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## ARCHERS CLAIM THIRD STRAIGHT REGIONAL BERTH



Antwerp's team poses for the District championship title! More pictures at westbendnews.net

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## RAIL TRANSPORTATION IN PAULDING COUNTY INTRODUCED AT BREAKFAST MEETING



Tim Copsey, and representatives of Pioneer Lines: Matthew Service, Jodi Heath, and Brice Travis.

On Thursday, March 3, Paulding County Economic Development Director, opened the morning breakfast meeting.

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## DELIVERY CHANGES COMING FOR WEST BEND NEWS

The massive inflation that has been facing every person in America in this past year is also effecting businesses large and small across the country. West Bend Printing and Publishing Inc. is no exception. Due to inflating costs, WBN will be implementing delivery changes for the newspaper beginning the first week of April. West Bend News will no

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## WOODCOX - DENNIS



Mr. and Mrs. John and Carla Woodcox of Crawfordsville, IN formerly of Antwerp, Oh would like to announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Cayla Denise Woodcox to Tyler James Dennis son of Mr. and Mrs. Shane and Sally Dennis of Peru, IN and Troy Beehler of Rochester, IN. The bride is a 2016 graduate of Southmont High School in Crawfordsville, IN and a 2020 graduate of Purdue University West Lafayette, IN majoring in Natural Resources and Environmental Science concentrated in Environmen-

tal Policy. She is currently an 8th grade Science teacher at Crawfordsville Middle School. The groom is a 2012 graduate of Peru High School Peru, IN and a 2016 graduate of Indiana University Kokomo, IN majoring in Biological and Physical Sciences. He is the Asst. Park Manager at Shades and Turkey Run State Parks. The couple will exchange wedding vows on Saturday May 14, 2022 at Turkey Run State Park with a reception to follow.

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## Community Calendar

### March 8

- Walk thru Winter! @ PC OSU Ext. Office bldg., 12-1pm

### March 9

- Lenten Lunches @ Paulding First Pres. Church, 12-1p
- Lenten Season Services @ St. John Lutheran, Hicksville, 11a & 6:30p

### March 12

- ACDC Beer & Wine Tasting Fundraiser @ Grant's, 7pm
- BBQ Road Race, Columbus Grove, 2pm

### March 14

- VWCOA Texas Hold 'Em Poker Night, 6pm

### March 15

- Walk thru Winter! @ PC OSU Ext. Office bldg., 12-1pm
- Hands of Hope Fundraiser Dinner @ OSU Ext. Bldg., 5-6:30pm

### March 16

- Lenten Lunches @ Paulding First Pres. Church, 12-1p
- Lenten Season Services @ St. John Lutheran, Hicksville, 11a & 6:30p

### March 17

- Drive Thru Meals @ Oakwood Library, 4:30-6p

### March 17-18

- Pre-K screening & registration @ Antwerp Elem., Call to schedule appt.

### March 19

- Thirty-One Bag Bingo @ Edgewood Park Bldg, Convoy, 10am
- Oakwood Fire Dept. Fish Fry, 4-7pm

Add event to the calendar info@westbendnews.net



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**OBITUARIES**

PAULDING, OH:

**John Earl Peeper**, 78, of Paulding passed away Monday, February 28, 2022 at The Gardens of Paulding. Arr by Dooley Funeral Home, 202 W. River Street, Antwerp, Ohio.

manure application, sustainability initiatives, decision support tools, and water quality.

A day of tours will focus on the themes of "Field to Faucet," "Poultry Plus," and "Alternative Technologies and Treatments."

Anyone interested in environmentally sustainable manure use is welcome to register to attend. This includes farmers, crop consultants, composting professionals, and environmental managers, among others.

The conference takes place at the Maumee Bay Lodge and Conference Center in the Toledo suburb of Oregon, located on the shore of Lake Erie. Attending virtually is also an option.

The conference is supported in part by a New Technologies for Agriculture Extension grant from the U.S. Department of Agriculture's National Institute of Food and Agriculture.

**PAULDING COUNTY EXTENSION PRESENTS: BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO GRANT WRITING**

**By: Casey Bishop, OSU Extension Family and Consumer Sciences, Paulding County**

March 3rd, 2022: The Beginner's Guide to Grant Writing Course will be offered in Paulding County by Ohio State University Extension Community Development Educators Melissa Rupp and Kyle White. In this two-day program you'll learn what to do before you write a grant, organizational mission and structure, components of a grant proposal, finding and connecting with funders, and writing and finalizing an actual proposal for review. Attendees should come prepared with a grant project idea which they will detail out further during the course.

This course is open to individuals, organizations, non-profit, or anyone with general interest. Attendees must attend both sessions, April 5th, 2022, and May 3rd, 2022, from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM. This program will be held in the Youth Leadership Building at 501 Fairground Drive, Paulding, Ohio 45879. Registration is mandatory and limited to the first twelve (12) individuals. The deadline to

• Cathann A. Kress, Ohio State vice president for agricultural administration and dean of CFAES, who will give the conference's welcoming address. CFAES' many research and outreach areas include nutrient management, manure management, soil health, and water quality.

• Chris Winslow, director of Ohio Sea Grant and The Ohio State University Stone Laboratory, who will share a history of water quality issues in Lake Erie. Ohio Sea Grant and Stone Lab, both of which are part of CFAES, work to study, teach about, and improve stewardship of Lake Erie.

• Aaron Wilson, climate specialist with CFAES' Ohio State University Extension outreach arm, who will discuss how climate change is changing agriculture. Wilson is also a research scientist with Ohio State's Byrd Polar and Climate Research Center.

Tours, breakout sessions Breakout sessions during the conference will cover topics such as soil health, nutrient reuse, manure treatment,

register is March 25th, 2022. For pricing or to register online go to: go.osu.edu/PauldingGrant

For additional information on any FCS programs, contact Casey Bishop (Paulding County Extension Educator, Family and Consumer Sciences) at bishop.807@osu.edu or call 419-399-8225.

**MATT'S MISHAPS**

*"Serving overseas as a small-town boy from America is intense, stressful and humorous! Enjoy a light-hearted story with me from our last 20 years overseas!"*

- Matt

**On the Beat is Better Than Giving Treats**

If you drive through small-town Indiana, you quickly learn where police park their vehicles to patrol from. The officers often park along the backs of parking lots where they see you long before you



detect them. Living in a community with buggies and farm equipment means that being in a hurry and driving faster than posted speed limits can be a deadly combination. We all get behind schedule and try to make up time on the road and hope an officer is not on the beat at that moment.

Shortly after moving overseas, I recall my young language school teacher telling about watching the previous night's soccer game on their big screen TV. He told me a police officer had brought it over the day before. I asked him to explain. He gave me a look that said, "You sure have not gotten around much." He explained. He still lived at home and his dad was a banker. It was normal for the police to keep the TVs, entertainment systems, etc. that were in the homes where drug raids happened. The police would later give these items as "treats" to sweeten deals, like with his dad for a better mortgage rate or a car loan agreement. It is a common practice there.

I see our officers in middle America on the beat at sports competitions, community events, our schools and churches. The officers take their own kids to and from school and activities in the area too. I'm thankful for small-town America where the officers are on the beat and not giving away treats.

Something similar ever happen to you? Contact me and let me hear your story!

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**PARSON TO PERSON**

**By: Dr. James Bachman**  
*Dear Parson,*

*I am really hurt over the way someone mistreated my friend and I don't know what to do. Can you help me?*

Proverbs 18:14 asks, "A wounded spirit who can bear?" The implication is, nobody can... neither the person with the wounded spirit nor anyone around them. Don't ignore it; fix it.

First, get all the facts available (Proverbs 18:13). That includes going to the offended for his explanation.

Second, give your counsel if you are not in authority over the offender (Matthew 18:15).

Third, forgive the offender undeservedly, for your sake and his (Ephesians 4:32; Matthew 6:12-15). If the offence comes to mind again later, remind yourself that you paid his debt in full through your forgiveness.

Fourth, do good to the offender and overcome evil with good (Romans 12:20-22; Matthew 5:44).

Fifth, leave the offence, the offender, and your future in God's hands Who will straighten it all out later in life or before His judgment seat (1 Peter 5:7; Ecclesiastes 12:14; 1 Corinthians 4:5).

Send questions and comments to: jamesbachman@juno.com

**MID-WEEK LENTEN SERVICES AT ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH**

St John Lutheran, 812 East High, Hicksville has begun the Lenten Season with Ash Wednesday. Now the church will be offering mid-week services each Wednesday at 11am and 6:30pm. The theme for these services is Turning toward God's Abundance. Each week the focus on five divine attributes: faithfulness, mercy, compassion, forgiveness and love. Each service is designed for sustained reflection on the gospel in the context of contemplative prayer, readings, silence and song. Questions can be directed to 419-542-6269.

**PUBLIC INVITED TO ATTEND WOODBURN LIONS CLUB MEETING**

The public is invited to attend the Woodburn Lions Club regular meeting on Monday, March 14th at the Woodburn Community Center. The meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m. We will be hosting ACRES Land Trust for an informative presentation on their organization and mission in preserving our land.

ACRES Land Trust is a member-supported nonprofit organization dedicated to protecting natural and working lands in northeast Indiana and portions of southern Michigan and northwest Ohio.

ACRES offers trails at many preserves for free public use.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

**Spring Ahead!**

Daylight Savings Time Begins Sunday, March 13th!!

**Scripture of the Week**

"Search me, God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting."

- Psalm 139:23-24

**GAVARONE FILES PETITIONS FOR OHIO'S 9TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

Ohio State Senator Theresa Gavarone announced that she has officially filed her petitions to run for Ohio's 9th Congressional District.

The newly-created district contains all of Defiance, Erie, Fulton, Lucas, Ottawa, Sandusky and Williams Counties, as well as Perrysburg, Rossford, Northwood, Walbridge, Millbury, Perrysburg Township and Lake Township in Wood County.

She submitted petitions that include signatures from each of the eight counties in the Congressional district.

"Getting signatures from voters in every county of the district is a testament to the momentum and support this campaign has," Gavarone said. "I am the only candidate in this race who has a proven conservative track record, history of running in and winning tough races, and experience getting things done for the people I serve. That message is clearly resonating with

voters." She credits her early and continued success in the race to getting out into every county of the district to hear from voters—many of whom she already represents—about what can be done to improve their lives in these tough economic times.

"In the three months since I announced my candidacy, I've had the opportunity to introduce myself to countless voters who are tired of being ignored by Joe Biden and Marcy Kaptur," Gavarone said. "Our country is in trouble right now and instead of just sitting back and letting it happen, I'm running for Congress to help make the lives of the people of Northwest and Northern Ohio—my friends and neighbors—better."

Theresa Gavarone is currently the State Senator for Ohio's 2nd District which includes all or part of Erie, Fulton, Lucas, Ottawa and Wood Counties—all counties within the Congressional district and nearly 40% of the total population. The primary election will be held on May 3, 2022.

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with the introductions of Pioneer Lines - Railroad. Business leaders from all over the area were invited to attend and participate by expressing their needs that may extend beyond, or in place of, truck freight.

BRX Transportation purchased Pioneer in 2019 that was founded in 1986. This is the railroad that connects Woodburn, IN to Napoleon, OH, and the small towns in between. They own 15 railroads and over 600 miles of rails throughout various sections of the Midwest US. \$12 million has been spent since 2021 on this line that

travels through Paulding and Defiance Counties, and they expect to invest quite a bit more before the project is labeled commercial ready. There are 58.2 miles in this section.

One part of the project mentioned in the meeting would be to have a rail hub that would encompass Paulding County businesses as a local pick up site with rail extensions for dedicated business.

Pioneer expressed interest in hauling grain, plastics, steel and other raw materials.

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**MIRROR MIRROR ON THE WALL**

**Penny For Your Thoughts**  
By: Nancy Whitaker

I am always wondering about something. Sometimes I just like to sit and contemplate things. Today I was thinking about mirrors. I have never met a mirror I didn't have the urge to look into. They say a person is self-conscious and unsure of them selves if they constantly look in a mirror to check their appearance. I am also wondering who looks in a mirror more... males or females?

I really don't know if it is unusual or not, but I glance in a mirror each time I pass one. Am I expecting to see something different than the last time I looked? No! I do it out of habit. I wonder if there is anyone in this world who has never looked in a mirror. I read that years ago the Native Americans would look into a river or pond of water to see their reflections, so we do know there has always been a way for us ladies and men to tell what we look like.

A few years ago we went on vacation and took our little dog, Baylee. In the hotel room was a full length mirror which Baylee got in front of immediately. He spied himself because he started barking at his reflection in the mirror. He would run up, stop, look at that "other" dog and sometimes he would growl ferociously and other times he would wag his tail and flirt. We thought it was funny at first, but we finally had to put something over the mirror to stop Baylee from barking at himself.

When I was younger I worked in a restaurant and a soda shop. Down both sides of the restaurant were big mirrors. As I hurriedly pranced by, waiting on customers and serving vanilla cokes, I would always look into those mirrors to see if I looked good enough to perhaps get a quarter tip.

I remember my grandma had long hair. For church she would put it in a bun and on

weekdays she would wear a braid. She had a hand mirror on her dresser which she would hold up to a larger mirror to see the back of her hair. Now grandma was not a vain person, but she did like to check herself out in the mirror and sometimes while looking in a mirror, she would pinch her cheeks to make them pink. Maybe I inherited my fascination with mirrors from my grandma. However, grandpa was just



as bad, as he looked into a mirror while he tried on various hats to wear for the day.

There are a few beliefs about mirrors, so be careful. For one thing, people are warned never to look into a mirror at night or by candle light. If you do you would be certain to see ghosts, demons and maybe your own death.

Another old belief is that when a person died in a room the mirrors had to be covered or turned to face the wall. Failure to do so would result in the deceased person's soul being lost - or they may even turn into a vampire.

We have all heard if you break a mirror you will have seven years of bad luck. However, OldSuperstitions.com claims that breaking a mirror will not result in bad luck if you "take the pieces outside and bury them in moonlight."

Now one thing that is nice is a full length mirror. I happen not to have one, so I step out onto the porch and look in a full length window to check and see if my slip is hanging or my britches aren't too tight.

I have heard that our eyes are the mirrors to our souls. I do believe someone can look into your eyes like a mirror and can see your emotions.

A mirror can make us think we look good or bad. We can stand all day in front of a mirror and primp, but we are still the same person that stares back at us from within the "mirror."

Do you like to look into mirrors? Do you like what you see? Has your dog ever looked in a mirror and barked at himself? Let me know and I'll give you a Penny For Your Thoughts.

**THIRTY-ONE BAG BINGO EVENT SET IN CONVOY**

The Convoy Community Days Committee will be holding a Thirty-One Bag Bingo on Saturday, March 19, 2022 at the Edgewood Park Building in Convoy Ohio. Doors open at 9:30 a.m., Bingo at 10 am.

Thirty One Bags filled with goodies by the following sponsors: Betty & Danielle Miller, Secret Garden Floral & Gifts, Laudick's Jewelry, Once I Was, Kristi Gamble /Bee Gee Realty, First Bank of Berne, Kulwicki Hilton Insurance Agency, Nicole Jones, Color Street by Brenda Allison, Dirty Deeds, Mercantile Goodz, Convoy Taste Freeze, Scentsy by Sammi Auld, Anne Brecht & Jane German, Slushers Jewelry, Gibson Photography, Gibson's Barnyard BBQ, Lincoln Ridge Farms, Blush & Arrow Boutique & Clean 13.

There will be a Memory Bag Raffle in memory of Carolyn Schumm.

Sandwiches, cinnamon rolls & pie, popcorn and drinks will also be available.

Proceeds have been distributed to various organizations throughout the community and to Edgewood Park. Convoy Community Days over the years has supported the Convoy Soccer Club, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Crestview girls' soccer and cheerleaders, the Convoy Historical Society, Crestview Senior Boy & Girl Scholarships, Edgewood Park projects (purchasing new tables & chairs, mulch for playground, and funding the new kitchen for the building renovations), Convoy Fire & EMS, Convoy Historical Society and more.

This event is sponsored by the Convoy Community Days & The Convoy Lions Club.

**RESERVATIONS OPEN FOR "MAMA WON'T FLY"**

Reservations opened Monday, March 7th for members and Wednesday, March 9th to the general public for Off Stage Productions' next dinner theatre show "Mama Won't Fly", a two-act comedy written by Jessie Jones, Nicholas Hope and Jamie Wooten. Performances will again be held at Vantage Career Center, 818 N. Franklin Street, Van Wert, Ohio. Show dates are March 25, 26, 27 and April 1, 2 and 3. Saturday and Sunday performances will be dinner theatre shows. For Saturday performances, doors will now open at 6:00 p.m., dinner at 6:30 p.m. and show at 7:30 p.m. (note that Saturday performances are now ½

hour earlier than in prior years). For Sunday matinee performances, doors will open at 12:30 p.m., dinner at 1:00 p.m. and show at 2:00 p.m. Rockford Carry Out and Catering will once again provide the buffet meals.

For both Friday performances we will again be doing "Popcorn Night" with no dinner included, but popcorn and pretzels will be included with the cost of the show. Water and pop will also be available for purchase. Doors open for the Friday performances at 7:00 p.m. and show at 7:30 p.m.

THE SHOW: "Mama Won't Fly" is an outrageously hilarious race against the clock that begins when Savannah Sprunt Fairchild Honeycutt agrees to get her feisty mother all the way from Alabama to California in time for her brother's wedding. Savannah's problem: Mama won't fly! With only 4 days to make it to the ceremony, this determined daughter has no choice but to drive cross-country with her equally willful mother, Norleen in Mama's vintage sedan. Another outrageous complication arises as the bubbly, over-eager bride-to-be arrives unannounced. Hayley Quinn, delighted to meet her future in-laws, is convinced that traveling together to her wedding is the perfect way to bond. The folly of her decision quickly becomes apparent when the journey begins and comedic chaos ensues. Every conceivable-and inconceivable-mishap that can occur does, including the theft of their car and all their clothes, a near-fatal encounter at an underwear museum, the accidental homicide of an ancient Texas relative, a mad dash across the desert in a hijacked eighteen-wheeler and a riotous detour to Vegas that ends in a brawl with an ordained showgirl/minister. As the misadventures multiply, the beleaguered trio rapidly develops the urge to ditch each other anywhere along the way. Eventually the race to get to the church on time takes its toll and the overwhelmed bride calls off the wedding. Rising above their age-old mother-daughter issues, Norleen and Savannah work together to get the nuptials back on track, but will they succeed? This ferociously funny, family-friendly Jones-Hope-Wooten comedy will have you laughing your way across the country and all the way down the aisle!

The cast and crew is as follows (character name - cast member):

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When arriving at Vantage Career Center, pull in to the South driveway (the closest to Van Wert) and drive around to the back of the building, enter at door number 13. Ample parking is available near the entrance.

Off Stage Productions can be found online at <http://www.offstagetheatre.com> and on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/OffStageProductions>. Find out more about us. Contact one of our members or call (419) 605-6708.



**BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT**

David and Kahlia Schlunt welcomed baby boy Daniel Alexander on March 2, 2022. He weighed 8 lbs 9oz and was 20 ½ inches long.

He has a big brother, David, who is excited to welcome Daniel into the family and teach him many things.

Grandparents are: Crystal Willitzer, Antwerp, OH; Shane and Tammy Wilson, Defiance, OH; Cheryl Schlunt, North Ridgeville, OH and Dave and Rachel Schlunt, Westlake, OH.

Great-grandparents are: John Willitzer and the late Rose Willitzer, Defiance, OH; Diane Scott and the late Larry Scott, Reynoldsburg, OH, John and Chris Rosan, West-erville, OH and the late Earl and Joanne Schlunt, Cincinnati, OH.

**Woodburn Lions Thanks**

The Woodburn Lions Club would like to thank the staff of the West Bend News for publishing our club activities over the past years. Without your dedicated support to the many community groups and organizations such as ours, we would find it difficult to financially support many of the community groups in need. We look forward for your continued support of our organizations.

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# VIRTUE WINNERS FOR HONESTLY



Kaleb Kirchenbauer he truly lives by the eighth commandment "you should not bear false witness" Being honest with what he says and does. His faith his very important to him and he lives it each day! Waylon McCord - He is honest in all he says and does. He truly values his faith and lives by it in every aspect of his life. He is honest and respectful to other and someone people can relay on!



Avery Wagner was honest even when it was hard. He returned an awesome bookmark he found in a book instead of keeping it because he knew it was the right thing to do.



Simon Conley is very kind and respectful to his fellow classmates. He truly lets his faith carry him through every part of his life. Simon is very trustworthy and his words match his actions. He is a great role model to his peers.



Hope Conley is always someone I can look to, to be completely honest, even when it's not easy or fun. She upheld the virtue of honesty each and every day.



Gabe Wenzlick is always kind to his classmates and to other adults. He always does the right thing even when he might not want to.

# MILITARY HISTORY IN PAULDING COUNTY



By: Mark Holtsberry

Here is the story of another Paulding County gal who served in World War 1 as an American Red Cross Nurse. Juliette Wilcox was born December 10, 1870 in Jamesport, Missouri. The daughter of James Monroe and Adelia (Travis) Wilcox. James Monroe Wilcox was born December 14, 1818 in Martinsburg, New York. Adelia was born in 1835 in Ohio. The couple was married in Williams County, Ohio, January 1, 1852.

Just before Juliette was born, the family was living in Jackson, Missouri. The family had seven children at the time. James was a farmer. By 1880, the Wilcox family had moved to Monclova, Lucas County, Ohio. The family had added Juliette and her sister, Mabel F. James M. was still engaged in farming. James was a Civil War Veteran. Serving with Company M. 2nd Minnesota Cavalry. Enlisted in December 31, 1863, mustered out October 13, 1865.

Records are unclear, but sometime after 1880, James became a minister. Juliette's brother, Alfred, the future famed Attorney from Paulding, served in the Spanish American War. He attained the rank of 1st Lieutenant and served with Company M. 2nd Ohio Volunteer Infantry, May 10, 1898 to February 10, 1899. In the timeframe of Alfred's service, James Monroe Wilcox passed away July 22, 1898 at Grover Hill, Ohio. His body was laid to rest at Mohr Cemetery, Van Wert County, Ohio.

By 1900, after James passing, Adelia, moved to Latty, Ohio and lived with the eldest son, James S. Wilcox and his wife Alice and two children. Juliette was living on her own, moving from place to place, but staying as a nurse. By 1910, Juliette was living in Cincinnati, Hamilton County, Ohio. She was working as a nurse in Christ Hospital. In 1912, she was still living in Cincinnati, as a deaconess for the Methodist Home for the aged.

Juliette's mother, Adelia, passed away July 22, 1918 in Kansas City, Missouri. Her body was brought home and buried in Live Oak Cemetery, Paulding. But, is she buried beside her husband James as the tombstone indicates? Is James still buried in Mohr Cemetery? Was his body removed to be placed in Live Oak Cemetery? This investigation could be for another article!

As war broke out in Europe, Juliette Wilcox had volunteered to serve with the American Red Cross. Her date of volunteerism, started November 4, 1918, serving at the Base Hospital, Camp Sherman, Ohio. Serving until January 5, 1919. Then served at the General Hospital #38 until April 5, 1919. She was listed as a Reserve Nurse, so she was relieved from active duty, April 5, 1919, not discharged.

By 1920, still listed as single, Juliette had moved to 933 West 53rd Street, Los Angeles, California working as a nurse.

Her brother, Alfred, passed away November 10, 1928 in Paulding. By 1930, still living in Los Angeles, but living at 13660 Borden Street, she was employed as a nurse working at a hospital. It seems that where she was living, was owned by the hospital. It is unclear what she was doing between the years of 1940 and 1950. I am guessing that she was probably retired by this timeframe. But her voter registration listed her as living at 115 North Almansor, Los Angeles, California.

Juliette Wilcox was never married and passed away, July 9, 1960, in Los Angeles, California. Her burial site is unknown. (While trying to discover her burial site, I was refused information, because of lack of relationship)

Until Next Time!

# FAIRVIEW FFA PANCAKE BREAKFAST AND DEGREES

By: Kaitlyn Zeedyk, Fairview FFA

The Fairview FFA Chapter is holding their annual pancake breakfast this Saturday, March 12. It will be held in the Fairview High School cafeteria. The time for this breakfast will be 8-11. It is a free-will donation and all proceeds go to fund the chapter for their trips to conventions, banquets, and for awards. The Silent Auction will be going on the length of the breakfast. We have many items donated from various organizations. Check out our Fairview FFA Facebook page to see some of the items. Bring your kids to learn about soybean growth and color pictures. There will be posters containing pictures of our events this year and Science Fair posters will be displayed. This is our grand final of FFA Week so come out and support our chapter!

Congratulations to our State and American Degree Recipients. The State Degree is given each year to the top 2% of FFA members in the State of Ohio. In order to receive the degree, members must earn 2,500 dollars through their supervised agriculture experience, as well as have outstanding leadership and participation in the FFA chapter. This year, Carrie Zeedyk, Molly McGuire, Brooke Philips, Evan Saylor, and Dakota Shaffer will receive their State Degrees at the State Convention. The highest degree in the FFA program is the Golden Charm of the American degree. It is given to less than 1% of all National FFA members. In order to receive this degree, members must have graduated high school, continued with their Supervised Agricultural Experience, and have earned in excess \$10,000 through their projects. Cassie Mavis and Clair Shiningers degrees have been approved by the State and will continue onto the next level.

# DAVIS ADDRESSES ANTWERP ROTARY



Antwerp Village Administrator Brian Davis addressed the Antwerp Rotary Club on March 3, 2022. Brian gave an update on sev-

eral projects within the Village.

Rotary meets every Thursday at noon at the VFW in Antwerp.

# MARCH COMES IN LIKE A LION



Ann's Bright Beginnings preschoolers recently welcomed March in with some lion crafts and lessons about the weather. Shown here with their roaring good lion crafts are from left: Holly Witkouski, Harper Snyder, Darius Ash and Owen Gamble. For more information about our summer daycare program or fall preschool, visit our website at [www.annsbrightbeginnings.com](http://www.annsbrightbeginnings.com) or give us a call at 419-399-KIDS (5437)

# PHS STUDENTS OF THE MONTH



Paulding High School announced their Students of the Month. They are pictured left to right: Emily Keezer-Freshman, Vanessa Garcia-Sophomore, Carter Manz-Junior, and Erika Dobbelaere-Senior.

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**LETTER TO WEST BEND NEWS**

*(Nan Whaley article, page 12 of 2/22/22 issue)*

I am writing to show my disgust of how you characterized our having Governor candidate Nan Whaley come to Paulding McDonalds so we could announce the Paulding Democratic Party's endorsing her as our candidate of choice. You compared a later visit to a republican candidate showing up for a visit? Our intent was to just have news media there,

which after 6 local newspapers were asked if they would come, yours and Paulding Progress were the only 2! and you compared our media announcement to the other one? there was no rally, no huge crowd, and that was NOT our intent! and you have the stones to tell our chosen candidate all about your printing services? she uses a Union printing service! that was not why you were asked to come. report our announcement without your editorial additions, we know you are the mouthpiece of the republican party. I got that when you said our Ohio voting system was loaded with fraud and said it needs major changes! which says our poll workers and county election board is crooked! I have never written in, read or anything besides throw it away since! I will never read your paper and you will not be asked to report on any Democratic functions again! you can keep your biased opinions flowing and false narratives all you want! instead of just reporting a story, misinform and give your own opinions out.

—Mike Porter, Paulding, OH

**Hello Mike,**  
 Thank you for voicing your opinion.

I didn't intend to write this referenced article in any way that slighted anyone. I only used the words that Nan Whaley used, so I would not editorialize.

As for the Republican bit you mention - there was another event going on in Paulding. I was stating what else I had going on that day. That was never printed and I never went because I found another person from the newspaper

who went. As for being upset that only 2 newspapers showed up to publicize your event, I would suggest you be upset at those who didn't show up, not those that did.

Do you not support family run businesses? We may not be unionized, but I care about my employees and my community. I started this business nearly 20 years ago from nothing. My money doesn't go to big billion dollar corporations, it goes into investing in my community and my employees. As for the business card that I gave to Whaley, one side is West Bend News, and the other side is West Bend Printing. This way I am not wasting paper and I only have to carry one. I did not advertise printing services to her or her staff, only stating we have a newspaper and we do custom printing.

The newspaper has never endorsed a party, nor do we intend to do that. We allow all people to have a First Amendment right, including you. I'm not sure what you are referring to with your statement, "I got that when you said our Ohio voting system was loaded with fraud and said it needs major changes! which says our poll workers and county election board is crooked!"

I have never stated such a thing, nor do I believe it. Our poll workers work hard. The Paulding County Board of Elections office does a great job. If you want to say things improper of me, that is fine, but DO NOT say things about their staff, unless you can prove it.

As for the last part: "you can keep your biased opinions flowing and false narratives all you want! instead of just reporting a story, misinform and give your own opinions out."

Can you point out the false statements and misinformation so I can run a correction? I certainly do not want there to be incorrect statements made concerning Nan Whaley. We do our best to verify all information before we publish it, but that doesn't mean we don't make mistakes.

I suspect that this email was written by partisan fueled rage that has been inflamed by the hostility in our political climate of the last decade. We are reasonable people at West Bend, and we are simply trying to provide a nice community newspaper that provides "good news for good communities", which is our motto. We publish the news as it is, but we also publish opinions in a separate section, because, as

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**PAULDING ELEMENTARY JANUARY 2022 MINDSET MARVELS**



Mindset Marvels are: Front row: Lute Gross, Brayden Ramirez Cortes, Jesse Hull, Aleigha Puckett, Emma Walz, Aylen Schlegel, Meela Jones. Middle row: Jack Roddy, Alexandria Manz, Mallory Elder, Sophie Donaldson, Dante Frazier, Wyatt Wilhelm, Allison Ball. Back row: Ingrid Escobar, Jezaih Seba-Fuentes, Gabe Gonzales, Jackson Munger, Elena Baker, Landynn Clark, Zendaya Kinnie. Not Pictured: Tucker Stoller

stated above, we believe in the First Amendment.

Anyhow, If you would like to discuss personally, I would be glad to take you out to dinner, and we can have a conversation that might get to the bottom of what you are upset about with me.

Thank you and have a great day!

—Bryce Steiner, WBN Publisher

**WOODBURN CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES 2/7/22**

Minutes for the Woodburn City Council Meeting on February 7th, 2022:

The meeting began at 7:00pm with the Pledge of Allegiance. In attendance was Councilman Voirol, who led the meeting. Clerk-Treasurer Cummins, Superintendent Walls as well as Councilmen Thompson (via phone), Gerig, and Martin. Mayor Kelsey, Chief Parker, and Councilman Watts were not present.

Chief's Report: Nothing to report. Superintendent's Report: There were multiple water leaks that were repaired last week with at least another to repair this coming week. One of the plow trucks is down for repairs. The city of Woodburn would like to remind residents to keep snow on their property, if possible, and not remove it onto the street. Discussion took place about the potential need to loop water at the new addition in Homestead Addition, Phase III.

Mayor's Report: Nothing to report. Clerk-Treasurer's Report: The meeting minutes were presented from the January 17th meeting. After discussion, Councilman Gerig moved to accept the minutes from the January 17th meeting as presented, second by Councilman Martin, all present in favor. The warrants were presented. After discussion, Councilman Thompson moved to pay the warrants as presented, second by Councilman Gerig, all present in favor. The clerk-treasurer explained why Ordinance 22-1403 (Consider the Rezoning of 4213 Carl Street) was to be discussed this evening. After discussion, Councilman Voirol moved to read Ordinance 22-1403 by title only, second by Councilman Thompson, all present in fa-

vor. Councilman Voirol moved to accept the first reading of Ordinance 22-1403, second by Councilman Thompson, all present in favor. Councilman Gerig moved to suspend the rules to waive any additional readings and adopt Ordinance 22-1403, second by Councilman Thompson, all present in favor. Ordinance 22-1403 is ratified as presented. The Clerk-Treasurer presented a request from the Woodburn Youth League for contribution towards their programs. After discussion, Councilman Gerig moved to contribute \$150 to the Woodburn Youth League, second by Councilman Voirol, all present in favor. The clerk-treasurer presented a potential 2022 Summer Meter Contract. After discussion, it was determined that the proposed contract was acceptable to the Council for use in the 2022 calendar year.

Councilmen's Report: Councilman Martin reminded the Council about the Stellar Groundbreaking Event on February 17th. Details can be found on the city website. A final product of the brochures for the Main Street Organization are almost com-

plete for final inspection. Councilman Gerig thanked the city utility workers for helping take care of all the snow this last week.

Audience: A resident couple came to inquire about rezoning 22405 Main Street to allow them to build a duplex at that site. After discussion, it was determined that the council had no issues with that proposal and that the process should continue through the Allen County Planning Commission with final, formal approval to be presented to the Woodburn City Council after a public hearing and opinion from the planning commission is considered. A letter was drafted for the petitioner's use as an informal approval with the rest of the process to be fulfilled in the future.

Councilman Voirol moved to adjourn the meeting, second by Councilman Thompson, all present in favor. Meeting was adjourned at 8:14pm.

Go to www.cityofwoodburn.org to see previously approved minutes and recent community news.

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Elections, Gardens of Paulding, Paulding County Hospital, Paulding Kwik Mart, Library

**Payne:** Panchos, Vancrest of Payne, Dollar General, Lichty's Barber Shop, Antwerp Exchange Bank, Puckerbrush Pizza, Maramart, PC Branch Library  
**Sherwood:** Post Office, Village Food Emporium, Sherwood Bank  
**Scott:** Scott Post Office  
**Van Wert:** CVS, Ace Hardware, Chief, Walmart, Family Video, Orchard Tree

**Defiance:** Newman's

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**Milan Center:** Milan Center Feed & Grain  
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**Grover Hill:** N&N Quick Stop, GH Branch Library

**Hicksville:** Sailors, Hickory Creek Nursing Home, Shell Station, Lassus Handy Dandy, Marathon, Dollar General, Subway, Senior Center  
**Ney:** Marathon  
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**Event Schedule**  
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 March 19 - NRL22 Match - Sight in and registration opens at 8am. Match begins at 9am. This event is open to the public.  
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# LANDERS LEADS ARCHERS TO DISTRICT FINAL



Antwerp's Luke Krouse is open for a 2 point basket against the Panthers in Tuesday night's District semi-final tournament game! More pictures at westbendnews.net

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DEFIANCE - Jagger Landers scored 19 points to lead the Antwerp Archers to a 47-15 Division IV district semifinal victory over Stryker at Defiance High School Tuesday evening.

The Archers held a slim 12-8 lead at the end of one period but expanded the advantage in the second stanza to 21-11 at the intermission.

Antwerp then dominated the second half, limiting the Panthers to two points each in the third and fourth quarters.

The Archers bucketed eight markers in the third period to push the lead to 29-13 at the end of three periods. Antwerp then

wrapped up the night with an 18-point fourth quarter to seal the 47-15 victory.

Landon Brewer recorded eight markers for Antwerp with Kaden Recker adding seven and Luke Krouse posted six. Carson Altimus (four), Parker Moore (two) and Gage McMichael (one) completed the scoring for the Archers, who improve to 23-1 overall.

Peyton Cioffi and Elijah Juillard each had four points for Stryker with Teyvon Harris recording three markers. Levi Barnum and Michael Donovan both had two points for the Panthers, who wrap up the season with a record of 11-13 overall.

# RAIDER TRIO MOVES ON TO COLUMBUS; LONG CAPTURES DISTRICT TITLE

TROY - Wayne Trace will send three wrestlers to the 2022 state wrestling tournament as Hunter Long, Corbin Kimmel and Jarrett Hornish all clinched berths in Saturday's district tournament at Hobart Arena in Troy.

Long captured a district championship on Saturday with a 10-5 win over Legacy Christian's Brayden Brown in the championship match.

Kimmel punched his ticket to the state tournament after placing third at the district, defeating Covington's Carson Taylor 3-0 in the third place match of the 106 pound weight class.

Hornish also will be making the trip to Columbus following a pin of Brookville's Luke Dolan in 4:15 to claim third place at the district.

The trio will wrestle this weekend at the Division III state tournament hosted by The Ohio State University in the Jerome Schottenstein Center.

Long started his district tournament run with a pin of Greeneview's T.J. Stinson in 1:32 and followed that up with a pin of Versailles' Payton Platfoot in 1:52. He then defeated Mechanicsburg's Trey Allen 4-0 to move on to the championship match.

Kimmel opened his portion of the tournament with a pin of Legacy Christian's Taven Norris (:41) before dropping an 8-0 decision to Reading's Gage Murphy.

He rebounded from there, however, with consecutive victories over Madeira's Reid Wischer (pin, 2:08), Brookville's Hayden Jones (pin, 2:57) and Greeneview's Kyan Hendricks (pin, 1:31) to set up the third place match and clinch a state berth.

Hornish recorded a win over Indian Lake's Jackson Young (pin, :52) and followed that up with a pin of Dayton Northridge's Harper Huling in 1:24. After dropping a 4-1 decision to Legacy Christian's Boede Campbell, Hornish captured a state berth with a 12-2 win over Allen East's Trenton Gatchell.

In the team standings, Legacy Christian claimed the district championship with 209 points with Mechanicsburg (132-1/2) taking second and Versailles (119) third. Wayne Trace

placed tenth as a squad with 87 points.

Other area team finishes included Allen East (sixth, 98), Coldwater (12th, 55), Columbus Grove (17th, 30-1/2), Lima Central Catholic (20th, 22-1/2), Delphos St. John's (21st, 22), Lima Bath (tied for 23rd, 20), Spencerville (tied for 27th, 18), Kenton (tied for 29th, 17), Parkway (31st, 15), Lincolnview (tied for 32nd, 13), Crestview (tied for 38th, four) and Ada (44th, two).

Other Wayne Trace district participants included Connor Blankenship (113), Jared Pierce (126), Nathan Osborn (190) and Samuel Moore (150).

The Raiders' Blankenship defeated Greenon's Gaige Denson (pin, 2:00) along with dropping a match to Covington's Jericho Quinter (pin, 1:01).

Osborn pinned Carlisle's Caleb Robinson (4:41) before falling to Indian Lake's Owen Pummel (pin, 3:51). After a pin of Triad's Tucker Webb in 3:40, his day ended via a pin to Lehman Catholic's John Edwards (1:47).

Pierce dropped a 17-7 decision to Brookville's Logan Jones before pinning Twin Valley South's Brayden Childers in 28 seconds. However, he then fell to Legacy Christian's Logan Atisano via pin in 1:59.

Moore started his tournament by defeating Troy Christian's David Slumpff 5-3 but came up short to Legacy Christian's Gavin Brown 26-11. Following a pin of Greenon's Owen Fagen in 2:38, he fell 8-0 to Lima Bath's Ezekiel Burkholder in the third consolation round.

## REINHART & LENGACHER COMPETE AT ROSSFORD WRESTLING DISTRICTS

The Antwerp Archer wrestlers traveled to Rossford High School on March 5<sup>th</sup> for high school wrestling Districts. Both Eli Reinhart and Trayce Lengacher earned a ticket to this tournament.

On the first day, Eli Reinhart went 1-1, losing his first match, but winning his second match of the day. This bought him a spot for second day competition on March 6<sup>th</sup>. Reinhart wrestled well, but just couldn't pull out the wins and ended his season at the District level.

Trayce Lengacher lost his matches going 0-2 on the first day of competition and ended his season this day. Great season to Trayce Lengacher and awesome four great years.

# WARRIORS SURVIVE FOR QUARTERFINAL VICTORY



Woodlan junior DeJay Gerig picks up the rebound, turns around and puts the ball back in the basket for two points. More pictures at westbendnews.net

GARRETT - Woodlan never led at the end of any quarter in regulation but the Warriors tied the game in regulation and then outlasted Bishop Dwenger in overtime for a 65-63 victory in sectional quarterfinal play at Garrett Wednesday evening.

Tied at 53-53 at the end of regulation, Woodlan jumped in front in the extra period on an Alex Miller three-point play and the Warriors wouldn't trail again.

Woodlan's lead grew to as much as five in the overtime but Bishop Dwenger battled back and had a chance to tie or win late in the overtime. The Saints had the ball below their basket but a three-point shot was off the mark and the Warriors hung on for the victory.

Bishop Dwenger led 14-13 at the end of one period before widening the

margin to 29-26 at the intermission. The Saints took a 41-37 lead into the fourth quarter before Woodlan outscored Bishop Dwenger 16-12 in the period to tie the game at 53-53.

Joe Reidy led the way for Woodlan with 25 points, 13 rebounds and three assists while Miller added 14 markers. Braden Smith also had 11 for the Warriors, who improve to 16-8 on the season.

Dawson Lichty scored eight points for the Warriors and DeJay Gerig recorded seven.

Beau Jacquay topped Bishop Dwenger with 17 points and seven boards with Owen Shively adding 15 and C.J. Pieper bucketed 14.

Preston Ross (eight), Sam Campbell (seven) and Joe Kelly (two) completed the scoring for the Saints, who close their season with a record of 12-10.

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# RAIDERS PILLAGE PIRATES IN DIVISION III DISTRICT SEMIS



Wayne Trace opened their District game against Bluffton Pirates on Thursday, March 3rd. This tight match up when down to the last buzzer. Wayne Trace took the Semis, 45-42. Pictured above is Sophomore Kyle Stoller, near the edge of the key, adds two points to the Raider scoreboard. More pictures at westbendnews.net

## NEW HEIGHTS EDUCATIONAL GROUP WINS SILVER AND BRONZE STEVIE® AWARDS

New Heights Educational Group (NHEG) was presented with a Silver Stevie® Award in the Best Use of Thought Leadership in Customer Service category and a Bronze Stevie® Award in the Best Use of Thought Leadership in Business Development category in the 16th annual Stevie Awards for Sales & Customer Service.

The Stevie Awards for Sales & Customer Service are the world's top honors for customer service, contact center, business development and sales professionals. The Stevie Awards organizes eight of the world's leading business awards programs, also including the prestigious American Business Awards® and International Business Awards®.

Winners will be recognized during a virtual awards ceremony on May 11.

More than 2,300 nominations from organizations of all sizes and in virtually every industry, in 51 nations, were considered in this year's competition. Winners were determined by the average scores of more than 150 professionals worldwide on eight

specialized judging committees. Entries were considered in more than 90 categories for customer service and contact center achievements, including Contact Center of the Year, Award for Innovation in Customer Service, and Customer Service Department of the Year; more than 60 categories for sales and business development achievements, ranging from Senior Sales Executive of the Year to Sales Training or Business Development Executive of the Year to Sales Department of the Year; and categories to recognize new products and services, solution providers, and organizations' and individuals' response to the COVID-19 pandemic. New categories this year honor excellence in thought leadership in customer service and sales.

Pamela Clark, Executive Director of NHEG, stated, "we are proud of our team of volunteers that work so hard to bring opportunities to families in need. We are honored by these awards."

"The nominations we received for the 2022 competition illustrate that business development, customer service, and sales professionals worldwide, in all sorts of organizations, have continued

to innovate, thrive, and meet customer expectations during the COVID-19 pandemic," said Stevie Awards president Maggie Gallagher Miller. "The judges have recognized and rewarded their achievements, and we join them in applauding this year's winners for their continued success. We look forward to recognizing them on May 11."

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## PATRIOTS FALL IN SECTIONAL OPENER

OSSIAN - Heritage traveled to Ossian Tuesday evening for boys basketball sectional quarterfinal action where host Norwell posted a 74-54 win over the Patriots.

The host Knights took control in the opening stanza, scorching the nets for a 30-point first quarter that put Norwell on top 30-9 after eight minutes of action.

Quarter number two saw the Knights add 18 more markers while limiting Heritage to 16, giving Norwell a 48-25 halftime advantage.

The Patriot defense limited Norwell to a dozen points in each of the third and fourth quarters but Heritage bucketed only ten in the third to keep the Knights in front 60-35 entering the final stanza.

Luke Saylor led Heritage with 21 points in the contest while Kobe Meyer added 11 markers.

Other scorers for the Patriots were Nyles Knapke (six), Landon Lybarger (three), Austin Buuck (three), Tanner Whitman (two), Dalton Wasson (two), Trevor Prince (two), Howie Kaiser (two) and Trevin Schaffner (two).

Schaffner also grabbed six rebounds for Heritage with Saylor and Wasson each picking up five boards. Whitman finished with four rebounds as well for the Patriots as Heritage ends its season with an overall record of 5-18.

Knapke led Heritage with three assists and Saylor finished with two helpers.

Norwell was paced by Luke McBride with 16 points while Luke Graft added 14 and Lleyton Bailey chipped in 11 markers. Cohen Bailey (nine), Jake Parker (five), Jonathon Colbert (four), Gavin Hoepfner (four), Ashton Federspiel (two) and Brody Bolyn (one) completed the scoring for the Knights, who improve to 20-4 overall on the season.

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# PAULDING HIGH SCHOOL DRAMA DEPARTMENT IS PROUD TO PRESENT *LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS*



This musical takes place in Mr. Mushnik's Flower Shop, played by senior Sam Adams. The meek floral assistant Seymour Krelborn, played by senior Kyle Kelly stumbles across a new breed of plant he

names "Audrey II" - after his coworker crush, who is played by Jamy Hunt. This foul-mouthed, R&B-singing carnivore, voiced by Dawson Lamb promises unending fame and fortune to the down and out

Krelborn as long as he keeps feeding it, BLOOD. Over time, though, Seymour discovers Audrey II's out of this world origins and intent towards global domination! Can Audrey II be stopped?

## NW STATE COMM. COLLEGE ELECTS BOARD OF TRUSTEES OFFICERS FOR 2022-23 TERM



The Northwest State Community College Board of Trustees elected its 2022-2023 officers. Pictured L to R: Scott Mull (Vice Chair), Lisa McClure (Chair) and Sandy Barber (2nd Vice Chair).

The Northwest State Community College Board of Trustees met in regular session on Friday, February 25. As part of the meeting, the Board held its annual election for the positions of Chair, Vice Chair and Second Vice Chair. Lisa McClure was elected to assume the duties of Chair, Scott Mull was elected to serve as Vice Chair, and Sandy Barber was elected to serve as Second Vice Chair. All officers will serve in these positions for the period of February 2022 through February 2023. College administration congratulated the officers and thanked them for serving in these capacities.

### VAN WERT CAMPUS UPDATE

As part of the meeting, the Board approved a resolution to purchase property in the city of Van Wert for public purposes. The property, located at 520 E. Sycamore Street in Van Wert, has a purchase price of \$495,000, and is pending appraisal. Northwest State is expected to purchase the property in order to launch a full-service campus for learners in Paulding and Van Wert counties. "Twenty-five percent of our six-county service area's population resides in Paulding and Van Wert counties, yet we are cur-

rently only serving seven percent of those potential learners," said NSCC President Dr. Todd Hernandez. "This campus will help us continue our mission, reducing an important barrier to education: access."

### In other Board action:

- Approved the employment of Rhonda Lazette as Faculty & Program Coordinator-Medical Assisting, Samantha Francis as Recruiter-Admissions, and Caitlin Barrera as Clinical Teaching Assistant.
- Approved the promotion of Kemp Stapleton to Director of Accounting & Auxiliary Services, and Jim Bellamy to Manager of Marketing & Communications.
- Approved a resolution to purchase property in the city of Van Wert for public purposes.
- Approved the 2021-2022 Revised Budget.
- Approved a resolution to appoint John Bridenbaugh as Delegate and Sandy Barber as Alternate from the Board of Trustees to serve on the governing board of the Ohio Association of Community Colleges (OACC).
- Approved a resolution to establish upcoming meeting dates and times (for the period April 2022 through February 2023).

- Approved increasing tuition for the 2022-2023 academic year by \$5 per credit hour for in-state and out-of-state. New rates will be \$187.33 for in-state, and \$358.66 for out-of-state.
- Approved a \$10 scholarship for all learners, to offset the \$5 spring and \$5 summer 2022 tuition increases as stated above.
- Approved the Presidential Evaluation Policy.
- Approved miscellaneous employment contracts
- Approved five resignations and one termination.

### CARTER KNOBLAUCH RECEIVES HOCKEY AWARDS



Carter Knoblauch, a senior at Woodlan High School, recently received several awards at the Indians State Hockey Tournament. He was awarded the J. Howard Guitard Memorial Award for Mental Attitude, which came with a \$1,000 scholarship. The award was given to one senior player from the state. He was also named to the Academic All State Team and prior to the tournament, he was named to the All City First Team. As captain of the FW Vipers, he helped his team to a first place regular season finish. Carter is the son of Gene and Lori Knoblauch.

## MOLITOR ENDS SEASON AT STATE!

Antwerp Archer gymnast, Hannah Molitor, traveled to Columbus for the Gymnastics this past weekend. She competed in four competitions - floor, beam, bars and vault. Hannah got a 8.6 on floor, 9.15 on beam, 9.075 on bars, and 9.1 on vault. These were all solid scores, but just not enough to make it to the podium. Great season Hannah - see ya next season!

## PANTHER WRESTLER COMPETES AT ROSSFORD WRESTLING DISTRICTS

Paulding and Antwerp both went to the mat at Rossford High School for Wrestling Districts this past weekend. Both schools competed superbly in their weight classes.

On the first day for Paulding, Dawson Lamb went 1-2 on the day. His first match he lost 5-0. He wrestled well, but could not finish the take-downs. In the first round of consi. Bracket, Lamb went on the offensive and wrestled aggressively and scored quickly. He walked away with a pin. In the third match, it was a hard fought match with an even opponent. Lamb lost the match 7-5.

Coach Brian Porter commented on Lamb's run, "Dawson had a good season and won a lot of matches and some tough matches. Unfortunately, we lost some of the matches that mattered most at the end of this season. I'm proud of him and the way he wrestled this year. He came into this season with a different attitude and a will to work. Dawson is already looking at next season and wrestling during the off season." Coach Porter continued, "I'm very proud of all of the Paulding wrestlers and how far they came in this year and program. I look forward to coaching the returning wrestlers and the future wrestlers of Paulding. And I would also like to say "thank you" and best of luck to the graduating seniors."

## PAULDING COUNTY COURT RECORDS

- Criminal/Traffic Disposition**
- Johnny Rakes**, Grover Hill, OH; Disorderly conduct with persistence; Guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs; Maintain general good behavior; Shall have no contact with victim
  - Tekeyah R. Stubbs**, Indianapolis, IN; OVI/under influence, Count A dismissed; Driving under non FRA suspension, Defendant appeared in court with Mr. Hyman, Pled guilty, Proof of insurance provided, May attend DIP in lieu of 3 days jail, ALS vacated, Fines and costs to be taken from bond, Secure a valid OL, Firearm may be returned upon proof of ownership
  - Matthew Martinez**, Buffalo, NY; Drug paraphernalia, Case dismissed per state, Costs to defendant; Physical control, Defendant appeared via Zoom with Mr. Fee, Pled guilty, Proof of insurance provided; No operator's license, Defendant pled guilty
  - Kasey L. Helms**, Payne, OH; Cruelty to animals; Defendant to pay all costs; Complete 40 hours of community service within one year; Animal shall be surrendered to

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Landon Brewer on a runaway dunks the ball for the Archers with less than 2 minutes left on the clock. More pictures at westbendnews.net

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**DEFIANCE** - The Antwerp boys basketball team punched its ticket to the regional tournament for the third consecutive season on Friday night with a 55-38 win over Ayersville in the Division IV district championship game at Defiance High School.

The Archers led at every stop, holding a slim 11-9 lead at the first quarter break before expanding the margin to 24-19 at the midway point of the contest.

Antwerp then took control into the fourth quarter after posting a 37-28 lead at the end

of three periods. Jagger Landers paced the way for the Archers, bucketing a game high 23 points, while Luke Krouse chipped in 16 markers and Landon Brewer posted nine points. Carson Altimus added five and Kaden Recker picked up the other two points for Antwerp. Ayersville was led by Jakob Trevison with ten points and Tyson Schlachter added eight markers. Other scorers for the Pilots were Brady Clark (six), Ike Eiden (six), Weston McGuire (four), Isaac Miler (two) and Carter Michel (two).

## NOTICE

The Village of Payne, Paulding County, Ohio is letting bids enter into a contract for the collection and removal of garbage, rubbish, refuse and bulky waste pickup from the Village of Payne, Paulding County, Ohio and allowing businesses to independently contract for such service. Bid packets are available from the Mayor and Fiscal Officer Offices. Bids will be accepted til March 28, 2022 until 7:00 p.m. when all bids shall be opened and taken under advisement for awarding.

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### PAULDING & PUTNAM COUNTIES RECEIVE GRANTS FROM PPEC FOR SITE DEVELOPMENTS



Paulding County CIC Director Dave Burtch (L) accepts a \$15,000 economic development grant from PPEC CEO George Carter.



Putnam County CIC accepts a \$6,000 economic development grant from Paulding Putnam Electric Cooperative. (Pictured L-R): Jeff Vance, vice president, Amy Sealts, Putnam County Economic Development Director, James Russell, sec/treas.; Virgil Miller, president; PPEC CEO George Carter; and Matt Miller and Al Gerdeman (finance committee members).

Paulding Putnam Electric Cooperative's Economic Development Grant Program allows the co-op to partner with its statewide organization and power supplier, Buckeye Power, to help local communities make an impact and im-

prove quality of life for members. Paulding County CIC and Putnam County CIC received a total of \$21,000 in matched grants from PPEC toward efforts for site development.

Paulding County's grant totaling \$15,000 is for the Paulding Industrial Park and will cover a Phase 1 environmental assessment, geotechnical investigation, wetland determination, and threatened and endangered species analysis. Paulding County CIC Director Dave Burtch and Paulding County Economic Development Director Tim Copsy were present for the grant presentation in late

### PUBLIC NOTICES

Village of Cecil regular council meetings are held on the 4th Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in the Cecil Firehouse community room.

If you would like to be added to the agenda please contact the village of Cecil Clerk at 419-399-0520 or via email villageofcecil@yahoo.com

The unaudited financial records for 2021 have been completed and are available for inspection by contacting Carlene Turner clerk for the village of Cecil at 419-399-0520 or via the village email villageofcecil@yahoo.com

### PUBLIC NOTICE

The Paulding County unaudited 2021 Annual Financial Report is now complete and available for inspection at the office of the County Auditor, Paulding County Courthouse, 115 N. Williams St., Paulding, OH 45879.

Claudia J. Fickel  
County Auditor

### NOTICE OF HEARING ON CHANGE OF GUARDIANSHIP

IN THE PAULDING COUNTY PROBATE COURT  
IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF DAVID LEE BALL  
A Minor  
Case No. 20222002

Petitioner in writing by delivering a copy of his response to the Paulding County Common Pleas Court Probate Division, Petitioner, and all other parties presented herein.

The hearing on the Application for Appointment of Guardian shall be heard on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2022 at 1:30 p.m. Said cause shall be

Respectfully,  
  
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### NOTICE OF HEARING ON CHANGE OF GUARDIANSHIP

John Doe, the unknown biological father of David Lee Ball, whose identity and whereabouts are unknown and cannot through reasonable diligence be ascertained, will take notice that on January 24, 2022, John Henry Ball filed an Application for Appointment of Guardian of David Lee Ball in the Court of Common Pleas, Probate Division of Paulding County, Ohio, 115 North Williams Street, Suite 202, Paulding, Ohio 45879, the same being Case No. 20222002

John Doe has twenty-eight days from the date of this publication to respond to the Application of the

### TITANS OUTSCORE RAIDERS IN DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIPS



Wayne Trace Sophomore Brooks Laukhuf launches the ball for 3 points in the difficult game against Ottawa-Glandorf at Lima Senior High school. More pictures at westbendnews.net

Saturday, March 5th, Wayne Trace Raiders and Ottawa-Glandorf Titans met on the court for the Division III District championship game at Lima Senior High School. The Titans went on the immediate offense outscoring the Raiders in the first half, 31-15. The Raiders made a rallying attempt in the 2nd half, but the

damage had already been done. Wayne Trace ended their run for the Division III Title, 44-62. Scoring for the Raiders included Kyle Stoller 15, Brooks Laukhuf 12, Trevor Sin 8, Tyler Davis, 4, Cameron Sinn 3, Cameron Graham 2.

Great season Raiders — see ya on the court next year! support of our Generation and Transmission provider, Buckeye Power. We look forward to working with both the Paulding CIC and Putnam County CIC as they further develop these sites and prepare for the next phase of attracting businesses and jobs to our region."

To learn more about the economic development grant program or other community programs the co-op participates in, contact PPEC at 800-686-2357 or visit www.PPEC.coop.

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the Paulding County dog warden to be re-homed

Ethan J. Miller, Antwerp, OH; Attempt to induce panic, Guilty, Defendant to pay all fines and costs today, Maintain general good behavior, Shall not enter the Paulding County library systems, May complete 25 hours of community service in lieu of fine; Disobey police order, Count B dismissed per state; Disorderly conduct, Guilty, Defendant to pay all costs today, Maintain general good behavior

Taran W. Blue, Bedford Heights, OH; Physical control, Guilty, Defendant appeared in court with Mr. Hyman, Pled guilty, Proof of insurance provided, Pay all fines and costs; No tail lights, Count B dismissed

Martha Hule, Paulding, OH; Junk ordinance; Guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs

Bobbie Dix, Paulding, OH; Junk ordinance; Pled no contest, found guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs; Clean up property

Arsulla T. Ankney, Paulding, OH; Junk ordinance; Pled no contest, found guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs

Michele Geiger, Paulding, OH; Junk ordinance; Guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs

Kresa N. Epplenman, Defiance, OH; Seat belt/drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

### The West Bend News Sudoku Puzzle

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Answers to "Sudoku puzzle on Page 11"

OH; Junk ordinance; Pled no contest, found guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs; Maintain general good behavior

Connie M. Smith, Payne, OH; Theft; Case dismissed per state; Without prejudice; Costs waived

Amber L. Wilson, Kenton, OH; Seat belt/drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

Richard O. Ooten II, Roanoke, IN; Provide false information; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

Austin S. Wade, Antwerp, OH; Possession of marijuana, Guilty, Case was waived by defendant; Left of center, Guilty, Case was waived by defendant

Emilio Sanchez, Levittown, PR; Failure to yield emergency vehicle, Guilty, Case was waived by defendant

Alex L. Crider, Bloomfield, MO; Permit violation; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

Dewey W. Hammons, Middle Point, OH; Disorderly

conduct, Guilty, All fines and costs to be taken from bond, Operator's license forfeiture may be released; Assault, Guilty, Fines and costs to be paid from bond, Maintain general good behavior, No contact with victim

Shi T. Robinson, Fort Wayne, IN; Failure to yield for emergency vehicle; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

Sandra Gibler, Paulding, OH; Junk ordinance; Guilty; Defendant to pay all fines and costs; Shall work on cleaning up the property

Sophia L. Kline, Van Wert, OH; Failure to control; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

Kevin W. Carlisle, Antwerp, OH; Hit/skip, Count A dismissed; Failure to control, Defendant appeared in court without counsel, Pled guilty, Proof of insurance not provided, Warrant and warrant block recalled, Pay all fines and costs

Jerel A. Tousley, Oakwood, OH; Registration violation; Guilty; Case was waived

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### NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS PAULDING COUNTY, OHIO

Judge Tiffany R. Beckman

LOU ANN WANNEMACHER, TREASURER PAULDING COUNTY, OHIO, Plaintiff, VS.

Penny J. Vargo, et.al., Defendants,

Case No. CI 22-023  
TO: Penny J. Vargo; Unknown Spouse of Penny J. Vargo  
LAST KNOWN ADDRESS: ADDRESS: 102 S. Sixth Street, Oakwood, Ohio 45873

Please take notice that a complaint has been filed in the above-captioned action against you seeking a foreclosure of tax liens and a public sale of real property owned by Penny J. Vargo, to pay delinquent real estate taxes owed on said real estate recorded in Volume 581 Page 2638 of the Paulding County Records.

The real property in question is situated in the Village of Oakwood, County of Paulding and the State of Ohio and more fully described as follows:

Situated in the Village of Oakwood, County of Paulding, State of Ohio, and described as follows:

Lot Number Fifteen (15) of Floyd Burt's Addition to the Village of Oakwood, Paulding County, Ohio.

Auditor's Parcel #10-08S-027-00  
Prior Instrument Reference: V. 548, P. 1052; V.581, P. 2638  
Property Address: 102 South Sixth Street, Oakwood, Ohio

You are required to answer in the above-captioned cause twenty-eight (28) days after the last publication hereof, or a default judgment seeking sale of the real estate will be sought. Your answer should be filed with the Clerk of Courts, Courthouse, 115 N. Williams St., Paulding, Ohio 45879.

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# PAULDING FFA CELEBRATED NATIONAL FFA WEEK!!



Pictured here are FFA members Jamy Hunt, Luke Zartman and Ella Cook listening to the directions of the workshop being given by State FFA Vice President at Large Jared Dunn during his visit on Thursday of National FFA Week.

By: Jaylyn McCloud, Paulding FFA Assistant Reporter

FFA week was a very eventful and exciting week for the members of the Paulding FFA. The students participated in dress-up days which were picked by the members and other fun activities throughout the week. The Paulding FFA chapter also collected cans for crushing cans for cancer community service project. We will take the cans into scrap and then donate all the money profited to cancer research. Tuesday students participated in America Tuesday by wearing red, white and blue. There was an agriculture quiz that high school students could take and if they got all of the questions right then they received a cookie sponsored by Ag Credit. The purpose of this quiz was to help educate students about our number one industry in Paulding County, agriculture.

On Wednesday the members had the hosted annual staff appreciation lunch to show our appreciation for our teachers and staff. The officer team wore official dress and the members and staff all wore their new FFA shirts. We had a BBQ with grilled hamburgers and hotdogs with all sides to thank our staff for their support of our chapter! Thursday wrapped up FFA week for the members sadly because the snow canceled our annual country Olympics on Friday but they are rescheduled for March 25th. The members wore flannels and hats for the theme. Each of the classes enjoyed a visit with the Ohio FFA State Officer Jared Dunn. He conducted fun and interactive workshops with the students. There was also a cornhole tournament on Thursday held in the ag shop. The winning team was Luke Beckman and Matthew Bail winning \$50.

The Paulding FFA would

like to thank Ag Credit for donating the cookies and the Paulding FFA as well as its members for their participation in this wonderful event celebrating FFA. We are looking forward to many more fun events throughout the year.

## MAUMEE-GO-GETTERS CLUB ANNOUNCE MEETING AGENDAS

Are you interested in enrolling your child in 4-H? 4-H is for all kids age Kindergarten through 12th grade! You may begin your 4H adventures at any level. It is never "too late" or you are "too old" if you don't join when you are in younger grades.

Do you know that you can attend 3 day long trips to Purdue for career exploration or Washington DC in 7-12 grades over the summer? You can go to 4H camp for grades 3-5 in June! You can meet friends from Allen County and across the state of Indiana.

Projects and activities include just about everything you can think of: animals, cooking, rocketry, engineering, computers, gardening, woodworking, electric, scrapbooking, sewing, crafts, do your own thing, public speaking, trips, and more!

The Maumee-Go-Getters Club meetings will again be held on the 2nd Tuesday of March, April, May, June, and July at 7pm in the "Big Red Barn" at 5333 Thimlar Road New Haven, IN 46774. This is very close to Woodlan High School.

March 8 Introductions, Woodburn Veterinarian Dr. Miller will come and speak to our club about his profession.

April 12 Todd Pickett owner of New Haven Dairy Queen will talk about his journey from a 16 year old to business ownership, products/supply chain- dairy/chicken/beef products, etc. He is bringing us a DQ treat!

May 10 demonstrations (possible special speaker)

June 14 demonstrations and science activities (possible special speaker)

July 12 family cookout, games, demonstrations

We would love to have new families join the Maumee-Go-Getters! Please contact Renee' Spieth at maumeegogetters@gmail.com for more information.

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by defendant

**Lance Miller**, Payne, OH; Seat belt/drive; Guilty; Defendant pled guilty; Pay fine

**Andrew I. Elias**, Fort Wayne, IN; Driving under non-FRA suspension; Defendant appeared in court without counsel; Pled guilty; Pay costs

**Kara M. Hart**, Paulding, OH; Display plates; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

**Adam M. Silvers**, Hicksville, OH; Seat belt/drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

**Brandan Adkins**, New Bavaria, OH; Driving under suspension - operator license forfeiture; Case dismissed at defendant's costs

**Eli J. Zehender**, Fort Jennings, OH; Seat belt/drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

**Rolando Leal**, Paulding, OH; Failure to yield from private drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

**Eathon M. Miller**, Edgerton, OH; Seat/belt drive; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

**Scott Rau**, Scott, OH; Assault; Case dismissed per state, without prejudice; Costs waived

**Katelyn K. Pittsley**, Defiance, OH; OVI/under influence, Case dismissed without prejudice, Costs waived; Driving under non FRA suspension, Case dismissed; Loud exhaust, Case dismissed

**Destiny P. Leidigh**, Defiance, OH; Child restraint; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

**Duffy C. Jones**, Fort Wayne, IN; No operator's license; Case dismissed without prejudice; Costs waived

**Amanda L. Diaz**, Defiance, OH; Possession of drugs, Case dismissed per state, without prejudice, Costs waived; Possession of drug instrument, Case dismissed per state, without prejudice, Costs waived; Drug paraphernalia, Case dismissed per state, without prejudice, Costs waived; Loud exhaust, Case dismissed without prejudice, Costs waived; Seat belt/drive, Case dismissed without prejudice, Costs waived

**Christon A. Robinson**, Whitetown, IN; Reckless operation, Defendant appeared in court with Mr. Bucher, pled no contest, found guilty, May attend DIP in lieu of 3 days jail, Proof of insurance provided, ALS vacated, Fines and costs to be taken from bond; Seat belt/drive; Count C dismissed

**Clarence P. Hertzfeld, Jr.**, Waterville, OH; Left of center; Guilty; Case was waived by defendant

# WARRIORS FALL IN SECTIONAL SEMIS TO CONCORDIA



Woodlan's Braden Smith attempts a 3 point basket against Concordia in Friday night's match up. More pictures at westbendnews.net

GARRETT - Despite an outstanding night from Woodlan senior Joe Reidy, the Warrior boys basketball team saw its season come to a close Friday night in a 63-58 loss to Concordia in the Class 3A sectional semifinals at Garrett High School.

Reidy bucketed 40 points and grabbed a dozen rebounds but it wasn't enough for Woodlan, who ends the season with a record of 16-9 overall.

It wraps up the high school boys basketball career for

Reidy and fellow senior Dakota Sparks.

Braden Smith added nine points for Woodlan with Alex Miller bucketing five and De-Jay Gerig chipped in four markers.

Ajani Washington had 33 points for Concordia with David Speckhard adding 13 markers for the Cadets, who improve to 13-11 on the season.

Alan Ter Molen (eight), Joe Tapp (five) and Grant Hayworth (four) completed the scoring for Concordia.

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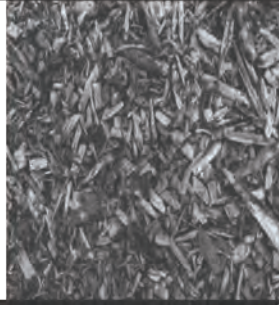
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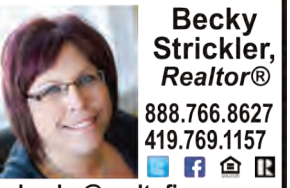
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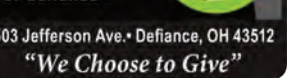
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The Paulding County Veteran's Service Office is dedicated to aiding Paulding County veterans and their families in time of need.

- 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.  
Arrangements can be made for after office hours appointments  
Any questions, please call 419-399-8285

**PAULDING COUNTY WMEA RECYCLING**

*New Schedule For Large Villages*  
1st Weekend- Paulding, Fair Grounds  
2nd Weekend- Grover Hill, VFW  
3rd Weekend- Payne, (Paved lot east of Homier's)  
4th Weekend- Antwerp, (13744 CR 43, sewer treatment plant)  
*New Schedule For Smaller Villages*  
3rd Wednesday of each month  
Cecil 11:30-12:00 (Fire Station)  
Junction 12:30-1:00 (Catholic Church)  
Haviland/Scott 1:30-2:00 (SR 114 at Haviland Park)  
Latty/Briceton 2:30-3:00 (Latty Park)

For Questions Call : 419-399-3630  
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DEADLINE FOR THE CLASSIFIEDS IN WEST BEND NEWS IS MONDAYS AT 12 NOON!!!

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**LAROSE ISSUES DIRECTIVE TO INCLUDE CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATES ON PRIMARY BALLOT**

Ohio Secretary of State Frank LaRose directed Ohio's 88 county boards of elections to begin taking the necessary steps to place candidates for the U.S. House of Representatives on the May 3rd primary ballot. The order is pursuant to today's Ohio Redistricting Commission's passage of a four-year map for Ohio Congressional districts. On Saturday, the Secretary issued a similar directive to the Boards instructing them to include candidates for the Ohio General Assembly on the primary ballot.

"I recognize the tremendous challenges facing our county boards of elections given the incredibly short

timeline and the myriad preparations and procedures that must be satisfied before the May 3rd Primary Election," said Secretary LaRose. "However, only the General Assembly can set an election date, and they have made it abundantly clear that the 2022 primary is to be held May 3rd. Accordingly, today's directive instructs our county boards to immediately begin preparing for a single primary date for all statewide, Congressional, and State House and State Senate candidates to appear on a unified ballot. While accomplishing this will be difficult, I am confident that our tested, professional county boards will do everything within their power to execute on what we have all been instructed to do."

Secretary LaRose provided the county boards of elections with the new Con-

**HELP WANTED**

**Rural Carrier Associate (RCA)**  
UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE® RCAs case, deliver, and collect mail along a prescribed rural route using a vehicle and provide customers on the route with a variety of services.

- Benefits may include health insurance.
- Part-time, non-career position, which may lead to a full time career position; however, there is no guarantee.
- Applicants must have a valid state driver's license, a safe driving record, and at least two years of unsupervised experience driving passenger cars or larger. The driving must have taken place in the U.S. or its possessions or territories or in U.S. military installations worldwide.
- Hours will vary and will include holidays and weekends; there is no guarantee of hours. Hourly pay is \$19.60.
- Example: You may work 8 hours one week and 40 hours the following week.
- You must be flexible with little to no lead time or advance notice of a schedule change and be on call on non-scheduled days.
- You will be required to provide a vehicle sufficient in size for delivery of mail. RCAs will receive an Equipment Maintenance Allowance.
- You will be required to have the ability to deliver from the right hand side of the vehicle, even if you must provide one.
- You will perform work indoors and outdoors in all elements of weather: rain, sleet, ice, snow, cold, and heat, and you may encounter animals and insects too.
- Your duties will be physically demanding requiring moderate to heavy lifting, carrying, prolonged standing, reaching, and walking.
- You will provide mail security at all times.
- You must follow established safe work methods and procedures.
- Oakwood Post Office, 223 N 1st, Oakwood, OH 45873 is hiring RCA's. Call 419-594-3369 for additional information.

The USPS is an equal opportunity employer and a top employer of veterans.

**HAVE A WEDDING, ENGAGEMENT OR ANNIVERSARY?**  
Let your friends and neighbors know for **FREE** in the **West Bend News.**  
(pictures are extra)

**Sudoku solution from page 9**

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

**MARCH IS DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY MONTH**



The Paulding County Commissioners signed a Proclamation making March Developmental Disability Awareness Month. Pictured with the Proclamation are Reba Hurtig and Eric Jones.

gressional district data necessary to fulfill that directive, along with instructions to do the following:

- Take immediate action to reprogram their voter registration system by incorporating the updated Congressional district boundaries; and
- Follow updated procedures for filing and signature validity for Congressional races.

The directive also provides clear guidance for candidates who wish to file petitions to run for the U.S. House. Those candidates may file in the most populous county of the district they seek to represent, as established by Senate Bill 258.

To help our county boards of elections respond to the current array of chal-

lenges, earlier today, the Ohio General Assembly appropriated \$9 million to better support additional election administration costs resulting from the condensed election timeline.

**HELP WANTED:**

**Innovative Assembly Services, LLC**  
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**Registered Nurse (Emergency Department)**  
Full Time ED/MedSurg Split (every third weekend) – 7A – 7P  
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**Respiratory Therapist**  
Full time Opening

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**Dietary Aide**

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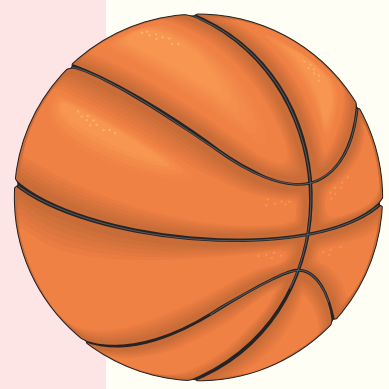




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## For the P.A.S.S. Paulding County Support Society

# BASKETBALL MARATHON



**\*CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK AT: PLAYING BALL FOR THOSE WHO CAN'T\***  
**ENTRY DEADLINE IS WEDNESDAY MARCH 23, 2022**

### THE OBJECT OF THE MARATHON GAMES

To raise money for the Paulding Area Support Society. The Society helps to provide the handicap & other medically challenged residents of Paulding County with equipment & services that they are unable to afford. The Society helps 125-150 people per year. The basketball marathon participants are encouraged to have a great time playing a game of basketball & scoring as many points as possible in the 24-minutes allowed per game.

**SPORTSMANLIKE CONDUCT IS THE RULE, NOT THE EXCEPTION!!!**

### AWARDS (Donated by Fessel Jewelers)

First place & second place trophies will be awarded to the top two teams in the mini-youth, youth, women, men, & co-ed divisions. (If there is a tie the award will be given to the team with the larger point spread over their opponent. Sportsmanship trophies will be given to teams that were mismatched with a team of a higher skill level that caused the largest point differential in each of the seven divisions.

\*Ten individual medals will be awarded for first & second place in the mini-tots & tots divisions.\*

### THE MARATHON COMMITTEE

Chad Benschneider	419-263-2277 or 769-4708	Braeden Hormann	419-406-2766
Clint Reinhart	419-494-5570	Rylee Hormann	419-406-0213
John Claymiller	419-670-4128	Kaleigh McClain	419-786-0796
Ben Winans	419-508-6017	Nick McClain	419-786-0449
Jeremy Dunderman	419-769-0680	Russ Zinser	419-506-0258

EMAIL: BASKETBALL24HOUR@YAHOO.COM

*The Marathon Committee will endeavor to make this Marathon the most enjoyable for you & the fans, & the most profitable for the Society & the people of Paulding County who need our help. If you have any Questions you may contact any of the committee members. Thank you for participating in this most worthwhile Paulding County Charity event!!!*

## "42 YEARS PLAYING BALL FOR THOSE WHO CAN'T" RULES GOVERNING PLAY

- Unsportsmanlike conduct will not be tolerated
- No foul shots are permitted, fouls are awarded by taking the ball out of bounds
- No time outs permitted
- 5 players maximum on the floor at one time
- No dunking the basketball (we have had to pay for a cracked glass backboard & have had to stop the game to fix broken break away rims causing the schedule to be interrupted)
- No full court press in mini-tots, tots, or mini-youth divisions
- **In adult co-ed competition**, at least two female players on the floor at all times
- **In adult co-ed competition**, male players are not permitted to cross, remain, shoot, or rebound from the area known as the key. Girls only in the key.
- The mini-tots division will use 8' baskets & a youth basketball
- The tots, mini-youth, women, & co-ed will use 10' baskets with a women's basketball
- Youth division can use men's or women's basketball on 10' baskets
- Men will use a men's basketball

### OHIO HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION RULES

The OHSAA is organized to administer & supervise the athletic programs for students grades 7-12. The constitution of the association does not contain any responsibility for any type of athletic program below 7th grade. Anyone & everyone who is not yet enrolled in 7th grade may participate in the Marathon without jeopardizing their future eligibility.

Students in grades 7-12 who are participating in basketball now & in the future, may participate in the Marathon so long as not more than two players from the same Jr. high or High school team do not play on the same team.

**"PLAYING BALL FOR THOSE WHO CAN'T"**  
**PLEASE RETAIN THIS PAPER FOR YOUR RECORDS**

### CLIP & MAIL IN WITH YOUR CHECK

## 42nd ANNUAL 24-HOUR BASKETBALL MARATHON FOR P.A.S.S. PAULDING AREA SUPPORT SOCIETY

*(Formerly known as the Paulding County Society for Crippled Children & Adults)*

This year the Marathon will be held in the Payne Elementary gym Good Friday April 15 & Saturday April 16, starting at approximately 5pm Friday & ending at approximately 5pm Saturday.

The team schedule/ pairings will be emailed to you if you provide your email address. You can also find the schedule in the West Bend News on April 12th & Paulding Progress on April 13th

### DIVISION OF PLAY

*Please Check Proper Team Bracket*

- \_\_\_ MINI-TOTS (0-2<sup>nd</sup> grade) BOYS\_\_\_ GIRLS\_\_\_ CO-ED\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ TOTS (3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade) BOYS\_\_\_ GIRLS\_\_\_ CO-ED\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ MINI-YOUTH (6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade) BOYS\_\_\_ GIRLS\_\_\_ CO-ED\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ YOUTH (9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade) BOYS\_\_\_ GIRLS\_\_\_ CO-ED\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ MEN\* \_\_\_ WOMEN\* \_\_\_ CO-ED\* \*denotes no age restrictions

### REQUESTED WORDING ON BACK OF SHIRTS

One line of copy only: \_\_\_\_\_ (print clearly)

#### SELECT SHIRT COLOR (CIRCLE ONE)

Kelly Green, Lime Green, Safety Green, Safety Orange, Red, Daisy Yellow, Buckeye Grey, Black, Royal Blue, Navy Blue, Carolina Blue, Heliconia Pink, Purple

Please pick your 10 shirts, extra shirts are \$8.00/ 2XL, 3XL, 4XL, shirts add \$3.00

#### SELECT SHIRT SIZES

- |                         |                               |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>Children's Sizes</b> | <b>Adult Sizes</b>            |
| Extra Small (2-4) _____ | Small (34-36) _____           |
| Small (6-8) _____       | Medium (38-40) _____          |
| Medium (10-12) _____    | Large (42-44) _____           |
| Large (14-16) _____     | X-Large (46-48) _____         |
|                         | XX-Large _____ add \$3 ea *   |
|                         | XXX-Large _____ add \$3 ea *  |
|                         | XXXX-Large _____ add \$3 ea * |

### PREFERRED TIME OF PLAY

PLEASE GIVE SEVERAL DIFFERENT TIME AREAS, THIS IS A 24-HOUR EVENT & WE CAN'T GRANT EVERYONE'S REQUEST. THE LITTLE KIDS NORMALLY PLAY SATURDAY MORNING AFTER 8am OR AFTERNOON

Time #1 \_\_\_\_\_ Time #2 \_\_\_\_\_ Time #3 \_\_\_\_\_

Certain time that cannot be played? List reason: \_\_\_\_\_  
**NOT EVERYONE CAN PLAY AT 8pm OR 9pm/ 10am OR 11am**

### PREFERRED COMPETITION

Who does your team want to play? Does that team want to play your team? Is there a team your team cannot play or prefers not to play? (print clearly)

Want To Play a Team? \_\_\_\_\_ Can't Play a Team? \_\_\_\_\_

### ENTRY FEE CALCULATION

- Basic Entry Fee (includes 10 shirts) \$100.00 (players must also pay regular admission at the door)
- Additional Shirts @ \$8.00/shirt ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (\$8.00 x # of shirts in excess of 10)
- Charge for XXL and XXXL Shirts..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (\$3.00 x # of 2XL, 3XL or 4XL shirts)
- Total Amount Due with This Entry Form \_\_\_\_\_ \$**

PLEASE CAREFULLY FILL OUT THIS ENTRY FORM & RETURN IT WITH YOUR CHECK PAYABLE TO (PAULDING AREA SUPPORT SOCIETY). PLEASE MAIL ENTRY FORM AND CHECK TO: BASKETBALL MARATHON 8602 ROAD 51 PAYNE, OH 45880

\*BY SIGNING THIS FORM YOU ACKNOWLEDGE THAT YOU HAVE READ & AGREE TO THE RULES\*  
**\*DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES IS WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022\***

### TEAM REPRESENTATIVES INFO (please print clearly):

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Ph: \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_