in the opening round and Wayne battling Columbia City.

Homestead will tangle with either Huntington North or New Haven while the Wayne-Columbia City winners plays South Side.

Woodlan, Heritage and Leo all will take part in the Class 3A tournament.

Sectional 22 at Angola

sees a trio of opening round matchups.

Garrett battles Woodlan and Leo tangles with Concordia in a pair of first round matchups while the other match has Bishop Luers and Bishop Dwenger battling.

Angola will play either Garrett or Woodlan in the second round while the Leo-Concordia and Bishop Luers-Bishop Dwenger victors will battle.

In Sectional 23 at Bellmont, the host Lady Braves play Norwell in the opener while another first round match has Jay County against Muncie Burriss. Delta then takes on the Norwell-Bellmont winner and Heritage will battle the survivor of the Jay County-Muncie Burriss match.

PANTHERS FALL TO MILLER CITY

Tuesday evening October 1st, Paulding traveled to Miller City for high school boys soccer. Wildcats were all over their home field on this competition day, scoring 3 goals in the first half and 2 in the second half to Panthers 1. Final score 5-1.

NEW HAVEN VOLLEYBALL FINISHING A WINNING WEEK

Monday started the week strong for Lady Bulldogs volleyball as they hosted Bluffton at home. This match up went into the 4th match to clinch the victory for New Haven. Scores: 25-11, 25-20, 18-25, 25-15.

NH Stat Leaders:

Aces - Doster 5; Digs - Doster 19; Assists - Creed 47; Kills - Cordray 18; Blocks - Jackson 2

NH JV: 1-2 (14-25, 25-15, 11-15)

On Tuesday, New Haven traveled to Huntington North to challenge the Lady Vikings. This match up went out to the 5th set before a winner could be declared. New Haven took the win from this match up: 25-19, 16-25, 25-23, 14-25, 15-12.

NH Stat Leaders:

Aces - Doster, Saalfrank, Casey 3; Digs - Doster 17; Assists - Creed 39; Kills - Cordray 17; Blocks - Jackson 7

NH JV: 1-2 (17-25, 25-15, 4-15)

NH FRESHMAN: 0-2 (5-25, 16-25)

On Thursday evening, 10/3/19, the Lady Bulldogs traveled to Norwell high school for some volleyball action. New Haven divided and conquered the Lady Knights winning the match in 3 sets: 25-20, 25-11, 25-11.

NH Stat Leaders:

Aces - Saalfrank 5; Digs - Doster 11; Assists - Creed 28; Kills - Cordray 15; Blocks - Jackson 1

NH JV: 0-2 (13-25, 22-25)

NH FR: 0-2 (3-25, 17-25)

PANTHERS GET PAST BIG GREEN

DEFIANCE - Paulding picked up a 178-181 non-league win over Ottoville on Tuesday at Auglaize Golf Course.

Kyle Dominique led the Panthers with a 43 while Kolson Egnor chipped in a 44. Boston Pease added a 45 for the maroon and white followed by Hailey Hartzell (46), Josh Carper (48) and Noah Pessefall (50).

Carter Schnipke paced Ottoville with a 44 and Jack Langhals recorded a 45. Dru Hilvers and Evan Turnwald carded a 46 each for the Big Green while Chad Schnipke posted a 54.

ARCHERS CRUISE PAST EAGLES

FAYETTE - In a non-league volleyball battle Monday night, the Antwerp Archers posted a straight-set win over host Fayette by scores of 25-18, 25-8 and 25-11.

Karsyn Brumett dished off 19 assists and Madison Ruen added five for the Lady Archers, who improve to 6-5 on the season.

Astianna Coppes added 11 kills for Antwerp while Grace Schuette chipped in nine and Faith Nestleroad picked up three.

Alyvia Devore recorded three aces and Alyssa Fuller finished with a dozen digs, three kills and an ace. Madison Boesch posted seven aces and six digs with Heather Oberlin having one block and Lydia Brewer serving one ace.

The Lady Archer junior varsity squad moved to 8-3 on the season with a 25-7, 25-14 win over the Eagles.

BRUINS GET PAST WARRIORS

NEW HAVEN - Skylar Whitman carded a 48 to lead the Northrop Lady Bruins to a 195-220 win over Woodlan in girls golf action at Whispering Creek Golf Club last week.

Emma Martin and Abby Robinson each shot a 54 to lead the Lady Warriors while Kate Mendenhall and Lauren Meyer each posted a 56 for Woodlan. Autumn Smith also had a 58 for the Warriors.

STRONG FIRST HALF GETS FAIRVIEW PAST RAIDERS



Wayne Trace's Owen Manz makes an incredible catch with the Apache opponents all around in the 2nd quarter of the game. More pictures at westbendnews.net

HAVILAND - The Wayne Trace Raiders went up against once beaten Fairview last Friday at Raider Field and the Apaches turned a one touchdown lead in the first quarter into a 35-7 rout to remain undefeated in the Green Meadows Conference. Fairview and Tinora own the top spot of the GMC at 3-0. Overall the Apaches improve their mark to 5-1 while the Raiders fall to 2-4 overall and 1-2 in the GMC.

The Raiders managed to gain more yards in the contest than their opponent 442-398 and also collected 21 first downs to 17 for Fairview but too many turnovers kept the Raiders from cashing in on their scoring opportunities. Wayne Trace was plagued with one lost fumble and three interceptions.

Wayne Trace's only touchdown came in the first quarter when Trevor Speice connected with Alex Reinhart on a pass covering 56 yards with 7:56 showing on the clock in the initial period. Fairview would not be denied offensively as the Apaches scored twice in the first quarter and again in the second frame to take a 28-7 advantage to the locker room at the break.

Fairview put together a solid ground attack, finishing

with 222 yards rushing on 23 attempts for an average of nearly ten yards a tote. Luke Timbrook led the Fairview ball carriers with 114 yards on just seven carries including two touch down runs of 2 yards and five yards. Quarterback Cade Polter added 37 yards on eight carries. Polter was impressive through the air; hitting 19-27 for 176 yards including a touchdown strike to Chayse Singer. Midway through the fourth quarter Polter added an exclamation point to the Apache win with a 31-yard touch down run.

For the Raiders Trevor Speice finished the night with 80 yards rushing on 27 carries while team mate Kameron Bevis collected 38 yards on nine attempts. Speice went to the air 38 times collecting on 18 of his throws. Leading receivers were Reinhart with 135 yards on five catches, Owen Manz with 68 yards on four touches and Nate Gerber adding 51 yards on five grabs.

This Friday the Raiders will host Dayton Jefferson who is a last-minute replacement for Holgate who is playing eight-man football. For the Apaches they will be home to Hackschell and looks to keep a firm grip on the top spot in league play.

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Synergy Learning Center has proudly announced their September students of the month for September. Front Row: Ethan Kremer (Antwerp), Alexah Thompson (Van Wert) Back Row: Kevin McGrath (Wayne Trace), Michael Nash (Van Wert), Dylan Taylor (Van Wert) and not pictured Kayley Densel (Van Wert)

LADY BULLDOGS SWEEP EAGLES

The Lady Bulldogs of New Haven traveled to Eagles country on Thursday night, September 26th. New Haven was ready and took both the JV and Varsity match ups. JV - 23-25, 25-19, 15-9. Varsity - 25-17, 25-17, 25-13. Lady Eagles freshman squad won their match up against New Haven in 2 sets - 19-25, 20-25. NH Varsity Stats: Aces - Casey, Doster, Saalfrank 2; Digs - Doster 11; Assists - Creed 23; Kills - Cordray 13; Blocks - Jackson 3

LADY BULLDOGS HOLD THE COURT AT COUGAR CHALLENGE TOURNAMENT

New Haven volleyball competed in the Cougar Challenge Tournament at Greenfield-Central High School on Saturday, September 28, 2019. They won three out their four match ups for a top-notch end to their week-end tournament. In their first match, New Haven faced off against Daville. Lady Bulldogs won in 2 sets: 25-13, 25-14 NH Stat Leaders: Aces - Doster 3; Digs - Cordray 5; Kills - Cordray 8;

Assists - Creed 16; Blocks - Jackson 2 Next match for New Haven was with Batesville. Again, NH Lady Bulldogs were on top their game taking the their rival Bulldogs in 2 sets: 25-16, 25-21 NH Stat Leaders: Aces - Nard 3; Digs - Doster 15; Assists - Creed 18; Kills - Cordray 7; Blocks - Nard 1 Lady Squaws made an attempt to overpower the Lady Bulldogs in this third match up, but New Haven was on a role and took this game in 2 sets: 25-8, 25-8 NH Stat Leaders: Aces - Saalfrank 4; Digs - Doster 11; Assists - Creed 21; Kills - Cordray 12; Blocks - Creed, Jackson 1

In New Haven's final match of the day, New Haven met the home team, the Cougars of Greenfield-Central High School. The Lady Cougars dominated the court in this afternoon match. Lady Bulldogs fell in 2 sets: 15-25, 21-25 NH Stat Leaders: Aces - Doster, Cordray, Saalfrank 1; Digs - Saalfrank 5; Assists - Creed 17; Kills - Jackson 7; Blocks - Nard 2

BULLDOGS TAKE CLOSE MATCH OVER PANTHERS

COLUMBUS GROVE - Host Columbus Grove improved to 6-4 overall and 2-1 in the Northwest Conference by outlasting Paulding in four sets Tuesday night in high school volleyball action. The Lady Bulldogs recorded a 26-24 win in game one but Paulding responded by winning game two 25-22 to even the match at one set each. However, Columbus Grove then took game three 25-17 and held on to win game four 27-25 to close out the night.

Sadie Estle recorded a dozen kills to go along with 14 digs, one block and two aces for Paulding while Leigha Egnor added 21 assists, one ace, ten kills, three blocks and six digs. Claire Schweller dished out 14 assists and chipped in five digs and an ace for the Lady Panthers, who fall to 5-6 overall and 1-2 in the NWC. Jalyynn Parrett recorded eight kills, one block and digs with Maggie Manz posting a dozen digs, three kills and one block. Gabbie Stallbaum also aided the Panther cause with five kills and a block. Janae Pease picked up 22 digs for the Lady Panthers.

ACES OUTLAST PANTHERS FOR FIVE SET WIN

HICKSVILLE - The Lady Aces of Hicksville posted a five-set victory over Paulding in non-league volleyball

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action Monday night in Defiance County. The visiting Panthers jumped out to wins in each of the first two sets, taking game one 27-25 before winning the second set 25-22. However, it was all Hicksville the rest of the way as the Aces took the next two games by scores of 26-24 and 25-18. The decisive fifth set also went to the host Lady Aces as Hicksville recorded the 15-7 victory. Claire Schweller dished out 28 assists and added a pair of kills and eight digs for Paulding with Leigha Egnor recording 16 kills, three blocks and 21 digs. Jalyynn Parrett chipped in seven kills and 14 digs for the maroon and white while Maggie Manz finished with five aces, four kills and eight digs. Janae Pease posted one kill and 21 digs as well for Paulding, which falls to 10-9 on the season.

ARCHERS STAY IN GMC HUNT

EDGERTON - Antwerp improved to 11-6 overall and 4-1 in the Green Meadows Conference with a four set win over host Edgerton in Tuesday night volleyball action. The Lady Archers defeated the Bulldogs 25-13 in the first set before posting a 25-23 victory in the second set. Edgerton recorded a 25-20 win in game three but Antwerp wrapped up the match with a 25-17 fourth set victory.

Karsyn Brumett dished off 36 assists and added five kills for the Lady Archers while Alyvia Devore chipped in 28 digs and one ace. Alyssa Fuller picked up 14 digs and seven slams for the blue and white. Astianna Coppes posted 22 kills, 14 digs and a block and Madison Boesch recorded 11 digs and two aces. Lydia Brewer finished with 11 digs and Faith Nestleroad recorded six kills.

The Lady Archer junior varsity recorded a straight set victory over the Bulldogs to improve to 14-3 on the season. Antwerp won game one 25-18 before wrapping up the sweep with a 25-20 second set victory. In the freshman match, the host Bulldogs defeated the Archers by scores of 25-14 and 25-8.

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2019 PAULDING SWCD 5th GRADE FIELD DAY



Student from Payne Elementary breaking a geode during the Geology session with Robin Kraner of the Shelly Company.

By: Patrick Troyer, Paulding SWCD

The Paulding Soil & Water Conservation District's Annual 5th Grade Field Day was held on Friday, September 27th at the Black Swamp Nature Center and Paulding County Fairgrounds. This Field Day was for all 5th grade students from Oakwood, Paulding, Antwerp, Grover Hill, Payne Elementary, Divine Mercy Catholic School as well as homeschool groups. The students were divided into groups where they visited eight different stations throughout the day led by Paulding FFA Officers to their programs. Students spent the day learning about forestry, wildlife, water quality, farm safety, agriculture, geology, pollinators, and livestock.

Speakers for each station are experts in their fields and the presentations featured hands-on activities for the students. Providing the forestry session was KJ Martin with OSU Extension of Defiance County. Amanda Podach, Education Specialist with Fulton Soil & Water Conservation District (SWCD), provided the wildlife session taking students on a journey about native Ohio wildlife with an amazing array of animals from owl mounts to beaver furs.

Julie Lause, Administrative Assistance with Wood

SWCD taught students the importance of keeping their water clean and how we impact water quality by making a "Lake in a Bag". In this activity, students saw how quickly their "lake" becomes polluted by the many contaminants that enter our waterways through our daily activities.

Steve Doster and Randy Baughman from Kenn-Feld Group brought a lawn mower, tractor, and a silage chopper for students to learn about how the equipment works that brings the food to their table. A big thank you to Kenn-Feld Group for providing equipment for this demonstration. Michael Schweinsberg with OSU Extension Paulding County taught students about locally grown products and how they tie into the foods they eat on a regular basis. One of the many popular favorites of the students is the geology session. Robin Kraner of Stoneco discussed operations that take place at a stone quarry and how they get the rock. The favorite part came when everyone had the chance to break a geode rock!

At the pollinators session provided by Jamie Walters and his wife Dee, everyone learned about how we need pollinators and the very important job they do of pollinating the food we enjoy every day. At the end of the

session, everyone got to have a taste of some honey from the Walters's bees. Lastly, Athena Brown from Cooper Farms taught students about the livestock operations of Cooper Farms and how it reaches their dinner tables.

All students, presenters, and volunteers enjoyed a hearty lunch, which was made possible through sponsorships and donations to this countywide event. Everyone also received a 5th Grade Field Day commemorative t-shirt listing the sponsors of this event and their very own 5th Grade Field Day knapsack!

The Paulding SWCD would like to thank the following for sponsoring this very educational event for the students: Haviland Drainage, Williamson Insurance, First Federal Bank, Paulding Putnam Electric Operation Roundup, Cooper Farms, Paulding County Area Foundation, and Van Wert County Foundation!

Additional thanks go to the Paulding County Ag Society for use of the livestock barns for the event, Flat Rock Dairy of Paulding for donation of milk for lunch, Ag Credit for donating water and napkins for the day, along with the Paulding County Commissioners for their continued support of conservation in Paulding County. We would also like to thank the volunteers who stepped forward to make this day a success such as the Paulding SWCD Board of Supervisors and their Spouses and the Paulding FFA Chapter for being our group leaders. Fifth Grade Field Day would not be the success that it is without this support!

Spreading and promoting the conservation message is a top priority of the Paulding SWCD. If you or your group would like programming provided such as this field day, feel free to let us know at 419-399-4771!

PAULDING COUNTY COURT RECORDS

Criminal/Traffic Disposition

Tyler C. Smith, Defiance, OH; Assault; Pled no contest, found guilty; Defendant to pay all costs; Shall repay court appointed counsel fees; Shall have no contact with victim; Remain employed; Maintain general good behavior

James R. Coyne, Defiance, OH; Criminal trespassing; Pled no contest, found guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs; Maintain general good behavior; Complaint amended; Property owner; Paulding County Commissioners

Sheyenne N. Snyder, Defiance, OH; Criminal trespassing; Guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs; Maintain general good behavior; Complaint amended; Property owner; Paulding County Commissioners

Ann M. Steffes, Cecil, OH; Criminal trespassing; Pled no contest, found guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs; Maintain general good behavior; Complaint amended; Property owner; Paulding County Commissioners

William A. Steffes, Cecil, OH; Criminal trespassing; Pled no contest, found guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs; Maintain general good behavior; Complaint amended; Property owner; Paulding County Commissioners

PAULDING FFA EQUINE TEAM COMPETES AT NATIONAL COMPETITION



Pictured here from left to right the Paulding FFA Equine team that competed at the Big Eastern State Expo. Riley Noffsinger, Jordyn Merriman, Jen Stahl and Lonna Saylor.

By: Reporter, Paige Jones

In Mid-September, the Paulding FFA Equine Team consisting of Lonna Saylor, Jennifer Stahl, Jordyn Merriman and Riley Noffsinger traveled to Massachusetts to compete at the Big E in West Springfield. Despite several plane delays and troubles, the team finally made it to Massachusetts late Thursday night.

The following day the members took a tour of Boston and looked at the lake and historical sites throughout the city. The rest of the night was spent studying and preparing for the competition.

On Saturday September 15th, the team was ready to compete. The equine competition consists of judging six horse conformation classes, which includes looking at four horses and ranking them from best to worst based on the muscle definition, bone structure, and overall soundness.

Two performance classes where horses are judged on how they change leads, their stride, and how they act when being ridden. They also had to identify different types of tack that is used on horses, as well as different breeds and

markings on them. Then they must give oral reasonings of why they placed the horses in the order that they did.

Later that night they shared a meal at the annual FFA Banquet with all of the students that had competed earlier that day. The banquet also served as an awards ceremony for all the students.

The team placed 8th overall and represented Ohio and the Paulding FFA proudly! The team would like to thank all the sponsors that helped with the trip and the chapter is very proud of the team and all that they accomplished!

Mary Ann Fenter, Defiance, OH; Complicity to assault; Defendant waived the preliminary hearing in open court; Case shall be bound over to the Paulding Common Pleas Court; Bond conditions remain; Defendant may be released on bond if an address is verified with the court

Mary Ann Fenter, Defiance, OH; Complicity to abduction; Defendant waived the preliminary hearing; Case shall be bound over to the Paulding County Common Pleas Court

James A. Hasch Sr., Paulding, OH; Criminal damage; Pled no contest, found guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs; Shall make restitution in the amount of \$756.00 to the victim through the clerk's office; No contact with victim; Maintain general good behavior

Peggy J. Christman, Payne, OH; No tail lights; Defendant appeared in court without an attorney; pled guilty; Pay or collections 1/31/20

Peggy J. Christman, Payne, OH; Driving under suspension; Case dismissed

Logan D. Koch, Harlan, IN; Operating vehicle-traffic violation; Case dismissed without prejudice; Costs to defendant; Pay or collections 11/22/19

Charles A. Dix, Defiance, OH; OVI/breath(low); Defendant appeared in open court without an attorney; Pled guilty; 3 days or DIP completion by 12/20/19; ALS vacated; Pay or collection 10/25/19; Ignition interlock may be installed

Charles A. Dix, Defiance, OH; Failure to control; Defendant pled guilty; Pay or collections 10/25/19

Stephen T. Leathers, Van Wert, OH; Seat belt/drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

Nyat O. Adhanom, Indianapolis, IN; Seat belt/drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

Amber L. Vance, Paulding, OH; Disorderly conduct

w/persistence; Pled no contest, found guilty; Defendant shall pay all fines and costs; Shall have no unlawful contact with victim; Complete 25hrs community service; Placed on standard probation; Have an evaluation, complete such counseling

Mark A. Barrett, Defiance, OH; Driving under FRA suspension; Pled no contest, found guilty; Defendant appeared in open court without an attorney; Pled no contest, guilty finding; Pay or collection 10/25/19

Wesley A. Branning, Orland, IN; OVI/under the influence; Pled no contest, found guilty; May install IID, install by 10/11/19; May attend DIP Program in lieu of jail; Pay or collection 11/20/20; Shall pay \$50 per month commencing 11/22/19; 87 jail day reserved; Proof of financial responsibility provided

Wesley A. Branning, Orland, IN; Failure to control; Count B dismissed at the state's request

Bridgett E. Bullinger, Oakwood, OH; Seat belt/drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

Olujuwon N. Ajanaku, Detroit, MI; Registration violation; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

Brianna K. Bartley, Grover Hill, OH; Seat belt/drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

Klee M. Dangler, Cecil, OH; Seat belt/drive; Guilty;

Case was waived by defendant

Kyle Cooper, Defiance, OH; Seat belt/drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

Kaleb Simonin, Defiance, OH; Theft; Guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs; Fine may be suspended if \$376 is paid; Placed on standard probation; Secure a valid driver's license; 40 community service; Gain and maintain employment; Maintain general good behavior

Jessica Koppenhofer, Antwerp, OH; Domestic violence; Case dismissed per state, without prejudice; Costs to defendant; Costs to be paid in full by 11/22/19

Jessica Koppenhofer, Antwerp, OH; Sexual imposition; Case dismissed per state, without prejudice; Costs to defendant

Jessica Koppenhofer, Antwerp, OH; Sexual imposition; Case dismissed per state, without prejudice; Costs to defendant

Kristy Dix, Paulding, OH; Disorderly conduct; Guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs; Maintain general good behavior

Robert E. Freeman, South Euclid, OH; Possession of marijuana; Pled no contest, found guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs; Maintain general good behavior; All contraband shall be forfeited and destroyed or put to lawful use by the arresting

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PAULDING FFA ATTENDS FARM SCIENCE REVIEW



Pictured here are the 22 Paulding FFA members who attended Farm Science Review in London Ohio.

By: Reporter, Paige Jones

On Tuesday, September 17th, the Paulding FFA had 22 students attend the Farm Science Review in London, Ohio. There were hundreds of booths for the students to visit so they could learn more about the many different businesses in agriculture. There was also field demon-

strations for the students to watch which included the newest technological advances in the farming industry. While at Farm Science Review the students were given an assignment. They had to pick a booth and interview them about their agriculture business or service and find out their history and

what education is needed for this career field. The students also were able to meet with many different universities and colleges to learn more about different degrees available in the agriculture industry. The students overall had a very fun day learning and are excited to attend again next year!

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Austin Lee Webb, Oakwood, OH; Driving under FRA suspension; Guilty; Proof of financial responsibility provided; Pay or collection 11/7/19; Forfeiture to be released once paid in full
Mariam M. Charara, Northville, MI; Seat belt/drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant
Michael L. King, Clifton Park, NY; Seat belt/drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant
Mariah M. Overmyer, Antwerp, OH; Stop school bus; Guilty; Pay today
Bruce Baker, Buckland, OH; Seat belt/drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant
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There were 115 total calls for the month of September. On September 19, a vehicle was stopped on Erie St. Marijuana and a handgun were located inside the vehicle. The case was investigated and a report was sent to the prosecutor for charges. On September 20, a minor motor vehicle accident took place in a parking lot of a local business. On September 20, a resident reported they received a civil complaint from Paulding County Court in reference to CitiBanc demanding that the person pay \$9,401.07. The address for the bill was in Arizona. The resident stated they never lived in Arizona nor did they have CitiBanc credit card. The resident was requesting a report so she could file a complaint with the credit card company and contacted the Attorney General's office. On September 20, a report came in to the police that Comcast was billing an Antwerp resident for services of a considerable sum in Chicago. The residents reporting that they had never lived in Chicago. The police helped them fill out a fraud sheet for Comcast and had them not put in the private information as they were not customers of Comcast. Then on September 26, Comcast then called the residents again and told them that if they did not give their SSN's to the company that they would send the bill to a collection agency. On the same date the police department called the Ohio Attorney General's Office and discussed the matter with their fraud department. The Attorney General's Office said the residents should not give their personal information to this company that they did not do business

with, and they should not be coerced into giving this information. In cases of private information being used inappropriately, persons can file a report with the Attorney General's Office at 1-800-282-0515.

On September 21, a fire alarm was received at the Regional Health Clinic (PCH). The officer met a key holder there and they searched the building but found nothing to be out of order.

On September 22, a resident reported that her daughter stole her car. The officers tracked down the daughter and she said she did not steal the car, but instead hid the keys because her mother was intoxicated.

On September 22, a domestic dispute was reported on Harrmann Road. The officer investigated and found there was no physical violence, but rather a verbal argument.

On September 23, a complaint of open burning was received on Canal St. The officer that arrived saw brush and grass that was being burnt. The officer told the land owner that it was a violation of local ordinance to burn the grass and the brush, and requested they put the fire out.

On September 24, a business owner downtown reported he suspected an attempted break-in based upon damage to a door at the rear of the building. The case was investigated and determined that an employee the night before got his coat stuck in the door and forcefully removed the coat, leaving some damage to the door frame.

On September 25, a landlord reported that a tenant had moved out over a month ago and left some belongings in an apartment, including a cat, and 3 snakes that are all now deceased. The case was investigated and turned over to the County Prosecutor for charges of animal cruelty.

On September 30, a person reported that the night before a person tried to get them to smoke meth and they had been assaulted. It was determined the incident occurred in Williams County and turned over to the Williams County Sheriff's office.

On September 30, a dog was reported to be standing in the middle of the road west of the village on CR 424 and thought the dog was injured and might get run over. The officer located the dog and turned it over to the Dog Warden.

September 30, the Antwerp police received two checks had been written to the Antwerp VFW, one for \$650 and the other for \$400. Both checks had been returned for Non sufficient funds. Attempts had been made to contact the individual prior to being turned over to the police. The police department is investigating the incident for the VFW.

If you would like to report any suspicious activity or if you have any questions, please contact the Antwerp Police Department, 419-258-2627, as they are always ready to serve the residents of the village!

THE WEST BEND NEWS Sudoku Puzzle

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Answers to "Sudoku puzzle on Page 15"

PAULDING FFA OFFICERS ATTEND LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE



Pictured on the left side, top to bottom is Colton Howell, Paige Jones, and Olivia Stallard. On the right, top to bottom is Jonathan Reinhard and Riley Rue.

September 25th, five students from the Paulding FFA officers team attended the Ohio Legislative Leadership Conference at the Ohio Statehouse in Columbus.

The officers first started off the morning by being taught more about lobbying. They were then broke into groups, some acting as lobbyist trying to pass bills, and others as representatives. The lobbyist would present their bill to the group of representatives

and then convince them why they should or shouldn't vote to pass that bill. The representatives then had to take a vote deciding if they believe that voting that bill or not would be right for their district. From this activity, students got more insight on the daily work of a representative and lobbyist, and learned a little more about how bills get passed.

Students then ate a catered
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LEGALS:

FORFEITED LAND SALE

AUDITOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE Revised Code, Sec. 5723.05

The land, lot, part of lot, in the County of Paulding, State of Ohio, forfeited to the State for the non-payment of taxes, together with the taxes, assessments, charges, penalties, interest, and costs charged on them, agreeable to law, and the date on which this land, lot, and part of lot will be offered for sale, are contained and described in the following list:

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Parcel #	Address	Amount Owed
01-14S-033-00	14507 Rd. 163 Defiance, OH	\$8,246.48
12-24S-021-00	301 E. Woodcox St., Antwerp, OH	\$12,668.24
15-03S-042-00	Stafford St., Cecil, OH (Lot 4)	\$2,646.21
16-20S-004-00	Rd. 210, Paulding, OH	\$1,534.42
29-07S-040-00	Dale St., Latty, OH	\$1,872.44
30-06S-053-00	Coupland St., Paulding, OH*	
30-07S-022-00	Paulding, OH* *(2 Parcels- 1 Deed)	5,911.01
30-06S-090-00	Jackson St., Paulding, OH	\$7,399.75

Notice is hereby given to all concerned, that if the taxes, assessments, charges, penalties, interest, and cost charged on the list are not paid into the county treasury and the county treasurer's receipt produced for the payment, before the date mentioned in this notice for the sale, each tract, lot, and part of lot, so forfeited, on which the taxes, assessments, charges, penalties, interest, and costs, and that the sale will be adjourned from day to day until each tract, lot and part of lot specified in the list has been disposed of, or offered for sale.

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Public Notice is hereby given that all such real property to be sold at public auction may be subject to federal tax lien that may not be extinguished by the sale, and purchasers of any such real property are urged to search the federal tax lien index that is kept by the county recorder to determine notice of a federal tax lien has been filed with respect to any such property.

Public Notice is hereby given that said purchaser is subject to any and all assessments not certified to the Paulding County Auditor by date of signature. Said assessments will be due and payable to the Paulding County Treasurer at the following tax collection.

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FORTY-TWO STUDENTS INDUCTED INTO VANTAGE NATIONAL TECHNICAL HONOR SOCIETY



Newly inducted members of the Vantage 2019-20 National Technical Honor Society. (Not pictured: Preston Browning (Parkway), Corbin Cox (Parkway), and Nolan German (Ottoville))

Forty-two outstanding Vantage seniors were recently inducted as members of the Vantage chapter of the National Technical Honor Society at the annual NTHS banquet held on October 1, 2019. In addition to the guests of honor, parents, home school administrators, and Vantage staff attended the banquet to recognize this elite group of students.

NTHS membership is the highest award for excellence in career technical education and is a reliable indicator of performance and leadership in the workplace. Not only do NTHS inductees embody all the attributes and talents in demand today, they also embrace a clear vision for tomorrow's workforce and their role in it.

Vantage students who achieved a 3.5 grade point average or better, while maintaining a 95% atten-

dance rate, both their junior and senior year, were eligible to apply for membership. In addition to submitting a resume and writing an essay stating why they would like to be a part of the NTHS, the students were also required to obtain three teacher recommendations.

Students are selected for membership in NTHS as a reward for excellence in workforce education; to develop self-esteem, pride and encourage students to reach for superior levels of scholastic achievement; and to promote business and industry's critical workplace values - skill, honesty, service, responsibility, leadership, citizenship and scholarship.

Congratulations to these newly inducted Vantage National Technical Honor Society members for the 2019-2020 school year: Reagan Akom (Paulding), Early

Childhood Education; Kaleb Allenbaugh (Lincolnview), Network Systems; Emily Barricklow (Crestview) Carpentry; Rachael Bear (Parkway), Early Childhood Education; Rachel Breese (Parkway), Health Information Management; Virginia Brotherhood (Delphos Jefferson), Network Systems; Preston Browning (Parkway), Ag and Industrial Power Technology; Michael Burgei (Ottoville), Industrial Mechanics; Desteni Contre-raz (Van Wert), Cosmetology; Jasmine Contreras (Van Wert) Cosmetology; Corbin Cox (Parkway), Carpentry; Alayna Cripe (Van Wert), Health Technology; Kasey Denman (Lincolnview), Interactive Media; Megan Garrity (Paulding), Ag and Industrial Power Technology; Nolan German (Ottoville), Industrial Mechanics; Zoe Gile (Van Wert), Welding; Rieley Hanneman (Kalida), Network Systems; Mya Isbell (Van Wert), Health Technology; Kaitlynn Keller (Continental), Early Childhood Education; Shiann Kraft (Lincolnview), Network Systems; Bridget Martin (Delphos Jefferson), Health Technology, Evan Meyers (Ottoville), Precision Machining; Jacksyn Nichols (Fort Jennings), Welding; Alexandria Parks (Van Wert), Health Technology; Kane Plescher (Delphos Jefferson), Network Systems; Gannon Prowant (Continental), Criminal Justice; Wyatt Richardson (Crestview), Network Systems; Miah Rue (Paulding), Construction Equipment Technology; Joel Schneider (Paulding), Ag and Industrial Power Technology; Trevor Siefker (Kalida), Precision Machine; Spencer Smith (Van Wert),

PAULDING ELEMENTARY AUGUST/SEPTEMBER STUDENT OF THE MONTH



Paulding Elementary Student of the Month for August/September 2019 left to right: Front row: Kinley Sunday, Allie Manz, Brantley Turner, Logan Dasher, Joey Griffith, Olivia Buchholz, Easton Mapes, Reese Lero; Middle row: Shohawna Shepherd, Karlie Breedlove, Hedwin Ramirez-Cortes, Madison Clark, Sawyer Hunt, Bindy Font, Lincoln Thompson, Cadence Lee; Back row: Silas Foltz, Jovanni Miranda-Guerra, Belia Martinez, Gabby Stork, Javvon Stiltner, Caden Larry, Ms. Born (principal). Missing from picture: Carlie Lero.

Auto Body; Hannah Springer (Van Wert), Health Technology; Gunnar Stemen (Delphos St. John's), Network Systems; Violet Taylor (Parkway) Criminal Justice; Kaitlyn Titus (Antwerp), Health Technology; Kaylie Tressler (Paulding), Ag and Industrial Power Technology; Sebastian Umfleet (Delphos Jefferson), Criminal Justice; Leia Verhoff (Kalida), Interactive Media; Samantha Wagner (Paulding), Health Technology; Emily Wentland (Antwerp), Criminal Justice; Libby Wenzlick (Wayne Trace), Early Childhood Education; and Elisabeth Wolf (Antwerp), Early Childhood Education.

WERLING'S GOAL LIFTS WARRIORS TO WIN

MONROEVILLE - Maddy Werling scored the game's only goal to lift the Woodlan Lady Warriors to a 1-0 win over rival Heritage in girls soccer action on Monday night.

Werling's second half goal improved Woodlan to 6-7-1 on the season.

Olivia Wilson, who led Woodlan with six shots in the contest, had an assist on the Warrior tally.

Elly Spieth had four shots for Woodlan while Werling and Emma Dellinger had three shots each.

Woodlan's Grace Smith had seven saves for the Lady Warriors while Evy Spieth, Hannah Stailey and Hannah Bennett picked up one save each.

SUTTON CLAIMS STATE BERTH

BOWLING GREEN - Wayne Trace junior Kaden Sutton clinched a berth in the 2019 Ohio High School Athletic Association Division III state tournament by shooting a 79 in the district at Stone Ridge Golf Course outside of Bowling Green Thursday.

Sutton posted a 40 on the front nine of the course and followed that up with a 39 on the back nine to take fourth place individually and claim a state berth.

Lima Temple Christian senior Lincoln Waters and Tinora senior Dylan Von Deylen both shot a 75 to claim state berths as well. Riverdale junior Andrew Kuenzli also grabbed a state berth by finishing with a 78.

Kalida won the district championship with a 328 while Minster took second with a 333 and Fremont St. Joseph finished third at 339. Seneca East claimed the other state team berth by taking fourth at 349.

Pettisville just missed advancing to state by placing fifth with a 350 and Delphos St. John's was sixth at 354.

Rounding out the top ten teams were Old Fort (357), Castalia Margaretta (360),

Woodmore (364) and Van Buren (373).

Antwerp placed 11th as a team with a 374 followed by Montpelier (375), Bluffton (377), Allen East (382), North Central (385), Fayette (395) and Buckeye Central (411).

Austin Lichty paced the Archers with a 90 while Jake Eaken and Gaige McMichael each carded a 92. Jayvin Landers shot a 100 and Eric Thornell posted a 103 to round out the Archer efforts.

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lunch and was first greeted by Bethany Starlin, Ohio FFA Vice President. Then they listened to a speech from Dorthy Pelanda, director of the Ohio Department of Agriculture. Pelanda spoke of what it means to be an FFA member. Students also heard from Noah Smith, Ohio FFA Secretary, who recognized the many representatives and senators that were present that day.

Senator Larry Obhof, President of the Ohio Senate for the 133rd General Assembly, also talked to all of the FFA members. The Ohio FFA

President, Holly McClay, explained how she first started in FFA and how every FFA member has a different story of how they got started. Then members heard some final words from Mackenzie Hoog, Ohio FFA Reporter, before leaving. Paulding FFA officers also had the privilege of meeting of senator Rob McColley, who represents the 1st Senate District, which includes Defiance, Hancock, Hardin, Henry, Paulding, Putnam, Van Wert, and Williams counties, as well as part of Auglaize, Fulton, and Logan counties. McColley showed the officers the senate chambers.

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PAULDING MIDDLE SCHOOL SEPTEMBER STUDENTS OF THE MONTH



Shown in the picture above are the September Students of the Month for Paulding Middle School. From left to right the students are Lathan Schneider, Riley Leatherman, Mallory Fisher, Libby Dotterer, and Tyler Schlatter. Each student was selected by their Paulding Middle School team teachers based on the qualities of academic success, cooperation, work ethic, and character.

RED DEVELOPMENT ANNOUNCES NEW TENANT OPENING AT JEFFERSON POINTE SHOPPING CENTER



RED Development announced today that Rocket Fizz Soda Pop Candy Shop will open at Jefferson Pointe Shopping Center on October 28, 2019.

Rocket Fizz is located at the southwest corner of the property near Cold Stone Creamery, Rocket Fizz will feature a large selection of hard-to-find candies, soda pop, tin signs, concert posters and gag gifts. Offering more than 500 flavors of glass-bottled craft soda made in the U.S., nearly 100 flavors of taffy and thousands of candies from around the world, this will be the first Rocket Fizz location in Fort Wayne.

"We are excited to bring Rocket Fizz to Fort Wayne," said Jennifer New, franchise owner. "We believe this store will be a great novelty for kids and adults of all ages."

"Since purchasing Jefferson Pointe Shopping Center in 2018, we have remained dedicated to creating an open-air center with retailers that reflect the demands

of the local market," said Mike Ebert, managing partner at RED Development. "RED Development has been consistent in bringing national and local retailers to Jefferson Pointe Shopping Center."

Jefferson Pointe is a regional destination providing shopping, dining and numerous family-friendly and social events throughout the year. Currently home to over 60 shops and restaurants organized around beautifully landscaped courtyards and streetscape, it is one of the premier open-air shopping centers in the upper Midwest. Anchored by Von Maur, Jefferson Pointe showcases popular restaurant, entertainment and retail brands such as AMC, Victoria's Secret, ULTA, Buckle, Old Navy, Panera Bread and Starbucks.

For more information on Jefferson Pointe, visit JeffersonShopping.com. For more information on RED Development, visit REDDevelopment.com

About Jefferson Pointe
Jefferson Pointe is owned by Red Development and is a 541,032 square-foot, open-air lifestyle center. Located along Jefferson Blvd on 71 acres in Fort Wayne, Indiana, Jefferson Pointe offers unique shopping, entertainment and dining with strolling walkways and extensive landscaping. For additional information on Jefferson Pointe, visit www.jeffersonshopping.com.

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TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME!



Students in Mrs. Horstman's reading class at Oakwood Elementary finished a play about baseball called, "Twins, Twins". The students were given the opportunity to wear Cleveland Indian baseball jerseys and play baseball outside. What fun they had! Shown here wearing the baseball jerseys are fifth grade students Grady Manson and Domanick Bullinger.

LEIPSIC TAKES RAIDERS IN THREE SETS

LEIPSIC - Last Monday the Wayne Trace Lady raiders traveled to Leipsic to battle the Vikings in a non conference volleyball match. Leipsic won over the Raiders in three competitive sets 25-17, 25-18, 25-21 to take the three set match.

Playing well for the Lady Raiders were Morgan Hefner with 12-13 serving, ten kills and four digs. Rachel Stoller added 10-12 serving along with five kills while Miriam Sinn finished with 9-9 serving with one ace, one kill and 14 digs.

Katie Stoller had a solid performance for the Raiders with 12-14 serving, two blocks, three digs and 26 assists. Gracie Shepherd finished with five kills, two blocks and dig with team mate Katrina Stoller collecting 8-9 serving, six kills and three digs. Other Raiders playing for Head Coach Katey Lloyd included Kylie Pfeiffer who had 6-7 serving; Tiffany Sinn with 2-2 serving, two kills and one dig; Natalie Schultz with three digs and one assist and Kaitlin Vest adding thee digs.

The Raiders fall to 7-9 overall following the Leipsic setback.

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FAIRVIEW FFA ATTENDS ANNUAL SOIL JUDGING



Pictured is Molly McGuire filling out her soil card.

By: Kaitlyn Zeedyk, Fairview FFA

The Fairview FFA Chapter soil teams recently visited a farm in Wood County to test their knowledge about soils. The two soil contests include rural and urban. Participants in the rural contest were: Dakota Shaffer, Blake Zeedyk, Devin Montez, Bryce Krill, Ashley Betz, Kaycie Betz, Brooke Phillips, and Kaitlyn Zeedyk. Participants in the urban contest were: Molly McGuire, Carrie Zeedyk, Karson Bauer, Cayden Sharp, Robert Bennett, Jose Avalos, Bailey Schooley, and Levi Sudholtz. Our rural team placed 14th and our urban team placed 10th. Our top two scorers for the urban team were Carrie Zeedyk and Levi Sudholtz. Our top two scorers for the rural team were Kaitlyn Zeedyk and Brooke Phillips.

Sudoku solution from page 13

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

ished with 6-6 serving along with two aces and 18 digs to help propel the red, white, and blue to the big conference win. Morgan Hefner also made her presence known with 7-7 serving with one ace, five kills and three digs. Katrina Stoller added 25-25 serving with one ace, five kills and eight digs while team mate Gracie Shepherd added eight kills, one block and a dig.

Katie Stoller contributed 17-17 serving with two aces, two kills, nine digs and 28 assists in a high caliber performance. Junior Hannah Sanderson came through for the winners with 6-6 serving along with two aces, two kills and two digs while team mate Kylie Pfeiffer was 8-9 serving along with adding five digs

Rachel Stoller was 2-2 serving with four kills; Tiffany Sinn 2-2 serving, six kills and two digs; Kaitlin Vest with three digs and two digs for Natalie Schultz.

The Wayne Trace Junior Varsity also won their match after dropping the first set to the Tigers 4-25. The Raiders regrouped and took the next two sets by identical scores 25-21, 25-21.

RAIDERS RECORD KEY GMC WIN OVER TIGERS

HOLGATE - On the road last Tuesday the Lady Raiders picked up a key Green Meadows Conference win over Holgate. Wayne Trace needed three sets to take the match 25-12, 25-20, 25-16. With the win the Raiders are 2-3 in GMC action (8-10 overall) and finds themselves in the middle of the standings behind Fairview and Tinora both at 5-0 and Antwerp at 4-1. For the Tigers, they stand at 1-15 overall and still looking for their first GMC win at 0-5.

Senior Miriam Sinn fin-

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Folkcraft Dulcimer Players will perform starting at 1:15. Come enjoy a free concert and the various planned activities.

Along with the music there will be a pumpkin decorating contest for ages Kin-

dergarten - 6th grade and 7th grade through high school. Pumpkins must be brought by the student to compete. Judging will be at 1:30 with prizes of \$25.00 for 1st place and \$10.00 for 2nd in each age group.

Face painting will be done throughout the day for kids and "kids at heart".

Another event will be a pie baking contest with two categories: one for homemade pumpkin pies and one for homemade apple pies. First place in each category will receive \$10.00. Pies will be cut and offered to the public.

PHIL'S ONE STOP FUNDS HONOR FLIGHT #34

Honor Flight Northeast Indiana (HFNEI) will celebrate its 34th flight to Washington D.C. on Wednesday, October 16, 2019.

Honor Flight #34 currently consists of a total of 84 veterans: 4 WWII veterans, 27 Korea veterans, 46 Cold War veterans and 7 Vietnam veterans. To date 2,458 veterans have been transported to Washington by Honor Flight Northeast Indiana to reflect upon the memorials built in their honor. 30 veterans served in two or more eras.

Flight 34 is sponsored and paid in full by Phil's One Stop. Phil and Renee Carper own and operate 19 Marathon Service stations in the Fort Wayne area. Phil Carper will be serving as a guardian for his veteran uncle, Jerry Vinson. The Carpers share; "We are thankful for all those

who have served our Country to protect our freedoms and are happy we are able to help honor our veterans.

Honor Flight Northeast Indiana President, Dennis Covert states; "Phil and Renee Carper are well-known in the Fort Wayne area for their annual and on-going fund-raising events to support local charities. We are proud to be a recipient of their dedicated commitment through their sponsorship of our October 16, 2019 Honor Flight."

Veterans and volunteer guardians will gather at the 122nd Fighter Wing of the Indiana Air National Guard at 5:00 a.m. with take-off projected to be at 6:40 a.m. Returning home, the community is encouraged to patriotically welcome the veterans in the Main Terminal of the Fort Wayne International Airport the evening of October 16. Return time is tentative, but expected to be

The second event is a pumpkin decorating contest by our local businesses. Each business has been given a pumpkin to decorate, and the community is encouraged to visit the businesses and cast their vote for their favorite. Winners will be determined by the pumpkin receiving the most votes. Contest runs from Monday, Oct 8 - Friday noon, Oct 11. Votes will be counted at each business, and 1st place will receive \$50.00 and 2nd place \$25.00.

For more information, visit our Facebook page.

at approximately 8:15 p.m. More information regarding the public's participation and return timing will be shared on the group's Facebook page at HFNEI.

Honor Flight NE Indiana, Inc. is a volunteer, nonprofit, 501(c)3 organization. Donations are tax deductible to the full extent allowed by law.

PAULDING COUNTY RETIRED TEACHERS ASSOCIATION MEETING

The Paulding County Retired Teachers Association will meet for a supper meeting at 5:30 P.M. on Monday, October 14, at the Vagabond Village located at 18187 U.S. 127, Cecil, Ohio. Meals will be ordered off the menu, and no reservations are required. As a part of the series of speakers who are graduates of a Paulding County School the speaker for the evening will be Louise Hartwig. Hartwig is a graduate of Haviland-Scott High School. She was instrumental in the development of the Van Wert Children's Garden and she will speak to the group about the garden.

Donations for the scholarship fund and local food pantries will be appreciated. All retired teachers are invited to attend.

WOODBURN LEAF PICKUP

The City of Woodburn will begin leaf pickup on October 14th and will continue as needed. On Mondays and Wednesdays throughout pickup, the East/West roads will be priority and on Tuesdays and Thursdays throughout pickup, the North/South roads will be priority. Given the amount of ground to cover, please understand that you may not be collected on the day that you think you ought to. If you have questions or concerns, call City Hall at 260-632-5318.

ANTWERP'S 2019 COSTUME PARADE & JUDGING

The parade will be held on October 26, 2019, and begin at 2:00 p.m. Participants are to line up on Archer Drive in Antwerp, facing the Police Department. Parade will conclude at the Fire Department where judging will start immediately following the parade. Categories include Animals, Little Treats (under 18 months), Little Treats (18 months -3 years), Pirates/Gypsies/Hobos, Cartoon/Movie/TV Characters, Disney and Storybook Characters, Monsters/Ghosts/

EACS STUDENTS NOMINATED FOR 'RESPECT'



In a culture where respect has been forgotten, and even viewed as weak, the organization called the RespectTeam seeks to bring a different perspective. The mission is to teach that respecting yourself and respecting others is not only important, but also relevant.

EACS students learned how to use something as simple as respect to change their home, their school, their community, and their world.

Over 45 nominations were submitted to the RespectTeam (by adults) for students in Northeast In-

diana. These students were nominated for the 360 award to become a RespectTeam member. Only 30 students were selected for this prestigious award. Five of the 30 were EACS students!

The 360 Award have proven that.

RESPECT HAS THE POWER TO CHANGE and our students is an opportunity for these students to be honored for making a positive difference in other people's lives.

The EACS students nominated for the RespectTeam 360 Award are:

- Taylor Schleinkofer, (not in photo; parents Mark and Cynthia in photo) and Josiah Kaeb, both Leo High students (not in photo), Dr. Neal Brown, principal.

- Cameron Branning, New Haven High (not in photo), Mrs. Anna Murphy, principal.

- Kailen Buckner, East Allen University, along with Ms. Denita Washington, (nominated Kailen), and Ms. Tina Antrim of EAU representing Mr. Doug Hicks, principal.

- Alivia Beard, Heritage High (not in photo), Dr. Matt Widenhoefer, principal.

Witches/Devils, Groups of 2 or more, and a Miscellaneous category.

FORT WAYNE COMMUNITY BAND TO HOLD CONCERT IN OCTOBER

Fort Wayne Area Community Band starts a year-long celebration of presenting concerts to local audiences for 40 years with a concert Tuesday, October 22 at the John & Ruth Rhinehart Music Center on the Purdue Fort Wayne campus. Downbeat is 7:30 p.m. Many of the works performed at their first two concerts in 1980 will be on the program. Among those are the Spanish march Amparito Roco, El Capitan March, Elsa's Procession to the Cathedral, Grand Canyon Fanfare, selections from Man of La Mancha, the Thunderer March, Variations on a Korean Folk Song and the William Byrd Suite.

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