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Meet The People Who Work On Thanksgiving

BY JENNIFER JACKSON
Staff Reporter

Thanksgiving. A day to be with family, have a day off, maybe watch the Macy's Thanksgiving Day parade in your pajamas while sipping coffee, the smell of cooking turkey wafting through the house.

Not everybody has that luxury.

For troopers at the Missouri State Highway Patrol, medical personnel and hospitality workers, it's just another day at work.

Thanksgiving isn't the busiest day for the highway patrol, according to Sgt. Bill Lowe of Troop A, who is based in Lees Summit. That's the Wednesday before Thanksgiving and the Sunday after Thanksgiving, he said.

"The travel day before Thanksgiving and the Sunday after Thanksgiving, everybody is required to work," Sgt. Lowe said.

That means all 120 uniformed officers of Troop A, which serves 10 counties, including Henry and Benton. They are out assisting motorists, enforcing speeding laws, addressing hazardous moving situations and stopping drunk drivers, Sgt. Lowe said, as well as responding to accidents.

Troopers work day shift, he said, starting as early as 6 a.m. and going to 4 p.m. or the evening shift,



A LOT OF PEOPLE ARE WORKING ON THANKSGIVING and not just at stores. Clinton Parkfield Inn employee Malina Clark will spend the day taking care of hotel guests.

4 p.m. to midnight. To have Thanksgiving dinner with family, they schedule it around their shift, he said, although some use their lunch breaks to be with family.

"You do it whenever you can, like any job where you work every day," he said. "It's a normal day."

Out at the Parkfield Inn, just off Highway 13, Thanksgiving is also just another day at work, according to manager Michelle Carroll. She oversees a staff of 14 at the Clinton location and 11 at the Warsaw Parkfield Inn, she said.

On Thanksgiving, five or six staff members have to work, plus two or three housekeepers, she said.

The desk clerks work in three shifts — 6 a.m. to 2 p.m., 2 p.m. to 10 p.m., and 10 p.m. to 6 a.m.

"It just comes with the job," she said. "Most people in the hospitality industry know it's 24/7. Our doors never close."

Crews at LifeFlight Eagle work even longer shifts, so the company contributes towards providing a Thanksgiving dinner at their base, which is like a small apartment. LifeFlight has four bases, at Clinton, Harrisonville, Odessa and Chillicothe. Each crew consists of three people -- a pilot, who works a 12-hour shift, a flight nurse and a flight paramedic, who both work 24-hour shifts.

"The crew will make themselves a Thanksgiving meal, but have to be ready to go at a moment's notice if they get a call," said Pat Dougherty, director of business development. "They may come back to a raw turkey."

Some crews opt to do a barbecue or Italian meal, he said. Around holidays, they see a lot of accidents, plus heart attacks and strokes.

"It's not uncommon to see those conditions emerge after the holiday," he said. "People look forward to being with family and then are let down afterwards."

"And we're seeing a really high number of cases all Thanksgiving Page 3

Benefit And Joy Of Tasty Tree Treats



DINNER PLUCKED FROM A TREE, was presented at the Missouri Department of Conservation office in Clinton and Lost Valley Hatchery in Warsaw. Kara Entrop and Ginger Miller prepared a variety of items from native trees including cookies and fudge.

BY JENNIFER JACKSON
Staff Reporter

In Missouri, you can hunt for turkey and grow your own corn, traditional Thanksgiving fare.

You can also pick dinner off the trees. Last week, Ginger Miller

and Kara Entrop presented a "Tasty Tree Treats" at the Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) office in Clinton. The workshop focused on foraging for native foods, and featured samples of treats made from persimmons, Paw- Tree Treats Page 3

Sonar Seminars Add Juice



ERIN MIZER OF EDGERTON, KS walked away with a door prize of a brand new Lowrance Elite FS fish finder from the recent Lowrance seminar held at Anglers Port Marine.

BY KEITH JACKSON
Staff Reporter

The continuing series of electronics seminars held by Angler's Port Marine, on Highway 7, give fishermen and boaters the information they need to really use their fish finders.

"Probably 90 percent of the fishermen I talk to don't know how to use their electronics," said J.E.

Van Natta, of Clever, Mo. He's the Humminbird and Minn Kota rep for the area. He was speaking at the Umminbird seminar held last Saturday at Angler's Port Marine on Highway 7 near Warsaw.

At an earlier Lowrance seminar held at Angler's Port Marine in October, Lowrance pro-staff Roger

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Bringing Warmth One Coat At A Time

BY TINA WILLIAMS
Staff Reporter

With plummeting temperatures and an early snow, this year's annual Keep The Kids Warm Community Coat Drive could not come at a better time! Many of you will remember this drive was started by Banks Motors six years ago with a focus to "Keep the Kids Warm". During that time they collected and distributed over 1600 coats as well hundreds of pairs of gloves, scarves and hats. There is a changing of the guard this year as Rent It 2 Own It has taken over the project. Donna West, sales manager at Rent It 2 Own It and new program organizer, had originally reached out to see if she could aid in the drive, and was happy to take over once previous organizer



A PUSH to keep kids warm and safe is underway the annual Keeps The Kids Warm Community Coat Drive. Donna West is spearheading the effort this year.

Rita Barbee announced her desire to retire from the program. This year's drive is off to a great start with Banks Motors donating 20 coats and some of them are already going to aid

children in the Bright Futures Program. If you have new or gently used coats, hats, scarves and gloves, this is an excellent time to clean out the closet and help do some good in our

community. Donna would like to remind everyone that the high school and older middle school children often have the most need and are under served Coats Page 3

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Have I Got A Line For You!
By James Mahlon White

Investigations are underway about the President being compromised by Hunter's foreign deals. They involve 50 countries. Hunter has been cited 150 times in "Suspicious Activity Reports" by the Treasury Department. The rules to hand over these reports were abruptly changed and it looks like the "goods" will stay sealed. Our federal government needs a chainsaw taken to every agency and department. It's being run by a bunch of political cartels. This whole fiasco reminds me of mafia movies when the Don's son keeps creating major problems and the Don sends one of his capos to fix it. Hunter's shady dealings should be investigated, but I hope our elected officials remember we have other pressing issues. But hey, these investigations will bring gas and grocery prices down, you bet! There's a lot more to focus on than the Biden family's financial shenanigans.

Speaking of investigations, it didn't take long after The Donald announced another Presidential run that a special counsel was appointed. What a waste of taxpayer money and legal resources. Taking a war crimes prosecutor and using him for a political carnival. President Trump is already the most investigated person in history and they got nothing. Stalin would be envious of how weaponized our Justice Department has become. Maybe these investigations are being done so they don't have to prosecute Nancy for insider trading. We ought to clear Hunter anyway. He's devoting his life to art. Would you try to indict Grandma Moses? In the meantime, as long as the checks and giveaways continue to keep the masses happy, who cares about tomorrow.

Let's switch to something else. Saw a commercial last night urging people to have family meals together and not just on Thanksgiving. Remember how we all took that for granted years ago, especially at supper time and Sunday dinners? It's just the way it was, and what a great way it was! Grandfather White sat at the head of the table and "fixed the plates," which were passed around. For seconds, you just asked for the serving dish to be sent your way.

This just came to mind. Bet a lot of us wish we could have turned those clocks back a few years on November 1, instead of an hour. Sure would like to do that....for about a week and then return to family and friends in the great here and now. How about you?

Ach du lieber. Hard to think this morning, bustling office. Glad to see my sister Julie walk in and I'm taking her to lunch. The morning has disappeared, never to return. That's okay by me. I'm off to more exciting things, like having lunch! Listen, have a happy and safe Thanksgiving. Take care old buddy.

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across the region— flu, respiratory cases and Covid," he said. "Being with family just compounds it."

Michelle said Parkfield Inns are busy year round, so there is no down time. They do decorate for Christmas, she said, and have a Christmas party for staff, but Thanksgiving pretty much passes like any other day.

"We'd like to be with family, yes, but this is our job," she said. "We're a family here."

When you're giving thanks around the table at home, you might want to spare a thought for the housekeepers at Parkfield Inns, the LifeFlight Eagle crews awaiting a call, and the state highway troopers, who are spending Thanksgiving in their patrol cars out on the highway. There is no holiday pay, Sgt. Lowe said.

"You know what the expectation is when you get into this line of work," Sgt. Lowe said. "It's open to the possibility of working on holidays, birthdays and special events."

Bill Daugherty at LifeFlight said that 911 dispatchers and hospital nurses are often overlooked, and should get kudos for working shifts on holidays.

What does Sgt. Lowe at the MSHP want people to know?

"That we are out there enforcing the traffic laws," he said, "making sure everyone has a safe holiday."

Coats cont.....

as they require adult sizes and most things donated are youth size. Donations can be dropped off at Rent It 2 Own It, 210 S 2nd Street, during business hours, which are 9 AM - 6 PM Monday through Friday and 9 AM - 5 PM on Saturdays. Anyone who donates will receive a coupon for a new rental!

Tree Treats cont.....

Paws, wild plums and hickory bark, plus pecans and walnuts.

"These are different flavors than most people have had," Ginger Miller said. "People either love them or hate them."

Hunter Hodge, 7, gave it a thumbs up.

"I liked it all," he said.

Hunter and his mother, Kristin Hodge, came from Lowry City for the workshop, along with friends Eli, 12, and Ethan, 10, and their mother, Nicole Neeld. The Neeld family lives on 20 wooded acres near Osceola, where she homeschools the two boys.

"We would like to know what we can find on our land," Nicole said, noting they have black walnut and persimmon trees, and have planted PawPaws and elderberry.

When learning about foraging, the first thing to talk about is safety, Ginger said. Properly identifying a tree or plant is paramount, she said, noting that she always checks multiple guides. She recommends "Wild Edibles" by Jan Philips, which Ginger has downloaded on the MDC website (go to mdc.mo.gov and put "Wild Edibles" in the search bar. The MDC office in Clinton has numerous resource books on tree and plant identification, she said. She also recommends "Foraging the Ozarks," by Bo Brown, whose new book, "Foraging the Central Plains," is coming out soon.

Ginger also makes sketches of plants, which she recommends to help develop your eye for details. The second thing is to be mindful of your surroundings, Ginger said. She does not forage near roadways, railroad tracks and agricultural areas, because she doesn't know what's been sprayed there.

"You need to ask yourself, 'Is this a place where this plant should be?'" she said.

Her third rule: when tasting something new, take tiny amounts of it or rub it on your lips. If it causes a tingling sensation, you may be allergic to it and should not eat any more of it. Try one new thing at a time.

"If you learned one new plant a week, you'd have 52 new plants to eat by the end of the year," Ginger said.

Ginger said people who moved to the Missouri territory learned from indigenous people what could be gathered and eaten here.

"They used nuts for a lot of things, and parts of trees," Ginger said.

The Clinton area is the second best place in the country for pecans, she said, with Bates County being the best. Pecan trees are tolerant of flooded areas, and the nuts float, so spread around the floodplain, creating groves of pecan trees. The Clinton area is first for walnuts, she said.

All hickory nuts are edible, although some are sweeter than others. Boiling shagbark hickory bark to make syrup is easier than tapping a maple sugar for sap, Ginger said, but can have a rougher taste. Other plants are edible, but may be too mucilaginous or bitter.

"There is a difference between what you can eat and what is enjoyable to eat," Ginger said.

This is the first year she and Kara have given the Tasty Tree Treats workshop. They presented it twice in Warsaw on Nov. 15 at the Lost Valley Hatchery, receiving rave reviews, she said, and twice on Nov. 16 in Clinton.

Along with learning about foraging for tasty treats, people attending the free workshop were treated to plates full of goodies — thumbprint cookies topped with jelly that Kara made from wild plums, holiday cookies and fudge made with chewy pieces of red persimmon pulp, hickory nut sandies, shagbark hickory syrup, candied pecans and walnuts.

The moist banana/PawPaw bread was a particular favorite. PawPaw, Ginger explained, is the state fruit tree of Missouri, and Missouri's only native tropical fruit tree, having survived from warmer times out of 2,000 species that once flourished here. For those who only know of PawPaws from the "The Pawpaw Patch" song, which children used to sing in grade school, the fruit is about the size of a potato, and tastes like a combination of banana, mango and pineapple, Ginger said. It needs to be peeled, rinsed and the large seeds removed, she said.

Tasty Tree Treat tasters also tried a persimmon, which is similar to a fig in texture and not sour when fully ripe. The flat brown persimmon seeds are used to predict the weather, Ginger said. When split open, the inside of the seed shows the small white shape of a knife, fork or spoon. The knife predicts cutting through a lot of ice, Ginger said, the fork denotes a bountiful harvest, and the spoon means snow.

"We always hope for forks," she said. "We've been seeing a lot of spoons."

Treats were served by Roxanne Stockdall, Kathy Allen of Windsor, and Jeff Steffens, who are members of the Hi Lonesome Chapter of Missouri Master Naturalists, based in Cole Camp. The chapter covers four counties, Roxanne explained, and is sponsored by the University of Missouri Extension and the Missouri Department of Conservation. Master Naturalists take 11 weeks of classes, go on field trips, and help with everything from native gardens and bird and reptile surveys to prescribed burns and prairie maintenance, she said.

"You can find something to do about anything you are interested in," she said. "We're always learning."

The MDC is planning more new workshops, Ginger said, including using natural plant dyes, making baskets from natural materials and sowing winter seeds. Nathan Betterncourt of Tri-Lakes Fly Fisher attended the workshop to learn more about edible plants, and helped serve treats. He is planning on offering a workshop on tying flies for fishing, he said.

A unique experience coming up on Dec. 17 at Lost Valley Hatchery: MDC is offering "Fishing with Santa." Mrs. Claus will also be there, Ginger said, and the trout pond will be open for fishing.

For more information, go to mdc.mo.gov or visit the Missouri Department of Conservation, 2010 S. 2nd St., Clinton. Phone: 660-885-6981.

Sonar cont.....

Umbarger of Blue Springs said much the same thing. "I was in one pro's boat, and he didn't even know how to turn on his fish finder, without thinking about it."

To help this, Angler's Port Marine is holding a series of seminars focusing on the newest fishing electronics. The Lowrance and Humminbird seminars have concluded, and one on Garmin products has been scheduled for February 11.

Even though the two seminars are over for this year, the Garmin seminar in February is worth attending as it will go over areas that pertain to all fishing electronics, regardless of brand.

The reality of modern fishing electronics is that all units function at a level that is beyond what most anglers expect, and it often takes a conscious effort to understand and interpret what the fishfinders show. And until that effort is made, the anglers are "wasting their money," said Umbarger.

He pointed out that electronics often are 30 percent of the cost of a new boat, and if you don't uti-

lize all of the features you need, then it is a waste.

The Humminbird seminar provided a good foundation for using some of the features as well as interpreting the images they provide. It was oriented to people who currently own Humminbird sonar/GPS units including some of the forward-facing, all-around viewing technology that show things that are happening all around the boat, not just under it.

The Lowrance units, in contrast, don't have that option but can show what is off the one side or the

other as well as below the boat. When equipped with the appropriate gear, Lowrance units also have forward-facing sonar that shows the angler what is ahead of the boat—both structure and fish.

Umbarger pointed out how the angler can use the forward-facing sonar to mark the fish ahead of the boat as well as its distance and direction, making it possible for the fisherman to cast directly to a specific fish. With the right lure, one that shows up in the sonar imagery, it's also possible to watch the lure

descend to the fish and judge the fish's reaction to the lure.

While these two seminars are over, there are plans to repeat them again next year, including other seminars.

The Garmin seminar scheduled for next February is just the start of the season—or it might be regarded as the end of the 2022 seminar series, granted a bit late.

Humminbird's Van Natta said that he'd be back with an event that will help fishermen understand.

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- 1) X-ray doses
- 5) Sounds of laughter
- 9) Holler
- 14) Assist a robber, e.g.
- 15) Separable cookie
- 16) "If a tree falls in the forest and ___ ..."
- 17) "American" schedule components
- 20) Takes home from the pound
- 21) Ukrainian capital
- 22) More than a heavy drinker
- 23) Certain Civil War fighter
- 24) "___ all in your mind"
- 26) Set ___ world record
- 28) "___ Almighty" (Jim Carrey film)
- 30) Hawaiian hellos
- 34) Basilica end
- 37) FDR's Scottie
- 39) Verdugo of old Hollywood
- 40) Longtime maid, e.g.

- 43) In spite of the fact, to bards
- 44) Dillies
- 45) Blunt-tipped sword
- 46) Take offense to
- 48) Flagstones
- 50) Airshow stunt
- 52) "We Do Our Part" org.
- 53) Foolish sentimentality
- 56) Anger
- 59) Wishes undone
- 61) Fall
- 63) Some kitchen attachments
- 66) Word with "tube" or "city"
- 67) Lemon quality
- 68) Exciting part of a seat?
- 69) Bucks
- 70) Eyelid malady
- 71) Notable deed

DOWN

- 1) Traffic cop's gun
- 2) Domicile
- 3) Disband
- 4) March movement
- 5) Attractive one, in old slang
- 6) "Entourage" role for Jeremy
- 7) Relative of "Darn!"
- 8) Bulgarian capital
- 9) Whiny individual
- 10) Harley, in slang
- 11) Aahs' partners
- 12) "Render ___ Caesar ..."
- 13) Pop quiz, e.g.
- 18) Use a spoon
- 19) Legendary diva Horne
- 25) Type of duck
- 27) Pack animals
- 28) A house of worship
- 29) ___ Island (old immigration checkpoint)
- 31) Generous serving
- 32) Lestat creator Rice
- 33) Fill up fully
- 34) Worship from ___
- 35) Lacking color
- 36) Does a doggie trick
- 38) Ski mecca
- 41) Award bestowers, essentially
- 42) Alienate
- 47) ___ de force
- 49) Stretched tightly
- 51) Plural of 13-Down
- 53) Sacagawea, historically
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- 56) Wading marsh bird
- 57) Puniest pup
- 58) Sicilian volcano
- 60) Small lovers' skirmish
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- 64) A stereotypical pirate may have one
- 65) "Press ___ key"

MANOR OF SPEAKING

By Timothy E. Parker

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One month ago (10/18), I was having total hip replacement surgery at GVMH. I would like to thank all of the folks at GVMH that took care and continue to take care of me before, during and after my surgery. Much to the amazement to everyone, and myself, I made it back to work exactly two weeks after my surgery. The first two weeks back were only on a part-time basis. I have gone from using a walker to now using a cane and I hope to be walking on my own in a week or two. I would also like to thank Joyce Carr and Mark Dawson here at the Chamber for keeping this Chamber moving forward. More on that in just a moment. A big thanks also goes out to the Board of Directors of the Clinton Chamber as they were supportive during the time I missed work. Finally, thanks to everyone who has reached out over the past month asking how I'm doing and if I needed anything. As long as my wife Bretta is by my side, as she always is, I am doing just fine. Now, about the Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce and Tourism since the last time I talked to you on Oct. 14th:

The Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce is giving you the chance to get free money! Our "150 to get 25" promotion is underway!

All you have to do is buy at least \$150 in Chamber gift certificates and we'll give you an extra gift certificate worth \$25. That's right, spend at least \$150

with us and you'll get an extra Christmas gift worth \$25 for someone, or yourself!

This promotion will end at 4pm on Dec. 23rd. We are open Monday through Friday from 8am until 4:30pm. If you would like for your gift certificates to be ready when you come in, just call ahead and tell us how much you are wanting to spend and any names you may want on the cards.

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It's the Clinton Chamber's Third-Annual 'Receipt to Receive'.

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mind that the item or items on your receipt has to be at least \$25 in total and those items need to be purchased from members of the Clinton Chamber to be entered, but you can enter multiple times each week with different receipts. Each week, those receipts will be entered into a drawing to win \$25 in Chamber gift certificates. We will give our prize away each Monday. To be entered to win each Monday, you must bring at least one receipt to the Chamber that previous week. All qualifying receipts will be eligible for our grand prize giveaway.

On Dec. 23rd at noon, we will take ALL those receipts entered and draw the big winner of \$200 in Chamber certificates.

We are open Monday through Friday from 8am until 4:30pm at 200 South Main St.

The Clinton Chamber of Commerce is giving away \$375 in Chamber gift certificates with our seven weekly winners and that grand prize winner of \$200 in Chamber gift certificates.

You can find a list of Clinton Chamber members when you go to www.clintonmo.com, call the Clinton Chamber at 660-885-8166 or look for the Clinton Chamber decal near the front of each business. You can email david@clintonmo.com or joyce@clintonmo.com.

Please join the Chamber and welcome Main Street's new Executive Director, Amanda Johnson! Amanda is no stranger to the community as she's originally from Clinton, and graduated in 2004. Later, she and her husband, Ben Johnson, moved back in 2017. They have two children, Maleah who is 14, and Bennett, 10. They're very active in Clinton Schools as their children participate in cheer, basketball, dance and pageants.

Welcome New Chamber Member: St. Croix Hospice 811 Westchester Ave Harrisonville, MO

816-380-3912 www.stcroixhospice.com We listen to patients & families to understand their individual wishes for the end-of-life journey, with a focus on comfort and quality of life, our teams across the Midwest provide care with dignity and respect.

Clinton Senior Center invited The Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce and our ambassador's to join them for lunch for National Chamber of Commerce Day! We want to send a big Thank you to Kathy and her staff for having us!

Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce Ambassador's celebrated with Legacy Memorials for their 10th Anniversary! Congratulations From their Facebook page: Monuments, Vases, Flags, Flagpoles & More. Marty Loyd has experience in masonry and construction 938 N. 3rd St, Clinton 660-492-5433 www.legacymemorialsclinton.com

Welcome New Chamber Member: The Dalton House 816-507-6451 The Dalton House exist to be a lighthouse for community members to find refuge, support and education related to trauma, grief and loss.

Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors celebrated with Timothy P. Meyers & Co., P.C. on their 35th Anniversary! Congratulations From their website: We provide a wide range of services to individuals and businesses in a variety of industries. Our firm strives to meet each client's specific needs in planning for the future and achieving their goals in an ever-changing financial and regulatory environment. www.timmeyersscpas.com 660-885-3919.

Welcome New Chamber Member: Sweet Vanity Beauty Salon Hair cutsmen and women, colors, specialty colors, extensions, styles, updos, perms, waxing services, conditioning treatments. 1733 E Ohio Clinton 660-924-3222.

Welcome New Chamber Member: Blush Boot

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Henry County Memory Fund

November is National Family Caregivers Month

November is National Family Caregivers Month (NFCM). It is a time to recognize and honor family caregivers across the country. It offers an opportunity to raise awareness of caregiving issues, educate communities, and increase support for caregivers.

Henry County Memory Fund offers a Caregivers Support Group. The group meets the first Wednesday of each month from 12-1 pm at the Clinton Christian Church, 1201 E. Ohio Street.

During the support group, you may: Connect with others who are caring for loved ones with Alzheimer's, stroke, Parkinson's or other chronic debilitating health conditions. Discuss challenges and share caregiving strategies. Reduce your stress and most important, find out you are not alone. Light refreshments are provided. For more information, please contact Ranae Walrath, Director of Social Services 660.890.7294.

The Henry County Memory Fund was established in 2014 to raise funds that will remain in Henry County, MO to help provide support to caregivers, family members, and patients of Alzheimer's/Dementia. We will provide up to

\$500 a year for assistance with prescriptions, medical bills, durable medical equipment, respite care, transportation, utilities, housing assistance needs, and other areas of needs. Disbursement directly to vendors is preferred.

Applications are available if you or someone you know needs assistance, please contact Ranae Walrath at GVMH at (660)-890-7294 or Christa Atchison (660) 525-1338 for an application or questions.

Please join us on May 6th 2023, as The Henry County Memory Fund will host The Ninth Annual Big Purple Party! The Party will be held in Hawthorn Bank's parking lot at Old Country Club Park with registration at 9am and ceremony at 9:30. Join us as we honor our friends, family and loved ones struggling with or lost to Alzheimer's and Dementia. There will be snacks, giveaways, and a ceremony to honor our loved ones followed by a short walk if you choose to participate.

Would you like to donate? Please write a check to Henry County Memory Fund and mail it to PO Box 741, Clinton, MO 64735, or go to <http://cfozarks.org/donate>. Under gift designation, donors will have to choose OTHER and then type in Henry County Memory.

Have a news tip/story idea?

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PROVIDING THE GOLDEN STANDARD OF CARE

Help us Bring Radiation Oncology to Clinton



The Golden Valley Memorial Hospital Foundation is pleased to announce that its capital campaign to bring radiation oncology services to Clinton and the surrounding communities is well underway and we would like to offer you the opportunity to participate.

At Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare, we diagnose nearly 300 new patients with cancer every year. Beyond those diagnosed here, many others are diagnosed at other healthcare facilities in our region. We feel strongly that all of these individuals deserve the opportunity to be cared for by providers they know and trust, at a state-of-the-art facility, without the burden of traveling far from home.

With your help, we can bring this vital service, and hope, to our communities.

To learn more about the radiation oncology campaign, contact Sarah Duncan, Foundation Director, at 660.890.7108 or foundation@gvmh.org.



Spirit of Christmas Event at St. Ludger Church

"The Spirit of Christmas annual celebration will be held on Saturday, December 10th at 1 p.m. at St. Ludger Church in Germantown, MO. St. Ludger Church is listed on the National Historic Register and this is a wonderful opportunity to view this historic building, beautifully decorated for Christmas. A variety of local soloists and musicians will perform. Christmas Gift Basket Raffle and refreshments. Free will donation in lieu of admission. All monies go to the St. Ludger Fund for Historic Preservation."



Monthly Meeting Held to Discuss Plans

Heartland Community Theatre held its monthly meeting on November 17th. In attendance were Rob Hills, Janet Smith, Linda Freese, Joan Fernandez, Mike Roelker, Von Schmidt. Absent were Dana Wyatt, Karen Switzer, Chad Mullins.

Congratulations to Rob Hills on a fine job directing "Moonlight & Magnolias" this past weekend. Tickets for the Mistletoe Homes Tour are available, \$15, at the Switzer Law Office or at Remax Truman Lake. Plans are underway for the annual fundraiser, "Silver Lining", in February.

Planning for the noise/echo isolation was discussed, plans are underway to get at least half of the building done before the March Play. Much discussion ensued on how to get the word out about activities at the Theatre. Our yearly postcard will go out in January showing our 2023 schedule.

Vote to eliminate the Thursday play date, and to

add an additional play date for the following Saturday for each of the four upcoming 2023 plays passed. The monthly movie matinees will resume in January. Also discussion about being in the the Olde Glory Days Parade. Meeting adjourned.



Recognizes Antibiotic Awareness Week

During Antibiotic Awareness Week, Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare (GVMH) is encouraging patients to "Be Antibiotics Aware" to reduce the risk of antimicrobial resistance.

The "Be Antibiotics Aware" campaign encourages patients to only take antibiotics when they are prescribed and necessary. The misuse of antibiotics can lead to antimicrobial resistance, an urgent health threat that happens when germs, like bacteria and fungi, develop the ability to defeat the drugs designed to kill them. More than 2.8 million antimicrobial resistant infections occur in the United States each year, and more than 35,000 people die as a result.

"Antibiotics are a critical resource for treating common and serious infections. It is vital that we are stewards of this resource as they are finite," said David Shultz, Pharmacy Director at GVMH. "Appropriate dosing and duration of treatment are paramount in preventing resistance to antibiotics. It is the responsibility of those that prescribe, dispense and administer these medications to ensure we comply with that."

For more information about GVMH, visit gvmh.org and follow on social media @choosegvmh.

Ucm Announces In-State Tuition Rate For Military And Veteran Dependents



AS A CAMPUS LEADER who frequently engages with individuals who serve their country, Air Force veteran Courtney Swoboda, director of Military and Veteran Services at the University of Central Missouri, spoke to members of the Leadership Missouri program this fall about different ways UCM assists active duty military members, veterans, and their families in pursuit of a higher education.

While the University of Central Missouri has a long-standing commitment to making higher education more affordable for individuals who currently serve in the military as well as veterans, UCM is not forgetting the families of those who dedicate their lives to this country. When it met on campus recently, UCM's Board of Governors approved a recommendation to expand the university's in-state tuition rates to dependents of service members and veterans.

Bill Hawley, vice president for finance and operations at the university, presented the dependent tuition proposal to the board, noting that it aligns with best practices and also is in compliance with Veterans Affairs (VA) requirements related to students who are using transfer of entitlement under Post-9/11 GI Bill® and the Survivors and Dependents Educational Assistance Program. Following board approval, it is now effective for fall 2023.

This measure benefits dependents of active duty, guard, and reserve mem-

bers of the military regardless of the state where the military member is serving. It also applies to dependents of veterans who do not have VA educational entitlement, and to dependents who have exhausted their VA educational entitlement, according to Hawley. UCM's Office of Military and Veterans Services will manage the new initiative, which is expected to contribute to the institution's reputation as a university committed to creating a military friendly environment.

This reputation was validated earlier this year when the university received the 2022-2023 Military Friendly® School Gold designation from VIQORY Media. It also was named a Best College for Veterans by U.S. News & World Report.

UCM has a strong relationship with individuals who serve in all branches of the military. While it is in close proximity to Whiteman Air Force Base and offers courses at the base, it has online course and degree offerings that can reach individuals across the globe, including those military members

who may be deployed. The university also offers in-state tuition for all active duty and military veterans and a Military Tuition package that helps reduce costs not covered by traditional military benefits. Additionally, it provides a Command Pass that enables military members enrolled at UCM

free admission to home athletic games.

To learn more, contact the Office of Military and Veterans Services at 660-543-8776, vets@ucmo.edu, or visit the office's website (<https://www.ucmo.edu/future-students/military-and-veterans-services/>)

Clinton Animal Shelter

Pet of the Week

Kent

Meet Kent --This handsome boy is between 2 1/2 and 3 years old. He is Plott Hound/Black Mouth Cur mix. He is very smart, friendly and polite boy. He like to play, take walks and he would really like to have a new family that will love him. Call to meet Kent at the Clinton Animal Shelter 660-885-7999.



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RICKY LEE WACHS

Ricky Lee Wachs, age 64, passed away on Saturday, October 15, 2022 at his home in Clinton, Missouri.

Ricky Lee Wachs was born on August 9, 1958 in Pittsburg, Kansas to El-Dean Wachs and Alta Mae (Dahlke) Wachs. Ricky has lived in Clinton, Missouri for more than 30 years. Ricky worked as a cabinet maker doing countertop fabrication. He enjoyed hunting and fishing and spending time with family and friends.

He is survived by his dad ElDean Wachs of Clinton, Missouri, two brothers, Steve Wachs of Clinton, Missouri, Curtis Wachs and wife Becky of Hays, Kansas, his fiancée Patti Soderholm of the home, 5 nieces and nephews and 5 great nieces and nephews, along with many friends.

Memorial services were held October 24, 2022 at Trinity Lutheran Church, Clinton with Pastor Erik Rottman officiating. Special music included "I Can Only Imagine and Hallelujah." Honorary pallbearers were Tyler Wachs, David Kerns, Bryce Wachs, Harry Cates, Sr., Jim Wilhelm and Brooks Wachs. Inurnment was in Vansant Road Cemetery, Clinton, Missouri.

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

JOHN FARES

John Fares, age 81, of Clinton, Missouri, passed away on Wednesday, November 9, 2022 at Research Medical Center in Kansas City, Missouri.

John was born April 23, 1941, in Kansas City, MO. He was the son of Sam and Louise Fares. John was one of eight children. He married the love of his life, Ann, on March 20, 1963. The two were each other's lifelong companions and friends. They were blessed with six children.

He worked many years as a painter and would point out many businesses and houses that he had painted around town. He loved to pitch horseshoes and would travel to compete in tournaments. He loved making homemade pies for the family and was "famous" for his pie crusts. He loved being outside: mushroom hunting, walking the Katy Trail, gardening, and renting cabins to enjoy the peace and quiet of nature.

He loved the Kansas City Chiefs. He was known for his sense of humor and antics, and for coming up with his own homemade remedies for just about anything. He loved his family and was a loving husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather, and ev-

eryone that ever met him thought the world of him.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Sam and Louise Fares, one son: Michael Fares, five siblings: Mary Gray, Walt Fares, Al Fares, Charlie Fares, and Vera Graham.

He is survived by his loving wife of 59 years, Ann Fares, of the home, five children: Audrey Livingston, Sam Fares (wife Shelly), Angela Young, Michelle Stockdall (husband James), and Annie Wehmeyer (husband Eric), two siblings: Darlene Fabyanic and Jeanne Wilson, 19 grandchildren and 34 Great-Grandchildren.

Funeral services were held November 12, 2022 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel, Clinton with Anthony Velazquez officiating. Special music included "Until We Meet Again, Remember When, Go Rest High and You Raise Me Up." Interment followed in Deepwater Cemetery, Deepwater, MO.

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

Death Notices

Charles Leo Avis, Jr, age 59, passed away on Tuesday, November 14, 2022 at his home in Clinton, Missouri.

A memorial service will be held at 2:00 PM on Saturday, November 19, 2022 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton, Missouri with visitation one hour prior to the service. Memorial contributions can be made to an organization or group of your choice and can be left in care of the funeral home. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri.

Charles L. Packer passed away, Friday, November 18th, 2022 at the Missouri Veterans Home, Cameron, Missouri.

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

Gerald "Jerry" Michael Goth, age 61, of Clinton, Missouri passed away on Saturday, November 19, 2022 at Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare in Clinton, Missouri. Memorial service will be held at 2:PM on Friday, November 25, 2022 at the Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri with visitation starting at 1:00 PM prior to the service. Memorial contributions can be made to the Truman Lake Cancer Fund and can be left in care of the funeral home. Fond memories and condolences can be left online at www.vansant-millsfuneralhome.com. Arrangements

have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri.

Charles Albert Hull, age 96, of Clinton, Missouri passed away on Thursday, November 17, 2022 at the Missouri Veterans Home in Warrensburg, Missouri. The family will receive friends on Monday November 21, 2022 from 5:00-7:00 PM at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton, Missouri. Funeral service will be at 11:00 AM on Tuesday, November 22, 2022 also at the Chapel. Burial to follow in Englewood Cemetery, Clinton, Missouri. Memorial contributions can be made to the Clinton VFW Post 1894 and can be left in care of the funeral home. Fond memories and condolences can be left online at www.vansant-millsfuneralhome.com. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri.

Wes Faust, 76, of Windsor, Missouri, died Sunday afternoon, November 13, 2022, at his home in Windsor.

Funeral services were 3:00 p.m., Sunday, November 20, 2022, at the Windsor Assembly of God with Pastor Murlin Anstine and Pastor Regina Hix officiating. Military honors were observed following the service. The family received friends before the service from 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the church. The family suggests contributions to Alzheimer's Association, Wounded Warriors Project, or Samaritan's Purse Restore Sight to the Blind in care of the funeral home. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

William Keith (Bill) Cox, age 89, of rural Leeton, Missouri, passed away November 16, 2022.

Funeral services were held 2:00 p.m., Saturday, November 19, 2022, at the First Baptist Church, Leeton, with Pastor Chris Emerson officiating. Burial was in the Mineral Creek Cemetery, Leeton. The family received friends before the service from 12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the church. The family suggests contributions to the First Baptist Church or Crossroads Hospice in care of the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

Roy E. Cooper, Jr., 69, of Windsor, Missouri, died Wednesday evening, November 16, 2022, at the Golden Valley Memorial Hospital, Clinton, Mo.

Funeral services were held 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, Novem-

ber 22, 2022, at the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor, with Pastor Justin Wright officiating. Burial was in the Laurel Oak Cemetery, Windsor. The family received friends before the service from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the funeral home. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

Dale Peck, 84, of Ionia, Missouri, passed away Wednesday afternoon, November 2, 2022, at Bothwell Regional Health Center, Sedalia, Mo.

Graveside services were held 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, November 9, 2022, at the Laurel Oak Cemetery, Windsor, with Rev. Jason Veale officiating. The family suggests contributions to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital in care of the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

Gary Stalder, 84, of Windsor, Missouri, died Sunday evening, November 6, 2022, at the Missouri Veterans Home, Warrensburg, Mo.

Military Honors will be held at a later date at the Missouri Veterans Cemetery, Higginsville, Mo. Arrangements are under the direction of the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor, and condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

Nina L. Christy, 94, of Windsor, Missouri, died early Thursday morning, November 10, 2022, at Liberty Hospital in Liberty, Mo.

Funeral services were held 12:00 p.m., Monday, November 14, 2022, at the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor, with Pastor John King officiating. Burial was in the Laurel Oak Cemetery, Windsor. The family received friends prior to the service from 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at the funeral home. The family suggests contributions to the Laurel Oak Cemetery or the First Baptist Church in care of the funeral home. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

Michael W. Howell, 70, of Windsor, Missouri, formerly of Lee's Summit, Mo., died Friday, November 4, 2022, near Windsor.

Graveside services were 2:00 p.m., Friday, November 11, 2022, at the Laurel Oak Cemetery, Windsor, with Pastor Justin Wright officiating. The family received friends before the service from 1:00 p.m. to 1:45 p.m. at the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

Clinton Church of the Nazarene

Nov. 13, 2022 Services

The song service was really great this morning. Pastor's message was titled: God's Doing Something. His scripture was Ezekiel 37:1-10.

Pastor related a story of a man who was forever failing. Do you ever feel like you are forever failing? Remember God looks on the inside of a person. He sees each of us--but not as we see each other. God can see and work through us, and He can use each of us--for he knows us from the inside out. Yield to God to be used for His glory. He can prepare us for whatever He has for us. Is God in the process of working in your life? Wait on the Lord! Let the Holy Spirit inject you. Wait on God to show how He wants to use you for His kingdom. Yield your spirit to God for He is creating something special and new in you. Just think what you could do with your yielded-self. He will breathe the breath of real life into you.

We thank each person for coming to worship here today. We pray that you received a rich blessing by being here and that you will come again. See you in church?

First Baptist

How does gratitude influence our lives? Gratitude inspires peace and motivates us. As a grateful follower of Jesus, who has reconciled us, our talk and walk should be filled with gratitude for Him and His forgiveness. Christ in you and Christ in me is the hope of glory, the hope of our community and the hope of our family. While it is easy to be grateful in the peaks of life, we must also find gratitude in the valleys. Trusting Jesus with your life gives you something for which to be grateful. Do something this week to increase your gratitude!

Celebrate Recovery is on Tuesday evening, beginning at 5:30 p.m., at the Vansant location, for anyone with hurts, habits and hangups. There will be no activities on Wednesday evening, and the church office will be closed on Thursday and Friday, in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. Happy Thanksgiving!

We invite those without a church home to join us in worship of our Lord & Savior, Jesus Christ. First Baptist Church exists to fulfill the Great Commission (Matthew 28:19-20) by loving people

into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ.

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Psa 100:4-5. (KJV)

Every generation is not a thankful generation. Some believe everything is owed to them.

When someone is thankful for what they have, they take care of those things.

You should also be thankful when God places people in your path because he does so to bless you.

Abraham had a great relationship with God. He had a great relationship with his nephew, Lot also and when Lot was taken away by the enemy, Abraham went after him with only a handful of warriors. We want to be thankful and hold on to what God gives us.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving. Thanking him for everything you have. And his courts with praise, don't be afraid to raise your hands in praise to God for what he does for you.

Col 3:15 (KJV)

Be thankful that God called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. Be thankful for what you are able to do.

1Th 5:18 In every thing give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you. (KJV)

We think of the holiday, Thanksgiving, but being thankful to God goes beyond thanksgiving, it is the will of God. Happy Thanksgiving and God Bless you.

Mt. Zion UMC

Pastor David's message, "Having Faith", was referenced by an Old Testament reading from Genesis 15:1-6, and a New Testament reading from Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16.

We have a lot of usages of faith in our religion, but do we ever really stop to think about what having faith means? Faith is complete trust or confidence in something or someone. We see the greatest example of faith in the Bible—Abraham. God revealed himself to Abraham telling him he would become—in his old age—the father of many nations. Although Abraham didn't know how this would come about, he trusted in God's ability to make it happen. Abraham believed God and God reckoned this as righteousness. He had faith.

God has revealed himself to us in the person of Jesus Christ. When Jesus went to the cross, suffered for our sins, and rose from the dead, we changed from a blind faith of Abraham to a sure and certain hope.

We all have access to God through the Holy Spirit and knowledge of God through Jesus Christ. So let us have faith and remain in faith that we will stand in the light and presence of God. Amen!

Trinity Lutheran

Some Lutherans may be a little hesitant to invite a friend to church. Why? Because in today's plugged-in world, the Divine Service is not what most people are expecting to find. The traditional liturgy can be confusing at first for those who are unfamiliar with it. It's designed for worship, not to entertain. It is worship, not a music concert. The Divine Service is different, but in a good way!

Sure, visitors might feel a little lost at first. Why is the pastor dressed like that? The liturgy? What's that? Organ music? Where's the praise band? Where are the electric guitars and drum sets? Why is there so much emphasis on confession of sins and the need for God's forgiveness? What a downer! I don't want to attend a church that makes me feel bad! Where is the worship leader? How come I haven't heard any of these songs on the radio? Doesn't the altar, baptismal font and the Christ candle at the front of church get in the way of all the musical instruments and religious dancers?

The truth is, the historic, traditional Lutheran liturgy is the best kind of evangelism. During Divine Service, we learn that God loves us. The liturgy reminds us that we sin much daily, and about our need for God's forgiveness. In the ancient creeds we learn and confess that Jesus was born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried, but He rose from the dead and now sits at the right hand of the Father, and He will come again one day to judge both the living and the dead. Those who believe in Him and are baptized will be saved. Law and gospel. It's a beautiful story proclaimed every Sunday.

Come and join us this Sunday and experience for yourself the power and joy of Lutheran worship and the Divine Service. The Holy Spirit will meet you there to create and strengthen your faith unto life everlasting. Amen.

Divine Service 5 pm; Sunday School 3:45 pm; Ch. ph. 660-885-4728.

Urich Baptist

Nov. 13, 2022 Services

Blessings filled our hearts as we gathered on this Sunday after Veteran's Day. All veterans were acknowledged for their service to our country. Clint Keeney rang the church bell. Mrs. Julia Klinefelter led in the congregational singing with Mrs. Dixie Collins playing piano. Randy Vogt and Clint Keeney collected the offering.

The scripture passage from Pastor Chad Pollett's sermon was from John 3:22-30. In this passage John the Baptist was baptizing new believers or disciples. John had preached of the coming Messiah and now pointed everyone to Jesus, the promised one. The people then began to follow Jesus. John said in verse 30 "He must become greater, I must become less." John had humbled himself and stepped back so God's will be done. John devoted himself to Jesus. We too, must humble ourselves and stay devoted to the Lord by our faith and love and kindness. Have a blessed week.

Valley Center United

Bless us with strength and hope, that we might in turn shape our world with love and compassion. Amen

Next Sunday, November 27th, marks the beginning of a new liturgical year. It is also the beginning of Advent. We also welcome all to come and celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion. Next Sunday evening at 6 pm, we will have a carry-in 'soup and chili' supper as we gather to decorate the church for Christmas! On December 4th, the Ladies Aid will have their Christmas party in the fellowship hall at 2 pm. Everyone is to bring goodies to share and eat and also canned goods to bring to the food bank.

Can you have faith without hope or hope without faith? The answer is that each one requires the other, they go hand in hand; it is all about faith and all about hope.

Scripture tells us what it means to be a person of faith. It gives us the hope to build, to have vision, and to plant for the future.

It is our faith and hope that empowers us and reminds us why he came, which was to save us all. This empowerment helps us to help someone else to empower themselves.

We use the energy and vision that God gave us to engage with the world actively, on this day and everyday. We are to keep building and sharing the message of the miracle of the birth of Jesus.

How do we maintain our pace in life? By leaning in, moving closer and listening for a caring solution., This helps us know what God wants us to do. Our faith leads us to have hope, in turn empowers our faith.

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'Nothing New To Report' From The Dangerous Buildings Commission

BY LUKE EDWARDS
Staff Reporter

The Clinton City Council met in open session Tuesday, November 15, at city hall. The meeting was preceded by the convening of the Dangerous Buildings Commission (chaired by Councilman Daniel Wilson). The meeting was short: "I have nothing new to report," said City Administrator Christy Maggi. "It is in a 'holding pattern'; they are still waiting for the insurance companies to generate reports." The body deliberated for a minute about the next best date to meet and decided not to dissolve the commission. The next meeting for the commission will be at the January 17 council session.

Mayor Carla Moberly called the regular council session into order: Council persons Roger House and Rick Pereles were absent. Following the saying of the Pledge of Allegiance, the previous meeting's minutes were accepted as written.

A personal appearance was made by Joyce Puckett, who spoke at the previous council session. She told the council she was following up, but that the previously reported problem was still persisting. Puckett again reported that the issue of dogs barking nightly at the animal shelter was ongoing and provided an audio recording for the council to listen to. The disruptions are still mainly between 10 pm and early morning hours and appear to be related to when staff enter the animal shelter at those times; Puckett is still keeping a log of the disruptions. C.A.R.E. posted a statement about the housing of six dogs in the outside kennels "due to being full." However, Mrs. Puckett again suggested the use of bark collars, muzzles –

and even that euthanizing 10% of the dog population at the facility would keep CARE in the "no kill facility" boundaries. Mayor Moberly asked if Joyce had met with the C.A.R.E. Board: "No," she replied. Councilman Gene Henry said he was supportive of Puckett's requests/concerns and suggested it be referred to the appropriate committee for action; the matter will appear on the Public Safety committee agenda.

The Public Works report was given by Councilman Cameron Jackson. Following the lengthy discussion about cost cutting measures for the Artesian Pool Project at the last council meeting, a resolution with those amended agreements was presented to the council and approved (Resolution No. 30-2022). The amended contract was approved by the council. A change order (for \$11,000) was approved by the council regarding the concrete approaches on the recent Third and Eighth Street side street approaches. Councilmen Gene Henry and Daniel Wilson asked several questions about the change order for clarification: it appears that the approach distances were not a known factor when the water company made repairs on those streets. The concrete portions were made at that time using without finishes because of that – hence, the change order to effect the paving to those approaches.

The upper level pump replacement at the Waste Water Treatment Plant will be \$62,000; the originally budgeted amount was \$46,000, however price increases are affecting the replacement costs. The pump is an essential part for the function of the Waste Water Plant and the council approved the purchase. Also, the council approved the replacement of

the UV system at the Waste Water Plant (also necessary for the plant's function) for \$20,400 (through Trojan Technologies).

The delayed city wide clean-up, usually held in the Fall, will now be held in the Spring of 2023. Councilman Jackson reported that the Sewershed monitoring program at the Waste Water Treatment Plant (monitoring COVID materials) was slightly up, but "nothing to be alarmed about." The roof replacement at the plant has been completed and he also reported that the Compost Site will be closed Thanksgiving but will return to normal operation Saturday, November 26.

Under Community Development, it was reported that the planning commission will be hearing a matter on 3rd story height restrictions in town. The matter will appear before the council at the December 6 meeting. The changes are being considered because of improved capabilities of the Clinton Fire Department to reach higher structures.

A review of the standards for street, alleys, curb/gutter, and driveways will also be going to the planning commission. It was proposed that the alleyways be struck from the revision process as there are very few in town. This, too, will be on the December 6 council agenda.

The city is currently working with MoDOT on proposed revision to the Street Map here in town. The reclassification of some of the streets is necessary to update standards of streets of concern: particularly, Price Lane, Vansant Road and, potentially others (such as Hillcrest Drive). The city may employ counters at various streets to get a better idea of the needs in certain areas.

Councilman Gene Henry gave the Public Safety Committee report: a request from Clinton Main street to close a portion of the downtown square on November 25 (for the annual Lighting Ceremony) was approved. Also, permission was granted for the Clinton Fire Department to use the property (scheduled for demolition) at 1701 Vansant Road for training purposes.

American Recovery Plan Act grants are available – there are three grants of particular interest for the Clinton Fire Department and the Clinton Police Department (which have been applied for). The fire department would like to use the grant money to purchase a digital fire extinguisher training tool, and Clinton PD would like to purchase AED's and use the remainder of the money to upgrade their in-car computers.

The Finance Committee report, given by Councilman Daniel Wilson, included the report that the switch from Equity Bank to Hawthorn Bank has been time consuming. Also, a matter concerning the pricing of materials for the City Hall roofing project will appear on the agenda at the next council meeting.

Mayor Moberly wished to thank all of the people who serve on the 55 or so commission boards for the city and also wish everyone in general a "Happy Thanksgiving." She reported, too, that the city has gotten several compliments about the Third and Eighth Streets' paving.

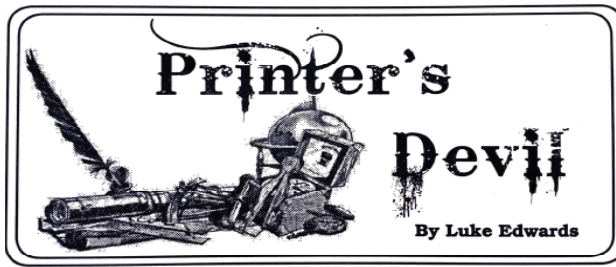
City Administrator Christy Maggi reported that, other than some recent weather delays affecting the concrete work, the Franklin Street Bridge project is moving along on time. She also reported that the grants the city submitted on through the Department of Natural Resources

will be announced Friday (November 18). The results will be made known at the next council meeting.

Before adjourning, Councilman Gene Henry complimented the staff at Parks and Rec for changing light

bulbs and improving the brightness at the Community Center.

As there was no unfinished or new business, the Clinton City Council adjourned at 6:50 p.m.



HOW DO YOU RANK YOUR HOLIDAY MOVIES?

Our household is split on "the best" holiday movie to watch. Is it "A Christmas Story" or "A Christmas Carol?" Or, something else entirely. I know my wife would vote for "Elf" every time, and several members of my family would cast their vote for "Christmas Vacation" (which, I admit, is a strong front runner in my opinion).

For several years running, though, I had almost always started my holiday movie tradition off by watching "A Christmas Carol" (the one with George C. Scott). I admit, the "Muppet Christmas Carol" version isn't too bad, either. Every year, however, a new Christmas movie gets made and released in which new generations of folks will have to decide whether will stand the test of time. I know my older kids still like "The Grinch" (Jim Carrey version); I grew up watching the cartoon Grinch, however, and have to say I like it more – if for no other reason than nostalgia.

I know every family is different, with different traditions and tastes; I used to know a family that watched the movie "The Natural" every year instead of a typical seasonal

holiday movie. So, what's the best Christmas or holiday movie of all time? The list I found (that I disagree with) says this: "It's A Wonderful Life" (okay, I can see that being the traditional favorite); "White Christmas" (I like Bing Crosby, but not that much); "Miracle on 34th Street" (again, makes sense); "A Christmas Story" (needs to be higher on the list); "National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation" (yep, a favorite in many households); "The Polar Express" (I had forgotten the impact this one has probably had on the younger crowd); "A Christmas Carol" (the George C. Scott version, needs to be higher on the list); "Family Man" (in my opinion, not a top ten Christmas movie); "Bad Santa" (again, in my opinion, probably not really even a top 30 Christmas movie), and "Elf" (my wife would be happy). Well, that's the list, and if you are anything like me, you won't agree with it. For instance, where is "Gremlins?" Or, "The Grinch", or even the classic "Rudolph" clay-mation one that used to play every year? Or, even "Die Hard?"

Well, what's your list? What do you watch? What is your number one holiday movie?



November 16, 2022

Appleton City welcomes the newest member of the Police Department, Asst. Chief Anthony Schneider.

The AIM Club of Montrose will be sponsoring the annual Christmas Main Street Lighting and Parade on Saturday evening, November 26. The evening will begin with the movie "The Santa Clause" starring Tim Allen at 5:00 p.m. at the Community Building. Snacks will be available. After the movie, Main Street will be lighted at 6:55 with the parade starting at 7:00 p.m. After the parade there will be crafts and cookie decorating at the community building for the kids. Please come and begin the holidays with them. If anyone wants any more information about the parade, please contact Karen Laswell at 660-351-0897 and for other questions, please feel free to contact Kristina Klass at 660-492-3436.

The Montrose Knights of Columbus will hold their annual Germantown Turkey Shoot Sunday November 27, starting at 10:00 a.m. at the Germantown ball field. Tickets are \$3.00 each and advance sale tickets will enter the purchaser into a drawing for cash prizes. Tickets are available in Appleton City at Dr. Payton's office, Fennwald Plumbing or any Knights members.

The 26th Annual Christmas in the Country will be Saturday, December 3, 2022. The Depot Craft Show will be 9-2 at the Railroad Depot, featuring your favorite vendors: Tom Holt Custom Woodwork, Sisters Candy Shop, Margie's hand loomed rugs, and Mary Miller's Sunrise Bakery, The Woodcutter, Warren Rauscher of Raymore, Michelle Berry's afghans etc. and Laura's jewelry. There are two new excellent artisans this year, Zach Borland's Metal Works and Garry Woodward of Backwoods Creations with his intricate wood creations. The Appleton City Museum will also have historical books and souvenirs. There will be a wide range of gift items for your shopping list and some very unique and quality pieces. Come to the Depot for your Christmas shopping. Appleton City Landmarks Restoration is the craft show sponsor.

Appleton City Main Street will be bustling Saturday, December 3 for the 26th Annual Christmas in the Country. There will be holiday open houses beginning at 9:00 a.m. at Rural Roots, 3 Wishes, Jina's Junque, Old Mill and more. The Library will have a bake sale. The Christian Church will serve a soup and chili supper in the evening followed by music in the sanctuary. Hudson Hustlers 4-H will have Loaded Baked Potatoes. Check Facebook and next week's Journal for more information and details. If you have an event to add, please call Susan Rotert by Friday November 18 at 660-476-5579

Appleton City High School Drama class is presenting "A Partridge in a Pear Tree" December 3. After all the fun and excitement of Christmas in the Country, come by the East Gym and support our students. Play times are: Afternoon Matinee 3:00-4:30 p.m. Regular Admission is \$7.00 with Seniors/Students \$4.00. Popcorn and drinks provided. A Dinner Theater will be 6:00-8:00 p.m. Admission is \$10.00, Seniors/Students \$6.00. Dinner will include spaghetti, tossed salad, bread sticks, drinks and dessert.

This winter will be a challenge as the drought of 2022 has left its mark on the cattle industry in SW Missouri and throughout the Midwest. The two-hour program, Winter-feeding Program Surviving the Drought, is designed to address the current winter pasture situations, the utilization of hay and grain to offset shortages, as well as meeting the needs of your cattle in their current conditions. Topics covered will include but not be limited to, pasture conditions and what to expect, hay quality, hay testing, and understanding your hay test as well as feeding to meet the needs of your cattle, reducing the herd size, and making it to next spring's grass as economically as possible. These classes are offered

by your local MU Extension at no cost to you. They will start at 6:00 - 8:30 p.m. November 29, 2022 at the First Baptist Church in Osceola. You may sign up on the MU Extension website or contact your local MU Extension office by phone (417-646-2019) or email: stclairco@missouri.edu. They will need to know if you are coming, so please contact their office to register

Larry Sites will host free talks with question and answer sessions on current events with historical perspectives 7:00 p.m. Tuesday evenings in November at the Lowry City Civic Center meeting room (the old gym kitchen area) next to City Hall, 406 W. 4th St, Lowry City, MO 64763. (Adults only, please.) The presentation will include: review of key points from previous meetings, prerecorded presentation from Cliff High, discussion and actionable items. For information, call 619-876-2703 or email larrysites@protonmail.com.

Ellett Memorial Hospital Appleton City offers outpatient specialist services for November and December 2022. Call 660-476-2111 for appointments: Dec. 7– Upper GI, Colonoscopy-Dr. Vardakis, Dec 9– Ortho-Dr. Gray, Dec 14 - Upper GI, Colonoscopy-Dr. Namin, Dec. 15 - Podiatry- Dr. Pace, Dec. 21– Upper GI, Colonoscopy-Dr. Namin, Dec 28 – Ortho-Dr. Gray, Dec 28 – Ophthalmology – Dr. Soni

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Nov 24 Thanksgiving Day
- Nov 26 Montrose annual Christmas Main Street Lighting and Parade starting at 5:00 p.m.
- Nov 27 Knights of Columbus Germantown Turkey Shoot beginning at 10:00 a.m.

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MANOR OF SPEAKING By Timothy E. Parker

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WEEK OF NOVEMBER 21 WEEKLY HOROSCOPE

Horoscope text for Sagittarius, Capricorn, Aquarius, Pisces, Aries, Taurus, Gemini, Cancer, Leo, Virgo, and Libra, covering the week of November 21.

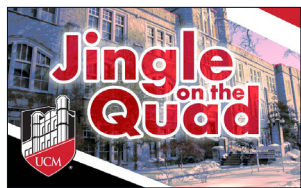
Clinton Sunrise Optimist Club Donates Shelter House



CLINTON SUNRISE OPTIMIST CLUB recently celebrated the completion of the shelter house they donated to Clinton Park and Recreation Department. Park and Rec. Director, Brad Combs joined club members for photos. (Front) Tim Powell, Wilbur Caldwell, Sandi Cox, Brad Combs, (back) Don Eaton, Don Varner, Gene Henry, Jim Cook, Steve Bradley, Tom Gregg and Derald Lammers at the Shelter house.

Giving Tuesday Join Array of Activities for UCM Community, Area Residents to Show Their Holiday Spirit

A campus known for its outstanding traditions, the University of Central Missouri will launch Jingle on the Quad, a holiday lighting ceremony, along with other events highlighting the season Nov. 29–Dec. 1. Giving Tuesday opens these festivities, followed by the Holiday Market, two evenings dedicated to the First Lady's Holiday Concert Series, and a performance by the UCM Jazz Ensemble. All events are free and open to the public.



Fundraising efforts on Giving Tuesday, Nov. 29, are coordinated by the UCM Alumni Foundation as part of a global day of philanthropy. Anyone who donates \$50 or more to the university's Central Annual Fund will have their gift matched by generous alumni and receive a limited-edition UCM stocking cap. Those who wish to donate may do so at ucm-gives.org.

Expected to become an annual UCM holiday tradition, Jingle on the Quad takes place from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 1. It begins with a presentation on the steps of the Administration Building, where the results of Giving Tuesday will be announced. One lucky winner will flip the switch to light

up all five buildings on the quadrangle for the holiday season. The event features a hot chocolate bar, cookies and appearances by UCM's live mule mascots.

Individuals who are looking for a special gift for a friend or family member may find it among the variety of offerings at UCM's Holiday Market, taking place from 4 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 30, in the Sandra Temple Elliott Ballrooms and the atrium of the Elliott Student Union. Vendors from the UCM student, faculty and staff community will be selling custom artwork, baked goods, clothing, jewelry and more. A visit by Santa also is planned, with opportunities for photographs and family fun decorating cookies and making crafts at Santa's Workshop, co-sponsored by the Student Missouri State Teachers Association. Learn more about this event on the UCM Elliott Student Union Facebook page or call 660-543-4052.

The first evening performance for the First Lady's Holiday Concert is at 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Nov. 30, followed by a second concert that begins at the same time on Dec. 1. Both events are hosted by UCM First Lady Robin Best. Night 1 of the concert series takes place in Hendricks Hall and features performances by the UCM Wind Ensemble and Warrensburg Community Band. Night 2 of the series moves to Hart Recital Hall with a concert at 7 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 1, featuring a variety of seasonal and choral music performed by the UCM Concert Choir and Col-

legiate Choir.

Earlier on Thursday, individuals who want to take an afternoon break have an opportunity to listen to holiday tunes performed by the UCM Jazz Ensemble. The group will perform from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. Dec. 1 in the Elliott Student Union atrium.

Members of the campus community and the general public are encouraged to share their holiday spirit by attending these events. Learn more at ucmfoundation.org/jingle.

CCA Junior Class Trip to the Creation College Expo and Ark Encounter



The Clinton Christian Academy Junior class spent four days in Williamstown, Kentucky to visit the Ark Encounter, Creation Museum, and the Creation College Expo. It was a 10 hour drive so we stopped at the Big Four Bridge in Louisville, KY; there we were able to catch a "Day of the Dead" celebration.

At the Ark Encounter, there were over 30 different Christian colleges and several well-known Christian speakers such as Ken Ham, the CEO of Answers in Genesis, the Ark Encounter and Creation Museum. We were able to walk through the whole Ark and see all the exhibits. One of our favorite memories is visiting the petting zoo. We were able to pet adorable wallabies and goats. Amya was "attacked" by an equally adorable baby kangaroo, but she's ok now. On our last day we made sure we were able to ride the carousel, which had dinosaurs and other exotic animals.

We were fortunate to also visit the Creation Museum, which is a state of the art museum showing biblical history. It had many exhibits about creation, a planetarium, real dinosaur displays, and displays of various insects and animals. We unwound after our Creation Museum visit by playing tag on the play-

ground. Kade showed off his wonderful front flip. On the way back to Missouri, we visited a town; Casey, IL. It's known by their slogan: "Little Town, Big Things". We saw the world's largest mailbox, clogs, pencil, rocking chair, rat trap (which Levi got stuck in), pitchfork and much more. These were all fantastic things to see as each item had bible scripture on it!

All of us students really enjoyed the trip and liked getting the experience of the ark and being able to see some Christian college options.

Written by CCA Junior

Class: Taylor, Glenn, Amya, Marlee, Priscilla, Kade, Levi and Jared. Thank you Clinton Christian Academy for making this trip possible.

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World Cup and Urich?

I know very little about the country Qatar. It is a far away strange place for most of us. But, I know a lot about nearby Urich and yes, they are connected. Even if you are not a soccer fan you are probably aware of or follow the World Cup (WC).

The WC started in 1930 with Uruguay winning. This year, the WC started on Monday, November 21 in Qatar.

Another reason to follow the U.S. National Team; we know somebody on the team (or at least we know his grandma).

Several years ago I met Carol Kimble (from Urich); she worked at Wal-Mart at the time. I was the Clinton Daily Democrat's Sports Editor and she wanted to share her pride in her grandson, Weston McKennie, You may have seen him in the recent WC commercials.



In 2018, Weston was making a name for himself in the soccer world and was selected for the U.S. National Team. Two hundred and eleven countries vied to qualify for the WC in 2018, unfortunately, the U.S. team did not make it. Weston went back to play in Europe for the next four years (Italy), but is now back on the 2022 U.S. World Cup Team. This time, the U.S. qualified. Qualifying for the WC is a year-long process with only 32 teams making it. Many experts say McKennie is the most important player on the team. How cool is that?

I was also surprised two years ago to meet and visit Weston's mom, Tina. We were at a 2020 Windsor football game. I found out that Weston is related to the Witherspoon family. The Witherspoon twins, Dalton, Dylan, along with younger brother Payton are cousins to Weston. The Windsor Greyhounds were football State Champions in 2020 led by the three Witherspoon boys. The 'twins' are now attending Benedictine College and yes, playing football. Some great athletes in that family, right? Their father, Tracy, was an outstanding athlete for Clinton, graduating in 1992.

Back to the WC: The U.S. National soccer team will be playing in Group B with

England, Iran and Wales. They will have to place first or second in that tough group to move on to the round of 16 to stay in the tournament. The Round of 16 is also known as the "Knockout" round. The best the USA has done in the WC is third in 1930 and fourth in 1994. I will be following the U.S. National team, and, of course, #8, Weston McKennie. Go USA!

Grandma Carol was planning to attend the WC in Qatar; the ticket was bought, etc. But, she recently got ill, very ill, and had to change plans. No trip for Carol, so she will have to catch the games on CBS/Fox, etc.

The U.S. team has already played Wales on November 21 (my deadline for this article was the 18th, so no results here.) The U.S. will now go up against the boys from England on Friday, November 25. This game will be their greatest challenge, of course. The third Group Stage game will be on Tuesday, November 29 vs Iran. One of the most interesting aspects of the WC is that small countries can often do well versus bigger countries. In the 2018 WC, Iceland (little bitty Iceland) surprised a lot of people by qualifying for the WC and nearly making it to the Round of 16. (Iceland has a population of two Springfield's.) Amazing.

I must remind everybody we also have a pure Missourian on the National team. It is Josh Sargent, #24 from O'Fallon, Mo. He attended St. Dominic HS.



The following is a WC Quiz. The answers are below. If you score 10-13 you are a 'Top Player', 8-9 'On the Team', 6-7: 'Walk on Tryout', 4-5: 'You get to watch', Less than 4: 'You may watch, but you may not know what is going on'.

The Quiz: 1) How often is the WC played? 2) When did this tournament start? 3) Who won the cup in 2018? 4) What country has won the most WCs? 5) Has the USA ever won a WC? 6) In 2018 how many countries tried to qualify? 7) How many teams make it to the tournament? 8) Who won the first WC? 9) Who is hosting the WC this year? 10) Will

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Clinton Cardinals Basketball: We Have Tip-Off



READY TO GET THE SEASON GOING, Emrie Neal and the Clinton Cardinals squared off with Sherwood last Wednesday in a Jamboree held at Clinton High School. The Cardinals got their 2022-23 regular season campaign underway when they traveled to Knob Noster on Monday night.

With the end of fall approaching, a new season is set to begin—in more ways than one. After all, winter is coming. But while winter doesn't officially begin until December 21, as far as Cardinals basketball is concerned, it's already here.

Both Cardinals varsity boys and girls basketball at long-last tipped things off in non-scrimmage play for the first time this season, with the Cards and Lady Cards each putting in a final tune-up as they returned to the hardwood this past Tuesday and Wednesday night with their annual Jamboree slates. Welcomed back with cheers

from the home crowd, the Lady Cards were back in action first, with a three-game jamboree stretch against St. Paul Lutheran, Lexington and Osceola, followed by the varsity boys on Wednesday, who received a warm fan-welcome of their own as they faced off against Butler, Lexington and Sherwood in opening play.

While the annual jamboree doesn't have exactly the same feel as a typical regular season matchup, consisting of two six-minute quarters against each opponent, those in attendance this past Tuesday and Wednesday didn't get

that memo, as excitement could be seen all across the stands as of the heels of a long summer and fall sports, Cardinals basketball came into full focus once again.

The Lady Cards look for a bounce-back year this season after ending last year 8-11, beginning with a home-opener on November 22, against Neosho (1-0). As for the Cards, coming into this year off of a 7-20 season, the boys look to start their road to redemption on the road, as they travel to face Knob Noster on November 23.



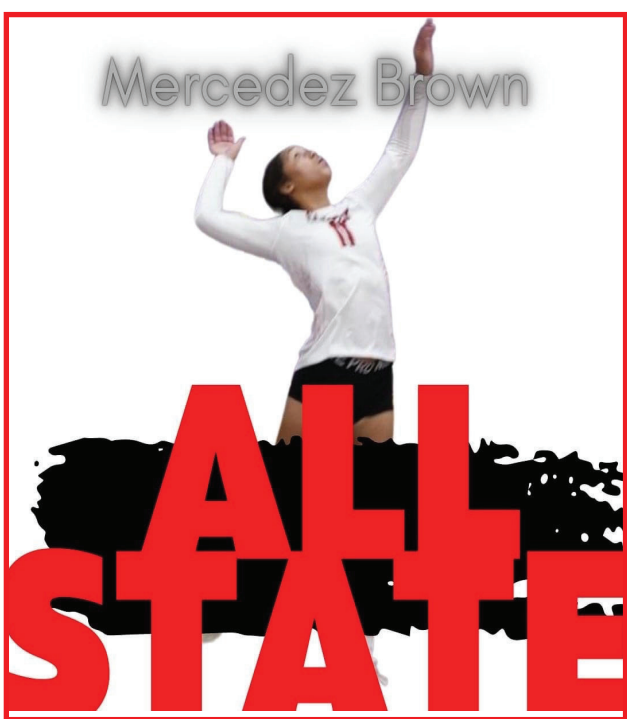
THE BALL IS UP on the Clinton Lady Cardinals basketball season as they faced Osceola in a Jamboree held at CHS last Tuesday night. Clinton will look to build on a strong finish to last season.

Cardinals Volleyball Cements Season With Team-Voted Awards At Banquet



THIS YEAR'S Cardinals Volleyball season officially reaches its close as Lady Cards cement the year with annual post-season awards. The awards, voted on by the team, are perhaps the highest honor of all, as they represent the positive impact these young women have made on their peers. As Phil Jackson once put it, "The strength of the team is each individual member—the strength of each individual member is the team." This Year's Team Post-Season Awards Are As Follows: Most improved - Josi Berry; Offensive player of the year - Mercedez Brown; Defensive player of the year - Paige McNabb and Jazmyn Shockley; Team Leader - Mercedez Brown

Lady Cards Brown Makes All-State



CLINTON CARDINALS senior Mercedez Brown's impressive effort in her senior season continues to pay off, as Mercedez has now been awarded All-State honors to go along with her 1st Team All-Conference and All-District honors. As one of only 30 athletes in Class 3 to receive All-State honors, Mercedez has cemented herself this season as among the Best-of-the-Best in Class 3. Way to go Mercedez!

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there be WC games in KC in 2026? 11) Where was the 2018 WC played? 12) Has Mexico ever won the WC? 13) What player(s) will we be following on the US team this year?

Answers: 1) Every 4 years, 2) 1930, 3) France, 4) Brazil, 5) No, 6) 211, 7) 32, 8) Uruguay, 9) Qatar, 10) YES!, 11) Russia, 12) Yes/1986, 13) Weston McKennie and Josh Sargent.



Have Sports news? Send it to Alex!

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Get Tips On European-Style Deer Mounts At December MDC Program

Program will have in-person and virtual attendance options.

European-style mounts is a type of taxidermy that's gaining in popularity among hunters as a unique way to preserve memories of your deer harvest.

People interested in learning about how to do a European mount should sign up for the Missouri Department of Conservation's (MDC) virtual program "Learning to Hunt: European Mounting Your Trophy." This free program will be from 6-7:30 on Dec. 1. It is being put on by the

staff at MDC's Andy Dalton Shooting Range and Outdoor Education Center and the program has in-person and virtual options for attendance. People can register for the in-person program at:

<https://mdc-event-web.s3licensing.com/Event/EventDetails/187343>

People can register for the virtual option at:

<https://mdc-event-web.s3licensing.com/Event/EventDetails/187346>

A European-style deer mount consists of a cleaned skull with the antlers still attached. At this program, MDC Outdoor Education Center Specialist Keith DeBow will discuss how hunters can use the European-style technique to

turn their deer harvest into a unique-looking memory that will last a lifetime. He will have information on what equipment is needed and the best techniques to make a European mount.



Though this program is free, registration is required to participate. Use the link above. Registrants for the virtual option must provide an e-mail, so a pro-

gram link can be sent to them.

MDC's Andy Dalton Range and Outdoor Education Center is located at 4897 N. Greene County Farm Road 61. People can stay informed about upcoming programs at MDC's Andy Dalton Range and Outdoor Education Center and other MDC facilities by signing up for text alerts and e-mail bulletins. People who have questions about upcoming events or how to sign up for text alerts from the Dalton Range can call 417-742-4361.

Staff at MDC facilities across the state are holding in-person and virtual programs. A listing of these programs can be found at mdc.mo.gov/events.

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9:00 4 vs. 8
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11:00 5 vs. 6
12:00 1 vs. 2

Thur. Dec. 8th (W)
5:30 4 vs. 3
6:30 8 vs. 5
5:30 2 vs. 7 (E)
6:30 1 vs. 6 (E)

Sat. Dec. 10th (W)
9:00 4 vs. 5
10:00 2 vs. 3
11:00 1 vs. 8
12:00 7 vs. 6

Thur. Dec. 15th (W)
5:30 1 vs. 5
6:30 4 vs. 2
5:30 3 vs. 6 (E)
6:30 7 vs. 8 (E)

Sat. Dec. 17th (W)
9:00 6 vs. 2
10:00 4 vs. 1
11:00 5 vs. 7
12:00 3 vs. 8

Tue. Dec. 20th (W)
5:30 7 vs. 4
6:30 6 vs. 8

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1. Gillis Family Dentistry	Bryan Himes	351-0289
2. Truman Lake Moose Lodge #2722	Nolan Wilson	525-4219
3. RE/MAX - Jack Wetzel	Krvstal Sperry	816-446-8286
4. Peniku Japanese Hibachi	Delaney Mantonya	660-624-0846
5. Lakeland	LYAA	417-644-2223
6. Leeton Black	Ashley Denham	660-238-4171
7. Leeton Gold	Erin McCoy	492-0566

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Sat. Dec. 3rd (E)
9:00 6 vs. 3
10:00 5 vs. 4
11:00 7 vs. 2

Tues. Dec. 6th (E)
5:30 5 vs. 1
6:30 3 vs. 2
7:30 4 vs. 6

Sat. Dec. 10th (E)
9:00 1 vs. 7
10:00 4 vs. 2
11:00 6 vs. 5

Wed. Dec. 14th (E)
5:30 7 vs. 3
6:30 6 vs. 1
7:30 5 vs. 2

Sat. Dec. 17th (E)
9:00 2 vs. 6
10:00 1 vs. 3
11:00 4 vs. 7

Mon. Dec. 19th (E)
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Municipal Court

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Curtis Lee Barrow, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (6-10 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$60.50

Franklin Eli Crowder, Assault, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to 30 Days Jail SES 2 Years Probation, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$166.50 2 Years Probation, Resisting Arrest, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to 30 Days Jail SES 2 Years Probation, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$166.50 2 Years Probation, Resisting Arrest, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$166.50 2 Years Probation

Brandon Green, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$166.50 2 Years Probation, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$191.50

Patrick Kelly, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$191.50

Connie Lynne Kidd, Speeding - School Zone (6-10 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$60.50

Timothy J Murphy, Assault, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to 90 Days Jail SES 2 Years Probation, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$100.00 2 Years Probation

Harley James Owings, Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$66.50

Kimhoun Null Seng, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (20-25 Mph Over), Defendant sentenced to Fine \$155.50 and Court Cost

Heather Lee Stuteville, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (16-19 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$100.5, Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$67.00

Highway Patrol

Show-Me Zero Fatality Reduction Effort

The Missouri State Highway Patrol and the Missouri Department of Transportation continue a special education and enforcement campaign titled, "Show-Me Zero Fatality Reduction Effort," aimed at reducing fatalities on Missouri's highways. This campaign which began in April 2022, shines a light on drivers who are impaired, distracted, and driving above the posted speed limit. It also focuses on seat belt use.

The Show-Me Zero Fatalities campaign is taking place on interstate corridors in St. Louis and Kansas City with the highest crash numbers and instances of traffic violations. From 2019-2021, there were a combined 22 fatal crashes and 105 serious injury crashes within the selected corridors.

Since April 2022, law enforcement officers have targeted these areas in a focused education and enforcement effort.

In Jackson County, law enforcement officers continue to focus efforts on the following corridors:

- I-70: mile marker 17-22 (west city limits of Blue Springs to east city limits of Blue Springs)

- I-70: mile marker 10.5-17 (west city limits of Independence to east city limits of Independence)

- I-470: mile marker 5-10A (CST View High Drive to Colbern Road/I-470)

In St. Louis County, law enforcement officers con-

tinue to focus efforts on the following corridors:

- I-270: mile marker 28-33 (Elizabeth Avenue to Lilac Avenue)

- I-170: mile marker 4.5-9.5 (Hazelwood city limits to Vinita Park city limits)

- I-55: mile marker 197-201B (I-270 ramp to Weber Road)

- I-270: mile marker 13-19 (Route AB ramp to west city limits of Maryland Heights)

The Patrol and MoDOT are working on a dashboard report that will provide real-time information on speeds in segments of the corridors to help ensure the data driven enforcement efforts are focused in the most needed areas. A traffic safety presentation about the Show-Me Zero Fatalities education and enforcement campaign has also been developed. The program is available to schools, businesses, and civic groups in these areas. Those interested in the program should contact Troop A Headquarters in Lee's Summit or Troop C Headquarters in Weldon Spring, MO, and ask for the public information and education officer.

This joint effort between the Patrol, MODOT, and local agencies will continue through Spring 2023. The campaign will be reevaluated at that time to see if it needs to be revised or moved to additional corridors.

While this campaign is aimed at these specific corridors, drivers are reminded to drive sober, obey the speed limit, put their cell phone down, wear their seat belt, and obey all traffic laws no matter where they are driving. When drivers consistently adopt these good driving habits, all Missouri's highways become safer.

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NOVEMBER 5-18: 33

Blairtown -0, Calhoun -0,

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Creighton -1, Deepwater -3,

Leeton -0, Montrose -0,

Urich -4, Windsor -4

H.C. Sheriff

TIPS HOTLINE

1-800-825-8477

ARREST AND INCIDENT REPORTS

November 14, 2022 0600 a.m. - November 15, 2022

Identity theft in the 900 blk 52 hwy/Report taken 100 blk S. Lawn Street - assault / report taken

Arrested Samantha Brown, age 31, Warsaw, on a Benton county warrant for failure to appear on original charges of possession of a controlled substance

Arrested John Decker, age 44, Warsaw, for contempt of court

November 15, 2022 0600 a.m. - November 16, 2022

Arrest Clifford Wood, age 61, of Sedalia on a Johnson County warrant for a traffic offense

Issued Robin Lawson a citation for driving while revoked and no proof of insurance

Dog at large 300 blk West Main street/Report taken/Citation issued

November 16, 2022 0600 a.m. - November 17, 2022

Arrested Faith E. Long, age 41, Brownington, for stealing and forgery

Arrested Donald Pittman, age 41, of Windsor for a Probation and Parole warrant on the original charge of endangering the welfare

of a child

Motor vehicle accident in the 700 block of NW Hwy 7/ Report taken, Domestic Assault in the 900 block of SE 450 Rd/ Report taken

November 17, 2022 0600 a.m. - November 18, 2022

Arrested Anthony D. Malan, age 34, for Domestic Assault

Stolen motor vehicle in the 60 block of NE 850 Road/ report taken

Found Property 200 block of S Main St./Report Taken

Truancy report taken 200 block North Street

November 18, 2022 0600 a.m. - November 19, 2022

No Reports or Arrest

November 19, 2022 0600 a.m. - November 20, 2022

Burglary report taken 100 block NW 301 Rd.; Stealing report taken Sparrowfoot Campground

Issued a citation to Justin Jordan of California MO. for speeding

November 20, 2022 0600 a.m. - November 21, 2022

70 BLK NE 254 PRIVATE ROAD - STEALING / REPORT TAKEN

Property Transfers

GAIL A. PERRYMAN

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/14/2022 Between Pinkston, Iris, Grantor, And Smith, Patrick A. And Smith, Spirit R, Grantee, Lot 6 Block 1 Ot Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/14/2022 Between Nadler, Joshua R And Nadler, Micah D, Grantor, And Hersh Properties, Llc, Grantee, Lots 31, 32 Catherine Mcbeth And Others Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/14/2022 Between DSV SPV3 LLC, Grantor, And Hamilton, Colin, Grantee, 20-43-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/14/2022 Between Johnson's Red Boat Properties LLC, Grantor, And Newby-Sisco, Christopher, Grantee, Lots 1-8 FA Elsners Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/14/2022 Between C & M Builders, Inc, Grantor, And Smith, Lisa B (Trust), Grantee, Lots 3, 4, 5 4th Addition To Timber Ridge

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/16/2022 Between Houk, Delores D, Grantor, And Anders, Joshua D And Anders, Jenna M, Grantee, Lot 3, 2, 4 Halls Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On Da 11/16/2022 Te Between JMI Properties, LLC, Grantor, And Burdett, Lynette K, Grantee, Lot 124 Ot Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/16/2022 Between Moles, Bradley And Moles, Sabrina, Grantor, And Holtz, Madeline And Wilson, Dallas, Grantee, Lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18 Block 9 Ot Urich

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/17/2022 Between Herron, Bryan And Herron, Darlene, Grantor, And Stewart, Michael, Grantee, Lot 82 Boyers Second Addition To Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/17/2022 Between Crawford, Verl Yn L(Trust) And Crawford, James J (Trust), Grantor, And Crawford, Verlyn L, Grantee, 17-42-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/17/2022 Between Kohl, Samuel L And Kohl, Linda Suzanne, Grantor, And Kohl, Abraham Oliver And Kohl, Kate Caroline, Grantee, 35-44-25

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/17/2022 Between Henehan, Bernard T Jr, Grantor, And Himes, Danny J And Himes, Sherry L, Grantee, 34-42-26

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/17/2022 Between Harris, Jimmie D And Harris, Kairrie A,

Grantor, And House, Michelle Anne, Grantee, Lot 15 Hughes (Knox) 1 St Addition Calhoun

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/17/2022 Between Chapin, Bettie Sadler, Moore, Kurtis Sadler, Moore, Patty A, Nelson, Lisa Lynn And Nelson, Tommy, Grantor, And Strouse, Cody, Grantee, Lot 57 Ot Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 11/17/2022 Between Pinkston, Iris E, Grantor, And Smith, Patrick A Smith, Spirit R, Grantee, Lot 6 Block 1 Ot Windsor

Marriage Licenses

GAIL A. PERRYMAN

11/14/2022, Bluemer, Wade Lance, 66, Clinton, And Binyon, Brenda Lucille, 70, Clinton

11/16/2022, Harms, Justin Andrew, 37, Clinton, And Janusz, Sheridan Elaine, 32, Clinton

H.C. Water Company & PWSD #3

The Henry County Water Company and PWSD #3 offices will be closed on Thursday & Friday, November 24th & 25th for Thanksgiving. For after-hour emergencies call Central Dispatch at 660-885-5587

Clinton Fire Department

11/14 - 10:29am: EMS Call, 800 Block of South Iowa Cir.

11/14 - 4:22pm: EMS Call, 1100 Block of South Second St.

11/15 - 3:16am: Electrical Short Investigation, 308 North Washington St.

11/15 - 12:55am: EMS Call, 100 Block of South Second St.

11/15 - 2:47am: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 300 Block of East Franklin St.

11/15 - 3:07pm: Commercial Automatic Fire Alarm (No Fire, Accidental Trip), First Baptist Church - 1531 North Vansant Rd.

11/15 - 3:20pm: Commercial Automatic Fire Alarm (No Fire, Accidental Trip), Golden Valley Memorial Hospital - 1600 North Second St.

11/16 - 1:19pm: EMS Call, 600 Block of West Rogers St.

11/16 - 6:28pm: Power Line Down in Roadway, 8000 Block of North Highway 13

11/16 - 7:36pm: EMS Call, 400 Block of Pawnee Dr.

11/16 - 11:39pm: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 1400 Block of North DZF Rd.

11/17 - 4:56pm: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 300 Block of North Sixth St.

11/18 - 3:10pm: Carbon Monoxide Incident, United Methodist Church - 601 South Fourth St.

11/18 - 6:00pm: EMS Call, 200 Block of South Crawford Dr.

11/19 - 7:32am: Carbon Monoxide Incident, United Methodist Church - 601 South Fourth St.

11/19 - 10:30am: Passenger Vehicle Fire, Intersection of Highway 7 & North Highway 13

11/19 - 12:30pm: Residential Automatic Fire Alarm (No Fire, Accidental Trip), 603 West Pecan Dr.

11/19 - 7:00pm: EMS Call, 1000 Block of South Eighth St.

11/19 - 8:51pm: EMS Call, 300 Block of East Franklin St.

11/20 - 2:20am: Commercial Automatic Fire Alarm (No Fire, Accidental Trip), Golden Valley Medical - 1602 North Second St.

11/20 - 7:45pm: Smoke Investigation, 100 Block of West Allen St.

11/20 - 8:49pm: Enforcement of Unauthorized Burning, 511 East Green St.

Clinton Police Dept.

NOV. 10 - ARRESTS

Hentz, Kaden Luke, 26, Springfield, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd.

Headley, Jon Anthony, 47, Liberty, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd. X2

Lindsey, Blake Austin, 21, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Resisting/Interfering W/ Arrest For A Felony - Resisting Officer, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Felony

NOV. 11 - ARRESTS

Gary, Donetta Renea, 42, Clinton, On View, Possession Of Contr Subst Except 35 Grams / Less Of Marijuana/Synthetic Cannabinoid-Dangerous Drugs

NOV. 12 - ARRESTS

Timblin, Angel Marie, 38, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Stealing- All Other Stealing, Fraudulent Use Of A Credit Device

Mullen, Andrew Jacob, 38, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Felony

NOV. 14 - ARRESTS

Boone, Dustin T, 30, Kansas City, Mo, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Clinton

Village of Brownington

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Brownington met on October 14, 2022, at the Brownington Community Building for the scheduled regular meeting at 7:00 p.m. Trustees present were Chairman Steve Schraml, Trustee Ian Burton, Trustee Joe Bradley, and Joyce Tullis, Clerk. Trustee Sylvania "Jody" Eversole was absent. Visitor present was Mike Tullis.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Chairman Steve Schraml. Chairman Schraml requested the minutes from the last meeting be read. Motion to approve the minutes was made by Trustee Ian Burton second by Trustee Joe Bradley with all board members voting in favor 3-0. Chairman Schraml then requested the financial report be read. Motion to approve the financial report was made by Trustee Joe Bradley second by Trustee Ian Burton with all board members voting in favor 3-0. The bills were presented to the board for approval of payment.

In addition to the regular monthly bills, Chairman Schraml brought discussion before the Board regarding Village Insurance Premium due in November and the increase in cost, as well as increase in Missouri Municipal League Annual Dues. Motion to pay all due bills was made by Trustee Joe Bradley second by Trustee Ian Burton, with all board members voting in favor 3-0.

NEW BUSINESS: There was no new business presented before the Board.

OLD BUSINESS: Chairman Schraml brought discussion before the Board regarding progress of Ordinance Violations. Court records show three cases currently still pending. Chairman Schraml reported that he has not been in contact with the Attorney, and doesn't know why the cases are taking so long to be resolved. The Board discussed ongoing Ordinance Violation issues. Motion made by Trustee Ian Burton second by Trustee Joe Bradley to once again send out letters to residents with ordinance violations with all members voting 3-0. The Board discussed issues with out of town property owners and difficulties contacting them. Chairman Schraml reported to the Board that he did take updated pictures of properties with Ordinance Violations and will get them to the Clerk. Chairman Schraml brought discussion before the Board regarding progress

of Community Building repairs. The cost of the present bid could run more or less according to the cost of lumber and metal. As of right now, lumber and metal have dropped some, and the work is scheduled for the latter part of November or early December, weather permitting. The Board again discussed plans for putting colored metal up approximately 4 feet all around the building and agreed this would work well. The Board discussed new flooring once the floors are repaired. Chairman Schraml is going to meet with the contractor this week and discuss with them some concerns and issues he wants to be clear about. Chairman Schraml brought discussion before the Board regarding possible need for dumpster to dispose of old materials. The Board discussed taking down the pictures before construction begins. Chairman Schraml agreed to store the pictures and items if needed.

PUBLIC COMMENT: There were no Public Comments.

ADJOURNMENT: Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Trustee Ian Burton, second by Trustee Joe Bradley, with all Board members voting in favor 3-0. Chairman Schraml adjourned the meeting at 8:00 p.m.

City of Montrose

NOVEMBER 14, 2022

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Westhusing at 7:32 P.M.

Members Present: John Engeman, Kent Schussler, Russell Bracher, Amber Volmer and Andy Westhusing.

Staff Present: Donald Lamb, Major Rob Hills-Sheriff's Office and Sherri Richter. Dale Bailey was absent.

A motion was made by John Engeman, 2nd by Russell Bracher to approve the agenda as presented.

Ayes: 4 Noes: 0

A motion was made by Amber Volmer, 2nd by Kent Schussler to approve the minutes of the meeting held on September 12, 2022.

Ayes: 4 Noes: 0

A motion was made by Kent Schussler, 2nd Russell Bracher to approve the Financial Statement for September 2022.

Ayes: 4 Noes: 0

Communications: Mr. Schussler advised that we have not received any reply yet on the T-Mobile grant application.

Old Business: Ordinances (nuisances):

Ms. Volmer is still researching information on the ordinance nuisances.

New business: New Budget for FY 2023:

Mayor Westhusing presented the new budget for FY 2023. After review, a motion was made by John Engeman, 2nd by Kent Schussler to approve the new budget.

Ayes: 4 Noes: 0

Water Tower Inspection: The report was received on the inspection done in September. Report was good.

6th Street Sewer Line Extension:

A request was made to the council to extend the sewer line to 506 W. 6th, which is out of the city limits. After discussion, the council decided to get a cost estimate before a decision is made. This is tabled until the estimate can be obtained.

Mike Keith Insurance Renewal:

Chad Mullins with Mike Keith Insurance Co. presented the new quote for insurance for the city. After discussion, a motion was made by Kent Schussler, 2nd by Amber Volmer to accept the MoPerm policy for renewal.

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Public Record cont.....

Ayes: 4 **Noes:** 0
The new quote for Cyber Insurance was presented by Chad Mullins, Mike Keith Insurance at a cost of \$473.00. After discussion a motion was made by Amber Volmer, 2nd by Kent Schussler to accept the quote.

Ayes: 4 **Noes:** 0
Public Forum: None

Staff Reports:
Sheriff's Office:
Major Hills reported that total patrol for October was 63 hours and 15 minutes with 33 contacts, 4 reports taken, 3 traffic stops/violations with 2 warnings, 2 arrests (felony) and 1 citation.

Dale Bailey:
Mr. Bailey was absent. No report given.

WATER & SEWER OPERATIONS
WATER:

Mayor Westhusing advised that Mr. Eye has been doing water tests and flagging for digging. He has not had a chance to check on the water leaks as of this date.

SEWER:
Mr. Lamb stated that he has been cleaning the grate at the lagoon. He has been putting 4" rock around the lagoon area. He will also be inspecting manholes and keeping track of locations and dates. He will check on the cost of a locator. Mr. Lamb and Mr. Brownberger have checked 11 manholes so far. Mr. Lamb and Mayor Westhusing are almost finished with the sewer training manual. They will send in Mr. Lamb's test next month to be approved by the state and then he can take the final test to be certified.

Donald Lamb:
Mr. Lamb reported that he has been mowing, cleaning up at 8th St. and Kansas, reading meters and putting rock down at the lagoon

Sherri Richter:
Nothing to report
Mayor Westhusing advised the next council meeting will be December 12, 2022 at 7:30 P.M.

A motion was made by Kent Schussler, 2nd by Russell Bracher to adjourn at 8:55 P.M.

Ayes: 4 **Noes:** 0
Lakeland School Dist.

REGULAR MEETING - LAKELAND R-III SCHOOL BOARD ROOM, NOV. 17, 2022 12 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT:
Mat Meeker - President, Jim Neuenschwander - Vice-President, Renee Baker - Treasurer, Emily Baker, Christl Brownlee, Matt Hughes, Jackson Ketterman
STAFF: Mr. Mitch Towne, Superintendent, Mrs. Lanna Salmon, Secretary, Mrs. Trish Bauer, Elementary Principal, Mr. Adam Collins, High School Principal

I. CALL TO ORDER
A. Call to Order - President Mat Meeker called the meeting to order at 12:05 p.m. (noon). Notice of meeting having notified the local newspapers, and posted at the school building.

B. Roll Call - Absent: None

C. Recognition of Visitors and Guests - None

II. CONSENT ITEMS

A. Agenda

B. Minutes - October 20, 2022 Regular Board Meeting

C. November Bills - \$974,362.46

D. Substitute List
Jim Neuenschwander made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to approve the agenda as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes -7, No -0. Motion carried.

Matt Hughes made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to approve the November bills except #034944, and #034980 as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes-7, No -0. Motion carried.

Regular Meeting Minutes as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes -7, No -0. Motion carried.

Jim Neuenschwander made a motion; Renee Baker seconded it, to approve the November bills #034944 presented. Voice vote taken: Yes-6, No -1- Mat Meeker. Motion carried.

Jim Neuenschwander made a motion; Renee Baker seconded it, to approve the November bills #034980 presented. Voice vote taken: Yes-6, No -1- Matt Hughes. Motion carried.

Renee Baker made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to approve the EPCO Substitute List and Additions to the Lakeland Substitute List as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes -7, No -0.
Motion carried.

III. CORRESPONDENCE

None

IV. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

A. Superintendent Report - None

B. Elementary Report -

• Current Enrollment: 205

• Preschool Enrollment: 15

• Attendance: 92.95%
K = 33 (19 M 14 F)
1 = 32 (17 M 15 F)
2 = 30 (21 M 9 F)
3 = 31 (15 M 16 F)
4 = 28 (15 M 13 F)
5 = 27 (12 M 15 F)
6 = 24 (12 M 12 F)

• Students Enrolled 6

• Students Withdrawn 3

Teachers conducted parent-teacher conferences this year in person on October 24th and they were well attended.

Mrs. Sara Fellhoelter had preschool screening for 3 and 4 year olds Tuesday. We had 12 future Vikings attend.

Dates:

November 18: 2nd Quarter midterm

November 21: School in session

November 23-25: Thanksgiving Break

November 28: No School

November 30: FCA 1-4 Christmas party

November 30: Preschool Program

December 5: No School

December 8: 6:00 5-12 band concert

December 12: Teacher Workday

December 14: Elementary Music Concert

December 19: Monday School

December 20: End of 2nd Quarter

December 21-January 3 2023: No School

C. High School Report -

Enrollments:

• Total Enrollment: Currently 194 (up 2 from last month)

92 Males / 93 Females

7th-- 33 Total (10 M / 23 F)

10th--37 Total (19 M / 18 F)

8th-- 32 Total (18 M / 14 F)

11th--27 Total (15 M / 12 F)

9th - 34 Total (16 M / 18 F)

12th - 31 Total (15 M /

16 F)
Attendance:

• All students at any time:

o Students with 90% attendance or better: 70.1%

o Overall attendance rate: 91.3%

• Current Students:

o Students with 90% attendance or better: 71.6 %

o Overall attendance rate: 91.6 %

*9th Grade is top at 93 %

Happenings in the High School:

• Veteran's Day Assembly was held 11/11. Thank you to the HS Band and the HS and elementary choir for the music. Student Council and FFA members / sponsors for organizing the event and participating in the event.

• Congratulations to Makenna Wilkins. She won FFA District Speaking Contest 11/9. She will compete at the state competition in March.

• 2nd Quarter Midterm is 11/18, grade will go home on 11/22

• NHS hosted a American Red Cross blood drive today

• FTA is celebrating American Education Week with a spirit week and assembly on Friday

• School is in session on 11/21 and 11/22

• No School 11/23-11/28 - Thanksgiving break

• Winter Formal Dance is schedule for 12/3

Upcoming Events:--Home dates in bold

• JH Basketball: **11/17, 11/21, 11/29, 12/1, 12/7, 12/12-16 (WEMO Tourney)**

• HS Basketball: **11/18, 11/22, 12/1, 12/2, 12/6, 12/9, 12/13, 12/15, 12/16, 12/26-29 (Weaubleau Tournament)**

D.Special Education Report - None

V. OLD BUSINESS

A.High School Roof Replacement

Jim Neuenschwander made a motion; Renee Baker seconded it, to approve the High School Roof Replacement Best Option as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes-7, no -0. Motion carried.

B.Bus Driver Training Policy

Renee Baker made a motion; Emily Baker seconded it, to approve paying for Bus Driver Training as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes-7, no -0. Motion carried.

C.Early Graduates Approved Early Graduates.

Matt Hughes made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to go out of closed session, record, and vote, and to close any and all personnel and student records which may have been opened. Roll call vote taken: 7 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Emily Baker - Yes
Matt Hughes - Yes
Christl Brownlee -Yes
Mat Meeker - Yes
Renee Baker - Yes
Jackson Ketterman - Yes
Jim Neuenschwander-Yes
Mat Meeker returned to the meeting at 12:53 p.m.

C. Early Graduates Approved Early Graduates.

Matt Hughes made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to go out of closed session, record, and vote, and to close any and all personnel and student records which may have been opened. Roll call vote taken: 7 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Emily Baker - Yes
Matt Hughes - Yes
Christl Brownlee -Yes
Mat Meeker - Yes
Renee Baker - Yes
Jackson Ketterman - Yes
Jim Neuenschwander-Yes

VIII. ADJOURN

Jackson Ketterman made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to adjourn. Voice vote taken: Yes- 7, No -0. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 12:56 p.m.

Next Scheduled Regular Meeting: December 15, 2022, 12 p.m. (noon)

session. Roll call vote taken: 7 Yes, 0 No. Motion carried.

Emily Baker - Yes
Matt Hughes - Yes
Christl Brownlee -Yes
Mat Meeker - Yes
Renee Baker - Yes
Jackson Ketterman - Yes
Jim Neuenschwander-Yes
Jim Neuenschwander made motion; Emily Baker seconded it, to approve the minutes of October 20, 2022 as presented. Roll Call vote taken: 7 Yes, 0 No. Motion carried.

Emily Baker - Yes
Matt Hughes - Yes
Christl Brownlee -Yes
Mat Meeker - Yes
Renee Baker - Yes
Jackson Ketterman - Yes
Jim Neuenschwander-Yes
Renee Baker made a motion; Emily Baker seconded it, to approve the resignation of Tina Applegate as EPCO Special Education Teacher for the 2022-23 school year. Voice vote taken: Yes- 7, No -0. Motion carried.

Emily Baker - Yes
Matt Hughes - Yes
Christl Brownlee -Yes
Mat Meeker - Yes
Renee Baker - Yes
Jackson Ketterman - Yes
Jim Neuenschwander-Yes
Mat Meeker left the meeting at 12:51 p.m.

Renee Baker made a motion; Matt Hughes seconded it, to approve the hire of Emily Meeker as Para Educator for the 2022-23 school year. Voice vote taken: Yes- 6, No -0. Motion carried.

Emily Baker - Yes
Matt Hughes - Yes
Christl Brownlee -Yes
Mat Meeker - Absent
Renee Baker - Yes
Jackson Ketterman - Yes
Jim Neuenschwander-Yes
Mat Meeker returned to the meeting at 12:53 p.m.

C. Early Graduates Approved Early Graduates.

Matt Hughes made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to go out of closed session, record, and vote, and to close any and all personnel and student records which may have been opened. Roll call vote taken: 7 yes, 0 no. Motion carried.

Emily Baker - Yes
Matt Hughes - Yes
Christl Brownlee -Yes
Mat Meeker - Yes
Renee Baker - Yes
Jackson Ketterman - Yes
Jim Neuenschwander-Yes

Jackson Ketterman made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to adjourn. Voice vote taken: Yes- 7, No -0. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 12:56 p.m.

Next Scheduled Regular Meeting: December 15, 2022, 12 p.m. (noon)

Chamber cont.....

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Clinton Chamber Ambassadors and Clinton Main Street helped Bread of Life celebrate their 10th anniversary. What a beautiful store in Downtown Clinton. Here's some info from their Facebook page: Christian Hallmark Gold Crown store. Bibles, cards, gifts, books, keepsake ornaments, toys, jewelry and more. 130 S Main St. Clinton +1 660-885-2909 Breadoflifebooks@yahoo.com Breadoflifehallmark.com

Welcome New Chamber Member: Pivot Group Investments LLC 913-362-1120 www.pivotgroupinvestments.com Pivot Group Investments are working to create affordable housing and rental opportunities along with other amenities in town.

All the snowflakes are rebulbed and ready! A huge thank you to Bill Thole, Dave Garnett, Gene Henry! Also a huge thank you to Clinton Christian Academy 7th and 8th grade kiddos for all their help!

7TH GRADE:

Kaylana Scott
Katie Largent
Brooklyn Wisniewski
Hadley Hyke
Parker Lowe
Gauge Schlagle
Allie Thornton
Abram Dody
Collin Higgins

Elizabeth Chavez-Walter

Miyah Carmichael
Kylee Mount
Sophia VanNatta
Kynlee Stacking
8TH GRADE:
Jake Williams
Carissa Compton
Emma Hansen
Oliver Mosley
Clark Harmer
Vivian Cronhardt
Kyler Foley
Maggie Foster
Jacob Wombles
Chloe Long

Thanks to the Clinton Elks Lodge and David Cummings, the Clinton Chamber has two brand new flags just in time for Veterans Day. We would like to take this time to thank all Veterans for your service to this great Country.

Heartland Community Theatre presents the Mistletoe Homes Tour Sunday, December 4th, 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. The tour will feature three beautiful older homes within a couple blocks of each other, fully decorated for the holidays!

Tickets are \$15 and can be purchased at Switzer Law Firm on the square, Designers Edge or from Linda at ReMax. Last minute tickets will also be available at the Heartland Community Theatre pavilion between 2:30 and 5:30 p.m. on the day of the tour. You can tour the homes in any order - but be sure to drop by the Heartland Community Theatre pavilion for refreshments!

The Clinton Chamber Announces It's Small Business Season:

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Throughout the holiday shopping season, the Chamber is encouraging consumers to "Think Small" and earmark at least part of their holiday spending in support of local small business. Mark, David and Joyce at the Clinton Chamber remind you that small business is the backbone of our economy. 64% of our new jobs in the US come from small business. When people spend their dollars locally, more money stays local. On average, for every \$100 spent locally, \$68 of that stays here.

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LEGAL NOTICES

Leesville Township Road Board District will be taking filings for the positions of 3 road board and 1 clerk. Filings will be taken at (660) 525-4710, Louise Houk, beginning December 6, 2022, through December 27, 2022 for the April 4, 2023 General Municipal Election.

n24x2c

White Oak Township District will be taking filings for the position of township board member x4. Filings will be taken via mail at 1243 NW 400 Rd, Urich, Missouri 64788, beginning December 6, 2022, through December 27, 2022 for the April 4, 2023 General Municipal Election.

n24x1c

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

In the Estate of DENISE L. REVARD, Deceased. Case No.: 22HE-PRO0041

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED (Supervised Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of DENISE L. REVARD, Decedent:

On JUNE 23, 2022, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of DENISE L. REVARD, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The personal representative's business address and phone number is:

ALLEN L HUFF, 100 W FRANKLIN STREET, CLINTON, MO 64735, 660-885-7245.

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

JD BAKER, PO BOX 565, OSCEOLA, MO 64776, (471) 646-8125

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 the decedent's death: 03-JAN-2022

Date of first publication: NOVEMBER 3, 2022

Crissy Johnston
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.

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Bids for Horn Branch Reclamation Project, Henry County, Project No. Y2204-01, will be received by FMDC, State of MO, UNTIL 1:30 PM, 1/10/2023 via MissouriBUYS. Bidders must be registered to bid. Project information available at: <http://oa.mo.gov/facilities>

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Henry County Health Center

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Bethlehem Township District will be taking filings for the position of Board Member (2 - positions), Clerk, Treasurer. Filings will be taken at Mike Scott, 660-351-0430 beginning December 6, 2022 through December 27, 2022 for the April 4, 2023 General Municipal Election.
n24x1c

The Bogard Township District will be taking filings for the position of four members. Filings will be taken via mail at 1111 NW 700 Road, Urich, Missouri, beginning December 6, 2022, through December 27, 2022 for the April 4, 2023 General Municipal Election.
n24x1c

The Clinton Country Club Special Road District will be accepting candidate filings for (1) one board member for the position of Secretary/Treasurer for a (3) three-year term. Filings will be taken at 152 NE 201 Road, Clinton, Mo beginning December 6, 2022 through December 27, 2022 during the hours of 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. for the April 4, 2023 General Election.
n24x1c

EXHIBIT A

NOTICE TO CANDIDATES

NOTICE TO CANDIDATES FOR CITY OFFICES

An election will be held in the City of Urich, Missouri, on April 4, 2023, to elect each the following city Officers: Alderman of North Ward, two-year term; and Alderman of South Ward, two-year term.

Persons wishing to file for election must file in person at City Hall, 308 Main Street. Filing will open December 6, 2022, at 8:00am. Filing hours will be from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and from 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, with the exception of the following dates when city hall will be closed: December 23 and December 26, 2022. Filing will close December 27, 2022, at 5:00 p.m.

By order of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Urich Missouri on November 15, 2022.

Darla Conner, City Clerk

n24,d15x2c

Henry County Public Supply Water District #1 will be taking filings for the position of Board Member for a 3 year term. Filings will be taken at PO Box 125, Clinton MO 64735 or by calling 660-924-6294 for an appointment beginning December 6, 2022 through December 27, 2022 for the April 4, 2023 General Municipal Election.
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NOTICE OF CANDIDATE FILING

The Henry County Clerk's Office will be taking filings for Henry County Health Department Board Member(s), two (2) positions for a term of 4 years each and one (1) position for an unexpired term of 2 years. Filings will be taken in the Henry County Clerk's Office at 100 West Franklin, Clinton Missouri, first floor of the courthouse, Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. beginning December 6, 2022, through December 27, 2022 for the April 4, 2023 Election.
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Honey Creek Township will be taking filings for two Board Members, Treasurer, and Clerk. Filings will be taken at 570 NW 1021 Urich Missouri beginning December 6, 2022 through December 27, 2022 for the April 4, 2023 General Municipal Election.
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Mt. Hope Special Road District will be taking filings for the position of Board Member. Filings will be taken at 1677 SW 1000 Rd or 660-492-7852 beginning December 6, 2022 through December 27, 2022 for the April 4, 2023 General Municipal Election.
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NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOARD FILING

The Lakeland R-III School District will accept declarations of candidacy from any person interested in running for a position on the School Board in the April 4, 2023, election. Persons interested may file at the superintendent's offices located at 12530 Lakeland School Drive, Deepwater, MO 64740 and will be put on the ballot on a first come first on the ballot basis.

Filing will begin on December 6, 2022, at 8:30 a.m. and will continue during the district's regular business hours, which are Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. Filing will not occur on days that the school district's offices are closed due to inclement weather. Filing will also not occur on the following holidays when the school district's offices are closed: December 20, 2022 after 3:15 p.m. until December 26, 2022. Filing will end on December 27, 2022, at 5:00 p.m., office will be open December 27th from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

There are three positions available with three-year terms.
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The City of Montrose General Municipal Election will be held April 4, 2023.

Positions available include: 1 (one) South Ward Alderman, and 1 (one) North Ward Alderman. All positions are for a 2 (two) year term. Any qualified resident of the City of Montrose who desires to declare their candidacy for any of the above positions must file with the City Clerk from December 6, 2022 through December 27, 2022. Qualifications: Must be at least 21 years of age, citizen of the United States, inhabitant and resident of the wards from which elected, must have state and city taxes paid prior to filing. Filings will be accepted at City Hall, 317 Missouri Avenue, Montrose, from 8:00am to 12:00pm, Monday through Friday, and after hours by appointment (660-693-4838).
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NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOARD FILING

The Montrose R-XIV School District will accept declarations of candidacy from any person interested in running for a position on the Montrose R-XIV Board of Education. Persons interested may file at the Montrose School District, 307 East 2nd Street, Montrose, MO 64770, beginning Tuesday, December 6, 2022 through December 27, 2022, during regular office hours of 8:00 AM to 3:30 PM and until 5:00 PM on the last day of filing. The office will be closed from December 19th through December 26th and for inclement weather. Three members are to be elected for a three year term at the annual election on April 4, 2023.
n17,24x2

Shawnee Special Road District will be taking filings for the position of one board member-three year term. Filings will be taken at 1063 NE 31 Rd, Clinton MO beginning December 6, 2022 through December 27, 2022 for the April 4, 2023 General Municipal Election.
n24x1c

Village of Tightwad District will be taking filings for the position of 3 Board members. Filings will be taken at 11371 E. Hwy 7 between 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. beginning December 6, 2022 through December 27, 2022 for the April 4, 2023 General Municipal Election.
n24x1c

The City of Clinton is accepting bids for 2023 for the following services: Fuel, Laundry, Pest Spraying, Flower Planters, Code Enforcement Mowing and City Hall Janitorial. Contact Deborah Nelson (City Hall, 105 E. Ohio, Clinton, MO 64735 - 660.885.6121 - Fax: 660.885.2023 - dnelson@cityofclintonmo.com) for bid specifications or to submit a bid. Bids are due no later than December 1, 2022 at 10:00am. The City of Clinton reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids and make allowances for any irregularities in the bid process.
n17,24x2

In compliance with RSMo 115.127.5, notice is hereby given to the qualified voters of Community Memorial Hospital District that pursuant to an order duly made by the Board of Directors of Community Memorial Hospital District, the annual Municipal Election will be held April 4, 2023 for the purpose of electing one director to serve a term of 6 years.

All candidates for the office of said director must file their declaration of candidacy at Ellett Memorial Hospital during the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday beginning December 6, 2022 and closing December 27, 2022.

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The Henry County 911 Board of Directors will be taking filings for the positions of North side (1 opening), South side (1 opening) and At Large (1 opening) board members, for a term of 4 years. Filings will be taken by Jennifer Graham, Executive Director, at the office of Henry County 911, 115 E. Green St, Clinton, MO 64735 beginning December 6, 2022 through December 27, 2022 for the April 4, 2023 General Municipal Election. Office hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.
n24x1c

LEESVILLE R-IX SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTICE OF CANDIDATE FILING

Leesville R-IX School District will be taking filings for the positions of three school board members. Filings will be taken at Leesville R-IX School District at 8229 E Highway 7, Clinton, MO 64735, beginning December 6, 2022 through December 27, 2022 for the April 4, 2023 General Municipal Election. Office hours will be 8:00 am to 4:00 pm on weekdays from December 6, 2022 through December 15, 2022, 8:00 am to 12:00 pm on December 16, 2022, and 10:00 am to 12:00 pm on December 27, 2022
n10x4c

The Sherwood Cass R-VIII School District is advertising for bid a Fall 2022 HVAC Project. Bids must be received by 3:00pm on December 9, 2022. Documents needed to complete RFP can be acquired at Central Office or the district website at <https://sites.google.com/sherwoodk12.net/sherwoodrfps/home>. Questions should be referred to Dr. Steve Ritter at steve.ritter@sherwoodk12.net or 660-499-2239 ext 400.
n17x3c

Pursuant to RSMO 67.5050, Golden Valley Memorial Hospital District seeks to receive qualifications from construction managers and general contractors who are interested in providing Construction Manager at Risk services for the hospital's "Air Handler Upgrade" project which is funded by a USDA Rural Development grant. Qualifications from interested parties will be accepted until 2pm on Thursday, December 8, 2022. The RFQ can be obtained by emailing Lon Wehr at HMNArchitects.com.
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GOLDEN VALLEY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL DISTRICT HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of the Golden Valley Memorial Hospital District, that the Regular Annual Election will be held in said Hospital District on Tuesday, April 4, 2023, for the purpose of electing one Director from District Number Three in said Hospital District for a term of six years.

Any qualified resident of District Number Three of the Golden Valley Memorial Hospital District of Henry County, Missouri desiring to have his or her name included on the ballot as a candidate, shall file notice of his or her intention with Virginia Graham, Secretary of the Golden Valley Memorial Hospital District, at Administrative Offices, Golden Valley Memorial Hospital, Clinton, Missouri, during office hours and during the period of December 6, 2022 through December 27, 2022. No person's name will be placed on the ballot unless a Declaration of Candidacy is filed as herein provided.

District Number Three includes Bear Creek, Davis, Fairview and Osage Townships.

Polling places will be the location designated and listed on your Voter Identification Card.

Done by order of Board of Directors of the Golden Valley Memorial Hospital District, Henry County, Missouri on October 26, 2022.

Virginia Graham, Secretary
Golden Valley Memorial Hospital District
Henry County, Missouri

n17,24x2c

PUBLIC NOTICE

Section 115.127.5 RSMO

The 3-year term of office on the Board of Directors of Truman Water District PWS No. 2 of Henry County, Missouri, will expire in the spring of 2023, Chapter 247.060., as follows:

Sub-district No. 2 current Board Member-Karl Monard

Sub-district No. 3 current Board Member - Robert Rotert

Anyone desiring to become a candidate must make written filing with the District Clerk at any time after 9:00 a.m. On December 6, 2022, and before 4:00 p.m. on December 27, 2022.

The District Office is located at : 306 Missouri Avenue, Montrose, MO 64770

A member of the Board of Directors must be a registered voter resides in the sub-district he or she represents, must have no delinquent taxes, must be at least 25 years of age, and must have resided in the sub-district for at least one year prior to his or her election or if not a voter or resident of said district, shall have received service from the district at his or her primary place of residence one whole year immediately prior to his or her election. In conformity with 115.124.2 RSMo., the order of candidate's names on the ballot will be determined by the order filing and candidates wishing to file may stand in line at the sole front door of the district office. Their order in the line will control the order of filing.

Wendie Wade, District Clerk

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Creighton Fire Protection District will be taking filings for the position of Board Member for a term of six years. Filings will be taken at the Creighton Fire Department, 501 E. Short St, Creighton, Missouri beginning December 6, 2022, through December 27, 2022, for the April 4, 2023 General Municipal Election.
n24x1c

IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT, HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI HAROLD L DUMP II

In the Estate of MARILYN GAY MCCALL, deceased.

Case Number: 22HE-PRO0120

NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED (Supervised Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of MARILYN GAY MCCALL, Decedent:

On OCTOBER 21, 2022, the last will of the decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed personal representative of the estate of MARILYN GAY MCCALL, decedent by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The name, business address, of the personal representative is:

MARK MCCALL, 1530 LAY AVE, WARSAW, MO 65355

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

JEFFREY L DULL, 1116 E OHIO ST, 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 the decedent's death: 18-SEP-2022

Date of first publication: NOVEMBER 3, 2022

Crissy Johnston

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

In the Estate of JOSEPH E SCHUMACHER JR, Deceased.

Case Number: 22HE-PRO0117

**NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
(Independent Administration - Non-Resident Fiduciary)**
To All Persons Interested in the Estate of JOSEPH E SCHUMACHER JR, Decedent:

On NOVEMBER 8, 2022, the last will of the decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of JOSEPH E SCHUMACHER JR, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The personal representative may administer the estate independently without adjudication, order, or direction of the Probate Division of the Circuit Court, unless a petition for supervised administration is made to and granted by the court. The name, business address and phone number is:

AMY CHUNG, 2913 WEST EAGLE RIDGE LOOP, CEDAR CITY, UT 84720

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

JEREMIAH MOSLEY, PO Box 1119, 601 COMMERCIAL ST, STE 3, WARSAW, MO 65355, 660-530-0103.

The non-resident personal representative's designated agent's name, business address, and phone number is:

JEREMIAH MOSLEY, PO Box 1119, 601 COMMERCIAL ST, STE 3, WARSAW, MO 65355, 660-530-0103.

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 the decedent's death: 28-MAY-2022

Date of first publication: NOVEMBER 17, 2022

Crissy Johnston

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.
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CLINTON CHRISTIAN ACADEMY 'A/B HONOR ROLL' Row 1: Kaycee Lancaster, Fallon Smith, Daxton Newman, Dawson Bradley, Emme Dennis, Baylor Jurgensmeyer, Haylee Huisman, Sara Grace Hanson, Owen Brown, and Wynn Wetzal. Row 2: Tyson King, Asher Dehn, Isabella Wombles, Charlee Compton, Becca Beebe, Jules Smith, Isai Ramirez, Kahlysi Harmer, Audrey Prus, Teddy Foster, Ryder Lawler, Caleb Hilario, Isaac Roelker. Row 3: Liam Hardin, Mayme Hyke, Arianna Ramirez, Carson Wisniewski, Easton Dull, Lily Hardin, Isaac Curnutte, Joshua Largent, Sarah Henny, Lexi Woodington, Brynn Manning, and Kent Lower. Row 4: Maggie Foster, Chloe Long, Kylee Mount, Miyah Carmichael, Brooklyn Wisniewski, Parker Lowe, Abram Dody, and Conan Spring. Not Pictured: Anna Cobb, Roman Herschburger, Tenley Smith, Avery Crump, and Elizabeth-Chavez Walter.

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