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PLANTING FLAGS IN REMEMBRANCE, Jennifer Umland organizes the placing of The Stars and Stripes at Englewood Cemetery. Umland spends a good part of the year in preparation as the facility contains over 1,900 graves.

Jackson Hired As Head Coach



The Clinton School District is proud to announce it has selected Frankie Jackson as its next Head Boys Basketball Coach. Mr. Jackson will take the helm of the Clinton Cardinals boys basketball team and will also work in the district's Information Technology (IT) department.

Coach Jackson has spent the last three seasons as the head boys basketball coach at Butler High School. Jackson has also been a coach with Hogan Prep Academy, Harrisonville School District, and the Clinton School District where he began his coaching career in 2006. During Frankie's 15 years of coaching, he has been a part of 11

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Volunteers Mark Memorial Day With Pageantry And Reflection



Luke Edwards
News Editor

"We've come a long way," said Jennifer Umland. We were sitting at Englewood Cemetery and she had brought some facts and figures with her. She also brought her

memory. "The first year I did this, there was a heavy rainstorm and then the tornado sirens went off." Umland took the volunteer job of making sure all the Veterans had flags on their gravestones over from Rick House after he passed away; at that time the flags were

placed on the graves on Sundays, and they used legal sheets with highlighted plots (not individual graves) and names handwritten on the papers. They distributed the papers to the groups who volunteered to help, and took off through the cemetery to place the flags. As mentioned

above, during a tornado warning and heavy rainstorm, most of the original sheets didn't make it. So, Umland started over: "I have a whole room devoted to this." She described the books, laminator, highlighters, ink pens, papers, and related

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Rodeo Gold Coming To Henry County

Rodeo Gold Productions is coming to the Henry Co. Fairgrounds in Clinton June 18th and 19th at 7:30 each night. How would you like to go one night as guests of the Clinton Chamber of Commerce and Rodeo Gold? The Clinton Chamber is ready to give you the chance to win!

Introducing 'Receipt to Receive Rodeo Tickets Giveaway.'

Beginning this Monday, May 24th, folks can bring in a receipt from a Clinton Chamber business and they will then be entered

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Teachers Honored For Dedication And Service

Staff gathered to reflect on the accomplishments and celebrations from this past

school year. The district recognized Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare

and Henry County Health Center as this year's Friends of Education

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STEPPING INTO THE SPOTLIGHT, Sarah Lankford, Joy DeLozier, and Barb Houk were recognized for serving more than 25 years with the district. Presenting awards were Marilyn Parratt and Cody Westendorff.

Museum Lifts The Veil On WW1 Exhibit



A MAGNIFICENT new WWI exhibit is on display at the library. With the new exhibit were Linda Hill and Museum Director Suzanne Bush.

The World War I exhibit at the Henry County Museum emphasizes Missouri's contribution to World War I. There are 7 panels on display

– and the display is free to the public. It will be available to view through June 30 (Museum hours are 10 a.m. – 4 p.m., Tuesday – Saturday). Museum Director Suzanne Bush with the help of

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WEEKLY WEATHER	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY			
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Have I Got A Line For You!
By James Mahlon White



Prince Harry is back in the news and “spilling more beans” about the Royal Family. So much for wanting his privacy to live in peace. There are probably a lot of people on this side of the pond that have a bit of English blood and some genetic tie-ins with princes and kings from centuries ago, from one side of the blanket or another. Nothing to crow about though.

Conversation in the office this morning included Dylan’s problem with a mole that’s tearing up the backyard. His girlfriend Briar found a wind powered gadget that is supposed to scare them away. I remember at the Lay Avenue house when the yard had little mounded upheavals of dirt where a mole forged its path underneath the ground. My Dad borrowed some kind of trap from Bob Waters, a death trap rather, that looked like a pitch fork. It was stuck down in the ground.

Word on the Street

“What is the most useless animal on the planet?”



“Humans – we are arrogant and assume we are better than other animals. What makes us think we are so useful (not that I hate humans).”
-Michelle Binder



“Aardvarks.”
-John Borthwick



“Panda bears. Don’t get me wrong, they’re cute, I just don’t know what use they have.”
-Cheyenne Hoarde

When the mole went underneath, this triggered the mechanism. Bingo! The heavy tines dropped and the mole was sped on its way to eternity.

Here’s something new out to get us. The law enforcement arm of the Postal Service admitted to spying on U.S. citizens through social media. What is the USPS doing on social media? That’s a job for the CIA, isn’t it? Is the China model coming to America? Speaking of the CIA, President Kennedy fired the Director in 1962 after the Bay of Pigs. He let it be known (on record) that he intended to splinter that organization, “Into a 1000 pieces and scatter it into the wind” for activities he felt were repugnant to a free society. The President was killed less than a year later. Ponder that for a moment.

We sail into another Memorial Day weekend. Take care of yourself and muse a bit and laugh a lot. It’s a good day in the neighborhood and sometimes it’s a mean old world, but onward and upward!

Til Next Week:
J.M.W.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

We are living in a very pivotal time as many of you know. The political and corporate elites are testing just how far they can push and invade our liberties, Our God given rights that are protected by the constitution are slowly being chiseled away. WE THE PEOPLE must push back and speak up against the madness! Those that wish to take down America and destroy our freedoms simply want you to be silent. Silence is consent! By fear and the constant idea of maybe offending somebody or being targeted by the anti-free speech lords... the political correctness disease is being used to silence and control opposition to the communist agenda for our country.

Several weeks ago, I was randomly locked out of my long-time Facebook account after some warnings that my comments and posts did not align with their anti-freedom standards. After several weeks of appeals to FB and other attempts to regain access to my



Scott Largent

BIRTHPLACE: Warner Robbins, Georgia
YEARS IN CLINTON: 28
FAMILY: wife, Leslie, children: Taylor (25), Seth (22), Katie (11), and Josh (10)
OCCUPATION: Henry County Assessor
EDUCATION: High School, Knob Knoster, BA Criminal Justice Administration at UCM, and MA Public Service Administration at UCM
FAVORITE CHILDHOOD MEMORY: spending summers with my grandparents in Georgia
FIRST JOB: Orange Julius – a mall shake-shop at age 14
FAVORITE BAND: Journey or REO Speedwagon
WHAT DO YOU VALUE MOST IN

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YOUR FRIENDS? Loyalty and dependability; trustworthiness
HOBBIES: “Ask me after my last kids graduate.”
I HOPE I NEVER HAVE TO: “I don’t want to outlive my children.”
I HAVE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO? “Do anything musical and that is best for everyone.”
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: “It is hard to rank them.”
IF I WON THE LOTTERY I WOULD: “I don’t think my life would change – but I would do good things with the money, maybe create a perpetual graduation fund for students to fund their college education.”
FUTURE GOAL: “To get through this

re-assessment year.”
WHAT IS THE BEST THING ABOUT LIVING IN CLINTON? “It has a great cross section of people. We chose to live here and could have chosen anywhere else.”
WHAT IS YOUR GREATEST FEAR? “That my children and grandchildren will not grow up in the same America I grew up in.”
WHICH PERSON DO YOU ADMIRE MOST? “JC Smith – he did so many things for so many people and never sought recognition for it.”
WORDS TO LIVE BY: “Peace is not the absence of conflict; it is the ability to handle conflict by peaceful means.” – “Ronald Reagan said it – I hope you remember this when your assessment comes out.”

account, I started a new FB account. Within hours somebody had created a false account to replicate that new account. If you see a page with my name on it that doesn’t have posts that offend liberals and promote freedom, it isn’t me.

Within just about three days of this new FB account, I was block from it after posting about the FREEDOM to choose or not to choose the vaccine. I was notified that within 30 days the account would be deleted. The Fascistbook admin must see me as a threat to this indoctrination agenda. They want to control information and the narrative 100% snuffing out any objecting opinions and labeling them dangerous or false.

Any information that does not support their plan is targeted. I was recently able to regain access to my original FB page. We will see how long it takes them to shut it down again. Until then, though, I will be speaking out, and I will not bow to the political correctness syndrome.

We must also make sure that out state and local officials are not falling into this plan. We must hold them accountable to resist the temptation to go with the flow and easy path of freedom infringement. If they don’t have the backbone needed to resist this agenda we must vote in people that do.

The soul of our nation is on the line and under attack. It is not a time to elect “just nice people.” We must stand behind people who stand for our values; those who stand on their principles and convictions no matter the cost.

Josiah Town, Clinton

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We believe editorial opinion should never be mixed with news reporting.

We believe it is our duty to protect the rights of all citizens regardless of race, creed or economic status.

We believe in supporting projects that make Henry County a better place to live.

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materials she needs to organize the yearly event. The flags, thankfully, are kept in storage at the VFW – and it is a good thing, too, because this year there will be 1,956 of them to place.

Volunteer groups and individuals have increased over the years. There are some consistent groups, like the Northeast Baptist Church. In fact, she recalled Chad Nepple (church member and current Captain at the Clinton Police Department) being there her first year during the rainstorm. Nepple has volunteered for many years and takes his family with him to help. The number of volunteer groups and individuals fluctuates from year to year. Social media (mainly Facebook) helps get the word out. Northeast Baptist Church, Drakes Chapel, Good Shepard Hospice, the local Boy Scout Troops, and a 4-H group are all helping this year. A lot of individuals help too. Umland recalled last year having a Gold Star family volunteer to take care of the plot that their loved one was in (recall that a Gold Star family is the family of a soldier who lost their life in service). Gary Michael's family, the Clinton Police officer that lost his life a few years ago in town, volunteered to take care of the plot in which he rests; Officer Michael was a Veteran.

Umland spends about six months of the year preparing for the Memorial Day flag placements. She begins by going through the books, identifying the new graves which will need flags, and updating her laminated sheets (placed in three-ring binders) and doing some research. Of course, there is the wrap-up work following Memorial Day itself: the flags are left up for two weeks following Memorial Day before being taken down – which also presented a problem that had to be overcome: whose flag was it? Did the family put that one there or did a volunteer group? In order to not take down a flag that a family had placed on their own, Umland started painting the flags stems red on the ones the volunteers placed: problem solved. It is, indeed, improved upon every year. Damaged flags have to be properly disposed of, new flags ordered, and everything updated. It is a momentous undertaking, and she is always identifying new graves of soldiers who should be getting a flag. "Every Veteran deserves a flag for Memorial Day," said Umland.

These days, the volunteer groups put

flags out on Friday and Saturday; it used to only be on Saturdays, but because of COVID last year (in order to keep groups separated) she added Fridays; the change, because it worked, stuck. Another improvement. Umland is a Veteran herself – and lost four soldiers from her unit in 1988 – part of the reason she continues to take this seriously. But she also remembered how as a youth her family would travel to Versailles (Mo.) and take care of her grandfather's grave – he had been killed in World War II. "They have a memorial wall there," she said. "It has always tugged at my heart-strings."

Umland has become interested in the individual lives of the veterans buried in Englewood as well; her aspiration is to someday collect the life information of those veterans and put it in book form. She talked about some of her favorite graves: there is the Indian Interpreter and Scout who was with General Sheridan: Cephas "Dick" Parr (1843 – 1911); Umland likes the history and the variety of graves – for instance, there is the interesting grave of Ephraim Allison, a Captain in the 16th Missouri Infantry for the Confederate States (1835 – 1905); or the grave site of Clem Dickinson who was killed at the Battle of Argonne in World War I. In many ways, a history of the county can be constructed through the veterans of the county (even going back to the Revolutionary War – one of the first settlers to this area and the only veteran from that war buried here, although not at Englewood).

"I like to get the stories, too," said Umland. She said that some of the more interesting stories she gets are from the families that visit the cemetery and talk about their veteran. She writes the stories down when she can and keeps them; if she can do it, those stories will be included in the book she'd like to put together.

The Englewood Cemetery staff are really good, too: Umland said they are used to seeing her tromp around the cemetery while they are mowing and the Sexton, John Wilson, has been really helpful as well. In fact, when she first started trying to find graves for Memorial Day, her antiquated system was on full display. Wilson finally told Jennifer one day: "You know we have a searchable website, right?" Well, no, she didn't know that, but once she did know it was not long before she was able to incorporate that tool into her prepping and

planning. For those who don't know, the Englewood Cemetery has a very nice website with a searchable data base and a map that shows the locations of the grave sites – it will even give you GPS coordinates.

What started as 1,716 veterans has now grown to 1,956 and more are added every year. To volunteer with the Memorial Day flag placements, check out the Englewood Memorial Day Flag Placement event on Facebook.

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volunteers recently installed the display and there are plans to put a few of the museum's World War I collection items with the display as well. One item already in the exhibit room is a mechanical knitting machine (developed because of the soldiers' lack of socks resulting in trench foot) which was used during the war. The panel exhibit is on loan from the Missouri Humanities Council and the Springfield-Greene County Library District.

Over There! The rally cry for World War I was a call to arms. America, late entering the Great War, mobilized its men and industry to help defeat the German Alliance in Europe. Later, the war was dubbed as "the war to end all wars." Of course, many wars have been fought since, but the magnitude of World War I on modern life is enormous. US entry into the global conflict was the tipping point and the catalyst for victory for the Allied powers.

Before the Americans entered the war, deadly trench warfare and new technologies had drawn the European contestants to a bloody stalemate. New machine guns, new submarines, aviation, and, most sinisterly, the use of chemical agents in war, were all new facets of warfare. Artillery had advanced significantly, and tanks were used for the first time on a battlefield. It was a strange mix of old and new: cavalry charged into artillery barrages, against tanks and into machine gun nests. The death toll was high. It is estimated that about 9 million combatants and about 13 million civilians lost their lives in World War I. To make matters worse, the Spanish Flu pandemic took another 100 million lives worldwide.

America entered the war in 1917 about three years after it had already started in Europe. President Woodrow Wilson had tried to keep the US neutral, but the targeting and sinking of American merchant ships became so frequent in Atlantic waters, the US was forced to concede

to the inevitable. On April 2, 1917, America officially entered the war.

Missouri sent 156,232 soldiers off to fight – many soldiers were from Henry County; for those interested, there is a Military Section at the Henry County Museum with more information and displays concerning World War I and Henry County. Clem P. Dickinson was the first casualty from Henry County. Of the 156,000 soldiers from Missouri sent off to fight, 11,000 became casualties; there were five recipients of the Medal of Honor from Missouri. Famous Missourians in World War I include General John J. Pershing, Enoch Crowder, President Harry Truman, and Walt Disney. Frank Buckles, the last surviving veteran of World War I, was also a native Missourian.

The world after The Great War forever changed: literature, art, culture, technology, governments, philosophy, art, food, and even the world map. In many ways, it is the beginning of the modern era.

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cation recipients. This yearly award is given to a community partner who plays a vital role in the success of the district. This year, our community's health-care partners were essential in our ability to have in-person school all year long.

The district also recognized Julie Balke as the Support Staff Employee of the Year, Caitlin Lemasson as the Cardinal Rising Star of the Year, and Kathy Loyd as the Educator of the Year. On behalf of the Wetzel Family Foundation, Dan Wallace presented an award to Julie Balke. Carla Moberly represented the Clinton Education Foundation and presented an award to Kathy Loyd.

Staff years of service and retirees were also recognized (see pictures for names and more info).

We are proud of our staff and the countless hours they put in this year to make the Clinton School District a great place to learn AND work.

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to win. The receipts must be from May 21st through the end of this promotion.

At the Chamber, we will copy or scan that receipt and get your name and phone number. Keep in mind that the item on your receipt has to be at least a \$25 purchase and those items need to be purchased from members of the Clinton Chamber to be entered, but you can enter multiple times with different receipts. Those receipts will be entered into a drawing to win two tickets to

the rodeo either June 18th or 19th. We will give our tickets away on June 17th. To be entered to win, you must bring at least one receipt to the Chamber. All qualifying receipts will be eligible for our ticket giveaway.

On June 17th, we will take all the receipts entered and draw the winner.

To get this promotion started, you can start bringing in those receipts on Monday, May 24th and we will accept them until 4:30pm on Wed., June 16th. We are open Monday through Friday from 8am until 4:30pm at 200 South Main St. You can find a list of Clinton Chamber members when you go to www.ClintonMO.com, call the Clinton Chamber at 885-8166, stop by or look for the Clinton Chamber decal near the front of each business.

This URA, MR-CA-sanctioned rodeo will feature bull riding, barrel racing, team roping, steer wrestling, breakaway roping, calf roping, saddle bronc riding, bareback riding and more! The winner of the Henry Co. Queen contest will be announced, the cook shack will be open, a DJ on Friday night, a band on Saturday night and more. Rodeo gold productions, brought to you by the Clinton tourism association, will take place June 18th and 19th at 7:30 each night at the Henry Co. Fairgrounds in Clinton.

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district championship games, winning six with four different school districts.

Coach Jackson attended North Central Missouri College and Ottawa University where he received a Bachelor's of Science in Information Technology degree and was a member of both schools' basketball programs.

During his time as a student in the Clinton School District, Frankie was a standout student-athlete. In high school he was a part of the 1998 undefeated West Central Conference championship basketball team, the 2000 district championship team, and received All-Area and All-Conference honors in 1998-2000. And in 1999, he qualified for the state track meet and holds the school record in the 4x200 relay.

The Clinton School District and Clinton community are excited to bring Coach Jackson back to our community to lead our boys basketball program.

Jason Abner, Clinton Activities Director, said, "The Clinton School District is excited to bring in Frankie Jackson as the Head Boys Basketball coach

and believes he will be great for our kids."

Coach Jackson says, "As a kid, I recall my family going to "the pit." They wouldn't let me run around while my cousins were playing basketball so I was forced to sit and watch. At the time, I didn't know what was going on, or what I was watching; I just knew whatever it was, I had to be a part of it. I grew to love the game. Grew to know and love the players along the way. Fast forward 10 years and I'm one of those guys battling it out in the pit. Fast forward another 8 years and I'm the assistant coach in that same gym. Fast forward 12 years and I'm a head coach for that very same community, which is my home."

"I'm honored and humbled to have this opportunity to work and serve in the very community that I was raised in. Although I've played and coached here before, this is a uniquely different stage and I'm excited to meet the new challenges we will face. I'm looking forward to working with the student athletes, district staff, and the community in its entirety."



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Robert Moore Military Graduation



Robert Moore of Clinton, Mo. successfully completed four years of challenging academic, physical and professional military training, graduating from the U.S. Naval Academy with a Bachelor of Science degree in History and a commission as a U. S. Marine Corps 2 nd Lt. He is a graduate of Clinton High School.

At the academy Moore was a member of the Varsity Offshore Sailing Team and Semper Fi Society.

Founded in 1845, the U.S. Naval Academy today is a prestigious four-year service academy that prepares midshipmen morally, mentally and physically to be professional officers in the naval service. More than 4,400 men and women representing every state in the U.S. and several foreign countries make up the student body, known as the Brigade of Midshipmen. U.S. News and World Reports has recognized the Naval Academy as a top five undergraduate engineering school and a top 20 best liberal arts college. Midshipmen learn from military and civilian instructors and participate in intercollegiate varsity sports and extracurricular activities. They also study subjects such as leadership, ethics, small arms, drill, seamanship and navigation, tactics, naval engineering and weapons, and military law. Upon graduation, midshipmen earn a

Bachelor of Science degree in a choice of 25 different subject majors and go on to serve at least five years of exciting and rewarding service as commissioned officers in the U.S. Navy or U.S. Marine Corps.

The Brigade of Midshipmen is comprised of approximately 4,400 students from every state in the union. Each year, approximately 1,200 young men and women are admitted to the Naval Academy's incoming class.

The academy's alumni include, one president, 21 members of Congress, five governors, 73 Medal of Honor recipients, two Nobel Prize winners, 52 astronauts and 4,000 admirals and generals.

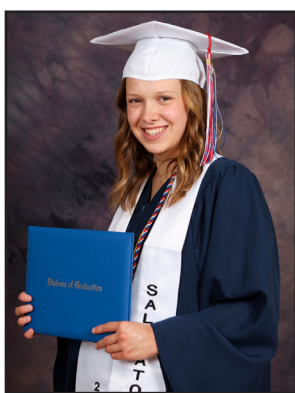


Clinton Christian Academy Celebrates Second Graduation

Clinton Christian Academy (CCA) held their second High School graduation on Saturday, May 8th at 2pm in the CCA gym. CCA had five seniors who completed the requirements for graduation and earned their high school diplomas. Mr. Clark Ballard, who was the CCA administrator when the 9th grade was added in 2017, was a surprise attendee and gave the seniors some words of advice. Ms. Carla Crump was also in attendance along with many other past and present CCA teachers and staff members. Miss Lydia Lanning, daughter of Ken and Michele Lanning, was Valedictorian. Miss Molly Briggs, daughter of Jason and Andrea Briggs, was Salutatorian. Both ladies delivered a joint address with words of wisdom for the graduating class of 2021. The junior class of 2022 had some fun "roasting" the seniors at the event before the graduates received their scholarships and diplomas. Mr. Don Patterson, current CCA Bible and Social Studies teacher, was the keynote speaker. Congratulations to Lydia Lanning, Molly Briggs, Isaiah Salazar, Joshua Marchbanks, and Eli Sargent on your high school graduation and the beginning of the rest of your lives.



Lydia Lanning



Molly Briggs



Joshua Marchbanks



Isaiah Salazar



Eli Sargent



Henry County Unit Of Retired Teachers

The Henry County Unit of Retired Teachers and Retired School Personnel met via Zoom on April 22, 2021. President Virgie Cook opened the meeting by welcoming fifteen members and guest speaker, Dan Wallace.

Vice President Phyllis Lucas introduced our program speaker, Dan Wallace, Vice President/Treasurer of the Education Foundation for Clinton Students, Inc. He gave a short history of the foundation including its creation in 1997 with 12 board members who serve three-year terms. The Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent and President of the Clinton School Board are ex officio members. The current President of the Foundation Board is Carla Moberly. The Foundation is a 501(c) (3) corporation. Mr. Wallace listed the sources of funding

which include: Major Saver Card, also known in the past as the "Cardinal Card" which is a discount card for area restaurants and other businesses. Students sell the cards for \$10. In the 21 years the program has been in existence, students have sold 50,040 cards and raised \$278,589 for our Clinton schools and students.

5K Run where sponsors paying \$1,000, \$500, \$250, or \$100 have their names printed on the T-shirts which are distributed to the runners on race day.

Donations received from individuals Mr. Wallace went on to explain that currently the Foundation awards four scholarships to CHS seniors which are:

Bob and Mary Kay Stephens Scholarship. This is one \$500 scholarship.

Esther Burnside Scholarship. This is one \$500 scholarship.

Charles DesCombes Scholarship. The family chooses the recipi-

ent of this \$500 scholarship.

The Education Foundation Scholarships. Two are awarded, each for \$1,000.

He then shared that the Education Foundation has also contributed to new playground equipment and awarded classroom impact grants.

The Education Foundation of Clinton Students, Inc. encourages donations. You can also remember the Foundation in your estate planning.

President Cook then led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance and conducted the business meeting.

Secretary Roberta Edgett read the minutes of the Zoom meeting of February, 2021 which were previously sent to the members. There were no corrections or additions and were approved.

Treasurer's report by Kathy Nepple was read by Acting Treasurer Loree Walrath.

Legislative report from Cathy Semkin was shared by Mary Ann Bath. She reminded us the last day of the Missouri Legislative Session will be May 14, 2021.

Community Service Chair Peggy Williams reminded us to keep track of volunteer hours.

Information and Protective Services report by Carolyn Walden, read by Phyllis Lu-

cas, concerned tax related identity theft. The main gist is that thieves are stealing Social Security numbers.

Historian/Parliamentarian Mary Ann Bath announced that she and President Virgie Cook are going to meet to discuss the by-laws.

Old business included attendance at the MRTA Unit President Summit Zoom meeting by President Virgie on March 9 and 10. The MRTA Region 6 meeting was held April 16 by Zoom. Our unit had the highest attendance of all the units represented and Arleta Godwin, MRTA State President, congratulated us.

New Business included a reminder that the MRTA Annual Meeting is to be held on September 14 and 15. The silent auction will be held at that time. A motion was made by Mary Ann Bath to donate \$100 to the silent auction which was seconded by Vivian Taylor. The motion passed unanimously. This auction helps fund our MRTF Classroom Grants.

Distinguished Retiree Nominee Committee: Sandra Braithwait, Mary Cook and Karen Kennedy kindly consented to serve another year. Phyllis Lucas moved to approve the nomination of Vivian Taylor as Distinguished Retiree for

2020. Mary Ann Bath seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

A new state MRTA project, Cash for Classrooms, will be chaired by Loree Walrath for our local unit. MRTA provides a match of up to \$100 if the local unit provides an equal amount or more. Teachers from our area can receive this funding for their classroom projects.

Virgie Cook has been asked to serve Region 6 as Vice President, to replace the late Walt Cochran. Virgie asked us to please check our HCRT Facebook page for announcements.

The scheduling of the next meeting was discussed. It was decided to have the meeting on June 24, 2021 at 10:00 am at the United Methodist Church. For those who might want to attend by Zoom, please contact Virgie at least one day before the meeting. She will Zoom the in-person meeting for those who choose that option. The program on June 24 will be Lindy Johnson, Access Counselor at Clinton High School. Door prizes consisting of yellow mugs were won by Penny Lindsey, Mary Ann Bath and Dana Street. Phyllis Lucas made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Dana Street seconded the motion and the meeting was adjourned.

Westlake Hardware Donates Grill To EMS



WESTLAKE HARDWARE in Clinton recently donated a Traeger Grill to the Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare Ambulance staff during Emergency Medical Services Week, an act that was very much so appreciated.

GVMH Hires Pulmonologist



Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare is pleased to welcome Essam Elkady, MD, FCCP, as a pulmonologist in its Outpatient Treatment Center.

Dr. Elkady will see patients to prevent, diagnose and treat conditions that affect the lungs. He will also oversee the Sleep Lab and provide care to patients experiencing sleep disorders.

Dr. Elkady received a

Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery degree from Ain Shams University in Abbassia, Cairo, Egypt, where he also completed a rotating internship focusing in internal medicine, pediatrics, anesthesia, cardiology and OB/GYN and a residency in the Cardiothoracic Surgery Department. Dr. Elkady also completed a residency in the Internal Medicine Department at Saint Michael Medical Center at Seton Hall University in Newark, New Jersey and a fellowship in pulmonary/critical care at the same facility.

Dr. Elkady is board certified in sleep medicine, critical care medicine, pulmonary medicine and internal medicine.

Prior to joining GVMH, Dr. Elkady worked at Cox Health in Springfield, Missouri as a consultant in pulmonary and sleep medicine, and critical care.

"It is a pleasure to welcome Dr. Elkady to GVMH," said Savanna Facklam, Director of Outpatient and Scheduling Services. "Adding a full-time pulmonologist with a certification in sleep medicine will enhance the quality and breadth of care that GVMH can provide to patients, close to home."

To schedule an appointment with Dr. Elkady, call 660.890.7300.



ROBERT J. "BOB" HAWKINS

Robert J "Bob" Hawkins, age 71, of Calhoun, Missouri passed away Saturday, May 1st, 2021 at St. Luke's Hospital in Kansas City, Missouri.

Bob was born March 26, 1950 to Robert W and Mary V (Stockdall) Hawkins, in Clinton, MO. He was the oldest of six children. Bob started First grade at Turner School, near Tightwad. He then attended Clinton schools, where he graduated from Clinton High School. Bob's Dad taught him and his siblings the responsibility of hard work and the enjoyment of the great outdoors. He loved to fish, hunt and just walking through the timber. He also liked to play pool. As a child, he threw newspapers from his bicycle and mowed yards. He also helped his Dad, who was foreman at Anderson's Chicken Company. While in High School, he started working at Clearfield Cheese Company in Clinton. Later he worked at The International Shoe Factory in Windsor, then went back to Clearfield Cheese.

On July 20, 1969, Bob married Linda Fantz, in the Calhoun United Methodist Church. After living in Clinton for a few months, they moved to Calhoun to make their home. Their precious daughter, Lynetta was born on April 17, 1970. A few months later, he went to work for Dunning Furniture, a long-time establishment in Clinton. He became an accomplished salesman, and before long he became the Store Manager. On his 21st Birthday, March 26, 1971, their second precious daughter, Roberta, was born. Bob played baseball and other outside games, with the girls, as well as teaching them to hunt, fish and find mushrooms.

Bob and his Dad bought big trucks and did custom hay hauling. They worked day and night for their families. After they sold their trucks, the farmers started baling the large hay bales. After seven years, at the furniture store, Bob struck out to start a new career as an Insurance Agent. He was an agent for Farmers Insurance Group for 42 years, retiring June 30, 2019.

In the earlier years of their marriage, Bob rode motorcycles, starting with dirt bikes and graduating from small CC's, of different brands. It was a treat, for Lynetta & Roberta to take turns riding with Daddy. When the girls got older, Bob and Linda rode their chopped out, 750 Honda out east to Myrtle Beach. The girls rode with Grandpa and Grandma in the camper.

Bob sold the motorcycle, so he and Linda could concentrate on the girl's school activities, etc. Bob coached their Pee Wee Basketball team. Bob and Linda were active in the PTA, PTO and Booster Club. All through Junior High and High School,

Bob only missed one of their Basketball games. After the girls were out of high school, Bob bought the 1983 Harley-Davidson Shovelhead, from Yeager's in Sedalia, to cure his itch to ride again. Bob and Linda were part of the group that formed The Harley Owners Group Chapter in Sedalia. During this time a nephew, Steven, lived with them, to finish High School. They took him to events with them, which was fine, because his parents also rode. Steven was like a son to Bob.

Bob was approached about Freedom of Road Riders®. After joining the Sedalia Local 3 and later forming Local 35 in Clinton, he knew he had found what he was looking for. He loved the USA and "Freedom" in their name spurred him He loved riding his motorcycles, meeting people and working to protect the rights of these motorcyclists. As a Life Member of Freedom of Road Riders®, Bob worked tirelessly for the organization for around 30 years. Bob expected No recognition or even a Thank You, it is just what he wanted to do. He really wasn't done, but God called him home.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents, a brother, Randie L Hawkins and a sister, Karen J Carter.

He is survived by wife, Linda of the home, two daughters; Lynetta (Ryan) Crooks of Clinton and Roberta (Shawn) Cox of Independence. Three Grandsons; Jacob (Taylor Atkinson) Bellomy of Buffalo; Dalton (Emily Dunshie) Cox, Blake Cox, one Granddaughter, Melanie Cox and a Great-Granddaughter Presley Cox, all of Independence. A Great-Grandson, Fredrick Bellomy of Buffalo. Also a sister, Carol (Gary) Sell of Calhoun, two brothers; Ross (Tammy) Hawkins of Clinton and Ray (Beverly) Hawkins of Windsor; one Uncle, Clayton Stockdall of Texas and Numerous Cousins, Nieces, Nephews and Friends.

A Celebration of Life was held Saturday, May 8, 2021 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel, Clinton with Rev. David L. Mills officiating. Special music included "Born To Be Wild and Old Rugged Cross."

Services were under the direction of Vansant-Mills Funeral Home of Clinton, Missouri.

Death Notices

Claib Weno, 72 years, died May 22, 2021.

Funeral service, Hill & Son Funeral Home, Appleton City, Thursday, May 27. 11:00 a.m.

Visitation, Wednesday, May 26, 6-8 p.m.

Military presentation, Montrose VFW Post #8820. Missouri Army Honor Guard

Memorial, Montrose VFW Post #8820

Marsha Cook died Tuesday, May 25th, at her home in Clinton.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton and are pending at this time.

Curtis and I have two girls graduating this year. Mattie, our oldest, is graduating high school and will be moving off to college soon. Wow, do we feel old. Renae, our youngest, will be graduating pre-school this year. Man, we are old... One starting college and one starting kindergarten. Our emotions are all over the place. To our fellow parents of graduating seniors - Congratulations, you did it! We know your excitement of wondering what the future holds for your graduate. And for our fellow parents who are just beginning this adventure - Cherish every minute. It goes by so fast.



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THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE

ACROSS

- Gaggle group
- It takes seconds
- Horned snakes
- Ayn Rand's shrugger
- Taj Mahal city
- Hot Lips Houlihan player Loretta
- Celery farm fundraiser?
- Fey of "30 Rock"
- Thoughtful, in a sad way
- Two-under-par finish at Pebble Beach
- Rolling stone's lack
- Gazetteer figures
- Bean Town
- Beijing, formerly
- Loafers' lack
- "Crocodile Hunter" Steve
- Like the tide, at times
- "Younger ___ Springtime"
- Picture-perfect

- Bunyan's ox
- Prefix with "tax"
- Lion of "Narnia" tales
- Spaghetti sauce herb
- Designed with acid
- Not fair and balanced
- Most common inert gas
- Interview attire
- Fistfight souvenirs
- Chief magistrate
- Place to moor
- Buck on Truman's desk?
- Baltic Sea feeder
- Napa Valley climber
- Guy, informally
- Does some road work
- Cattle zapper
- Touchy-___

THROWING A CURVE

By John M. Samson

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- Startled reaction
- Suffix with "major"
- Joie de vivre
- "Do the Right Thing" pizzeria
- Umiak paddlers
- eHarmony connections
- "Revolting!"
- Cupid, to the Greeks
- Lois at the Daily Planet
- Back in the Navy?
- Part of a pig's dinner set?
- Companion of the Nina
- Sticks around
- Stratford's river
- Full of oneself
- Peanut butter and jelly
- Crunchy sandwiches
- "Hawaii Five-O" setting
- Funhouse employee?
- Top rating, often
- McGregor who played Obi-Wan
- About 5/8 of a mi.
- "Spamalot" co-creator Eric
- Village Voice bestowal
- Make a steel sculpture, say
- "Sorta" suffix
- Cote call
- Teen's breakout
- Remove, as a hunk of chocolate
- Cartridge fillers
- Rhea or emu
- Natty neckwear
- "Mary Tyler Moore" spin-off
- Hiked, as a price
- "Please answer"
- Make uniform, perhaps
- Take a powder
- Vogue rival
- Ump's ruling
- Airline seat part
- John ___ Lennon

Calhoun Baptist Church

PASTOR MARK ABNEY

A Believer's Resolve was the title pastor Mark Abney chose for his sermon as he continued in Romans 1: 7-16. Paul made 3 statements of resolve: I am a debtor, I am ready, and I am not ashamed. As followers of Jesus Christ we too should be resolved to these statements. Are you ready too share the gospel to those who do not know Jesus as their Savior? What really matters in this world is what you do with Jesus Christ.

Prayer concerns this week are for Taylor Henson, Merrill and Linda Huey, Darren Huey, Don Gregory and Pat Kampe. How comforting it is to know we serve a risen Savior who hears and answers our prayers.

Celebrate Recovery continues on Sunday evenings. At 5:30 pm dinner is served followed by worship at 6:30 pm. Small group support happens at 7:30. Come be a part of this fellowship. Make new friends and help strengthen your resolve to live a victorious life.

We will be holding Vacation Bible School this summer during the week of August 2-6. Make plans now to send your kiddos and come yourself as there will be classes for Preschool through Adults. This will be a great time for families to share the VBS experience together.

Drive in, inside, and live streaming of our worship service is available. To hear the worship service within the city limits tune your radio dial to 93.1 FM. Live streaming of our service begins at 11:00 am. Check it out by going to our Facebook page and you can worship with us in real time. Pastor Mark's sermon is also available as a podcast on our website.

We hope that you will continue to support the church with your tithes and offerings. If you are unable to come in person, please mail your offerings to Calhoun Baptist Church, PO Box 33, Calhoun, MO 65323.

Come join us for Sunday School beginning at 10:00 am and Worship at 11:00 am. We look forward to greeting you. For more information about our church or to listen to the full sermon visit our website at www.calhounbaptist.org.

Calhoun United Methodist Church

Welcome to the news of Calhoun United Methodist Church. Our service is also being filmed for Facebook. We rant the church bell this mooning to call the faithful to worship.

Our prayer list includes: Pastor Margie Briggs and Avery, Mary Smarr, Linda Hawkins and family, Linda "Colwell" Scovner, Marie Miller and family, Grace Shockley, Sherrelyn Bell, Jean and Larry Cox, Clyde Pugh, and Dave Burson

Joys to celebrate: We were pleased to have Kelli Jenkins fill in for Pastor Margie who is on vacation. Kelli always has an interesting message from the heart.

The 'welcome mat' is always out. Come dressed as you're comfortable. Be prepared to receive a blessing for your effort, and we will be blessed by your presence. Thought for the week: Make sure you test positive for Faith, keep your distance from Doubt, isolate your self from Fear, and trust God through it all.

Clinton Church of the Nazarene

5-16-21

Pastor opened the service with prayer. Our poem was called, "What if?"

Nick led the congregation in 'Responsive Reading'. Richard gave the prayer for the offering. He gave reference to verses from Exodus 2, "When it felt like, to us, that there was no hope, You came into our lives and saved us." Communion was served.

Do you like puzzles? Pastor does! Jesus completes us even as a puzzle piece fits in the puzzle. The world is in a quandary. Many gun shootings. Come into church. Jesus is the door to true life. He alone can welcome you into new life, abundant life. We give our all to Jesus, He have His all for us. Our southern borders are full of determined people trying to sneak into our country. But, there is a wrong way and a right way. In Jesus we receive every thing we need for abundant life. We must get ready in this life for the life we will live victoriously. Jesus is the hope of glory. Only He can defeat Satan. Come to Jesus. Be all that you can be. Jesus has the power to break every addiction. God is still in power and in Jesus you can have deliverance. In Jesus, you can be saved. He can do the miracles in your life. In Jesus is power. In Jesus is hope. In Jesus is life, eternal life. Verses from 1 Corinthians and 1 Timothy were used to further illustrate the message.

We thank each person who came to worship. We pray that you received a rich blessing by being here and that you will come again. SEE YOU IN CHURCH?

Clinton United Methodist Church

In this past pandemic year, we've all found ourselves on the outside looking in at one time or another. Outside our normal circle of family and friends... outside our normal experiences of work, school, and community... or outside our normal realm of certainty and comfort. But really, it's been that way long before 2020. There's always been outsiders and insiders. If we're honest, we're okay with that, until we're the ones on the outside looking in.

God sees things differently! "God shows his love for us, because while we were still sinners Christ died for us." (Romans 5:8) "You are all God's children through faith in Christ Jesus... There is neither Jew nor Greek... neither slave nor free; nor is there male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus." (Galatians 3:28)

God's relentless purpose is to bring those who are outside in! And that's good news, because at one time or another we are all outsiders looking in! My hope and prayer for you is that now and always you will be able see to the open invitation of God's grace!

Your partner on the journey,

Pastor Steve Blacksher

Join us Sunday mornings for services at 8:15 (in-person, Facebook Live and KDKD).

We currently have Sunday worship service at 8:15 am in-person on Sundays. When you are comfortable doing so, join us. Sunday School for adults and chil-

dren starts at 9:15 AM. Middle school meet at 4:00 and High school meets at 5:00 on Sundays.

We are currently offering valet parking at our 8:15 service for those that would benefit from fewer steps into church. We are also running the church bus to pick up people who can't or don't want to drive. Please call the church office before Friday at 1:00 to get on the pickup schedule.

Visit our website at www.clintonumc.net to learn all about the Clinton United Methodist Church or call the office at 660-885-5597. We are located at the corner of 4th and Wilson Streets. Guidelines for in-person worship can be found on our webpage or call the office at 660-885-5597. On Sundays, you can also listen to KDKD 95.3 FM at 8:15 AM or check us out on Facebook (UMCClintonMO) at 8:15 for a livestream video. We'd love to have you join us, either on the radio, on Facebook, or in-person as we experience the music and the joy of God's message.

First Baptist Church

Kevin Griffey began the Sunday morning worship services with music praising the Lord for who He is and all He has done. The scripture reading for both services was Acts 2:1-21 and Psalms 104:24-42, and 35B. In the absence of Pastor Randy Shipman, the pulpit was filled by Rev. Devin Hackler. He used Hebrews 1:1-5 to remind us of the 'Supremacy of Christ: Our Prophet, Priest and King', who not only created us, but sustains the universe by His power.

In June, Mission Fuge Camp for Middle School, 6th-8th grades, will be at Southwest Baptist University in Bolivar, June 14-18. Fuge Camp for High Schoolers will be at the Union University in Jackson, Tennessee from June 21-25. "Sports Crusaders" will be at First Baptist again this year so don't forget to pick up your camp registration forms at the FBC Welcome Center Information Desk or the church office. There will be Basketball, Soccer and Volleyball camps for 3rd-8th grades. Also, Volleyball for 3rd-5th grades.

Vacation Bible School will be held at First Baptist at the Vansant Road location June 27-July 1 from 6-8:30 p.m. This year's theme is "Destination Dig". Parents, don't forget to enroll your children in this fun filled event.

Don't forget 'Celebrate Recovery' meets on Tuesdays at the Vansant Road Campus beginning with worship at 6:30 p.m. and Open Share Small Groups at 7:30 p.m.

For the shut-ins the worship service is aired on KDKD 95.3 at 10 a.m. Sunday mornings. Online worship services continue at this time.

We invite those in the Clinton area who don't have a church home to join us in worship of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. For more information on the activities of FBC, please telephone the church office at (660) 885-2211 or check out the website at www.fbccClinton.org

First Presbyterian Church

It was Pentecost Sunday. We are reminded that the Holy Spirit inspires our hearts with his fiery presence. Let us as children of God proclaim his love in all ways. Rev. Nancy Gillard delivered the sermon Windblown using Acts 2:1-21 and 37-42 as her text. Let us be prepared to serve God in some mighty ways and rejoice that the Holy Spirit is with us always.

On Saturday, May 22nd we enjoyed a FOOD TRUCK FELLOWSHIP. The food was delicious and the fellowship so delightful. Musical entertainment was provided for enjoyment. Thank you to everyone who came out and helped make this endeavor a success.

The Naomi Ruth ladies are encouraging two new mission projects. Personal hygiene items for African girls are ready to be assembled and sewn. We are also collecting cake mixes of all sizes and flavors for the Samaritan Center Pantry shelves. Collection will continue through Sunday, June 27.

Jesus Camp will be back this year July 26-30. The camp will be held jointly with the Clinton Christian Church at the Presbyterian Church facility. Covid-19 guidelines set in place by Heartland Camps will be followed. If you have children or grandchildren wishing to attend camp, be sure to register them at www.heartlandcamps.org.

If you are interested in participating in the weekly ZOOM Bible Study on Wednesday's at 11:30 am be sure to call the church office and a link will be sent to you.

You are invited to join us in worship each week. We are worshipping inside (masks no longer required) and outside with our drive-in service. If unable to attend in person, please find us online at: You tube Nancy Gillard, [fpcclintonmo.com](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCpccclintonmo) or Facebook First Presbyterian Clinton MO. Sunday sermons, worshipful music, church updates and prayer times are available there.

Golden Valley Christian Church

The Brooklyn Bridge is one of the oldest suspension bridges in the United States and the first steel-wire bridge in the world. It opened in May 1883, but a rumor began about the safety of this never-before-seen type of bridge. To prove the safety, twenty-one circus elephants crossed the bridge in 1884, dispelling these rumors. There was a toll to cross this bridge, which was one cent to cross on foot, five cents for a horse and rider, and ten cents for a horse and wagon. Today, crossing the bridge is free. The word, "bridge," does not appear in the Bible, but it does have a symbolic meaning of the connection between God and man.

The Golden Valley Christian Charity Crafters meet at the church building on Thursdays at 2:00 PM. This Sunday, May 30, is the last day to contribute green beans for the West Central Christian Service Camp. A list of supplies that will be needed for VBS is available, for those wishing to help in that way; any questions, please see Melynnne. Unfortunately, rain cancelled the youth bike ride last week, but hopefully, another bike ride will be planned.

Bro Elmer's uplifting message came from Ephesians 1:3-14. The Apostle Paul pointed out that the purpose for us, in these first verses, is to give praise to God because of the blessings He has given to us. The mystery Paul writes about is the plan that God had in choosing us to be holy and blameless. God adopted us because of His great love for us, giving us a way of redemption through the death of Jesus. As we truly consider these words, we understand our need to praise God and thank Him.

Golden Valley Christian Church meets at 611 South Third Street in Clinton. Sunday Bible classes begin at 9:30 AM, and the morning worship service is at 10:30. Our interim minister is Elmer Fuller, and our website is www.goldenvalleyc.org, where you will also find links to access our Facebook page and YouTube sermons. We are happy to invite you to attend our services, where you will always receive a warm welcome.

New Hope Baptist Church

New Hope Baptist Church Revival

New Hope Baptist Church, 209 E. Pine, Clinton, will enter into Revival services Monday, May 31, 2021. Services begin at 7:30 pm each evening, except for Sundays when they begin at 6:00 pm. Services are expected to continue for two weeks.

Elder Kip Baker of Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Urbana, Missouri, will be the helper. Elder Barry McCoy of Humansville is Pastor of New Hope. The community is invited to attend. Prayers are requested for the presence of the Lord and His Saving Grace. New Hope is a Missionary Baptist church where the full gospel is preached and Baptist practice carried out to the end that lost souls might have an opportunity to seek and find a heartfelt experience of Salvation.

Questions may be directed to Ann Pugh at 885-4807.

Urich Baptist Church

We rejoiced with having a sunny day to worship the Lord. Please join us each Sunday at 10:30 A.M. for worship service. Today, Mrs. Canny Pollett rang the church bell. Mrs. Julia Klinefelter led in the congregational singing with Mrs. Dixie Collins playing piano.

The scripture passage from Pastor Chad Pollett's sermon was from Ephesians 2: 11-18.

In this passage the Jews had intense hatred for the Gentiles and said they were unclean. Gentiles are anyone that isn't a Jew. Christ died for everyone and took all that was unclean and made it clean. Christ brought peace between Jews and Gentiles. Christ wants for people to tear down any wall of disagreement and come together unified as one body in Christ. We must be at peace with all people. Have a great week.

Trinity Lutheran Church

The 5th New York Volunteer Infantry, "Duryée's Zouaves," was one of the most renowned fighting regiments of the American Civil War. Their colorful Zouave uniform, precision maneuvers, effectiveness in combat, and steadiness under fire gained universal respect and recognition. "I doubt whether it had an equal." General George Sykes said of the 5th New York.

On the afternoon of August 30, 1862, the third day of the Second Battle of Manassas, the famed "Texas Brigade" launched a massive attack. There were few Union troops there to meet the onslaught. Among those who engaged in the battle were two Zouave regiments: the 5th and 10th New York. In less than 10 minutes, 85 lives of 525 men of the 5th New York were lost.

Brigadier General Hiram Duryee, a former commander of the 5th New York, would later comment on that fateful day in a Memorial Day tribute at Manassas in 1907. General Duryee had purchased the land for the erection of a monument to his beloved Zouaves. He said:

"We stand on holy ground! For this field was the altar of God. The Master said, 'Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.' Here, our comrades laid down their lives for the love of country, for human rights, the love, and the service of man. We sorrow at their loss, but we rejoice at their glorious death and achievements. God grant that the fruits of their sacrifice be preserved in our country.

We honor the service and sacrifice of the brave men and women who have served our country throughout the years on this Memorial Day. Blessings.

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Clinton Police Arrest Report

May 18: Timmie Green, 40, Deepwater, Trespassing

Kirk N. Angevine, 66, Clinton, Driving while suspended/revoked; DWI

May 19: No arrests

May 20: Brent A. Roberts, 39, Clinton, taken into custody, domestic assault 4th degree

Alexandria Moore, 27, Clinton, warrant arrest (x1) and warrant arrest misdemeanor (x5)

May 21: James Whitehead, 32, Clinton, trespassing

May 22: Blake Lindsay, 19, Deepwater, minor in possession of alcohol; failure to yield to emergency vehicle.

May 23: Jason Williams, 39, Clinton, taken into custody, domestic assault 1st degree

Property Transfers

Info entered May 13 between O'Neal Family Revocable Trust, grantors, and Nicole Taulman, grantee, Lots 3, 4 Block 1 Shadburns Addition to Windsor

Info entered May 13 between Richard Taulman and Nicole Taulman, grantors, and Shelby R. Riddle-Williams, grantee, Lot 15 Weeden Majors Survey to Windsor

Info entered May 13 between Richard Swanagon and Sandra Swanagon, grantors, and Jason K Swanagon and Jennifer R. Graham, grantees, Lot 35 Rissell Acres Addition to Clinton

Info entered May 13 between Andrew Rendoff and Holly Rendoff, grantors, and Parker Mills and Leslie Mills, grantees, Lot 25 Shadow Hill at Deer Creek First Addition to Clinton

Info entered May 13 between Catherine Wilcockson, grantor, and Richard Theiler, grantee, Lots 1, 2, 3 Block 1 Rogers Addition to Clinton

Info entered May 13 between JD-RS, LLC, grantors, and Richard Snider (trust), grantees, Lot 3, 4, Block 4 RW Majors Addition to Windsor

Info entered May 13 between Richard Snider (trust), grantors, and Carla Prael, grantee, Lots 3, 4 Block 4 RW Majors Addition to Windsor

Info entered May 14 between Jon Roberts and Angela Roberts, grantors, and Douglas Wetzal, grantee, 36-43-25

Info entered May 14 between Shannon Hauser, grantor, and Terri Crawford, grantee, Lot 20 French Bridge Ranch Subdivision No 1

Info entered May 14 between Sherry Kennedy and Ryan Kalwei, grantors, and Timothy Culver and Deborah

13, 14, Block 22 Montrose

Info entered May 14 between Adawell Qualified Spousal Revocable Trust, grantors, and Peter Barlow, grantee, Lot 2 Block 4 Colbow's Second Addition to Windsor

Info entered May 14 between Adawell Qualified Spousal Revocable Trust, grantors, and Phillip Loyd, grantee, Lots 22, 23, Block 2 Johnston's Addition to Windsor

Info entered May 14 between Adawell Qualified Spousal Revocable Trust, grantors, and Wilson Smith, grantee, Lots 23, 24 Block 2 Johnston's Addition to Windsor

Info entered May 17 between Richard Turner and Dane Turner, grantors, and Turner Family Trust, grantee, 13-41-24

Info entered May 17 between Cody Lovercamp and Anne Wallace Lovercamp, grantors, and Reginald Gard, II, and Angela Gard, grantees, 15-42-25

Info entered May 17 between Beulahmae Zabel, grantor, and John Acosta, grantee, Lots 29, 30 Reids Addition to Clinton

Info entered May 17 between James Hopper (trust) and Deborah Hopper (trust), grantors, and Janna Dillon, grantee, Lots 107, 108 OT Clinton

Info entered May 17 between Hugh Sperry, grantor, and Gary Rice and Michele Rice, grantees, 17-43-25

Info entered May 18 between Lloyd Pfeleiderer and Kristina Pfeleiderer, grantors, and Lloyd Pfeleiderer (trust) and Kristina Pfeleiderer (trust), grantees, Lots 64, 66, Brocks Addition to Clinton

Info entered May 18 between DO-DA Properties, LLC., grantors, and Danny Johnson and Karen Johnson, grantees, Lot 11 Averys Second Addition to Clinton

Info entered May 18 between Tristan Bigler and Jessica Bigler, grantors, and Alexa Howard and Jeremy Howard, grantees, Lot 5 Vintage Country Estates

Info entered May 19 between James Glowczewski and Marilyn Glowczewski, grantors, and Ronald Murray and Alice Murray, grantees, Lot 13 Old Orchard Addition to Clinton

Info entered May 19 between Jimmie Reid, grantor, and Clinton Clubb and Kristine Clubb, grantees, Lot 47 Washington Addition to Clinton

Info entered May 19 between Florence Phillips, grantor, and Jonathan Presley and Katie Presley, grantees, Lot 30 First Revision Southview Second Addition

Marriage Applications

May 13: between Corey L. Grisham, 30, Clinton, and Alyssa C. Moloski, 30, Clinton

May 17: between Dwight A. Edwards, 26, Clinton, and Julie A. Swadley, 22, Clinton

May 18: Charles P. Thompson, Jr., 69, Phoenix, Az., and Lelsi J. Allen, 53, Phoenix, Az.

May 18: Mitchell S. Grimes, 48, Clinton, and Jennifer A. Church, 48, Clinton

May 19: Sean L. Bowling, 26, Clinton, and Nicholette C. Enriquez, 24, Clinton

Fire Dept. Report

5/19 - 2:28pm: Motor Vehicle Accident, Intersection of South 13 Hwy & Z Hwy

5/19 - 7:56pm: EMS Call, 30 Block of South Wetzal Cir.

5/20 - 1:19am: EMS Call, 300 Block of East Elm St.

5/20 - 2:22pm: Power Line Down, 100 Block of East Ohio St.

5/20 - 5:10pm: EMS Call, 400 Block of East Grandriver St.

5/20 - 7:06pm: EMS Call, 200 Block of North Main St.

05/21 - 2:43 am, EMS response, East Cedar St.

5/21 - 12:02 pm, EMS response, West Franklin St.

05/22 - 1:11 pm, Medical assist, North Community Dr.

5/22 - 2:50 pm, Medical assist, North Gains Dr.

5/22/2021 - 3:28 pm, EMS response, South Main St.

05/23 - 4:06 am, EMS response, East Oak St.

5/23 - 9:30 pm, Medical assist, East Grandriver

Monthly Jobs Report

Missouri non-farm payroll employment showed little overall change from March 2021 to April 2021, and the seasonally adjusted unemployment rate decreased by a tenth of a percentage point. Employment, seasonally adjusted, increased by 600 jobs over the month. The state's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate was 4.1 percent in April 2021, down from 4.2 percent in March 2021. The Missouri labor market showed an increase of nearly a quarter million jobs from April 2020 to April 2021.

UNEMPLOYMENT
Missouri's smoothed seasonally adjusted unemployment rate decreased by a tenth of a percentage point in April 2021, dropping to 4.1 percent from the March 2021 rate of 4.2 percent. With the start of the COVID-19 pandemic now a year in the past, the April 2021 rate was 8.4 percent-

age points lower than the April 2020 rate. The rate had reached a low of 3.1 percent starting in July 2018, before gradually edging up to 3.5 percent by the end of 2019, and then to 3.7 percent in March 2020. The COVID-19 effect hit in April 2020, spiking the rate to 12.5 percent for that month. The rate decreased monthly for the rest of 2020, reaching 4.4 percent in December, and has continued gradually downward through the first four months of 2021. Missouri's unemployment rate has been below the national rate for every month since February 2020. The national unemployment rate increased from 6.0 percent in March 2021 to 6.1 percent in April 2021.

The estimated number of unemployed Missouri's was 126,758 in April 2021, down by 1,303 from March's 128,061.

Improved weather and the gradual return to a post-COVID economy helped to push the state's not-seasonally-adjusted rate down to 4.0 percent in April 2021, four-tenths of a percentage point lower than the March 2021 not-seasonally-adjusted rate of 4.4 percent. The corresponding not-seasonally-adjusted national rate for April 2021 was 5.7 percent.

A year ago, the state's seasonally adjusted rate was 12.5 percent, and the not-adjusted rate was 12.3 percent.

Henry County Commission

The Henry County Commission met pursuant to adjournment at the courthouse in Clinton, Missouri.

Members present: Jim Stone-Presiding Commissioner, Dale Lawler-South District Commissioner, Rick Fosnow-North District Commissioner, Kelly Marriott-Deputy County Clerk

The agenda was approved as presented.

At 9:03 a.m. Commissioner Stone brought the meeting to order.

The minutes from the Tuesday May 11th, 2021 meeting were read. Commissioner Lawler made a motion to approve the minutes. Commissioner Fosnow seconded the motion, motion carried.

The closed minutes from the Tuesday May 11th, 2021 meeting were read. Commissioner Fosnow made a motion to approve the minutes. Commissioner Lawler seconded the motion, motion carried.

Expenditures from the following were approved to be paid: Bond Payment, Law Enforcement Fund, Assessor, Capital Improvements, Capital Schools, Elections, Administrative Handling

Fund, Prosecuting Attorney, Recorder, General County Government

Students from the Clinton Intermediate School toured the courthouse and stopped by for a visit with the commissioners.

Collector/Treasurer Ann Julian was in to visit with the commission about the process of signing into the portal to gain access to the federal monies being provided to Henry County through the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA). Her concern is that the portal is asking her for her own personal information that has nothing to do with the County. Commission agreed that it seemed like a lot of personal information.

At 10:00 a.m. Rick Nickelson and Ben Trout of EPM, Inc. Manufacturers of Computerized Temperature Control Systems, met with commissioners for a solicitation. Currently the County uses them for Ion Generator systems at the jail. A quote to put the same system in the Courthouse was given.

At 10:33 a.m. Commissioner Lawler made a motion to go into closed session via RSMo. 610.020(3). Commissioner Fosnow seconded the motion, motion carried with a roll call vote. At 10:45 a.m. Commissioner Fosnow made a motion to end closed session. Commissioner Lawler seconded the motion, motion carried with a roll call vote. Stone-Yes Lawler-Yes Fosnow-Yes

At 10:45 a.m. Commissioner Fosnow made a motion to end closed session. Commissioner Lawler seconded the motion, motion carried with a roll call vote. Stone-Yes Lawler-Yes Fosnow-Yes

Susan Jones-Hard, University Extension, visited with the commission in regards to the University Extension starting of ease back Covid 19 restrictions. Susan stated that they would be taking steps, carefully, to getting back to the way things were Pre-Covid.

She stated that she is starting to get back out in to the public hosting workshops and meetings. She also stated that the new Council was very active and she has been impressed with their new ideas and approaches.

Commissioners discussed a train car purchased by the Road and Bridge Department.

Commissioner Fosnow called Ted Holt, Davis Township, regarding a rail road car that was supposed to be put in on NW 100 Rd. Ted stated that was supposed to be done 2-3 years ago, but had never been done.

County Clerk Watson shared information he received about the ARPA money the County is going to receive. He shared in-

formation on what the County could use some of the funds for.

Assessor Scott Largent was in to discuss a vehicle the County had ordered from Jim Raysik's.

Commissioners adjourned at 12:00 p.m. May 18:

Members present: Jim Stone-Presiding Commissioner, Dale Lawler-South District Commissioner, Rick Fosnow-North District Commissioner, Amy Heredia-Deputy County Clerk

The agenda was approved with amendments.

At 9:03 a.m. Commissioner Stone brought the meeting to order.

The minutes from the Thursday May 13th, 2021 meeting were read. Commissioner Fosnow made a motion to approve the minutes. Commissioner Lawler seconded the motion, motion carried.

The closed minutes from the Thursday May 13th, 2021 meeting were read. Commissioner Fosnow made a motion to approve the minutes. Commissioner Lawler seconded the motion, motion carried.

Expenditures from the following were approved to be paid: County Payroll, Law Enforcement Fund, Assessor, Emergency Management, Inmate Security fund, Buildings Grounds, Sheriff's Civil Fund, Road Bridge, Sheriff's Revolving Fund

At 9:47 a.m. Commissioner Fosnow made a motion to go into closed session via RSMo. 610.020(3). Commissioner Lawler seconded the motion, motion carried with a roll call vote.

Stone-Yes Lawler-Yes Fosnow-Yes

At 10:09 a.m. Commissioner Fosnow made a motion to end closed session. Commissioner Lawler seconded the motion, motion carried with a roll call vote. Stone-Yes Lawler-Yes Fosnow-Yes

Commissioner Lawler began a discussion regarding the requirements for housing Federal prisoners, sharing some information he had learned in conversation with the Sheriff of another county in Missouri. There was general agreement that seeking further information is warranted.

Ted Holt, Davis Township, called the Commission to discuss NW 100 Rd, which had to be closed due to flooding.

Commissioners adjourned at 12:00 p.m.



TV GUIDE

THURSDAY • MAY 27, 2021 Evening

Table with 12 columns (7 PM to 11:30 PM) and 12 rows of TV listings for Thursday, May 27, 2021.

FRIDAY • MAY 28, 2021 Evening

Table with 12 columns (7 PM to 11:30 PM) and 12 rows of TV listings for Friday, May 28, 2021.

SATURDAY • MAY 29, 2021 Evening

Table with 12 columns (7 PM to 11:30 PM) and 12 rows of TV listings for Saturday, May 29, 2021.

SUNDAY • MAY 30, 2021 Evening

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MONDAY • MAY 31, 2021 Evening

Table with 12 columns (7 PM to 11:30 PM) and 12 rows of TV listings for Monday, May 31, 2021.

TUESDAY • JUNE 1, 2021 Evening

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WEDNESDAY • JUNE 2, 2021 Evening

Table with 12 columns (7 PM to 11:30 PM) and 12 rows of TV listings for Wednesday, June 2, 2021.

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WEEK OF MAY 27 WEEKLY HOROSCOPE

Aries 3/21-4/19: Monday is a great day -- on the romance front, at home, out in the world, in every realm. You are unstoppable. Creativity and healthy competition keep you on your toes. Tuesday and Wednesday are less ideal -- mundane responsibilities and conflicts between friends threaten to drive you nuts -- but Thursday and Friday you're back in the game and better than ever. Figure out the most important person in your life and lavish them with attention. The weekend won't exactly be fast-paced, but the most beautiful things in life take a while to grow.
Taurus 4/20-5/19: Monday sees you settling a dispute between two of your friends -- not the most fun thing in the world. But Tuesday is appropriately romantic and fun. The affection, the feeling of lightness, the sudden abundance of beauty all around you -- all this lasts through the rest of the week. The work you have to do on Thursday is so much more palatable when love is in the back of your mind, and Saturday's intensity only demonstrates how deeply you both feel about one another. On Sunday, be careful of overreacting.
Gemini 5/21 - 6/21: After a light debate with a friend, you feel stimulated and on your toes. This is a good place for you to be at the start of this week. Engage as many friends as you can in conversations that are more than just idle time killers. Practice your communication skills; you'll need them Wednesday, when an interaction with a family member will prove difficult. Thursday and Friday are more purely enjoyable -- and if you're single, a romantic prospect might present itself. A new project! Just what you need to occupy your hungry mind this weekend.
Cancer 6/22 - 7/22: You don't need to settle. Whether the matter is financial or professional or romantic, you can afford to hold out for better. You deserve it. You go into the week with confidence, which is what makes everything go your way Tuesday and Wednesday. Also, you're not afraid to do what you need to do to be happy. Cleaning up around the house Thursday is the surest path toward contentment and Friday you should do something actively self-improving as well. Saturday and Sunday, you are crippled by options -- so many decisions. Don't get involved with anything (or anyone) you are unsure of.
Leo 7/23 - 8/22: Check you out! You are on top of the world. The magnificence and warmth of Monday are evidence that you're on the right track. Use this positive reinforcement to propel you to still greater heights. Tuesday and Wednesday, put your mind on money matters, as some reassessment may be in order. Thursday and Friday, shove that stack of bills aside and go out and do something with friends. Or have them over for an impromptu party. Romance rears its unpredictable head Friday -- a happy, welcome surprise. Let your intuition guide you into the weekend.
Virgo 8/23 - 9/22: You know the drill. The more crazy things get, the more flexible you have to become -- otherwise you'll snap. And no one wants that. Your seeming nonchalance pays off as soon as Tuesday. It's like you were born to juggle, you make it look so easy. Wednesday is a good time to start a new project and Thursday is right for making a big purchase with a partner. Friday, a bout of indecisiveness sets you back a bit, but over the weekend you'll take stock of your goals and by Sunday have a clearer plan.
Libra 9/23 - 10/22: A bunch of questioning faces turn toward you on Monday, as if you have the answers. (You have many of the answers, but you don't have all of them -- make sure everyone knows that. Still, they see you as a leader, and that's totally flattering.) Tuesday and Wednesday, do the best you can do with the resources you have, and make sure everyone's getting along. Relationships are key right now -- and relationships of another kind, the love kind, figure in on Thursday and Friday. This weekend, a business-related question occupies your mental energy. Selfish? A bit. Unhealthy so? Not at all.
Scorpio 10/24 - 11/22: Work is a bit of an obstacle course on Monday. If you were thinking of asking for a raise, Monday isn't the day to bring it up. If a coworker has steam pouring out of his or her ears, stay out of the way. Tuesday and Wednesday are good days on almost every level. You're feeling especially close to a friend right now. This is the person you should go to on Thursday for help making a decision. The two of you will spend the second half of the week tossing ideas back and forth. Your patience is incredible, and it impresses others this weekend.
Sagittarius 11/22 - 12/21: Any traveling you do on Monday will be a grand experience. If you're flying somewhere, you might get unexpectedly upgraded to first class. If you're staying in town, the good luck will come in other forms, but it will come, and you should be prepared for a boost in optimism. Midweek, the worst thing you'll face is an authority figure in a cranky mood. The end of the week, you're drowning in social plans. You laugh hard enough on Friday to equal a workout, but on Saturday and Sunday, you'll be in the mood to spend some time alone with your imagination.
Capricorn 12/22 - 1/19: Resources are tight on Monday, and no one's in the mood to share. Needless to say, Monday isn't a banner day. But Tuesday, an unexpected phone call from a long-distance friend changes your whole attitude, and a breakthrough on Wednesday allows you to achieve a whole lot in a single afternoon. You'll try to build on these achievements Thursday and Friday, but your energy will be off. Or maybe it's everyone else's energy that's off? In any case, you're all on the same page again by this weekend. And you've never felt more prepared for the future.
Aquarius 1/20 - 2/18: Sometimes the most improbable experiments lead to the most extraordinary discoveries; the history of science has borne this out, but the principle applies equally to social experiments. Monday sees you trying new things in your relationships with other people. Tuesday and Wednesday, you are still trying to get a handle on what these people may want from you, but by Thursday your interactions are a lot more intuitive and comfortable. Friday is a fun, frivolous day, but Saturday and Sunday your head is swimming with deep thoughts.
Pisces 2/19 - 3/20: Your imagination tends toward the fantasy realm on Monday, but there are some very real (and no less fascinating) storylines unfolding right before your eyes. Rather than being critical of a friend on Tuesday or Wednesday, consider how you might be able to help them. You have a yen to clean on Thursday, and tidying up the house gets you in the mood to tidy up other aspects of your life as well. If someone owes you some money, remind them on Friday. Saturday and Sunday -- although you're feeling practical -- aren't good days to sign paperwork.

Clinton Christian Academy Hosts Annual Art Show, Crowns Winners

First Grade:

1st Place- Samantha Asbill and Ally Jo Kagarice
 2nd Place- Samantha Asbill and Audrey Prus
 3rd Place- Kaydence Buttera and Macy Charles (2)
 Honorable Mention- Naomi Prus, Seth Cur-
 nutte, Kaydence Buttera, Ryder Lawler (2)

Second Grade:

1st Place- Izzy Dennis
 2nd Place- Landon Brewer and Izzy Dennis
 3rd Place- Asher Dehn, Will Kernohan and Tyson King
 Honorable Mention- Cason Bentley, Hadley Brewer, Will Kernohan, Kellen Kernohan, Tyson King, Charlee Compton and Liam Howerton

Third Grade:

1st Place- Arianna Ramirez (2)
 2nd Place- Caroline Fuller, Mary Phillips and Carson Wisniewski
 3rd Place- Caroline Fuller and Amillya Gorham
 Honorable Mention - Carson Wisniewski and Iaina Scott

Fourth Grade:

1st Place- Leo Prus
 2nd Place- Lexi Callaway, Kyrstin Zabriskie, Brynn Manning, Kalynn Matney
 3rd Place- Lexi Callaway, Leo Prus, Isaac Cur-

nutte

Honorable Mention- Kyrstin Zabriskie, Sarah Henny and Kalynn Matney

Fifth and Sixth Grade:

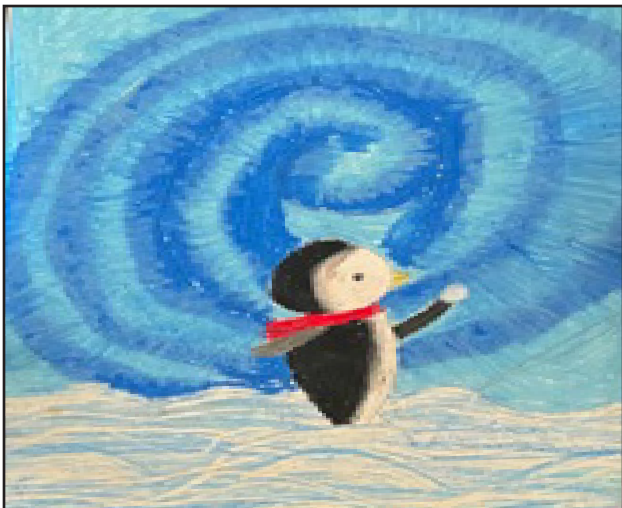
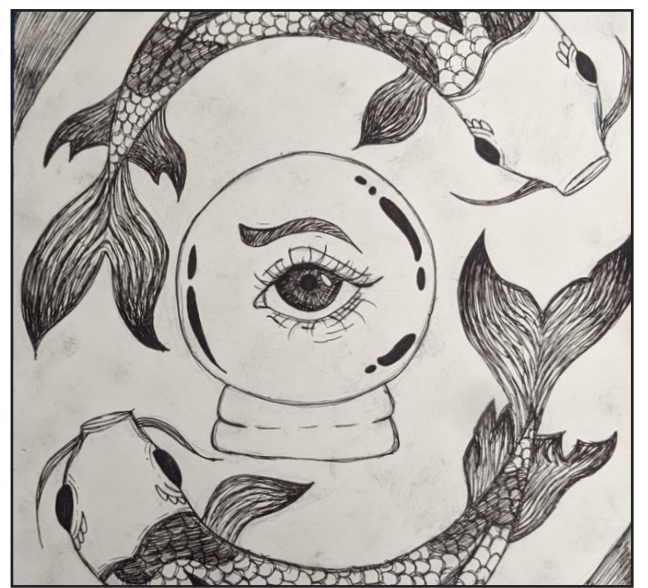
1st Place- Emma Hansen and Carissa Compton
 2nd Place- Miyah Carmichael, Kylee Mount and Abram Dody
 3rd Place- Abram Dody, Kylee Mount, Carissa Compton, Brooklyn Wisniewski
 Honorable Mention- Brooklyn Wisniewski, Collin Keith (2), Sophia VanNatta, Vivian Cronhardt, Allie Thornton(2), Elizabeth Chavez-Walter and Parker Lowe

Seventh and Eighth Grade:

Best of Show for K4-8th Grade - Colton Manning
 1st Place- Isabella Griffey, Colton Manning and Dakoda Vallentine
 2nd Place- Isabella Griffey, Casia Irick, Ryan Keith and Gavin Howerton
 3rd Place- Ryan Keith, Hannah Wright
 Honorable Mention- Corban Dody, Dakoda Vallentine, Eli Griffey, Hannah Wright and Mason Plumb

High School:

1st Place- Angelina Chavez-Walter
 2nd Place- Taylor Bateman
 Honorable Mention- Christopher Schell



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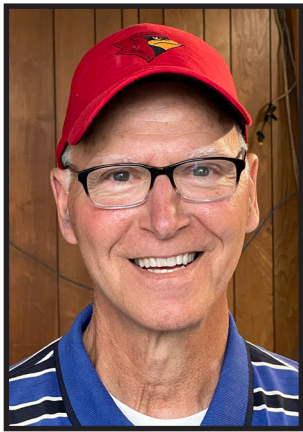
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AREA SPORTS with Sports Editor TIM KOMER



This I Remember

#10 Andy Englehart: "I remember a special day playing Babe Ruth Baseball. It was the Clinton All-Stars vs Jeff City. We were losing 14-1. Coach Brian Noller said "Andy, want to pitch?" I was surprised but of course I said yes. The funny thing is those very good Jeff City players could not hit my slow pitch. We made a comeback and it ended 14-11. What a game! Their coach said, "Whatever he was throwing we couldn't hit it." (It was my 60 mph fastball. They thought it was a change up.) Fun memory."
#11 Rebekah Komer: "Two big memories

stand out. One, winning the CHS Soccer District Championship my Junior year (2015). I was so energized after that game. I played defense and it is fun knowing the defense was a major reason we won the Championship. Another big memory was playing for my travel softball team, "Ballistic." We could not have been closer as a team. The coaches, after good days or bad, were always positive. When you are a pitcher that is especially important. Nobody was a star, we were all truly playing, as the saying goes, "For the Love of the Game," (and for each other)."

AC Track Finds Success At State

Boys finished 22/87 schools
400 - Crowder 2 (New School Record 50.86)
PV - Stutesman T-6, Javelin - Bracher 8
4x800 - 11 (Oehring, Engeman, Carter, Crowder) (9:07.51 PR)
Jaidon Crowder's school record was held by Kenny Nichols 50.94, which was set in 1985
Girls finished 20/78 schools
Javelin - O'Farrell 3 (114-2 PR), PV - Bourland 11
4x800 - 5 (Hood, Litton, Hearting, Burks) (10:51.54 PR)

4x100 - 7 (Hilworth, Burks, Bourland, James) (54.28 PR)
800 - James 7 (2:30.67 PR), HJ - Hearting 7
4x400 - 9 (Hood, Cook, Bourland, Burks) (4:30.61 PR)
100 - James 10 (13.21 PR), 400 - James 11
4x200 - 12 (Hilworth, Burks, Bourland, Hood) (1:56.24 PR)
Coach Moore's comments: "Top 8 places are All-State plus we had 14 events at State and in 9 of those events we had PR's. That is awesome. Proud of the kids."

Cardinals Compete In District Track

District Results: CHS Boys (2nd Place)
3200m-12:25 Crowell 11, 4X800- 8:50 (Bedwell, Reno, Bremer, McCormack) 3, 100H-17.9 Voemeck 3, 100m-12.26 Crispi 7, 4X200-1:36 (Sales, Wetzels, Reno, Abernathy) 4, 4X100- 46.54 Team 6, 400m-52.11 Abernathy 1, 53.44 McCormack 3, 300H-46.09 Voelmeck 6, 800m-2:19 Bremer 7, 200m-24.04 Sales 5, 4X400 3:34 (McCormack, Sales, Abernathy, Wetzels) 1, PV-3.2 Bedwell 2, Abraham 4, LJ-5.45 Bremer 6, TJ-10.81 McCormack 6, Shot-12.02 Smith 2, Disc-32.43 Carter 5, Jav-38.1 Meloy 4.
Track Athletes Moving on to Sectionals:
Kalena Martinez, Christian Voelmeck, Jae Abernathy, Derek McCormack, Payton Sales, Brett Wetzels,

Andrew Bedwell, William Abraham, Caleb Smith and Jackson Meloy.
District Results: CHS Girls (9th Place)
3200m-14.46 Mendenhall 7, 100H-18.54 Martinez 3, 100m-14.79 Cook 13, 4X200-Team 1:56 5, 1600m-6:53 Mendenhall 11, 400m- 1:06 Knight 5, 800m-2:52 Knight 9, 200m-31:05 Cook 12, 4X400- 4:40 Team 6, LJ- 4.39 Goth 8, Shot-8.43 Taylor 8, Disc-27.20 Taylor 5, Jav- 21 Sartwell 8.

Cardinal Seniors Signing Day



Shanyn Simmerman is shown signing to further her education and to be a student-athlete at McKendree University in Lebanon, Ill. She plans to major in instrumental music education while competing in Track, Softball and Powerlifting for the Bearcats. With her are her CHS track coach Nathan Johnson and her parents Jen and Brad Simmerman. Congrats and good luck!



JP Abernathy is shown signing to further his education and to be a student-athlete at UMKC. He plans to go into Computer Technology to one day design and build computers. He will run Track for the UMKC Kangaroos. With JP are his CHS track coach Nathan Johnson and friend of the family Bryant Smith. Congrats and good luck!

Several CMS Track Records Broken

Coach Stevens announced that there were five different CMS track records broken this season. Congrats to the athletes and their coaches.
1. 100m Hurdles: Jacey Peery 19.39
Girl Relays:
2. 4X100 (Lexi Barnhardt, Jacey Peery, Kylie Williamson, Skyte Wilson)- 54.47
3. 4X200 (Same)- 1:56.15
4. 4X400 (Vyla Brown, Hannah Gerhardt, Leah Kenney and Skyte Wilson)- 4:38.19
5. 4X800 (Vyla Brown, Alexa McCartney, Leah Kenney and Jordan Snider)- 11:13.65



Melissa Jackson is shown signing to further her education and to be a student-athlete at UMKC. She plans to major in Studio Art and minor in Graphic Design. She hopes to work in the field of graphic design. She will run Cross Country and Track for the Roos. With Melissa are her CHS track coach Nathan Johnson, her soccer coach Ryan Guenther and her parents Kelli and Alan Jenkins. Congrats and good luck!



CHS Track Team Performs At Sectionals



THE CARDINAL SQUAD brought 10 athletes into sectionals but only the boys 4X400 relay team qualified for State on Saturday, May 29 in Jeff City. Even with the unpleasant weather and disappointments many said it was nice to have a track season after COVID canceled it in 2020. Good luck to the 4X400 relay team!

2021 Cardinal Track Team: It was an extremely long wet day with several rain delays. Sadly, Chase Reno had to be scratched due to illness and JP Abernathy injured his leg running the 400m. The	Cardinal relay teams brought alternates and they were used.	Team 3:33.23 2 (Wetzels, Sales, McCormack, Bremer)	William Abraham 3.05 7
GIRLS 100m H Kalena Martinez 18.33 7	BOYS 400m Derek McCormack 53.66 6	BOYS 4X800 Team 9:29.87 8 (Sales, Ross, Bremer, McCormack)	BOYS JAVELIN Jackson Meloy 39.5 8
BOYS 4X400		BOYS PV Andrew Bedwell 3.2 6	BOYS SHOT Caleb Smith 12.29 6

Track Class 3, Section 4 Team Rankings

Boys: 1) Richmond 83 pts. 2) Lawson 72 3) Center 63 4) Maryville 59 5) Chillicothe 55 6) Pleasant Hill 52.50 7) Pembroke Hill 52 8) St. Michael 34 9) Hogan Prep 33 10) Knob Noster 29 11) Butler 27 12) St. Pius X 25 13) Oak Grove 23 14) Odessa 21 15) Clinton 21 16) Benton 18 17) Holden 14.50 18) Warsaw 11 19) Ewing Marion Kauffman 10 20) Cameron 9 21) Southeast 8 22) Northeast 5 23) Central Academy 3	Girls: 1) Summit Christian 67 pts. 2) Lawson 66.50 3) Cameron 66 4) Odessa 53 5) Pleasant Hill 52 6) Pembroke Hill 50 7) St. Pius X 48 8) Maryville 46 9) Notre Dame 37 10) Oak Grove 28 11) Butler 26 12) Knob Noster 26 13) Chillicothe 25.50 14) Center 25 15) Trenton 21 16) Central Academy 19 17) Holden 18 18) Southeast 14 19) Ewing Marion Kauffman 14 20) Richmond 11 21) Benton 8 22) Warsaw 6 23) St. Michael 4 24) Clinton 2
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2021 Baseball Class 4 (Top 10)

School	Team GPA
1. S. Boone	3.73
2. S. Christian	3.56
3. Harrisonville	3.55
4. St. Clair	3.49
5. Monett	3.49
6. Clinton	3.49
7. Hallsville	3.48
8. Fatima	3.46
9. Odessa	3.46
10. Kirksville	3.42



Lady Cards Soccer Stopped By Bolivar



MERCEDEZ BROWN in district play, against the odds found Olivia Kiely's corner kick to head the ball on frame. In fact, the ball hit the frame and ricocheted out. Bummer.

On Monday, May 17 the Lady Cards had beaten Aurora 4-0 in the first round of Class 2 District 6 tournament held in Bolivar. The Cards returned right back to Bolivar on Tuesday, May 18 to take on the #1 seed Bolivar Liberators. After a long season, playing back to back games had to be tough. Boli-

var had a first round bye. No excuses, the Lady Cards fought like crazy and surprised many by taking the 17-6 Liberators to a 0-0 tie at the break. The Cardinal defense would bend but not break as they held off many Bolivar attacks. Maybe tired legs or just circumstances but Bolivar finally broke

through and made it 1-0 with 18 minutes left in the game. Once the door was opened it was hard to shut. The Cards had to take more chances trying to tie the score. The Liberators ended up winning 3-0 but Bolivar knew they were in a game and the Lady Cards deserve the handle "The Fighting

Cards." The Cards had a very competitive season ending at 10-14. Coach Guenther and his six outstanding seniors (Katie Mitchell, Melissa Jackson, Mady Allard, Emma Gover, Alana Alexander and Olivia Kiely) will be sorely missed.



Windsor Greyhounds End Season At State



THE HOUNDS: The Windsor Greyhounds had a great season going into the State Tournament with a 21-2 record. They had lost only to Versailles and Adrian during the regular season. The Hounds took on the 17-6 Lone Jack Mules at Schell Sports Complex in Windsor on Monday, May 24. It was a Class 2 sectional game. Things got off to a rough start when the Mules went up 3-0 after the first, using three walks and timely hits. The score stayed 3-0 until the seventh inning when Lone Jack added a run to make it 4-0. The Hounds could not answer and lost, ending their season. Dylan Witherspoon started on the mound for the Hounds and got late relief help from Dalton Witherspoon. Coach Brad Forrest and the whole community is proud of the team (many of which had won the State Class 1 Football Title last fall). The Windsor Greyhounds last won their district baseball title in 2011. The Mules' Gaven Mooney got the win for his team. The Mules have won district titles in 2009, '19 and '21. The Mules will now play East Buchanan at Lone Jack on May 26 in the quarterfinal round.

CHS Soccer Awards Ceremony



The 2021 CHS varsity Lady Cards team at the awards ceremony. Soccer is a team sport but sometimes individual awards help spotlight accomplishments. **Team MVP:** Mady Allard **Defensive POY:** Alana Alexander **Most Improved:** Olivia Kiely **Best Soccer IQ:** Allie Cardwell **Most Improved:** Melissa Jackson **Best teammate:** Mercedes Brown **Most Improved in MRVC:** Olivia Kiely **Conference Awards:** TBA **JV AWARDS - Best Teammate:** Madie Hager **Most Growth:** Makenna Beasley **Offensive POY:** Mia Bagley **Defensive POY:** Raynee Sublette

Dead Week

Dead week is July 3 - 11. There will be no athletic practices, events or strength and conditioning during this time.

Leeton Wins Close Game

The (14-7) Leeton Bulldogs in the Class 1 State baseball tournament played (18-7) Pilot Grove on Monday, May 24 and won a tight one, 2-1. The Bulldogs will now play the winner of Glasgow vs Wellsville on May 26.

Class 4 D13 Baseball

In the first round of the C1D13 district tournament on May 15, Harrisonville beat the Cardinals 9-2. This ended the 2021 season for the Clinton team. Harrisonville was clobbered by P. Hill in the second round 15-0. Versailles beat Knob Noster 4-3 on May 17. Then the rain started, making things impossible. The title game between P. Hill and Versailles was set for Friday, May 21 with P. Hill winning easily over Versailles 11-1.

CHS Tennis Class 1 D12

Boys: (4th out of 16 teams)
400- Crowder 1, 800-Crowder 3, Carter 4, 4x100- Stutesman, Oehring, Engeman, Bracher 4, 4x400-Oehring, Engeman, Carter, Crowder 3, 4x800 - (same) 1, PV- Stutesman 2, TJ-Stutesman 4, Shot-Lawson 4, Disc- Beebe 4, Jav- Bracher 2.

Girls: (Tied for District Champions out of 15 teams.)

100- James 1, 200-James 1, 400-James 1, 800-James 2, 300H-Cook 4, 4x100- Hilworth, Wood, Hearting, Burks 1, 4x200 - Hilworth, Burks, Bourland, Hood 1, 4x400- Hood, Cook, Bourland, Burks 1, 4x800- Hood, Wood, Hearting, Burks 1, HJ-Hearting 1, PV- Bourland 2, TJ- Wood 3, Shot- Hilworth 3, Jav-O'Farrell 1.

AC Track Going to State:

Placing fourth or higher, the following qualified at sectionals for the State meet held on Saturday, May 22.

Boys Results:
400- Crowder 1, PV-Stutesman 2, Jav - Bracher 2, 4x800-Oehring, Engeman, Carter, Crowder 4.

Girls Results:
Jav - O'Farrell 1, HJ - Hearting 1, 4x800-Hood, Litton, Hearting, Burks 1, PV- Bourland 2, 400 - James 2, 4x400- Hood, Cook, Bourland, Burks 4, 100- James 3, 800-James 3, 4x100-Hilworth, Litton, Hearting, Burks 3, 4x200 -Hilworth, Burks, Bourland, Hood 3.

Summer Strength & Conditioning

Strength & Conditioning sessions will be held Monday-Friday this summer and will start Tuesday, June 1: (All sessions will take place at CHS).

- 6:30-8:00 AM - High School Boys (Going into 9-12).
- 8:00-9:30 AM - High School Girls.
- 9:30-11:00 AM - Late Session for any CHS Athlete.
- 11:00 AM-12:30 PM - Middle School (Boys or Girls) - Any CMS Athlete that will participate in a MSHSAA activity. (Going into 7-8)

State Playoff Baseball

Class 4 now has the 18-4 Pleasant Hill Roosters taking on the 19-7 Summit Christian Eagles in the State sectional game on May 25.

Class 1 has the 13-7 Leeton Bulldogs fighting the 18-6 Pilot Grove Tigers on May 24.

Class 2 has a local favorite, the 21-2 Windsor Greyhounds, taking on the 17-6 Lone Jack Mules on May 24.

Class 3 will have the 14-9 Warsaw Wildcats playing the 18-0 Adrian Blackhawks on May 25.

Class 2 State Soccer Playoffs

Note: The Lady Cards played three of these playoff teams and competed well with two. The Cards nearly beat P. Hill and were tied with Bolivar with 18 minutes left in their district match. It is fun and sometimes revealing to compare.

- May 29 (QF)**
Perryville vs Ursuline Academy
Pleasant Hill vs Maryville
St. Charles vs S. Boone
Oak Grove vs Bolivar

CHS Tennis Class 1 D12

Clinton fought the #1 seed Bolivar Liberators on May 10 and fell 0-5. The Harrisonville and Nevada match found the Wildcats winning 5-2. The Liberators met the Wildcats on Tuesday, May 11. The Liberators were too much for Harrisonville and won 5-0. The State Team Tournament continued May 17. Bolivar faced Monett and won 5-0. Later in the day Bolivar beat Willow Springs 5-1. Bolivar will now take on Barstow on May 28. Historical Note: The CHS 1985 squad took second in the Tennis 1A-3A Division.



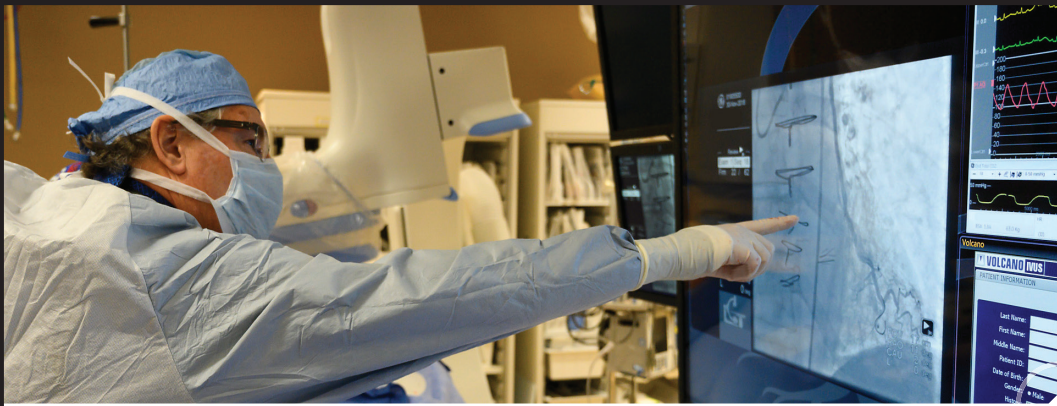
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2021 Summer Reading Program Schedule

How Can We Help the Local Animal Shelter?

The Henry County Library invites children and their parents to join Miss Sheila and her guests from the Clinton Animal Shelter. We will learn all about the animals living there and how we can help them. In the and we will be making a craft to give to the shelter's furry friends. Lenora Blackmore Branch Date: Monday, June 7, 2021 at 3:30 pm. Henry County Library, Clinton Facility Date: Wednesday, June 9, 2021 at 3:30 pm

In-House Story Times Return to the Henry County Library!

It feels like a long time coming, but the Henry County Library is excited to announce the return of in house story times beginning Tuesday, June 8, 2021. Join Miss Sheila for music, stories, and crafts. We laugh! We giggle! and we will make new friends! Story Time hours at the Clinton Facility will be Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:00 am. Story time at the Lenora Blackmore Branch in Windsor will be Fridays at 10:00 am starting June 11, 2021. Social distancing is still important, and wearing a mask would be appreciated. We ask you to use your best judgment in keeping your sick children at home. We are excited to see you again at the library!

Tween and Teen Pet Photo Contest at the Henry County Library!

Do you have a pet that you think is the best pet ever? Capture your pet personality on film and bring your 3x5 photo to the library by Friday, June 11, 2021. We will display the photos for two weeks and allow the library patrons to vote for their favorite pictures. We will count the votes on Friday, June 25, 2021 at 4:00 pm. The contestant from each library with the most votes will receive a \$25.00 Amazon Gift Card. This photo contest will take place at the Lenora Blackmore Branch-Windsor, and the Henry County Library-Clinton Facility.

Animal Shadow Drawing at the Henry County Library!

The Henry County Library would like to invite children to join Miss Sheila as we explore shadow movements. How big will our animals be when we draw their shadows? We will be drawing with sidewalk chalk, paper, and pencils. Please bring a towel to sit on to avoid the hot cement. Join us at the Lenora Blackmore Branch in Windsor on Wednesday, June 16, 2021 at 3:30 pm, and at the Clinton Facility on Thursday, June 17, 2021 at 3:30 pm.

Library Conservation Trail Scavenger Hunt

Children and their parents are invited to join Miss Sheila for a Conservation Trail Scavenger Hunt. There are many things in the wilderness for us to discover together. Please bring your bug spray, sunscreen, and make sure to visit the restroom beforehand. We will meet at the Conservation Area at the South end of Second Street in Clinton on Saturday, June 19, 2021 at 10:00 am. Pre-registration is required!

The Bird of Honor!

The eagle has the most honored place of all the animals in our nation. It has been chosen as one of our national symbols. In honor of this great bird, the Henry County Library invites children and their parents to learn more about this majestic creature. We will finish this program off by making an eagle craft. Program dates are as follows: Lenora Blackmore Branch in Windsor: Tuesday, June 22, 2021 at 3:30 pm; Clinton Facility: Wednesday, June 23, 2021 at 3:30 pm

Cryptozoology with Author Kelly Milner Halls

Kelly Milner Halls has written weird non-fiction for young readers for almost 30 years. She loves a good question and the mystery that goes with it, so she explores topics including cryptozoology, UFO's and ghosts, along with more traditional subjects including World War II and the Titanic. Join Ms. Hall as she discusses Cryptozoology with you. Will you be a believer by the time we are through? Pre-registration is required! This program will be held virtually via Zoom. We hope tweens and teens will join us for this interesting topic! Date: June 29, 2021, at 3:30 pm. Place: Zoom Meeting

Would You Eat an Insect at the Library?

Tweens and teens join Missouri Master Naturalist, Paul Landkamer as we discuss the possi-

bilities of eating insect delicacies. We will learn the who, what, where, why, and how's of eating insects. There will be a sampler buffet provided! Can you get past the fear factor of eating an insect? We hope you will join Miss Sheila and her special guest on Wednesday, July 7, 2021. Pre-registration is required! Lenora Blackmore Branch in Windsor at 10:00 AM Henry County Library, Clinton Facility at 1:00 PM

Local Amazing Dogs!

Attention all children and their parents! Come and meet our local amazing dogs! Each visiting dog plays a huge role in our community and the dogs are committed to what they do. Our special guests will be Annie the Police Therapy Dog along with her partner, Corporal Gladfelter and Blaze the Fire Dog with his partner, Deputy Fire Chief Matt Willings. Officer Gladfelter will also be telling us all about the K-9 dogs that work for the Clinton Police Department. This program will be filmed at the Clinton Facility on Thursday, July 9, 2021 at 3:30 pm. The recording will be shown at the Lenora Blackmore Branch in Windsor on Friday, July 9, 2021 at 3:30 PM.

Tween and Teen Movie and Pizza

Hey tweens and teens! Are you looking for a fun night out? Join Miss Sheila for a night filled with pizza and a movie at the library. The featured movie will be 'Beastly', which has a teenage twist on 'Beauty and the Beast'. Pre-registration is required! This movie will be shown on the following dates and times: Lenora Blackmore Branch in Windsor on Friday, July 16, 2021 at 6:00 pm; Clinton Facility, Friday, July 23, 2021 at 6:00 pm

Let's Go for a Train Ride!

Let's go for an animal train ride with Engineer, David Mills! Dress up as your favorite animal, hear stories and make a craft while others take their turn riding on the train. Pre-registration is required and Lenora Blackmore patrons are invited to join us. We hope you will do a chug, chug, and a toot, toot, to this program at the Henry County Library. Date: Saturday, July 17, 2021 at 10:00 am Place: Henry County Library

Animals that Blow Bubbles

Let's play with bubbles as we learn about animals that like to blow bubbles too! Join Miss Sheila as we make bubbles in fun and unique ways! This program is all about the bubbles, and what child doesn't love to play with bubbles? We will have a bubbling good time! Date: Monday, July 19, 2021 Lenora Blackmore Branch in Windsor at 10:00 am; Henry County Library Clinton Facility at 1:00 pm

Exploding Sidewalk Chalk at the Library

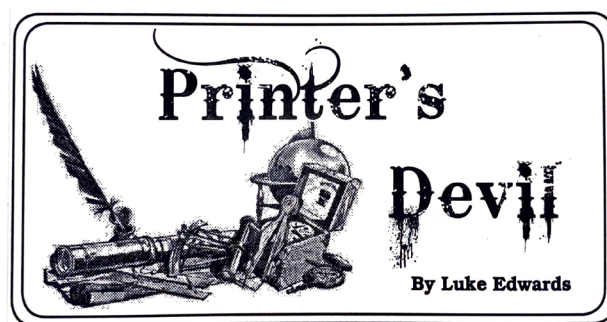
Let's put a fun spin on one of our favorite art projects! Instead of drawing with sidewalk chalk we will be exploding the chalk! We will take a tasty break while the sun dries our explosions, and then we will use our imagination to turn these fun blobs into wacky animals. What fun animal creation will you come up with? Lenora Blackmore Branch in Windsor: Wednesday, July 21, 2021 at 10:00 am; Clinton Facility: Thursday, July 22, 2021 at 1:00 pm

Six Days of Cooking Fun at the Library!

Join Miss Sheila's special cooking guest, Missouri Extension Service Associate Deborah Dody. Ms. Dody will be guiding the children through six days of cooking fun learning kitchen safety and how to make delicious recipes. Pre-registration is required and this program is for children ages 6-18. Dates: July 27, 28, 29, 30, and August 2 and 3, Lenora Blackmore Branch in Windsor at 10:00 am; Clinton Facility at 1:00 pm

It's the End of the Summer Reading Celebration!

The Henry County Library's Summer Reading Program is coming to an end. In honor of all the reading you have accomplished we invite you to one last animal program. It will be a grand celebration as our special guest, Jamie Williams from the Dickerson Park Zoo mesmerizes us with her animal friends. All final reading sheets need to be turned in by Thursday, August 5, 2021 to make sure your name is entered into the grand prize drawing. We will be drawing for those prizes immediately after Ms. Williams completes her program. Date: Saturday, August 7, 2021 Lenora Blackmore Branch in Windsor at 10:00 am; Clinton Facility at 1:00 pm



I have been in love with astronomy ever since I got my first telescope many years ago. There is something about gazing off into the abyss and seeing something no human can touch. There is a sort of mysticism surrounding the science when you are young. Learning to decipher the night sky is part of the wonder of youth as far as I am concerned.

The history of astronomy is just as fascinating. It is an accurate measuring stick of the epochs of human reason and the changes we have undergone over time. From the first interpretations to the most recent, the record of what we thought about those distant points of light can tell a lot about what we believed and just how far we would go to protect what we believed: Galileo is a perfect example of this. He was branded a heretic for basically stating his observations to the Holy Roman Catholic Church. What Galileo saw, and measured, was that the Earth was not the center of the Universe at all - but that we were really just a part of a larger system. Copernicus was so afraid of stating his findings (he mathematically showed that the sun was the center of our solar system) that he wished his works to be published posthumously. And they were.

When the blinders were off, however, the world - or universe in this case, opened up. Isaac Newton, one of the chief architects of the Scientific Revolution, searched the stars (and planets) for answers. His attempts to make the prediction of planetary movement accurate even led to the invention of calculus (well, he and Leibniz independently came up with calculus). Many of the inventions related to astronomy in the 15th and 16th centuries were put to use elsewhere - all because we wanted to explain what was beyond our Earth.

Not much has changed in that regard today: technologies developed by NASA have also trickled into mainstream use, like LED's, artificial limbs, and anti-icing systems - not to mention better tires and freeze-dry technologies (tires got better when Goodyear developed a rubber to help soft-land the Viking Landers on Mars).

These days, a kid can

get a telescope for almost nothing (like \$20). Or, you can pop off several hundred and get software and motorized mounts which will keep a kid from ever really learning about celestial navigation and mapping, but - for those interested - the ability to do so is still there.

Learning about astronomy really has only one grand purpose: it shows us continually how insignificant and small we are. I know that most astronomers would argue that learning about astronomy is chiefly a utilitarian act (we need to be able to measure the days, seasons, etc. and to explain the universe). I argue that learning it keeps us humans in our place and our egos in check. Astronomy reminds us that there are distances we cannot fathom, forces so large we cannot really measure, and a time scale so vast we struggle to conceptualize it. In short, learning about astronomy is a way to keep a little mystery in our lives.

Besides, there is something gratifying about pointing a telescope into the night sky and finding an object you set out to look for - like Saturn and her rings, or a distant galaxy, such as the M31, our closest galactic neighbor (the M31 Galaxy is better known as the Andromeda galaxy). With a little luck, you might even catch a glimpse of the Orion Nebula, the rings of Saturn - or just gaze at the craters on our moon. All of it is fascinating. A significant increase in sky gazing satisfaction can be had by just getting out a pair of binoculars. With the naked eye, we can see some 10,000 stars - with standard binoculars, we can see some 200,000. Even a small telescope puts that figure to over 5 million.

I am not sure if kids these days are more into astronomy - or activities like it (that take you outdoors) or not. I know that the video game industry has capitalized on making couch-potatoes out of our youth for quite some time now. It runs counter to what I grew up doing. Sure, there were video games when I was young - specifically, Nintendo. Yet I still recall having to be dragged indoors for anything. Taking up astronomy as a hobby does something else that is really important: it increases

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your individual freedom.

Not long ago I ran into a friend I went to high school with, and we got to talking about kids. He explained that he only lived a block away from the school but that his kids still insisted on getting a ride. I saw the pained look on his face, and shared it: mine, too, seemed to have an aversion to walking to school at one time. It is an attitude I did not understand because when I was their age riding a bike to school was 100% pure freedom: no adults, the ability to choose one's own direction, and, if possible, stop and get gum at a convenience store.

I did not want to ride the bus, even though I had to a few times. I did not want to be taken to school (because what kid wants to be seen getting dropped off by their folks or, in

my case, my older sister). My brother and I even walked or rode a bike to swim practice most days during the summer. I remember the walks: somehow, my parents trusted us to our own devices, and it was great. I don't know if kids think like that much anymore.

The appeal, then, with astronomy must have been two-fold for me: not only was I doing something that had a slight mysterious edge to it, and "exploring," but I was also gaining freedom - how else could you get out late at night without an adult?

The world has changed. But now I follow NASA news updates with a little thrill because I am, in some small way, a part of what they are doing. They are just able to use better "toys" and gaze at things further off and - as I had in my mind's eye many years ago - actually get

up close to the things I knew were out there.

By the way, a small telescope is a great gift to give to a kid. It may give them that sense of freedom they need.

VFW/Legion To Hold Memorial Day Service

The VFW/American Legion will hold a joint Memorial Service on May 31st at 11:00 AM at Englewood Cemetery. Our guest speaker will be Kenneth Goth, Commander of American Legion and retired police officer. First responders will be recognized from the pandemic years.



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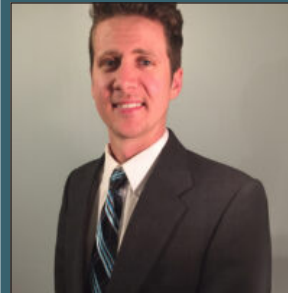


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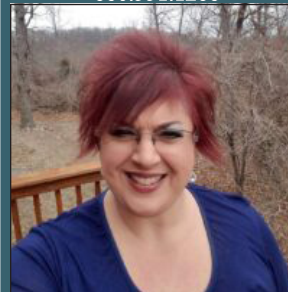
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REQUEST FOR BIDS

The City of Urich, Missouri, will be receiving bids to repair the Pavilion, located at the City Park, through June 15, 2021, at 5:00pm. Bids must be received at Urich City Hall, 308 N Main, PO Box 34, Urich, MO 64788 and clearly marked as Pavilion Repair Bid. The bids will be open at the Board of Aldermen Meeting, June 15, 2021. The Board Meeting begins at 7:00pm.

Park Pavilion

During a recent examination of Substandard Conditions at this location the following conditions were observed by the engineer. While the examination did not result in emergency repairs needed, it did indicate that repairs need to be made.

The Pavilion is a wood frame structure, approximately 50 feet by 73 feet long.

The galvanized, corrugated metal roof needs to be replaced, as it has several leaks.

Several Rafters need to be replaced.

Several Rafters need to be repaired.

The Stage/Platform flooring and support system needs to be strengthened, and flooring replaced.

One wood column on the West side may need to be replaced.

A copy of the inspection report is available, if needed.

If you have any questions, please contact City Hall at 660-638-4813. may27da1tc

IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT, HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

Judge or Division:
HAROLD L DUMP II

Case Number: 21HE-PR00029
In the Estate of ANNA RUTH TAYLOR, Deceased.

NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED

(Supervised Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of ANNA RUTH TAYLOR, Decedent:

On MAY 3, 2021, the last will of the decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed personal representative of the estate of ANNA RUTH TAYLOR, decedent by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The name and business address of the personal representative is:

SUE E. TAYLOR, 715 E. JACKSON, WINDSOR, MO 65360

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is:

JEFFREY DULL, 1116 E OHIO STREET, CLINTON, MO 64735, (660) 885. 9600

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or if a copy of this notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the personal representative, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after the decedent's death, as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, RSMo, shall be construed to bar any action against a decedent's liability insurance carrier through a defendant ad litem pursuant to Section 537.021, RS Mo.

Date of the decedent's death: 14-NOV-2020

Date of first publication: 13-MAY-2021

Glenda Hann
Probate Clerk

Receipt of this notice by mail should not be construed by the recipient to indicate that the recipient necessarily has a beneficial interest in the estate. The nature and extent of any person's interest, if any, can be determined from the files and records of this estate in the Probate Division of the above referenced Circuit Court.

m13,20,27,j3da4tc

The Village of Brownington will be taking bids for Completion of Shelter House at Brownington Park. Contact Joyce Tullis, Clerk, 8532 SE Hwy BB, Deepwater, Mo 64740. Info call: 1-660-492-7423. may 27da1tc

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Henry County Commission is requesting bids for Polypropylene Pipe Culverts and Bands, delivered to the Henry County Bridge yard.

Bid specs are available in the Office of Rick Watson, Henry County Clerk, Henry County Courthouse, or by calling 660-885-7204. Bids are due by 10:00am on Tuesday, May 25th, 2021 and will be opened, at 10am, Tuesday May 25th, 2021. Mail to: The Office of Rick Watson, Henry County Clerk, 100 W Franklin St, Clinton MO 64735 m20da2tc

The City of Clinton Fire Department will be holding a silent auction for surplus property items on Wednesday, June 16th with viewing & bidding times from 3:00pm to 6:00pm at the Fire Station located at 301 S. Washington St. Items included are office desks, storage racks, power washer, snow blower, rotary saw, leaf blowers, bicycle tires and assorted bike parts, bicycle repair rack. Pictures of the items will be on the Clinton, Missouri Fire Department Facebook page. The City reserves the right to accept/reject any and all bids. may27da1tc

IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

In The Estate Of KENNETH LEROY BREWER, Deceased. Case No.: 21HE-PR00028

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED (Independent Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate Of KENNETH LEROY BREWER, Decedent:

On MAY 13, 2021, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of KENNETH LEROY BREWER, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The personal representative's business address is: MARY BREWER, 903 WILLOW, CLINTON, MO 64735.

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is: MICHAEL X EDGETT, 608 EAST OHIO STREET, CLINTON, MO 64735, 660-885-2234.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or if a copy of this notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the personal representative, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after the decedent's death, as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, RSMo, shall be construed to bar any action against a decedent's liability insurance carrier through a defendant ad litem pursuant to Section 537.021, RSMo.

Date of decedent's death: NOVEMBER 20, 2020

Date of first publication: MAY 27, 2021

Glenda Hann
Probate Clerk

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SEEKING BIDS

The City of Clinton is soliciting bids for two street repair projects: 1) 8,217 SY of 2-3 in. mill and fill and 2) 58,938 SY of seal coating, with crack filling. Contact Deborah Nelson, dnelson@cityofclintonmo.com or 660-885-6121, for the complete bid packages. may27da1tc

BIDS FOR 2021-2022

Call for Bids: The Leesville R-9 School Board will receive bids for propane, diesel fuel, trash disposal services, and pest control to be used from August 26, 2021 to August 25, 2022, which would be eligible for renewal for the following years, from qualified vendors at the Leesville R-9 School building, at 8229 E Highway 7, Clinton, MO 64735, until 3:00 pm, Tuesday, June 8, 2021.

Please submit all specifications and bids by mail or in person to the address mentioned above. Bid information needs to be clearly marked "Call for Bids". All bids must be submitted on or before 3:00 pm on Tuesday, June 8, 2021.

Bid Award: All bids will be opened on Tuesday, June 8, 2021 at 6:00 pm to be decided upon by the Leesville R-9 School Board. Bids received after the deadline will not be considered. may20,27,j3da3tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

IN RE THE MATTER OF:)
) Case No.: 21HE-AC00148
DAVID EUGENE FRANTZ, JR)

JUDGMENT FOR CHANGE OF NAME

NOW on this 18th day of May, 2021, the Petition For Change of Name having come on for hearing, the Court does find that the requirements of Supreme Court Rule 95 are satisfied and that Patitioner, David Eugene Krantz, Jr., shall have his name changed to David Eugene Punshon.

NOW, IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the name of Petitioner, David Eugene Krantz, Jr., shall be changed to David Eugene Punshon. may27,j3,10da3tc

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

CIRCUIT DIVISION

In Re the Matter of:)
)
CHARLEE RACHELLE MULLEN, by)
Guardian, RONNIE L. AVERITT,)
And)
RONNIE L. AVERITT)
)
Petitioners,)Case No.: 20HE-AC00233
)
)
Vs.)
)
RENEE LYNN HOUK and)
JOHN DOE,)
)
Respondents.)

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

The court hereby orders that the following Notice of Change of Name be published:

To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that on May 10, 2021, the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri, entered judgment in Cause Number 20HE-AC00233, changing the name of Charlee Rachell Mullen to Charlee Sue Averitt.

Date: 5-13-2021 Honorable Harold L. Dump, II
Patricia Doll by glh
Circuit Clerk
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

In the Estate of:)
)
JERRY D. EPP)Estate No.: 20HE-PR00058
)
)
Deceased.)

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION

You are hereby notified that on June 15, 2021, or as may be continued by the court, the undersigned personal representative will file in the Probate Division of Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri, at Clinton, final settlement and petition for distribution of the estate and for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein. Any objections or exceptions to such Final Settlement and Petition for Distribution or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within twenty days after the filing of such settlement.

Karen Love,
Personal Representative
10328 E.
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Raytown, MO 64133

Zachariah A. Maggi, #60909
129 S. Washington
Clinton, MO 64735
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Facsimile: 660-383-1070
E-mail: zmaggi@gmail.com

Attorney for Petitioner
Patricia Doll by glh
Circuit Clerk

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BID OPPORTUNITY: the MO National

Guard will have several projects across the state that will be open for public bid between June and September 2021. Bids will be received online through MissouriBUYs. The projects that will be bidding are as follows: REBID T2049-01 (30-Soldier Barracks Bldg. Camp Crowder) T2101-01 (60-Soldier Barracks Bldg. Camp Crowder) T2102-01 (60-Soldier Barracks Bldg. Macon Training Site) T2103-01 (200-Soldier Dining Facility Camp Crowder) T2104-01 (200-Soldier Dining Facility Camp Clark) T2105-01 (St. Joseph FMS Addition) T2123-01 (Utility Main Extension Camp Crowder) T2127-01 (Utility Main Extension Macon Training Site) T2030-01 (Construct Unheated Storage Bldg. Festus FMS) T2037-01 (Flight Line & POV Parking Area Improvements Jefferson City AASF) T2039-01 (Exterior LED Roadway Lighting Ike Skelton Training Site) T2040-01 (Replace Roof Ike Skelton Training Site USFPO) T2043-01 (Construct Mobile Vault Pad & POV Expansion Clinton RC). To view the bidding schedule and/or the plans & specifications, go to <https://oa.mo.gov/facilities/>

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The City of Clinton Fire Department will be accepting sealed bids for the following surplus vehicle: 1993 Chevy Box Van. For questions or to make an appointment to view this vehicle, please contact Deputy Chief Matt Willings or Fire Chief Mark Manual at (660)885-2560. Contact Deborah Nelson for a bid spec sheet or to submit your bid at: City Hall, 105 E. Ohio, Clinton, MO 64735; 660-885-6121; or dnelson@CityofClintonMO.com. Bids are due no later than 10:00 a.m., on Monday, June 14th. The City reserves the right to accept/reject any and all bids. may27da1tc

The Village of Brownington will be taking bids for Mowing of Village Park. Contact Joyce Tullis, Clerk, 8532 SE Hwy BB, Deepwater, Mo 64740. Info call: 1-660-492-7423. may 27da1tc

The City of Deepwater will be taking sealed bids for brickwork to be done at City Hall and the City Shop. Deepwater City clerk will be taking bids until June 8, 2021. Please mail your sealed bids to: City of Deepwater - P.O. Box 18 - Deepwater, Mo. 64740. City will have right to refuse any and or all bids. may 27da1tc

IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

In The Estate Of NORMAN D. TAYLOR, Deceased. Case No.:

21HE-PR00042

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED

(Supervised Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate Of NORMAN D. TAYLOR, Decedent:

On MAY 13, 2021, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of NORMAN D. TAYLOR, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The personal representative's business address is: SUE TAYLOR, 715 E. JACKSON, WINDSOR, MO 65360.

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is: JEFFREY DULL, 1116 EAST OHIO STREET, CLINTON, MO 64735, 660-885-9600.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or if a copy of this notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the personal representative, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after the decedent's death, as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, RSMo, shall be construed to bar any action against a decedent's liability insurance carrier through a defendant ad litem pursuant to Section 537.021, RSMo.

Date of decedent's death: JANUARY 28, 2021

Date of first publication: MAY 27, 2021

Glenda Hann
Probate Clerk

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The Ballard R-II School District is accepting bids for the following projects:

- (1) Replace door and door frame on the AG Building.
- (2) Construct a wall to divide a current classroom.

Please contact John Siebeneck, Superintendent at 816-297-2656 extension 101.

Bids accepted until June 15, 2021.

may 27, j3da2tc

IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

In The Estate Of KELLY MICHELLE RADFORD, Deceased. Case No.: 21HE-PR00032

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED

(Supervised Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate Of KELLY MICHELLE RADFORD, Decedent:

On MAY 10, 2021, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of KELLY MICHELLE RADFORD, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The personal representative's business address is: MARY DENISE RADFORD, 311 N 3RD, CLINTON, MO 64735.

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is: MATTHEW D LOWE, 102 WEST JEFFERSON, P.O. BOX 309, CLINTON, MO 64735. (660)885-6161

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or if a copy of this notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the personal representative, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after the decedent's death, as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, RSMo, shall be construed to bar any action against a decedent's liability insurance carrier through a defendant ad litem pursuant to Section 537.021, RSMo.

Date of decedent's death: 02-MAR-2021

Date of first publication: MAY 27, 2021

Glenda Hann
Probate Clerk

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The vaccine rollout and the reopening of more businesses led both the U.S. and global economy to grow considerably in April. The U.S. economy continues to ride the huge wave of stimulus money that was pumped into it during the height of the pandemic to the detriment of higher consumer prices. These higher prices/inflation around the world make investors fear that the Fed and other central bankers will need to tighten monetary policy to combat the global inflation which could shock the equity markets. As of May 21st, the S&P 500 has been down since setting a new all-time high on May 7th of this year. The current volatility signals investors are concerned about the weaker-than-expected April employment report and the inflation fears.

Though the equity markets are high in regards to their earnings, we don't see the latest sell-off as the beginning of a major decline. We also don't see investors deploying the "sell in May and go away" strategy where investors sell their equity holdings in late Spring and invest again in the Fall because there isn't a high percentage of companies trading below their 50-day or

200-day moving averages. Equity declines are being led by small-caps, growth, consumer discretionary, and technology sectors. Though technology, a leading sector out of a recession, is generally weak during times of inflation.

Strong earnings reports from the major retail companies show the U.S. consumer remains healthy and has the cash to spend. The increasingly tight housing market is causing some analysts to grow concerned this could negatively affect the markets if it continues very long.

One positive note is that investors reacted favorably on May 13 when the CDC ruled that vaccinated people could stop wearing masks in most places signaling there may be more gas in the tank for the market to benefit from pandemic-related businesses reopening.

Overall, the markets seem to be wrestling with the enthusiasm of global economic recoveries as vaccines continue to roll out and increasing inflation fears. A major question yet to be answered is if the equities benefit from the recovery has already been priced into the markets. Have a blessed week!

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On Friday, May 14th, I, David Lee joined Clinton Chamber of Commerce Past-President Jack Wetzel at the Clinton High School for the awarding of the Chamber's Academic Excellence medals and ribbons to the Seniors before their graduation practice. We also drew three names from a basket as winners of the Chamber's three, \$500 scholarships. Congratulations to Victor Chapa, Morgan Hendrich and Katie Mitchell from CHS and Molly Briggs from Clinton Christian Academy as scholarship winners for 2021. It's definitely the season for Academic Excellence, awards and scholarships. Clinton High School and Clinton Christian Academy students that have qualified for A.E. will be getting their ribbons and medals today(5/21). We sent congratulatory letters to the parents of these students. We

are proud to be working with the Clinton School District for the past 30+ years and for the first time, the Chamber is now working with CCA to honor their high school students. If you would like to sponsor this activity, just give us a call before the end of the month.

I attended two meetings on Tuesday...one early in the morning, the other late in the aft. The Ag Committee met at 7am at the Chamber. Jeff Stone leads this group of folks. The annual fundraising golf tournament presented by the Chamber's Ag Committee is coming up July 24th at the Clinton Country Club. Money raised goes towards the scholarships this committee presents each year. If you would like to sponsor and/or participate, stop by the Chamber or give us a call and we can get you all the details. The annual

Ag Dinner and Sale is coming up Aug. 23rd.

The other meeting at the Chamber on Tuesday included the Committee Chairmen of the Olde Glory Days Committee: Dave Garnett, Tim Glasscock, Craig Thompson and Dan Wallace. The OGD committee continues to move forward with this year's celebration. Music, the parade, carnival, fireworks, office olympics, kids games, side shows, veteran's dinner, prize drawings and more will be taking place. The Fishin' Magicians show is coming back... look for a Ventriloquist/Comedian and the Kansas City Aerial Show...the Henry Co. Museum and Dorman House will be open...you'll hear the TLC Dulcimers...main stage entertainment includes Funk Syndicate, the Cate Brothers, Dawson Hollow and the Eskimo Brothers... don't forget the Gospel Fest...and so much more! Stay tuned, KaBoom has more to come! OLDE GLORY DAYS 2021: Let's give this a shot! We keep on posting items on the official Olde Glory Days Facebook page and will give you more details as they become available. If you would like to be involved financially and/or as a volunteer, call us at the Chamber.

Two meetings on Wed. First, the Chamber's Ambassador Committee met. Britany Radford is this committee's Chairperson. The Ambassador's Committee of the Chamber is putting in work to get the monthly Business After Hours going again after more than a year off due to the pandemic. These events for our Chamber members and guests are scheduled to get underway in June. So far, we will be going to Primitive Olde Crow and Winery on June 17th, then The Eagles Lodge, Powell Meats and Automotive, Oak Star Bank and Henry Co. Mutual Ins.

The second meeting on Wed. was with Brian Sowers of Crappie Masters All American Tournament Trail. This fishing tournament will be in Clinton June 17th for their pre-fish meeting at the Benson Center and then they will fish on June 18th and 19th out of Bucksaw Resort and Marina. Weigh-in each day will be at 3:00 and it's open to the public. They are expecting about 200 anglers since this is the last qualifier before a national tournament. More on this will come your way as we get closer to mid-June.

On Thursday, Economic Developer Mark Dawson and I were on the phone with Regina Waters, Professor Emerita in Drury's De-

partment of Communication. She is serving on a Drury GO action team to discover how Drury might serve adult learners and employers in the Clinton area. She reached out to us to learn more about the educational and training needs of folks in Clinton and surrounding communities. Drury currently has educational sites in various locations in Missouri and they are exploring the opportunity to open a new site on the western side of Missouri.

Speaking of Mark, I was able to sit in on a meeting he had Tuesday with someone looking to start a business, hopefully on the Downtown Square. This meeting consisted of a couple of potential investors, a real estate agent, the person looking to start a business, Clinton Main St. Director Tina Williams, Mark and myself. If this project can come together, the people in this area will love it and I think it may draw people from across the State to Clinton.

Don't forget that Rodeo Gold is coming to the Henry Co. Fairgrounds in Clinton June 18th and 19th at 7:30 each night. This URA, MRCA-sanctioned rodeo will feature bull riding, barrel racing, team roping, steer wrestling, calf roping, saddle bronc riding, bareback riding and more! The winner of the Henry Co. queen contest will be announced, the cook shack will be open, a DJ on Friday night, a band on Sat. night and more. For more information, go to Rodeo Gold Productions on Facebook. Brought to you by the Clinton Tourism Assoc.

An important meeting is coming up if you are interested in seeing the nine-hole disc golf course in Artesian Park become an 18-hole course. Please stop by the Chamber office at 200 South Main for a short meeting. We will talk about how the back nine could look, what our next steps need to be, when work on the course might begin and more. It's our understanding that more people will come to Clinton to play on an 18-hole course rather than just a nine-hole course and fundraising tournaments would be easier to schedule. The meeting is Monday, May 24th at 5pm. Those arriving late are more than welcome to attend! We hope to be done by 6pm.

It's never too late in the year to sign up to belong to the Clinton Chamber of Commerce. Find out more about belonging to the Chamber by calling 660-885-8166 or email david@clintonmo.com. Anyone can be a member!

People buy Cham-

ber gift certificates to give to friends, family, co-workers, employee of the month, as a thank you and so many other reasons. Call 660-885-8166 and order your gift certificates. They will be ready when you get here!

Each Monday, we are putting a question on our Facebook page you can answer if you'd like. Look for 'WONDERINGS FOR THIS WEEK' and let us know what you think concerning our question each week.

We get about three or four inquires each week, sometimes more, from the public wanting to know about places to rent in Clinton. We do have a list of landlords we give to them or email, but now each Monday on our Facebook page, we will be updating that list to make sure it is accurate and includes more information for folks looking for a place to rent. If you have houses or apartments to rent, make sure the Chamber knows about it so you will be on the list.

Don't forget, if you're a business owner and belong to the Chamber, be sure to update those Facebook pages so we can share your information on the Chamber's Facebook page. If you would like to get involved in moving Clinton forward, just reach out and we'll find the perfect place for you! Be sure like us on Facebook: Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce, and watch for the new website coming soon.

Chamber To Hold Job Fair

As we told you in late Jan., the Clinton Chamber of Commerce had been receiving quite a few calls from folks wanting to know if we know of any job openings in the area.

That's why the Chamber has worked to become a "clearing-house" so to speak for job openings available.

Since then, many of our Chamber members have provided us with their job openings and we have posted those on the Chamber of Commerce Facebook page.

Without a job center here in town, it can be difficult to easily find what job openings there are in and around Clinton.

TO THE BUSINESS-ES: Here's what we need our Chamber members to do: Bring by or send us your job openings. We can put those on our Facebook page and I can include them in my weekly report to the public (Facebook and local media).

If your business is not a member of our Chamber, (we would like it if you were) you can still send us your job openings and we will post them and in-

clude them in my report for \$25.

Also, we will be hosting drive-thru job fairs here at the Chamber, and the next one is this Friday, May 28th from 8am till 4pm.

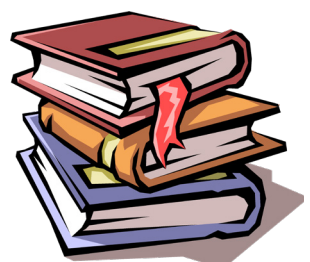
If you have any job openings now, or if you're just looking to add potential employees to your list, please email that info to david@clintonmo.com or joyce@clintonmo.com. For our job fairs, we will print what you have sent us or you can mail or drop off your job openings at the Chamber.

TO THE PUBLIC: If you are looking for a job, a better job, more hours, etc., just drive through the alley next to the railroad tracks behind the Chamber office (200 South Main). Honk your horn and we will come out with a packet that contains info about all the jobs we have received here at the Chamber. There is also a huge mailbox next to our building in the alley...job packets will be there as well.

If you have any questions at all, email us or call 660-885-8166.

Summer Reading Program

The Henry County Library's Summer Reading Program will take you to new places in the books you read and during the animal programs that you visit. This summer, the Library has two months of action-packed animal entertainment for you that includes: the Kick-Off Celebration, in-house Story Times, a visit from the animal shelter, a teen photo contest, animal shadow drawings, discovering the Bald Eagle, a walk at the conservation trails, Cryptozoology with author Kelly Milner Hall, a visit with local amazing dogs, Fear Factor Edible Bug Program with Paul Landkamer, animals that blow bubbles, a ride on the animal zoo train, exploding sidewalk chalk, teen movie and pizza, Kids in the Kitchen, and special entertainment from Jamie Williams and her animal friends from the Dickerson Park Zoo. Pre-registration starts at the Kick-Off Celebration on June 5, 2021, from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, at the Henry County Library Clinton facility. Your friends at the Library hope you will join us for a summer of animal fun!



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Harold Rittenhouse Appliance Sales & Service, 702 E Ohio, Clinton, MO. (660) 885-7640 Kenmore dryer, \$125. Rittenhouse appliance. We buy used appliances. 702 E Ohio, Clinton, MO. (660) 885-7640

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Clinton Housing Authority/Katy Trail Estates Is currently accepting application for senior/disabled and family units, 1-4-bedroom apartments. Every unit has a washer/dryer, refrigerator with ice maker, stove with microwave, dishwasher, and garbage disposal. Clinton Housing is an established property with full time staff, 24-hour maintenance, with a family like environment. Trash and lawn service provided. We have a nice playground, dog park, community activities, sidewalks across the property. We are income based and pet friendly. Criminal background and rental history required. 7 Bradshaw Drive, 660-885-5852

FOR RENT

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General Labor and Weed Eating/Spraying needed for RV Park in Tightwad. 660-525-2492 may6da4tc

HELP WANTED

Pristine Clean Systems LLC of Clinton is hiring part time starting at \$11 per hour. Both day and evening hours available. Residential and commercial cleaning. Call Pam at 660-492-5440 may6da4tp

ST. MARY'S JOB OPENINGS:

St. Mary's School in Montrose, MO is seeking applicants for a teacher and part time custodian. St. Mary's is a small, rural Catholic School. If you are interested in applying for either of these positions please contact Mrs. Steward by email asteward@stmarysmontrose.org or by phone 660-693-4502.

HELP WANTED

Ellett Memorial Hospital in Appleton City, Missouri is currently accepting applications for: **Full Time Paramedic** Applicant must have appropriate EMT-P training course, current licensure with the Missouri Bureau of EMS, and Missouri Class E Driver's License. BLS, ACLS and Pals are Required. Sign on Bonus! **Full Time-EMT** Applicant must have appropriate EMT training course, current licensure with the Missouri Bureau of EMS, and Missouri Class E Driver's License. BLS is Required. **PRN-Cook/Dietary Aide** Applicant must be a High School Graduate or GED equivalent. Experience with food preparation and handling preferred but not required. Position will be 15-20 hours per week.

Full Time Hospital Receptionist Applicant must be a High School Graduate or GED equivalent. Clerical/ Secretarial experience preferred.

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Please submit applications/resume to Heather.Payton@ellettmemorial.com or Ellett Memorial location @ 610 N Ohio Street, Appleton City, MO. EMH is an EOE.



Ellett Memorial Hospital

### HELP WANTED

LPN/RN openings day and night shifts, evenings and nights. Please come by and check out our new aggressive pay scale. Come be a member of our team. For more information, please contact Tim Corbin, Administrator, or Lisa Jacobs, Don, 417-644-2248, or apply at 600 East 7th Street, Lowry city, MO 64763. EOE. n18kotfn

CNA/NA openings, days, evenings and nights. Please come by and check out our new aggressive pay scale. Come be a member of our team. No experience necessary, we will train NA to become certified. For more information, please contact Tim Corbin, Administrator, or Lisa Jacobs, Don, 417-644-2248, or apply at 600 East 7th Street, Lowry city, MO 64763. EOE. n18kotfn

### Help Wanted for Henry County Road and Bridge

Henry County is accepting applications (with resume) to hire 2 full time employees for the Road and Bridge crew. Primary responsibilities include maintaining and building bridges on the rural roads of the county, as well as burying culverts, mowing, brush cutting, and delivering pipes. Full Time benefits include: low cost health insurance, cafeteria plan options, retirement, 13 paid holidays, with nights and weekends off. Download an application at www.Henrycomo.com or pick one up from Rick Watson, County Clerk's Office, 100 W Franklin St, Clinton MO 64735.

### HELP WANTED

**SUMMER PART-TIME 4-H HELPER** Must be organized and work well with children of all ages. 4-H experience preferred. Flexible hours include days, nights, and some weekends. To receive a job description sheet or send in your resume and cover letter... henryco@missouri.edu or mail to the Henry County Extension Center, 120 E. Lincoln Street, Clinton, 64735.

### HELP WANTED

### TRUMAN STATE PARK MARINA

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The cemetery behind the Finney Baptist Church has been the final resting place for many of its members and also members of the community. The church was established in 1905. At that time Finney had a general store, post office, school, and church. There are still a few people in the community who attend the Finney school before it closed in the early 1950s. And the Finney church is still going. The hand of God has guided it through generations of members, world wars, depressions, and even a previous pandemic - the 1918 influenza. Over the years the church has been a guiding beacon of hope for the community. The church is committed to the perpetual maintenance of the cemetery out of respect for those lives that lingered in the Finney community or extended their hand while passing through. It is a peaceful memorial to about 75 lives. So the church has set aside a special fund as an endowment for the maintenance of its cemetery. Over the years many have contributed to this fund for the express benefit of the cemetery. The church has a special committee to oversee the maintenance of its cemetery and its endowment. If you would like to join others in perpetuating this Finney landmark we welcome any contributions you can give. On behalf of those who are at peace in their final resting place, who are now silent, we speak their appreciation for your generosity and perpetuating their memory.

Thank you Dan Veach 660 438-9310. Checks can be made out to: Finney Baptist Church Cemetery Fund c/o Joann Deckard 1220 SE 822 Pvt Rd Deepwater, Mo. 64740

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### GARAGE SALES

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Calhoun Area: Friday, 5/28 & Saturday, 5/29 - 8a.m.-3p.m. 7 miles south of Calhoun, 10 Miles east of Clinton. Watch for signs. Something for everyone. Canceled if rain. m27da1tp

Westpoint (59 NW 241 Rd) May 27-29 @ 8a.m. Playstation 4 (console, steering wheel & games) Call of Duty night goggles, Iphone 7, Dehumidifier, sports equipment, kids clothes, movies, home decor & more. m27da1tc

Huge Garage Sale Womens & misses clothing, designer hand bags, housewares, home decor - much misc. too much to mention. 1-1/2 mi. N. of Finney Church off Z Hwy. Fri-Sat 8-6. Sun 8-2. Rain or shine - Cash only. Follow pink signs. m27da1tp

### Large Multi Family 'Downsizing' Garage Sale

Lots of modern decor, dishes, small appliances, plus size clothing, almost new treadmill, children's toys, ATV tires, storm windows, doors, some furniture and much, much more.

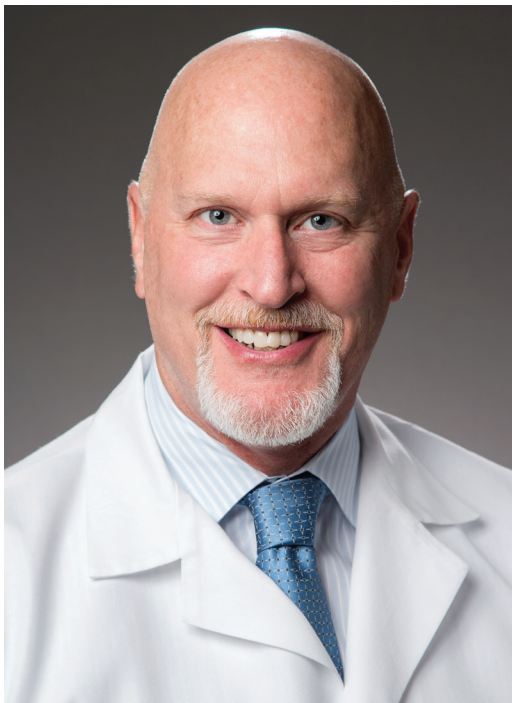
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Directions: Go west on 18 to Ballard. Turn south on BB. BB winds around and intersects D, turn back west on D. Four or five miles down D you will see my large sign on county road 7003, turn north there. Google me for a map. 8587 NE County Road 7003  
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| <b>Rainbow Roll</b><br>In: cucumber, avocado & crab meat<br>Out: white fish, salmon, tuna & cooked shrimp  | 10.50 |
| <b>Dragon Roll</b><br>In: eel & cucumber<br>Out: avocado & topped w. eel sauce                             | 10.50 |
| <b>Red Dragon Roll</b><br>In: eel, cucumber & avocado<br>Out: tuna w. eel sauce                            | 10.95 |
| <b>Hot Fancy Roll</b><br>In: salmon & avocado<br>Out: spicy tuna w. house special sauce                    | 10.95 |
| <b>Super Crunch Roll</b><br>In: shrimp tempura & avocado w. spicy tuna<br>Out: spicy mayo & crunch         | 11.25 |
| <b>Sunset Roll</b><br>In: cooked shrimp, avocado & cucumber<br>Out: spicy crab & topped w. crunch          | 10.25 |
| <b>Ohio Roll</b><br>Spicy tuna, shrimp tempura, cream cheese, crab meat, avocado & cucumber                | 11.45 |
| <b>Double Shrimp Roll</b><br>In: shrimp tempura & cream cheese<br>Out: Cooked shrimp w. eel sauce          | 11.25 |
| <b>Titanic Roll</b><br>In: spicy tuna & avocado<br>Out: salmon & white fish topped w. crunch & house sauce | 11.45 |
| <b>Missouri Roll</b><br>Crab meat, smoked salmon & cucumber topped w. tuna                                 | 11.25 |
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| Philly Roll       | Chicken Lo Mein    |
| Avocado Roll      | Beef Lo Mein       |
| Boston Roll       | Shrimp Lo Mein     |
| Spicy Tuna Roll   |                    |
| Spicy Salmon Roll | Shrimp Tempura (3) |

Seaweed Salad | Avocado Salad

\*Consuming raw or uncooked meats, poultry, seafood, shellfish or eggs may increase your risk of food borne illness, especially if you have certain medical conditions.  
\*Before placing your order, please inform your server if a person in your party has a food allergy.

| Appetizers & Soup          |      |
|----------------------------|------|
| Miso Soup                  | 2.25 |
| Egg Drop Soup              | 2.25 |
| Pork Egg Roll (2)          | 2.65 |
| Crab Rangoon (5)           | 4.50 |
| Edamame                    | 4.50 |
| Gyoza (7)                  | 4.75 |
| choice of steamed or fried |      |
| Chicken Sticks (4)         | 4.75 |
| Shrimp Tempura (4)         | 6.75 |

| Salad                          |      |
|--------------------------------|------|
| House Salad                    | 3.95 |
| Seaweed Salad                  | 4.95 |
| Avocado Salad                  | 4.75 |
| Kani Salad                     | 6.25 |
| Fresh Salad w. Grilled Chicken | 6.45 |
| Fresh Salad w. Grilled Steak   | 7.95 |

| Fried Rice                             |      |
|----------------------------------------|------|
| Chicken Fried Rice                     | 7.50 |
| Beef Fried Rice                        | 8.25 |
| Shrimp Fried Rice                      | 8.25 |
| Combo Fried Rice                       | 9.25 |
| w. chicken, beef, crab meat and shrimp |      |

| Noodles                                |       |
|----------------------------------------|-------|
| Chicken Lo Mein                        | 8.50  |
| Beef Lo Mein                           | 9.25  |
| Shrimp Lo Mein                         | 9.25  |
| Crab Lo Mein                           | 9.25  |
| Combo Lo Mein                          | 10.25 |
| w. chicken, beef, crab meat and shrimp |       |

| Classic Roll                         |      |
|--------------------------------------|------|
| Cucumber Roll                        | 3.95 |
| Crab Roll                            | 4.25 |
| Eel Avocado Roll                     | 4.95 |
| Philly Roll                          | 5.50 |
| salmon, cream cheese & cucumber      |      |
| Avocado Roll                         | 4.45 |
| Salmon Roll                          | 5.25 |
| Tuna Roll                            | 5.25 |
| Spicy Tuna Roll                      | 5.75 |
| tuna w. spicy sauce                  |      |
| Spicy Salmon Roll                    | 5.75 |
| Alaskan Roll                         | 5.75 |
| salmon, avocado & cucumber           |      |
| California Roll                      | 5.25 |
| crab meat, cucumber & avocado        |      |
| Shrimp Tempura Roll                  | 5.75 |
| tempura shrimp w. avocado & cucumber |      |
| Boston Roll                          | 4.95 |
| cooked shrimp, cucumber & lettuce    |      |

| Express Bowls                      |       |
|------------------------------------|-------|
| Served w. Fried Rice or White Rice |       |
| Chicken Rice Bowl                  | 8.75  |
| Shrimp Rice Bowl                   | 9.95  |
| Steak Rice Bowl                    | 9.95  |
| Noodle Bowl                        | 10.45 |
| choice of chicken, beef, or shrimp |       |

| Hibachi Grill                                           |       |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| Served w. Fried Rice or White Rice & Hibachi Vegetables |       |
| Vegetable                                               | 8.95  |
| Chicken                                                 | 9.75  |
| Beef                                                    | 10.95 |
| Shrimp                                                  | 10.95 |
| Salmon                                                  | 12.25 |
| Chicken & Beef                                          | 12.75 |
| Beef & Shrimp                                           | 13.75 |
| Chicken & Shrimp                                        | 12.75 |
| Chicken, Beef & Shrimp                                  | 14.95 |

| Bento Box                                                               |       |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| Served w. Fried Rice, California Roll, Gyoza, House Salad, Crab Rangoon |       |
| Vegetable                                                               | 9.95  |
| Chicken                                                                 | 12.25 |
| Beef                                                                    | 13.95 |
| Shrimp                                                                  | 13.95 |
| Salmon                                                                  | 14.95 |

| Side Order    |      |
|---------------|------|
| White Rice    | 1.50 |
| Fried Rice    | 2.50 |
| Sauce         | 0.85 |
| Plain Lo Mein | 3.50 |
| Vegetables    | 3.50 |