

## **Despite Inflation, Worker Shortage, Business Surges Ahead In Clinton**

#### BY JENNIFER JACKSON Staff Reporter

Santa may not have brought that Trader Joe's or other store to town in 2022 that you might have hoped for, but there is lots of good news on the economic front.

That's the word from Mark Dawson, Clinton's economic development director, who knows all the "war stories" — what goes behind the scenes in Clinton in trying to attract both retail and industrial development.

Here's a look at what's new, what's history and what is stepping in to fill the void in 2022.

Gone but not forgotten: Chel's, a coffee shop, cafe and bakery on Second Street, closed in September. Smith's Restaurant, which served home-style meals and pie like grandma used to make, closed its doors in November after 15 years in Clinton. Also lamented is the closing of the Bluebird Mercantile on the Square.

The Sears Store is also history. That closing was a nationwide decision, Mark said. The reason most of the other businesses in town closed has more to do with life cycles, he said, meaning the personal situ-



A DYNAMIC DUO, David Lee, Director of the Clinton Chamber of Commerce, and Mark Dawson, Director of Economic Development, work closely together to keep a business eye on the Clinton Square, as well as the business park and other areas of town.

ation of the owners, than the viability of the Clinton economy.

What's stepped in to fill the void: The Pediatric Place at one end of Jeffferson Commons on Second Street needed more space, so is expanding into the space occupied by Chel's. Pediatric Place offers physical therapy, occupational therapy (small-muscle skills) and counseling for children, and is also planning to build in the parking lot on the north side of the building, David said.

TR Fitness opened in the Sears building. An announcement will be made soon of the business relocating to the Mercantile storefront.

Mark stepped into the role of Clinton's economic development director three and half years ago after a 36-year career in economic development. He worked in that field for Kansas City Power and Light, now Evergy, and for shopping centers in Lee's Summit. Originally from Hayti, in the Missouri boot heel, he commutes from his home in the railroad **BUSINESS Page 3** 

#### Father Jim Is The Traveling **Priest Of Truman Lake**



FATHER JIM Taranto is a busy man, serving the three churches in Truman Lake Parish: Holy Rosary, St. Catherine in Osceola and St. Bartholomew in Windsor.

Staff Reporter

**BY KEITH JACKSON** 



**BY JENNIFER JACKSON** 

he celebrates Mass at Holy

**Council Hears Citizen Asking** For Annexation

Of Englewood

**RESIDENT** Nick Smith ad-

dressed the Clinton City

Council about officially in-

corporating the Sweeney

Cemetery into Englewood

The Clinton City Council

met in open session, January

3, at City Hall. Councilman

Gene Henry was absent,

all other council persons

Cemetery's property.

**BY LUKE EDWARDS** 

Staff Reporter

were present - Mayor Carla Moberly presided. **CLINTON Page 3** 

when the fishing in an area is good really good, the creative get inventing. The excellent crappie fishing in the region with its star performer, Truman Lake, inspired fisherman Bailey Jelinek to create a "better way" to catch his favorite fish.

Creativity led him to develop the Crappie Bomb, an innovative lure that does a better job of catching crappie. While anything from a minnow on a hook to a plain leadhead jig will catch crappies, the Crappie Bomb does it a little better, and if sales are any indica-



**CRAPPIE BOMB** 

tion, it's a favorite with local fishermen.

The Crappie Bomb is a jigging spoon, but unlike the usual run of such lures, it has a high-quality reflective finish—12 of them at present count. It is made only in quarter-ounce siz-

TAKING ANOTHER PODIUM, Brad Jelinek displayed a catch at last fall's MLF event on Truman Lake. Much of Jelinek's success is attributed to equipment made by the company he helms, Jelifish.

es. What is different from most jigging spoons is that it is rigged with a single, long-shank Aberdeen-style hook. And it's the hook that gives the lure its biggest advantage.

As a rule, jigging spoons are rigged with a treble hook. However, when fished around brush, trees

or downed wood, a threepronged hook will end up snagged in wood frequently. And too often that leads to breaking off the jigging spoon.

The single-hook Crappie Bomb obviously has two fewer points the snag. But the design of the spoon, its weight and the gape of the

hook make it possible to shake the lure free.

There is a short video on the Jelifish website (www.jelifishusa.com) that demonstrates the shaking technique. "The key thing is to get right over the snagged lure," said Brad Jelinek, Bailey's brother, "and **JELIFISH Page 3** 

#### Staff Reporter

Like Santa Claus, Father Jim Taranto covers a lot of ground on Christmas Eve. First he drives 25 miles to Osceola, where he celebrates Mass at St. Catherine Church at 2 p.m. Then he drives 25 miles back to Clinton, where

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Rosary at 4 p.m. Two hours later, he's celebrating Mass at St. Bartholomew in Windsor - with the detour, a drive of around 40 minutes.

On Christmas morning, he is back at Holy Rosary, celebrating Mass at 8:30 a.m. While it sounds like a full **PRIEST Page 14** 

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## OPINION \_\_\_\_\_\_ 1/12/23



Watching Kevin McCarthy finagle his way into wielding the Speaker's Gavel was a barn burner. Stayed up late Friday night watching the whole fiasco. It will be interesting to see what secret deals and greased palms happened to get those final votes? Putting term limits on these elected officials is long overdue. Some argue that's what elections are for. May have been true in the 70's, but there is so much money poured into campaigns these days that people like Mitch, Nancy and Jerry get elected again and again. None of them know what middle class is, let along governance. They sure don't represent "We The People." We aren't the highest bidder even though they confiscate 30% of 300 million people's income each year in Federal income taxes. They'd rather take the special interest money and put the rest of us over a barrel or under the snow plow.

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Meanwhile, President Biden made it down to the border but El Paso was "cleaned up" before his arrival. One of the border agents said he might as well have landed in Des Moines, Iowa. What's the point of visiting the border after a 48 hour clean up? Sounds like a trip with no purpose. This reminds me of the Red Cross visiting

## Word on the Street

What's the most important thing an area business needs to be successful?





Czechoslovakia Terezin, during WW2. That sight was cleaned up to fool the world too.

been re-reading l've Sinclair Lewis's 1930 books about Small Town America and have found them again, most interesting. I'd also like to re-read Upton Sinclair's "The Jungle," about work in the Chicago meat packing houses and what folks endured. This caused an uproar at the time it was published. Remember how the West Bottoms in K.C. used to smell on hot days from the packing houses? All gone now. \*\*\*\*

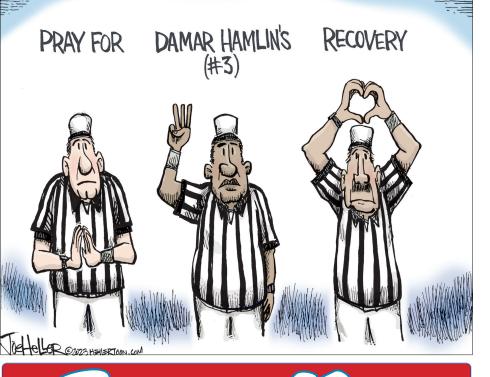
Here's something I didn't know but learned this morning. Back in 1932 the smallest team of mules in the world was owned by Cliff Fewell of Calhoun. The pair weighed 300 lbs. One was black, the other a dappled grey and their names were Amos and Ruby. The mules were bred in Vermont, the mother being a small Shetland pony and the father a Mountain jack. Mr. Fewell trained the pair to do all kinds of things, including pull a cart full of children, count and answer questions with a nod or the shake of their head.

Enough of this mind wandering all over the place. Time to close up shop for the day. Take care old buddy. \*\*\*\*

> Til Next Week: J.M.W.

#### **Card Shower** for 103rd **Birthday**







NAME: Alex (AD) Michael Johnson

BIRTHPLACE: Wichita, KS YEARS IN CLINTON: 1.5 FAMILY: Wife Kelsey, Son Jacoby (7), Son Amador (5), Daughter Gwennie (2) THE BEST THING ABOUT LIVING IN CLINTON IS: There are so many great people here who support me, my family, Clinton Schools, and the Activities Department.

OCCUPATION: Clinton School District Activities Director

WHAT I WANTED TO BE WHEN I GREW UP: Teacher/Coach or Youth Pastor FIRST JOB: K-12 Physical Education Teacher/Coach; Mountainair, NM FAVORITE CHILDHOOD

MEMORY: Playing sports/ spending time with my Dad

THE BEST TIME OF MY LIFE WAS WHEN: Now; I genuinely love what I do for a living and being a husband, father, and leader in Clinton is a responsibility I cherish and do not take for granted.

EMBARRASSING MOST MOMENT: Last year at Homecoming, I was asked to participate in a FG Kicking contest. I was extremely confident as I coached special teams in my previous position. In front of the entire student body, I completely whiffed at my attempt and I know I will never live it down. Shoutout to Coach Mowery for nailing every kick he attempted! WHAT DO YOU VALUE MOST IN YOUR FRIENDS: Connection. God built us for relationship and service, so if I can do anything to build others up serve

those I am close to, I try my best to do so. YOUR GREATEST FEAR IS: Losing my family.

I HOPE I NEVER HAVE TO: Can't think of anything. "box."

Play an instrument.

I owed and build an Aux Gym, a turf baseball and softball field, a field house for our sports programs, and upgrade our football facility. MY DREAM TRIP WOULD

WHICH PERSON DO YOU

ADMIRE MOST: My wife.

She is someone who I truly

admire and I don't deserve

ADVICE YOU WOULD GIVE

YOUR YOUNGER SELF:

Trust the Lord with all your

heart and lean not on your

own understanding. It's

going to work out. TRUST

WORDS TO LIVE BY: A wise

person once told me that

while you can learn from

any person and situation,

"If you're not in the arena

with the rest of us, fight-

ing and getting your butt

kicked on occasion, I'm not

interested in your feed-

THE PROCESS.

her.

BE TO: Anywhere my wife would want to travel with me.

HOBBIES: Working out, spending time with my family and watching our Cardinals compete! FAVORITE BAND OR MUSI-

CIAN: Ben Rector FAVORITE MOVIE: Miracle FAVORITE DRINK: Water FAVORITE SNACK: Wasabi Sov Almonds & Popcorn **FAVORITE CANDY: Snickers** FUTURE GOAL: Transform the culture of Clinton Ath-



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"Visible the in community, and willing be innovative in to ideas business and adapt."

- Mark Dawson (Chamber of Commerce **Economic Development** Director)

#### FERN KELSAY

Fern Kelsay will be celebrating her 103rd birthday on January 18th. Please help us celebrate her birthday by sending a card to Fern at:

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town of Lee's Summit to the railroad depot in Clinton, where he works with Chamber of Commerce director David Lee.

More good news: when a vacancy on the Square occurs, it's filled, sooner or later. The Newsroom Bar and Grill, on South Washington, which sported a "For Sale" sign for years, sold recently, Mark said. Across the street, the pink two-story building on the corner of the square, formerly Bev's Beauty School, sold last year. The building left vacant by the business moving to the Mercantile space has been purchased, and an announcement pending on the owner.

Both Mark and David Lee said they thought that Marolf's Tire Store, on Main and Ohio, would sit empty, but it wasn't a week before it was sold and transformed into Total Auto Repair.

"I heard they even have plans for the white building on the corner," David said.

Three storefronts in the Burnham-Ortner Building, along the block of 300 South Main, were bought by Mike and Dana McIntyr. and filled by Mid-MO Antiques and Matilda McIntyre's Photography and Design Studio.

Another storefront on South Main, the one that has been gutted on the main floor, is being renovated by a local entrepreneur. Even the infamous hole on the east side of the Square, created when a building collapsed last February, is drawing interest from investors who would like to build, Mark said.

There are currently seven empty storefronts on the Square, but most are owned by investors who are undecided about what to do with them, Mark said. He receives a half-dozen inquiries per space for the places on the Square sitting empty, he said.

"You have to have places to put them," he explained of bringing new businesses to town.

New on the Square are Clinton Candle Co. and FMoreBe

Room for new industries is also at a premium- Gerhart Business Park on the north side of town is only three or four deals away from being full, Mark said, and "we're filling it up as fast as we can." Developing property outside the city for industrial development is prohibitive because of the cost of installing infrastructure, he said. On Mark's wish list by next Christmas:

"We need another business park," he said.

Mark has two pieces of advice for small business owners. The first is to have an exit strategy - a plan for who is going to take over when you want to retire. Otherwise you're stuck working, or losing everything you worked for all your life. Of several businesses in town that faced this predicament last year, only one is still open.

The other advice: do what you can to keep workers. It's a tricky balance between paying employees more and staying open longer each day versus closing early because of lack of employees, he said, a dilemma restaurant owners are facing.

"It's a workers' market," Mark said. "People will come to work if the pay is good."

People often ask him why certain retailers don't locate to Clinton, but for a retail company to choose to move here requires three things: a place to put them and two other factors.

"You gotta have a market, and you have to have workers," Mark said.

Calculating if there is a strong enough market for the business to survive in Clinton is part of his job. The formula takes the population of a town and surrounding area, and factors in average household incomes. Then comparisons are made with other communities to determine whether a certain class of business can make a profit here, he said. Certain business classes, of which there are 27 in all - such as service stations and bigbox stores rate well in our area. he said.

Also on Mark's wish list:

facilities with indoor and outdoor pools, the Henry County Library and churches all add to Clinton's attractiveness to potential employers and employees. Other good news: The housing market has remained healthy, with the average sales price of a house rising from \$136,318 to \$175,541 in the past two years. People investing in real estate, whether it's business or residential, see that the economic tide rising in nearby towns is lapping closer and closer to Clinton. Clinton appeals to people who don't mind commuting to work, Mark said, in order to have outdoor recreation opportunities at the back door-

hunting. Making the city slogan, "Great People, By Nature" a draw for future employers and residents.

hiking, boating, fishing and

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then give it some slack and shake it."

And if that doesn't work, a direct pull can straighten the hook, which can be reshaped with a pair of needle-nose pliers.

For fishermen, the quality of the lure and the way it fishes is enough, but the Jelifish story is much more than a better angling mousetrap.

Bailey Jelinek is the inventor and founder of the company, but it's his brother, Brad, and his mother, Jennifer Snyder, who are running the company now. Bailey was killed in a crash caused by a driver in the wrong lane on March 14, 2021.

After the accident, the two decided to continue the company in Bailey's memory but also because the products were selling well. "We even had an order for 40,000 Crappie Bombs just before the accident," Jennifer said.

"We are getting orders and signing up new stores. In fact, we recently added a store in McCordsville, Indiana, the first in that state. We have 20 stores in Missouri and some in Illinois, Texas and Arkansas."

She also added that they

As for the future of the company, the plans are to add more finishes of the Crappie Bomb in the near term and look at the future product offerings that Bailey had considered.

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Following roll call and the saying of the Pledge of Allegiance, the previous meeting's minutes were adopted with a correction. Councilman Danial Wislon noticed that, in the minutes, the vote for an enclosure at the Clinton Animal Shelter was not in the minutes and asked they be added. City Clerk Wendee Seaton said the minutes would be amended. A personal appearance was made by Nick Smith, who in previous council meetings has brought up the matter of the Sweeney Cemetery located south of Englewood Cemetery. He has previously requested that the city incorporate the Sweeney Cemetery into Englewood's property area. Upon research, he did uncover a burial referred to the Sweeney cemetery plots as "Englewood" therefore suggesting it may have been understood the area was already considered part of Englewood Cemetery at that time (1944). Smith also pointed out that he had uncovered research that there were veterans buried in the Sweeney plot and that the Sweeney lineage can be traced back to the Revolutionary War.

City Administrator Christy Maggi said the matter, although previously researched (the older property descriptions were hard to read), had been pushed down the list of things needed to be addressed, but promised a renewed effort in the matter. City Clerk Wendee Seaton took Mr. Smith's contact information.

The Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce update was given by David Lee. He reported there were five board members leaving and being replaced on the Chamber Board. The incoming president is Adam Cummings.

Lee highlighted some new businesses and ribbon cuttings (such as the Dalton House - a lighthouse for trauma, grief and loss - and

Memorials). He also alluded to an event which will be coming to the Katy Trail in 2023: a run from Clinton to St. Charles (well, as far as a person can run, anyway). The event will start at the Katy Trail head in Clinton and participants are to run as much of the 223 miles of the trail as they can. It is expected to have 50 to 80 participants minus Councilman Daniel Wilson, who David Lee tried to convince should participate as well.

Economic Director Mark Dawson reported to the council that project activity is relatively flat at this time - which is normal for this time of year. He did report the need for large area sites is still a concern. He also reported that, after visiting with the Henry County Commission, the county agreed to contribute \$100,000 towards the Commerce Drive road project - if the grant for that project were awarded.

Dawson said a submission with GLS Consulting turned up some interesting data for Clinton. GLS Consulting is a site-review organization that measures a community's economic viability for site project attractiveness on a scale of various metrics. Some of the detracting metrics were: rail service sites. easements, distance to interstates, and the ability to handle large (very large) waste water and electric demands. Clinton scored near the "low cost, high quality" bubble of a graph depicting the various measurements. But, one of the biggest areas of detraction was that of "workforce" (it being too small).

At any rate, Dawson said it was a useful tool to know "how we [Clinton] stacks up" to other communities and that it was important to do the analysis: "We are doing the analysis with these things and have to do it," he told the council.

Following the economic director's report the council held the second readings of Bills Nos. 2022-27 and 28, both concerning ordinances surrounding the recent legalization of marijuana. Both were unanimously passed by the council and adopted.

There was no Public Works report, however, it was notBridge is now open.

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The Public Safety report was given by Councilwoman Debbie Smith. She reported that 58 units of fire hose (brought to the council's attention at the previous meeting) will be declared as surplus property and all of the units be available to sell, and the council approved the measure. Originally, the cost per unit was \$100, and it has been decided that \$50 be the unit price. The excess hose was determined by the Clinton Fire Department to be of better use to the surrounding small communities with volunteer fire departments rather than sitting in storage. Fire Chief Mark Manuel said that any money made off of the selling of the excess equipment will go towards purchasing equipment for the new fire truck.

The deadline for the application (to fill a recent vacancy) for engineer/driver at the Clinton Fire Department is fast approaching (January 11). Thus far one application has been received.

Councilwoman Smith updated the council concerning the animal shelter outdoor area - which has caused some grief for a few area residents lately. She reported they are looking into a sound-proof tarp as an option to reduce the unwanted noise at odd hours from the outdoor enclosures when the animals are moved for cleaning purposes at the shelter. Also: she reported that the recent complaints regarding 702 East Lincoln will be turned over to the city attorney for guidance on how to proceed.

There was no finance committee report.

Mayor Carla Moberly commented on the recently reopened bridge on Franklin Street: "It looks great," she said. She said she had an opportunity to drive across it and was pleased with the work. City Administrator Christy Maggi said a walkthrough would take place the next day (January 4) – a standard procedure following the completion of a project to check and make sure the work accomplished what was paid for.

Having no further business, the council adjourned at

Emporium, which bought two buildings in town and developed one for offices, David said. Silhouettes, a lingerie and clothing store that opened in 2021, had to move next door in 2022 after the building next to their original storefront collapsed, owner Andi Schmidt said.

More space is always needed by existing retail businesses who are looking for ways to expand, Mark said.

"There are things moving around," he said. "You don't see it, but it's happening."

Three new gyms—TR Fitness. Bear Down Fitness and Blush Boot Camp bring the total of private gyms in town to four. Bear Down Fitness joins a healthy variety of businesses around the Clinton Square, a list that includes 11 financial services, six restaurants, four clothing stores, four law firms, three beauty salons and two paint stores. There are also gift and arts/crafts stores, two clubs, a quilt store, a furniture store, a spa, a physical therapy center, a community services office, an optician and a jeweler.

Blush Boot Camp opened in the shopping center on the east end of town. Also new at the shopping center is Burkes Outlet, a department store that sells clothes, shoes and housewares. Burger King and Scooter's Coffee are additions to the business landscape of East Ohio.

People get excited about a new retailer in town, Mark said, but economies need both retail and industrial growth. Get ready for a big announcement of expansion from one of Clinton's key industries, David said.

space for senior housing. There is currently a need for about 400 units in Clinton, Mark said, which would be in the form of a three-story apartment building with a courtyard and dining room, possibly surrounded by a campus of individual houses.

"I'm excited if we can make that happen," Mark said.

It's a win-win situation, he said, because senior housing would allow older residents to stay in town, and open up houses for sale to people moving here, he said.

"If you built 400 senior housing units and half of them are taken by Clinton residents, you'd put 200 homes on the market," he said.

"I feel that if I can help a few families with kids stay in town and make a good living, I've done my job."

Potential home buyers include people who want to live in Clinton, and don't don't mind commuting to work in other communities. Whiteman Air Force Base is expected to employ more people in the future, he said.

The population of Clinton did drop by 300 between 2000 and 2010, from a high of 9,300, but is now on the rise. An affordable housing market helps offset a community's lower income levels, making the town more attractive to retailers.

Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare is a tremendous asset to Clinton, David said, and its latest expansion project, offering radiology oncology treatment, is a strong investment in the town's future. Clinton's parks, the community recreation center, aquatic

are getting orders from their website from New York and California.

Clinton's Everharts Outdoor Store and Warsaw's Cody's Bait and Tackle both stock the Jelifish products. "We sell a lot of the Crappie Bombs," said Cody Vanattan. "They are really popular."

Currently, two finishes are out of stock on the Jelifish website, due to shipping delays and other Covid-related situations. The company imports the packaged Crappie Bombs, and normally the time from order placement to receiving the products is four-to-six weeks.

However, the clothing and hat line are locally produced, so shipping isn't an issue. The Minnow Man bait bucket and holder also are available on the website.

As for the company name, "It started when the kids were little," Jennifer Snyder said. "They would go visit their dad, and it helped me get through the day thinking of them, and I just started calling them 'my Jelifish'. It seemed natural that Bailey would name the company that."

Both Brad Jelinek and Jennifer Snyder are the only employees, blending their other jobs with company responsibilities. Snyder is a real estate agent based in Lee's Summit, and Jelinek is a fishing guide and professional bass fisherman based in Warsaw. "Brad is going to run the company," his mother said, "and I'll handle the marketing and social media side of things."

The result is that the company has office addresses in both Lee's Summit and Warsaw.

a ribbon cutting for Legacy ed that the Franklin Street 6:32 p.m.

## THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE

#### ACROSS

1) Bag with plenty of room 5) Gloomy atmospheres 10) Sealing material 14) Purposefully overlook 15) Freeze over, as a windshield 16) Yemen neighbor 17) Small fractional unit 20) "Gandhi" role 21) Kind of rug 22) Stunning aquarium fish 25) With cunning 26) Handled clumsily 30) As yet 33) Shah of Iran, once 34) Samovar's cousin 35) Socrates' T

42) 157.5 degrees from N 43) Utilizing a liner 44) Bert's Muppet pal 45) Film-script instruction 47) Hatchlings' homes 48) V-8 you cannot drink 51) It has a wide spine 53) Of a reproductive organ 56) Respond to the alarm 60) Bad thing to make a mistake with 64) Scot's tongue 65) Geek 66) Leafy green 67) Follow a cookbook directive 68) Memo taker of old 69) "Mr. Roboto" rockers 38) Fruits and vegetables, e.g.

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	52) Certain ballroom dance	
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L	55) Salamander family member	
1	57) Ruffles one's feathers	
	58) Card game for three	
1	59) Slithery and slimy	
	61) Society column word	
	62) Perfect score, sometimes	
	63) "Oedipus"	
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#### **OBITUARIES** == 1/12/23 PAGE 4

#### MARTIN LEE O'DELL

Martin Lee O'Dell was born November 5, 1943 in Orrick, Missouri, Ray County, to Delbert D O'Dell and Alice Jane (Wright) O'Dell, the oldest of two sons. He attended Orrick Schools and graduated in 1961. After high school, he attended the University of Missouri in Columbia, studying agriculture, and graduating with an Animal Husbandry degree in 1965. Martin often spoke of hitchhiking between Orrick and Columbia for transportation to and from college on breaks. Shortly after graduation he started working for John Deere in the Kansas City area. The Deere company would provide employment in Missouri, Kansas, and Colorado for about 19 years. In 1966, Martin joined the Air National Guard and served for 6 years.

On September 22, 1970, he married Carol Kathleen Maynard Conroy. To this union three children were born, Craig Martin O'Dell, Brandon Lee O'Dell and Lesley Carol O'Dell. They were divorced in September 1988.

In 1986, Martin purchased about 39 acres on 7 highway west of Warsaw, Missouri and started and operated Oak Springs Boat Storage until he sold it in January 2021. Martin also became a licensed Real Estate Broker and developed about 30 of the acres into a small subdivision for weekenders and retirees. In his spare time he built and sold treated lumber yard furniture. Later, he mowed the Shawnee Cemetery for about 7 years; and raised and sold produce for farmer markets.

On February 29, 1992, Martin was married to Kathy Sue (Mantonya) Shinn at Cedar Grove Baptist Church in Warsaw, Missouri. He taught Adult Sunday School for several years at Cedar Grove and continued his education by taking Seminary classes. He had previously served as a Deacon for a church in Kansas. Martin and Kathy moved to a small farm outside of Calhoun, MO, in August 2002. There they raised an assortment of livestock, Belted Galloway cattle, American Paint Horses, Oberhasli goats, Hair sheep, Hereford pigs, and a wide variety of poultry.

Martin enjoyed all things tractors and trains and had a small collection of scale models of both. He made it a point to attend the Missouri State Fair multiple days each year to enjoy the tractor shows and displays and livestock shows. He enjoyed watching football, and college basketball, especially the KC Chiefs and MU; and watching Kathy with her horses even though he said he didn't like horses!

Martin was preceded in death by both his parents. He is survived by all three children and their families; his wife, Kathy O'Dell of the home; Joshua Shinn, wife Natalie Shinn, and children Jamison and Presley, of Blue Springs, Missouri. His in-laws, Edward & Helen Mantonya, Deepwater, Missouri; Vicky Church, Clinton, Missouri; Michael Deepwater, Mantonya, Missouri. His brother, James D O'Dell, and wife, Shirley O'Dell, Warsaw, Missouri. Along with nephews, nieces, great nephews and great nieces; cousins, and many friends.

Martin passed away December 27, 2022, at Overland Park Regional Hospital, Overland Park, Kansas. Funeral services will be held Thursday, January 5, 2023, at 11:00 am at the Northeast Baptist Church, Clinton, Missouri; with visitation at 10:00 am, and Wednesday prior to the service, and Wednesday, January 4, 2023, from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm, also at the church. Interment will be



in the Calhoun Cemetery. Calhoun, Missouri. Funeral services provided by Bradley and Hadley Funeral Home, Clinton. The family suggests memorial donations be made in Martin's memory to the City Union Mission-Opportunity Farm program, 13478 MO-7, Warsaw, MO 65355, and these donations may be left in care of the funeral home. Condolences may be left online at www.bradleyhadley.com..

#### SANDRA SUSAN BRADLEY

Sandra Susan Bradley, age 73, passed away on Saturday, December 31, 2022 at her home in Deepwater, Missouri.

Sandra Susan Bradley was born on June 3, 1949 in Clinton, Missouri to Theodore and Dorothy Criss.

Sandra worked in the molding department at Rival Manufacture and later worked for Elite Laundry until her retirement. Sandra loved to watch Soap Operas with General Hospital being her favorite. She also loved spending time with her family and friends.

Sandra was preceded in death by her parents, and her son John Hodge.

Survivors include her husband Joe Bradley of the home, and two grandchildren, John "JJ" W. Hodge and Josh Hodge and a host of family and friends.

Graveside services were held January 6, 2023 at Maplewood Cemetery, Brownington, MO.

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

**RAYMOND E. BIGLER** Raymond E. Bigler, age 91, of Clinton, Missouri passed away on Thursday, January 5, 2023 at Golden Valley Memorial Hospital in Clinton, Missouri.

Raymond E. Bigler was born on January 23, 1931 to Fred Carson and Lucy Lee (Hammonds) Bigler he was the baby boy of 12 children.

Raymond served his country in the U.S. Army from 1949 - 1953. He married Cecile Stotts on June 16, 1956. He worked with Hallmark Cards for 42 years and with the Clinton School District as a custodian.

Cox, Jeremy Cox, Racheal Cox, Jamie Cox, Tim Bigler, Joshua Bigler, Quade Bigler, Jackie Hughes, Nicole Collins, Brandon McGinnis, Kristen Dunaway, along with numerous great and great-great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held January 10, 2023 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel, Clinton with Pastor Alan Anzalone officiating. Special music included "How Great Thou Art and Go Rest High." The casket bearers were Tim Bigler, Quade Bigler, Zach Wells, Joshua Bigler, Brandon McGinnis and Aden Bigler. Jamie Cox, Jim Wells, Matt Hughes and Jay Collins were honorary bearers. Interment followed in Deepwater Cemetery, Deepwater, MO. Military honors were under the direction of VFW Post #1894 and the US Army.

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

#### **EDWARD DALE** PARKS

Edward Dale Parks of Urich. MO went home to be with the Lord on December 29, 2022 at Clinton Healthcare and Rehab surrounded by his family. He was 88 years old.

Known to many from his youth as "Rose," Dale was born in Leeton, MO and was raised and lived the vast majority of his life on the family farm in Henry County, MO. He proudly served in the United States Army during the Korean War and was a member of Fairview Baptist Church in Ballard, MO. His favorite pastime was telling stories. When he wasn't telling stories about his time in the military, he could be found sitting on his tractor in the field, sitting in his easy chair in the house, or sitting in pretty much any place where there was coffee and conversation. Dale also loved spending time with his family and grandkids on the family farm.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Rosco and Ninnie (Whitaker) Parks, three siblings (Gilbert Lee Parks, Louise Johnson, and Charlene Wetzel), and his wife of nearly 60 years, Bettie Lois (Campbell) Parks. He is survived by two sons: Brian (Eileen) Parks of Urich, MO and Randy Parks of Clinton, MO; one daughter, Jenifer (Kevin) Anderson of Lowry City, MO; five grandchil-dren (or "little rascals"): Leslie Neal, Michael Urton, Brooke (Travis) Shepherd, Matthew (Amelia) Parks and Brandon Parks, and great-grandchildren: ten Lexi Judy; Josie, Priscilla, Clara, Solomon and Bliss Parks; Lillian, Evalynn and Guy Shepherd; and Axel Parks; and many other extended family members and friends.

of VFW Post #1894 and the US Army. Inurnment will be in White Oak Cemetery, Urich, MO.

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

#### **GERALD DUANE BYE**

Gerald Duane Bye passed away on Sunday, January 1, 2023 at his home in Lowry City, Missouri after a battle with Alzheimer's at the age of 78 years.

Gerald Duane Bye "Jerry" was born on August 6, 1944 in Northwood, North Dakota to Harold and Laverne Bye.

Gerald started teaching music in 1976 at Lakeland Consolidated School District in Missouri. He also proudly drove the school bus as well as doing repairs and maintenance. He had a long and successful career as a teacher taking many vocal groups to state contests. He put on great vocal concerts every year and was always proud of his students. He taught in Belfry, Montana from 1990-2000 and later at Mc-Clusky, North Dakota from 2000-2007 he later moved back home to Lowry City in 2015 to be closer to his family.

Jerry was always active, working summer jobs, working on cars and around the house. He loved fishing. In the 80's he started going to Montana every year to fish with his good friend Glen Sell, eventually guiding some fly fishing groups as well. He also loved trout fishing at Bennet Springs and bass fishing on Truman Lake. Jerry loved his kids and would do anything he could to help them.

Gerald is survived by his wife Susan Bye, his three children; Mark Timothy Bye, Cresinda Beth Michael, Mindy Jo Davis and two stepchildren; Edward and Joanne, 11 grandchildren; Danielle, Devin, Kristin, Leah, Kim, Jordan, Dalton, Hunter, Makayla, Dilia and Kyle, 4 great grandchildren; Aislyn, Peyton, Taylor and Karsyn, his sister, Beverly Brown and nieces, Kayleen and Melissa.

Funeral services were held Friday, January 6. Missouri. \*\*\*

Sandra Kay Veatch, age 77, of Windsor, Missouri passed away on Sunday, January 8, 2023. Sandra's wishes were for cremation with no services. 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. \*\*\*

Robert Lee Allen Jr "Bub", age 46, left us on Thursday, January 5th, 2023. A visitation service will be held from 6 PM – 8 PM on Wednesday, January 11, 2023, at Consalus Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri. His ashes will be laid to rest next to his father Robert Lee Allen Sr, at a later date. In lieu of flowers, contributions memorial can be left in the care of the funeral home to help the family cover funeral expenses. Fond memories and condolences can be left online at www.consalusfuneralhome.com. \*\*\*

Yvette Sims, 89, of Windsor, Missouri, died Saturday evening, January 7, 2023. Graveside funeral services were 12:00 p.m., Wednesday, January 11, 2023, at the Missouri Veterans Cemetery, Higginsville, Mo., with Pastor Mike Brown officiating. The family suggests contributions to the Windsor High School Master Scholarship Endowment Fund (WHS MSEF) in care of the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome. com.

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Stacie Marek, 31, of Windsor, Missouri, died Sunday, December 25, 2022. Funeral services were 2:00 p.m., Saturday, January 7, 2023, at the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor, with Pastor Larry Hill officiating. Burial will take place in the Englewood Cemetery, Clinton, at a later date. A memorial fund has been established to help with funeral expenses and can be made in care of the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

Raymond loved to trout fish with his secret bait and spent many days crappie fishing. He loved spending time with the grandkids, always a floor full of kids. They loved going Honky Tonkin with their Grandpa, Gramps, Pappy, Happy, Pop pop. They all had their own special names for Raymond.

Raymond is preceded in death by his wife Cecile L. Bigler, his parents, his granddaughter Crystal Cox, and siblings; Russel Bigler, Hazel Bigler, Juanita Cox, Pauline Bartholomew, Opal Sartin, Peggy Howard, Harriet Knifong, Henry Bigler, Howard Bigler, and Julia Bigler.

Survivors include his children; Fred (Scherri) Bigler, Susan Bigler, Vivian (Kenny) Kasper, and Jody Cox, his sister, Mildred Hager, his grandchildren; Jamey Vogel, Mathew Cox, Ben

Memorial services were held Monday, January 2, 2023 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel, Clinton with Pastor Matthew Parks officiating. Special music included "In the Garden and Amazing Grace," sung by vocalists, Matthew Parks and Brooke Shepherd. Military honors were under the direction

2023 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel, Clinton with Pastor Tom Renfro officiating. Inurnment was in Lowry City Cemetery, Lowry City, MO. Services were under the direction of Vansant-Mills Funeral Home of Clinton, MO.

#### Death **Notices**

Terry L. Blackwell, age 66, passed away on Wednesday, January 4, 2023. Terry's wishes were to be cremated. There are no services at this time. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri. \*\*\*

Richard Jacobson, age 66, of Blairstown, Missouri passed away on Monday, December 26, 2022. There are no services at this time. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton,

Katie White, 98, of Windsor, Missouri, passed peacefully December 25, 2022. Graveside services were 3:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 3, 2023, at the Mineral Creek Cemetery, Leeton, Mo., with Pastor Harvey Beach officiating. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

Clifford Lee Miller, 65, of Windsor, Missouri, died Saturday evening, December 24, 2022, at his home in Windsor.

A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date. A memorial fund has been established to help with funeral expenses. Contributions may be left in care of the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

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## 1/12/23 CHURCH NEWS

#### Calhoun UMC

Welcome to the Good News from Calhoun United Methodist. We were pleased to gather in fellowship and love, to praise the Lord with church family and guests. We ring the church bell at 9:45 to call the "flock" to 10:00 Worship. Our service is live-streamed for face book.

We extend our Sympathy and Christian love to the families and friends of Sandy Veatch who passed into the arms of Jesus this week. Others on the prayer list are Pastor Margie Briggs, Sara Veatch, Kathy O'Dell, Earl Gumm, Linda Alford, Patrick Leach, Macayla Lowe and baby, Bob Burson and family and Dave Burson. We continue to pray for those suffering in Ukraine and those who are trying to get them relief. We pray for our church families, for our great country and its leaders, for our men and women in service.

Joys to celebrate: We are still being blessed here in mid-winter with warmer temperatures. It was a joy to sing Happy Birthday to Barbara Colwell and wish her many more this morning. The Colwells brought homemade angel food cake to share during the pre-church welcome time. We are pleased to announce the 50th Anniversary of Carol and Wayne Maxwell coming up on Jan. 13th• They would be pleased to receive cards. Samantha Stocking led the service this morning and J. C. Brown gave the message in the absence of Pastor Margie. Special music today was "I Know Who Holds Tomorrow," by our Ms. Verna. Friday, Jan. 13th is Harvesters Food Drop in Calhoun. Volunteers are always welcome to help pass out the food. Pre-church visitor this morning was an old friend Jim Bilbruck, he expressed their thanks for cards and the news letter they receive each week.

We welcome visitors any Sunday morning for worship, come dressed as you are comfortable, bring the youngsters and be prepared to receive a blessing for your effort. We will be blessed by your presents

#### Church of Jesus Christ (Latter Day Saints)

297 NW 40th Rd. Clinton Mo. 64735

The Church Of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints invites you to worship with us each Sunday from 9:00 to 11:00 am.

Sunday School is held from 10:00 to 11 :00 am the 1st and 3rd Sundays.

The Priesthood and Relief Society is held from 10:00 to 11 :00 on the 2nd and 4th Sundays.

Recently members from the Clinton Ward and The Young Men's Organization, gathered together to complete a Service Project for a family, splitting firewood and stacking the firewood.

The Clinton Ward is pleased to have three Local Elders, serving as Missionary's in Arizona, Utah and in South America in Brazil.

We welcome two young Elders to the Clinton Ward as Missionaries from other States.

Brother Jerry Anspaugh, the Clinton Ward President is always available for information about Church activities. Please call 660-351-3393.

The Family History Center is open after Church at 11 :00 am and Wednesday evenings from 6:30 to 8:pm.

The Primary Class for 4 years through 11 years Meet each Sunday.

The Nursery for 1 year through 3 years of age is open each Sunday.

#### Come & Go Forth Ministries

Look hastening to the day of God, the Heavens will be on fire and the elements will melt with fervent heat. The ones who are alive will meet Jesus in the skys, because of a six seal is a big earthquake. In the nuclear war it will Hawaii will break the island it cause that from it's bottom that what big earthquake.

#### Mt. Calvary Apostolic Pentecostal "Are You Drawing Interest On Your Gift?"

1Co 12:4 Now there are diversities of gifts, but the same Spirit.

1Co 12:5 And there are differences of administrations, but the same Lord.

1Co 12:6 And there are diversities of operations, but it is the same God which worketh all in all. (KJV)

God gives each of us different gifts, but they are all of the same spirit, from God.

It was Paul's job to go to the Gentiles. He chose John to write the book of Revelation. The works that each of these men did along with the others, operated under the spirit of God.

The same is true with the administration of the church, which consist of; Pastor, ministers, teachers, ushers, musicians, they are different offices, under the same spirit. When ideas turn to reality people can see who God is.

We invest our life into service to God the benefit is letting people know that God is real. God will put people in your path for you to pray for them. God has many servants. Who he calls, he qualifies.

When you work for God, you can't allow fear to hold you back. You may doubt your abilities, but you are capable of great things. God will guide you. When God gives you a gift he wants to see you invest in it with a great return. It is important to let people know you are a child of God and help others come to know God. One body, many members working together for the same goal. Serving God. God Bless.

#### Mt. Zion UMC

We were blessed to have Jerry Johannigmeier with us at the pulpit. Jerry's message, "Visualize Success" had references from Isaiah 43:18-19, 2 Timothy 1:15, and Matthew 9. He encouraged each of us to do something amazing this year that we can look back to at the end of the year. In other words—let us not settle for the ordinary, but trust in God for the amazing—the extraordinary. On a grading scale, God will let us "settle" for a C, but with His help He really wants us to put forth the effort for an A.

We must have faith that God will give us the means to do the things He requires of us. When we ask, He will respond. We serve a God who is not average and we need to see our purpose in the world through the eyes of faith. We must be willing to "stir up the gift" that is within us.

We make God smile when we trust Him to do the "impossible" in our lives and the lives of others. We will never be able to have "do-overs", so live each day to the fullest of our God-given potential. Amen!

#### Urich Baptist

January 1, 2023 Service

We had wonderful weather on this New Year's Day. Pastor Chad rang the church bell. Mrs. Julia Klinefelter led in the congregational singing with Dixie Collins playing piano. We rejoiced with Roger and Rosalee Gibson on their 48th wedding anniversary. Randy Vogt and Mike Mullen collected the offering.

The scripture passage from Pastor Chad Pollett's sermon was from John 5:1-15. Jesus had gone into Jerusalem for the Feast of the Jews. Jesus had been performing many miracles. There was a pool called Bethesda where many disabled people would lie, hoping to be healed in its waters. One man who had been disabled for thirty-eight years was awaiting by the pool. Jesus asked the man if he wanted to be healed. The man said yes, and so Jesus healed him. Jesus told him to go and sin no more. Jesus healed him physically and spiritually.

Jesus is the same today as he was then. Believe in His saving grace and receive eternal life and blessings.

thousands of people to finish their high school education here in town. It was not until 1879 that eight young folks graduated and it was considered a "class." [And is usually considered the first graduating class.] Yet, it was not until 1897 that it officially became a four-year high school and it was at that time when it was accredited by the state.

One-hundred years ago, at the May 1923 graduation. a total of 1.070 students had graduated from CHS. There were 58 graduates in the class of 1924 and that year would be the fiftieth commencement as well. Some things have changed concerning a students scholastic experiences since then, not all of them good. But, in case you are wondering: the class flower was a violet, their colors purple and lavender, and their class motto was: "With ropes of the past we will ring bells of the future."

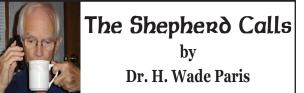
Many of the things about the class were published about the 1924 class which we would not consider publishing today. For instance, the shortest girl in the class was Bonnie M. White and she was 4 feet 10 inches tall. The shortest boy was Robert Allen and he was 5 foot 4. He was also the youngest. The youngest girl was Hallie Henry, but she was also the tallest at 5 feet 10 inches.

Of those 58 graduates, only 19 were actually born in Clinton: 37 of them were born in Henry County and 50 of the 58 were born in Missouri. The remaining eight were born in California, Minnesota, Iowa, South Dakota, Texas and Oklahoma. Being 1924, and a time for progressive attitudes among young women (think "flappers"), it was pointed out that eight of the graduating girls had not bobbed their hair: and then the article lists those eight girls leaving everyone to go down the class roster and determine which girls had.

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Individual characteristics and attitudes were pointed out: Robert Allen, apparently, learned "what few boys know: how to listen and follow directions." Nellie Kinyon was gifted in both art and music, and Ellen Cameron was an "excellent student, but very quiet." Apparently, Edwin Risk attended more schools that any of the other graduates, and had at one time won \$10 from the Kansas City Star for a contest on the Constitution. Glen Sigler was already showing his aptitude for business and was president of the debate club. Billie Price was the most popular musician in the High School. All the students had something written about them - some quirky, some not.

So, here it is 2023 and another graduating class. 100 years have gone by. A new car was \$265, a gallon of milk was 54 cents and a loaf of bread was 9 cents. Stamps were 2 cents. Sirloin steak was 40 cents a pound and bacon 37 cents; eggs were 47 cents per dozen – if you even had to buy them around here. The world has changed in many ways. Yet, another generation will be making its way into the world soon – no matter the cost of eggs.



#### Forgiveness---A Difficult Discipleship Duty

Jesus indicated forgiving others is a prerequisite for God's forgiveness, "If you don't forgive those who sin against you, the Father will not forgive you." (Matthew 6:14) Despite these very pointed words from our Lord, most Christians admit forgiving is difficult. There are a number of human reasons why this is true.

Most of us believe others need forgiveness more than we do. Driving on the interstate, a car flew past us. "That man needs to be arrested," I said. "Why?" my wife asked. "Because he is speeding," I answered. Without even smiling, she replied, "And, so are you." When we cannot deny our sin, we blame someone or something to justify it. When my wife pointed out I was speeding, I could have said, "You made us late; it's your fault I am speeding," (Note: I could have said that, but I did not.) Adam said, "Eve made me do it." Eve said, "The devil made me do it." God said, "You two did it."

That at a silent a half an hour at the 7th seal. Jesus comes back again. Says I will be always be with even to the end of the world.

Mathew 28:20 (songs) I'll go where you want me to go Dear Lord. Or nation or plane or sea, I'll be what you want me to be. Standing some where in the shadows you will find Him. You know him by the nail prints in His hands. Nancy Morley

#### **First Baptist**

On Sunday, Pastor Randy Shipman delivered his last sermon as he prepares for his retirement. He reflected on Jesus' primary commands, the foundation stones of the Bible. First of these, and most important, is to love God because He first loved us. Second, or perhaps only a sub-category of the first, is to love your neighbor as yourself. Pastor Randy reminded us that loving others is a process, rather than a project. As we honor the love Pastor Randy Shipman has shown throughout his pastoral ministry at First Baptist Clinton, as well as his many other endeavors as a man of God, we celebrate the new day that God is preparing for First Baptist Church-Clinton.

Celebrate Recovery is on Tuesday evening, beginning at 5:30 p.m. at 1531 N. Vansant, for anyone with hurts, habits and hangups. Henry County Rescue Mission offers dinner on Thursdays at 5:30 p.m. at the downtown location, 209 E Jefferson. Children and youth activities will resume on Wednesday, January 4th. Worship services are held at 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. every Sunday, with Sunday School beginning at 9:45 a.m. For more information, please contact the church office at 660-885-2211.

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.

#### **First Presbyterian**

Thank God daily for all the blessings he sends into your heart and life. As Christ's disciples we all have different gifts. Listen to Jesus and He will guide you into the ways to serve him in this new year. You can place your trust in Him. John 15: 1 - 16 was the scripture choice of Rev. Nancy Gillard as she delivered the message Mop, Pail and Bucket. Our hand chimes choir blessed us with the song "Joy to the World".

Tai Chi classes are held here each Monday at 10:00 and 11:00 am and Wednesday at 10:00 am. If your new years resolution is to be more physically fit then consider joining Tai Chi. It helps strengthen your core and improve balance. There will be no Tai Chi on January 16 and 18.

Weekly ZOOM Bible Study resumed on Wednesday, January 11th. If you are interested in participating, please contact the church office and the link will be sent to you.

Come worship with us. You will be warmly welcomed. If in person worship is not an option please catch the broadcasts available online at our website: fpcclintonmo.net or Facebook First Presbyterian Clinton MO.

#### Valley Center United

We give thanks for the revelation that pushes away the darkness and allows Christ's brilliant light into our world. We send our prayers of love and healing to Jim Switzer, Kim Meszaros and Sara Reynolds. We continue our prayers of love and support to the people of the Ukraine as they face terrible atrocities and fight for all democracy. We will have our annual church meeting on January 22nd with a carry-in lunch to follow.

Epiphany is seen and felt all around us. The possibilities unfold as we understand that Jesus and John had an important relationship. Jesus knew how special John was and went into Galilee to be baptized by him. It was the proper way to fulfill all righteousness. Afterwards the heavens were opened to him and he saw the Spirit of God descending and a voice from heaven said, "This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased."

Jesus taught in the temples and called for repentance. John was the messenger and his mission was to prepare the people to receive their Messiah.

John's call for the people to repent indicated that they needed to change their minds. He called on his followers to go through a ceremony of baptism to demonstrate their repentance for their sins. The people had thought they were righteous and of no need to change because they were outwardly obedient to the laws that God had given Israel. Some had the strength, courage and faith to change and some others did not.

What was our own baptism like? Did we change our minds and understand what it truly means to repent of our sins? Our relationship with Jesus as our Savior saves us from a life of emptiness and brokenness. We know the miracles that he performed and continue to see them today.

The presence of Christ comes to everyone, everywhere. It is not just for some who have special beliefs, he is there for all of us. God sent us our salvation on that blessed Christmas morning.

We were once no people and now we are God's people.



#### A NEW YEAR I don't know why, but with the beginning of every new year I start thinking about high school graduations. Many young people will be completing their high school careers in May and it gives me pause for

thought: "How things have changed," I tell myself. Especially from the earliest days of Clinton High School when, in 1875, there was only one graduate: Peyton Parks. He would become a lawyer and be the first of what will eventually be From childhood we learn if you hurt me, I have a right to hurt you back. As a child did you ever say, "He/She hit me first." We adults say the same thing but with more sophistication, "An eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth."

To justify our unforgiving hearts we often say, "I'll forgive, but I won't forget."

A troublesome lady told her priest she had a vision from God and would like to share it with the congregation. Wary of the lady and her vision, the priest put her off week after week. Finally, he told her, "We have rules about sharing. You must prove yourself. This morning, I confessed a sin to God. You go home and ask God what that sin was; and if He tells you, then you can share your vision."

The following Sunday the lady again requested permission to share her vision. The priest asked, "Did you ask God what sin I confessed?" "Yes" the lady answered. Smiling the priest asked, "And what did God say?" "He said He couldn't remember."

"If you forgive," Jesus said, "The Father will forgive you."

#### WINDSOR LIVESTOCK AUCTION (660) 647-5444

Market Report • January 4, 2023 3,709 Receipts • 6% Cows • Compared to our last sale from 2 weeks ago steer calves under 650 traded 5-10 higher with heavier weights selling steady to 5 higher. Heifers sold steady to 5 higher. Slaughter cows traded 3-7 higher.

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#### THURSDAY • JANUARY 12, 2023 Evening

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3 KOLR	Young Sheldon	:31 Ghosts	:01 So Help	Me Todd	CSI: Vegas Max re- ceives a strange letter.	KOLR 10 News	:35 The Lat With Steph	te Show en Colbert	James Corden	
4 WDAF	Hell's Kitch taste test ch		Welcome to Flatch	Call Me Kat	FOX 4 News at 9PM	FOX 4 News	FOX 4 News	TMZ	Seinfeld: The Keys	
5 кстv	Young Sheldon	:31 Ghosts	:01 So Help	Me Todd	CSI: Vegas Max re- ceives a strange letter.	News		:35 The Late Show With Stephen Colbert		
6 KMOS	Keep- Appear	All Creature and Small	es Great	Bright Lights	Doc Martin: Ever After	Amanpour pany	and Com-	Democracy	icy Now!	
9 КМВС	Celebrity J	eopardy!	The Parent	Test	The Chase A heavy metal music enthusiast.	News	:35 Jimmy Live!	Kimmel	:37 Night- line	
18 KCPT	Portrait of scape: Sea		The Fall: Da	ark Descent	<b>River</b> A murder victim's mother blames River.	American E History of je		Amanpour pany	ur and Com-	
19 КҮТV	Law & Orde Chance	er: Second	Law & Orde Victims Un		Law & Order: Orga- nized Crime	KY3 News at Ten		night Show mmy Fallon	Seth Mey- ers	
29 KCWE	Walker The in the new y	e family rings /ear.	Walker Inde	ependence	KMBC 9 News	Modern Family	Modern Family	Mom	Mom	
41 KSHB	Law & Orde Chance	er: Second	Law & Orde Victims Un		Law & Order: Orga- nized Crime	KSHB 41 News		onight Show Seth I limmy Fallon ers		
50 KPXE	Chicago P. in Dead	D.: Called	Chicago P.	D.	Chicago P.D.		icago P.D. A double Chicago Inder investigation.		D.: A Little lex	
62 KSMO	KCTV5 Nev	vs at 9	Dateline Su arrested afte		Chicago P.D.: True or False	Highway T War Zone	hru Hell:	The First 4 high school		

#### SATURDAY • JANUARY 14, 2023 Evening

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3 KOLR	To Be Anno	ounced	To Be Anno	ounced	48 Hours		KOLR 10 News	:35 Judge Judy	:05 Deadlin saster	e to Di-
4 WDAF	Name That Jericho; Ada		Special Forces: World's Toughest Test		FOX 4 News at 9PM		FOX 4 News	Hell's Kitch This Way	nen: Wok	Seinfeld
5 КСТV	To Be Anno	ounced	To Be Announced		48 Hours		News Weekend	KC Sports Tonight	:05 Beat the Odds	:35 Mag- num P.I.
6 KMOS	The Carol E Show	Burnett	Sister Bonit teries: Dem		Agatha Chi Poirot	ristie's	Austin City	Limits	Lost River Sessions	Songs at the Center
9 КМВС	Will Trent:	Pilot	Will Trent V frustrated.	Vill becomes	Shark Tank	(	News	Modern Family	Modern Family	9-1-1: Mon- sters
18 KCPT	Midsomer Murders	:41 Midsom	er Murders		<b>istie's Poirc</b> nnis racquet.		Austin City	Limits	Front and (	Center
19 KYTV		Got Talent: / alists and mo	All-Stars: Au ore audition.	ditions 2	Saturday N	light Live	KY3 News at Ten	Saturday N	ight Live	
29 KCWE	Criss Ange With the St		Funniest Animals	Funniest Animals	KMBC 9 News	Two and a Half Men	WOW - Wo Wrestling	men Of	The Liqui- dator	The Liqui- dator
41 KSHB		Got Talent: A alists and mo	All-Stars: Autore audition.	ditions 2	Saturday N	ight Live	KSHB 41 News	:29 Saturday Night Live		)
50 KPXE	Law & Orde Victims Un		Law & Orde Victims Uni		I Law & Order: Special Victims Unit		Law & Orde Victims Un	her: Special Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: Genes		
62 KSMO	The Rookie Overnight	: The		<b>rip ★★</b> (2012 Rogen, Brett		Barbra Strei- 3)	SOS: How Desert Heat	v to Survive: Top 10 Engineering at catastrophes.		

#### MONDAY • JANUARY 16, 2023 Evening

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	7 PM	7:30	8 PM 8:30	9 PM 9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
3 KOLR	The Neigh- borhood	Bob- Abishola	NCIS An unusual mur- der of a Navy ensign.	NCIS: Hawai'i Agent Pike is ambushed.	KOLR 10 News	:35 The Lat With Steph		James Corden
4 WDAF	Fantasy Isla	and	Alert: Missing Persons Unit	FOX 4 News at 9PM	FOX 4 News	FOX 4 News	TMZ	Seinfeld: The Wink
5 КСТV	The Neigh- borhood	Bob- Abishola	NCIS An unusual mur- der of a Navy ensign.	NCIS: Hawai'i Agent Pike is ambushed.	News	:35 The Lat With Steph		James Corden
6 KMOS	Antiques R Filoli Hour 3		Antiques Roadshow: Fort Worth Hour 3	Independent Lens: The back Monetary justice for		POV Shorts	Democracy	Now!
9 KMBC	NFL Footba	II Wild Card:	Teams TBA. (Live)		News	:35 Jimmy Live!	Kimmel	:37 Night- line
18 KCPT	Antiques R Filoli Hour 3		Antiques Roadshow: Fort Worth Hour 3	Independent Lens: The back Monetary justice for		Breaking Big	Amanpour pany	and Com-
19 KYTV		Got Talent: A alists and mo	All-Stars: Auditions 3 ore audition.	Quantum Leap	KY3 News at Ten	:34 The Tor Starring Jir	night Show mmy Fallon	Seth Mey- ers
29 KCWE	All America Myself	In: Feeling	All American: Home- coming: Me, Myself & I	KMBC 9 News	Modern Family	Modern Family	Mom	Mom
41 KSHB		Got Talent: A alists and mo	All-Stars: Auditions 3 ore audition.	Quantum Leap	KSHB 41 News		night Show mmy Fallon	Seth Mey- ers
50 KPXE	Criminal Mi Wheels Up	nds:	<b>Criminal Minds:</b> To a Better Place	Criminal Minds: Blue Angel	Criminal M App	nds: Killer Criminal M Strikes		inds: Lucky
62 KSMO	KCTV5 New	vs at 9	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: Abuse	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: Victims	Highway TI Suicide Cre		The First 4 police capta	

#### WEDNESDAY . JANUARY 18, 2023 Evening

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#### SUNDAY • JANUARY 15, 2023 Evening

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	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
3 KOLR	East New Y the Book	<b>'ork:</b> By	NCIS: Los A Best Seller	Angeles:	East New Y Stat Interrup	· · · ·	KOLR 10 News	Judge Judy	Entertainm	ent Tonight
4 WDAF	The Simp- sons	The Great North	Bob's Burgers	Family Guy	FOX 4 New	s at 9PM	FOX 4 News	FOX 4 News	Sports Show	Seinfeld
5 КСТV	East New York: By the Book		NCIS: Los A Best Seller	Angeles:	East New Y Stat Interrup	· · · ·	News Weekend	KC Sports Tonight	:05 Paid Program	:35 Investi- gate TV
6 KMOS	Miss Scarle Duke on Ma		All Creature and Small	es Great	Vienna Blo Oskar pursu		Broadchurd evidence co		Searching: for Meaning	
9 КМВС		<b>mo ★★★★</b> ( ooks, Ellen D			The Parent	Test	News	News	Soledad O'Brien	Modern Family
18 KCPT	Miss Scarle Duke on Ma		All Creatures Great and Small		Vienna Blood Max and Oskar pursue a killer.		The Fall: Da	ark Descent	Miss Scarlet and the Duke on Masterpiece	
19 KYTV	:15 NFL Fo	otball Wild C	ard: Teams	TBA. (Live)				KY3 News at Ten	O-Zone Sports	Game Time
29 KCWE		oth Annual C			KMBC 9 News	Two and a Half Men	9-1-1: Haun	ted	The Good I More	Doctor:
41 KSHB	:15 NFL Fo	otball Wild C	ard: Teams	TBA. (Live)	II		KSHB 41 N Post Game		ews: Chiefs	Sunday Sound Off
50 KPXE			NCIS Tony mined to fin			y lieutenant g.	NCIS: Anon a Woman	ymous Was	NCIS A suspect from a 15-year-old case.	
62 KSMO			The Last Kiss ★★★ (20 Affleck. Friends come to				Outdoors- man	World's- Weath	World's- Weath	Funny You Ask

#### **TUESDAY • JANUARY 17, 2023 Evening**

	7 PM	7:30	8 PM 8:30	9 PM   9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM	11:30
3 KOLR	FBI The tea cure a mass		FBI: International: Un- burdened	FBI: Most Wanted: Iron Pipeline	KOLR 10 News	:35 The Lat With Steph		James Corden
4 WDAF	9-1-1: Lone	Star	To Be Announced	FOX 4 News at 9PM	FOX 4 News	FOX 4 News	TMZ	Seinfeld
5 КСТV	FBI The team must se- cure a massive bomb.		FBI: International: Un- burdened	FBI: Most Wanted: Iron Pipeline	News	:35 The Lat With Steph		James Corden
6 KMOS	Finding Yo With Henry		American Experience: 2 Claiming a Space Author		Amanpour pany	and Com-	Democracy	Now!
9 KMBC	The Rookie Notice	: Death	The Rookie: Feds: Out for Blood	Will Trent A small-town murder.	News	:35 Jimmy Live!	Kimmel	:37 Night- line
18 KCPT	Finding Yo With Henry		American Experience: 2 Claiming a Space Author		1964: The F a Right	ight for	Amanpour pany	and Com-
19 KYTV	Night Court: Pilot	Night Court	New Amsterdam: Right Place	:01 New Amsterdam: How Can I Help?	KY3 News at Ten	:34 The Tor Starring Jir	night Show nmy Fallon	Seth Mey- ers
29 KCWE	The Winche of Dying	esters: Art	Mysteries Decoded	KMBC 9 News	Modern Family	Modern Family	Mom	Mom
41 KSHB	Night Court: Pilot	Night Court	New Amsterdam: Right Place	:01 New Amsterdam: How Can I Help?	KSHB 41 News		night Show mmy Fallon	Seth Mey- ers
50 KPXE	Chicago Fi gies Are Da		Chicago Fire: The Nuclear Option	Chicago Fire Casey helps his sister.	Chicago Fin with a suspi		Chicago Finterfest	re: Win-
62 KSMO	KCTV5 Nev	vs at 9	Chicago Fire: Going to War	Chicago Fire: Thirty Percent Sleight of Hand	Highway Th Bridge Out			

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4 WDAF	Name That Tune		Special Forces: World's Toughest Test		FOX 4 News at 9PM	FOX 4 News	FOX 4 News	TMZ	Seinfeld	
5 КСТV	The Price Is Right at Night		Lingo		Tough as Nails: That's a Safety Hazard	News	:35 The Lat With Steph		James Corden	
6 KMOS	Nature The old Scots pi		NOVA Glas and plastic.	s, rubber	Searching: Our Quest for Meaning	Amanpour pany	and Com-	Democracy	Now!	
9 KMBC	The Con- ners	The Gold- bergs	Abbott El- ementary	:31 Home Economics	Big Sky Sunny makes a fiery decision.	News	:35 Jimmy Live!	Kimmel	:37 Night- line	
18 KCPT	Nature The old Scots pi		NOVA Glas and plastic.	s, rubber	Secrets of the Dead: World War Speed	Finding Yo With Henry		Amanpour pany	and Com-	
19 KYTV	Chicago M	ed	Chicago Fin squad clash		Chicago P.D.: I Can Let You Go	KY3 News at Ten	:34 The Tor Starring Jir	night Show mmy Fallon	Seth Mey- ers	
29 KCWE	Penn & Tel Us: Alyson'	<b>ler: Fool</b> s Smart Ass	Kung Fu: R	escue	KMBC 9 News	Modern Family	Modern Family	Mom	Mom	
41 KSHB	Chicago M	ed	Chicago Fil squad clash		Chicago P.D.: I Can Let You Go	KSHB 41 News		night Show mmy Fallon	Seth Mey- ers	
50 KPXE	Blue Blood Faced	s: Two-	Blue Blood	s: Rectify	Blue Bloods Someone kills Luis' wife.	Blue Blood Bedfellows	Is: Strange	Blue Blood	s: Identity	
62 KSMO	KCTV5 Nev	vs at 9	Dateline Ad find tropical		Dateline The shooting of a security analyst.	Highway TI Wind Storm		The First 4 world	8: Water-	

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#### WEEKLY HOROSCOPE

**Capricorn 12/22-1/19**: Simmering conflicts with loved ones over old emotional wounds and a lack of progress on projects around the house could feel stressful in the beginning of the week. You'll do well to reprioritize and, within your intimate relationships, keep hashing it out until you see eye to eye (or as close to it as possible). Later, you might also begin to see real results as a result of those exciting, big picture dreams you've had floating around in the back of your head. Don't hold back from pursuing any passion project that simply feels right. You have what it takes to turn it into a concrete, rewarding reality.

Aquarius 1/20-2/18: Keeping social plans or seeing a brainstorm through to an actionable plan might prove challenging at the start of the week. While it might not suit your M.O., finding a way to embrace and adapt to this less predictable vibe can help you maintain productivity. Later, finding a way to get on the same page as a loved one, especially when it comes to money, could feel particularly challenging. The issue is that facts are evasive and confusion is running rampant. For those reasons, you might do well to wait until the dust settles before plowing forward.

**Pisces 2/19-3/20**: Making major strides on moneymaking endeavors might feel challenging at the beginning of the week. Instead of pushing forward on projects that don't resonate, try to preserve your energy and narrow your focus on plans that you truly feel passionate about. This could ultimately help you to streamline and get ahead on professional goals. Later, you might feel like it's tough to get on the same page as your significant other, colleague, or a dear friend. This could cause you to feel nervous about what the future holds, but you'll do best to stay in the present and stick with what you know.

Aries 3/21-4/19: You might be frustrated if it feels like creating solid momentum on your personal goals is more like walking through thick mud than sprinting ahead at the beginning of the week. When it feels like the roadblocks just keep piling up, see this as an opportunity to reflect, revise, and slow down in order to perfect your game plan. You might also take heart in the fact that you're not alone! Later, you'll see more visible expansion in terms of your professional path thanks to the cosmos. You might find that any plays for more recognition from higher-ups might begin to pay off now.

Taurus 4/20-5/20: You might feel a bit lost if your current big ideas and dreams begin to feel unrealistic or as though they aren't set up to come to fruition in the way you had hoped at the start of the week. You might do best to hit pause on definitive game plans and see where the moment takes you. Taking a more hands-off, organic approach to achieving your deepest-rooted aspirations serves you best right now. Later, the cosmos fires up your confidence, especially around relationships, fun, creativity, and making future plans to get out of your comfort zone and broaden your horizons. Channel this enthusiasm into whatever personal endeavor you're most invested in.

Gemini 5/21-6/20: When the week starts, it might be difficult to get ahead on group projects. This challenging moment might lead you to believe that your colleagues and friends are at fault for the snail's pace, but the fact of the matter is that everyone is being urged to take more time and ensure that the actions they're taking are thoughtful and deliberate as opposed to hair-trigger. Recognizing this can help everyone get on the same page. Later, the cosmos helps to magnify your deepest relationships in a more external, visible way.

Cancer 6/21-7/22: In the beginning of the week, you might feel like it's a downright slog to get ahead on the job, get recognized by higher-ups, or see forward movement related to looking for new opportunities. This could prove frustrating, to be sure, but doing your best to avoid getting extra competitive can help, as can using this slower time to brush up your resume or hone a new skill set that will help you get even more noticed in the long run. Later, the cosmos gives you the green light to create real, tangible results on one-on-one goals.

Leo 7/23-8/22: If you've been hoping to travel or sign up for an online course in order to make progress in some way professionally or personally-or both!-you might find it tough to move forward at the start of the week. Your best bet is to use this time to soak up knowledge and potentially revise, or at least perfect, your game plan so that when you do finally get a clear runway, you'll have no trouble taking off and knowing exactly where you're headed. Later, you can enjoy more work and wellness opportunities.

Virgo 8/23-9/22: Watch out for confusion and misunderstandings, especially within your closest one-on-one relationships (think a partner, dear friend, loved one, or close colleague) when the week gets underway. Feeling like it's nearly impossible to get a handle on all the facts right now can create insecurity and affect your morale. Just know that this moment will pass, and you'll soon have the info you need to move forward. Later, you can look forward to enjoying the organically flowing flirtation and pleasurable moments that you've been dreaming of.

Libra 9/23-10/22: It might feel as though it's challenging to get ahead on goals you've been working toward with your significant other, close friend, or business partner at the start of the week. It's almost like no matter what you do, you'll struggle to get on the same page in terms of a game plan, and at times it could feel like you're actually stepping on one another's toes or getting in one another's way. Do your best to see this as a time to slow down and make sure that the goals you've set are exactly what you want to work toward as a team. Later, the cosmos makes it easy to enthusiastically express deep-rooted needs to loved ones. Scorpio 10/23-11/21: You might find it challenging to create momentum with your fitness or general health plan at the start of the week. Pushing too hard right now could only serve to set you up for more aggravation, so you might do best to take a pause and recall the pragmatic measures that have worked best for you in the past. Simple moves like drinking enough water and taking daily walks can go far to keeping you firing on all cylinders. Later, the cosmos causes lines to cross with colleagues and/or your significant other. Breathe deep and trust that clarity is around the bend.

Sagittarius 11/22-12/21: You'll be feeling psyched and self-assured when it comes to pursuing a major professional goal when the week starts. Taking your big ideas to higher-ups could not only feel empowering right now but also help you lay the groundwork for some well-deserved rewards. Later, the cosmos slows down your efforts related to art, pleasure, and fun-loving relationships. Still, this can be a beneficial time for you to go back to the drawing board on a creative passion project. You might also do well to approach loving relationships with a mellow, go-with-the-flow vibe.





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#### Announces January **Employee of** the Month



**CHRISTINE HOOD** 

We are pleased to announce that Christine Hood is the January Employee of the Month.

Hood has been an employee of GVMH since October 2020 and currently works as a Social Worker in the Social Services department.

Her nomination stated that Hood is an extremely compassionate professional who is dedicated to helping her patients and coworkers. She makes it her priority to provide patients with the safest discharge plan possible, is frequently finding ways to assist others with workload and often helps nursing staff with tasks so they can focus on direct patient care.

As the Employee of the Month, Hood received a GVMH gift and her name will be engraved on a plaque to be permanently displayed in the hospital. She is also one of 12 finalists for the 2022-2023 Employee of the Year award.

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

#### **Provides Show** Me Healthy Women Program

Golden Valley Memori-

tests include clinical breast exams. mammograms based on age or need, pap tests and pelvic exams. To learn more about Show Me Healthy Women, call 660.890.7300."

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#### **Invited To Speak At** Luncheon



The new year has begun and we are all hoping for good things to come. The CWC Luncheon committee has been making plans and has launched the year by inviting Leann Baughman to speak at our January luncheon. Leann and her husband, Scott, a MO Highway Patrolman, have lived here in Clinton for almost ten years. They have two sons, a daughter and 3 dogs. You may meet them on occasion out for a walk, or with roller blades on. Leann is a certified Mental Health Coach. She has a heart for ministry and a passion for music. She and a friend will bring a guitar and share some time in music. Leanne's speaking topic is "Birthright".

The Christian Women's Committee would like to invite area ladies to join us for lunch on Tuesday, January 17th at 11:45 a.m. at the Fellowship Hall of First Assembly, 1506 E. Ohio, (the junction of highway 7 & 13). For reservations call Debra Dolly at (660)885-5918 or e-mail her at debdolly30@gmail.com. Please call and cancel your reservation if you find you cannot attend. This is important for our meal count. The cost is \$12. The weather is somewhat unpredictable in the winter and we care about your safety, so if the Clinton Public Schools are canceled, then the Luncheon is also cancelled.

written by Ivan Menchell. Auditions will be held at 6pm both days at the Heartland Pavilion, Ν Washington. 108 This is a great play about a group of friends. Come be a part of Heartland Theah·e. We need actors and helpers of all kinds. Join us for a rewarding experience! Any Question?? Call 660-351-5288

#### **Private Pesticide** Applicator Training **Dates Set**

The private pesticide applicator license issued by the Missouri Department of Agriculture is required for producers wanting to purchase and apply restricted use pesticides. producers Agricultural needing to obtain or renew certification of this license must take this pesticide safety training every five years. You must be 18 years of age and directly involved in the production of agricultural commodities to obtain this license.

Each farm is encouraged but not required to have a copy of the M87 Private Pesticide Applicator Training Manual, which can be ordered for \$25 plus shipping at: https://extension. missouri.edu/m87

Allow time for shipping. Your local Extension Center may have a few copies for sale. Or you can bring your previously purchased 2007 manual with you.

This class does not include the annual training required to apply synthetic auxin herbicides (i.e. dicamba) given by the registrants. See https://agriculture.mo.gov/plants/ pesticides/dicamba-facts. php for more information. This training also does not include the supplemental training required to apply paraquat dichloride. For more information https://agriculture. see mo.gov/plants/pesticides/ paraquat.php.

Please register using the specific link for your class or by contacting your respective Extension center. Pettis County – February

3 @ 9am. Mathewson Exhibition Center. 2503 W 16th St. Sedalia. (660)827ing-warsaw

Johnson County - February 15 @ 2pm. Johnson County Extension Center. 135 W Market St. Warrensburg. (660)747-3193

Online registration https://extension. at: missouri.edu/events/ private-pesticide-applicator-training-warrensburg-afternoon

Johnson County – February 15 @ 6pm. Johnson County Extension Center. 135 W Market St. Warrensburg. (660)747-3193

Online registration at: https://extension.missouri.edu/events/private-pesticide-applicator-training-warrensburg-evening Henry County - Febru-

ary 20 @ 2pm. Henry County Extension Center. 120 E Lincoln St. Clinton. (660)885-5556.

Online registration at: https://extension.missouri.edu/events/private-pesticide-applicator-training-clinton-afternoon

Henry County - February 20 @ 6pm. Henry County Extension Center. 120 E Lincoln St. Clinton. (660)885-5556

Online registration at: https://extension.missouri.edu/events/private-pesticide-applicator-training-clinton-evening

Lafayette County – February 23 @ 10am. Lafayette County Extension Center. 14th E 19th St. Higginsville. (660)584-3658.

Online registration at: https://extension.missouri.edu/events/private-pesticide-applicator-training-higginsville

Ray County – February 23 @ 2pm. Ray County Extension Center. 1015 W Royle St. Richmond. (816)776-6961.

Online registration at: https://extension.missouri.edu/events/private-pesticide-applicator-training-richmond ###

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Meet Moe!

This 9 month old Husky mix is full of energy and would make a great family addition. He would love to have some kids to run with and even a fur sibling. Call to meet Moe at the

Clinton Animal Shelter 660-885-7999.



1307 N Washington St., Clinton, MO Mon thru Fri 2pm to 6pm Sat noon to 4pm.



al Healthcare (GVMH) is a proud provider of the Show Me Healthy Women program that offers free cervical and breast cancer screenings to women who meet age, income and insurance guidelines.

To qualify for the program, women must have an income at or below 250 percent of the federal poverty level for household income, be ages 35 to 64 or older if they do not receive Medicare Part B and have no insurance.

"Show Me Healthy Women serves about 10,000 women each year across Missouri," said Laura Noble, FNP-BC. "The screenings have found more than 200 breast cancers and 70 to 90 cervical cancers. Free

A big thanks goes to First Assembly for the use of the Fellowship Hall and a hearty thank you to our caterer for supplying the meals.

#### Mark Your Calendars

January 23rd & 24th the Heartland Community Theah·e will be holding Auditions for the Spring Play, "The Cemetery Club", 0591 Online registration at: https://extension.missou-

ri.edu/events/private-pesticide-applicator-training-sedalia

Pettis County – February 4 @ 12pm. Mathewson Exhibition Center. 2503 W 16th St. Sedalia. (660)827-0591

Online registration at: https://extension.missouri.edu/events/private-pesticide-applicator-training-sedalia-1672859263

Benton County - February 10 @ 10am. Warsaw Ambulance District Building. 1206 Medic Dr. Warsaw. (660)438-5012.

Online registration at: https://extension.missouri.edu/events/private-pesticide-applicator-train-

### Holy Rosary School will be hosting a "Come and See" Day on Tuesday, January 31, 2023



from 9am - 11am



We serve Pre-K through 8th grades. We provide and celebrate our Faith and Family atmosphere. Excellent education is provided due to small class sizes, certified teachers, and full accreditation by MNSAA. After school care is available.

Contact information for our school: Phone- 660-885-4412, Website- holyrosaryclinton.com, Facebook- @holyrosaryclinton.

#### THE ROSEMARY E. BIRDSONG ESTATE NE ONLY AUCTION **REAL ESTATE FOR SALE**

Her home at 800 S. Utah will also be selling at a future online auction ending in February. More information to come on real estate!



This online auction located in Clinton, Missouri features many very nice home furnishings including

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bedroom, kitchen, and living room furniture. Very nice pieces of art, antiques and collectibles, as well as diamond gold jewelry are also selling. This is a very clean and fancy auction you won't want to miss!













This is Harley with Coal Tire & Battery. We want to thank you all for 11 years of your amazing support. As of December 23rd we will be closing our doors. We are happy to announce McCoullough Tire will be opening here on January 3rd at the former Coal Tire location. Please give them a warm welcome to the Clinton area.

Jim McCoullough has over 35 years experience with 3 different locations now to serve you including their Higginsville and Knob Noster stores and will offer a variety of services such as farm calls, roadside calls, OTR tires, 24 hour towing and the best pricing on tires around. Again we cannot express our thanks enough for all of your support over the last 11 years! For all of your future farm or automotive tire needs call AT 660-477-322



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## Get a flu Vaccine

There's still time to get a flu vaccine if you haven't yet this season. You can get a flu vaccine at the same time as a COVID-19 vaccine.



**Call Henry County Health Center** for an **Appointment** 

660-885-8193



### The Clinton Daily **Democra** SPORTS **PAGE 9 Cardinals** Continue To Battle **Through Grinding Season**

It's been a season of ups and downs so far for the Cards this year as the team's road win at Lexington (3-8) last Thursday brought them to .500 and evened their record at 6-6. The win was a big one for the Cardinals, who entered the matchup having dropped consecutive home contests to Nevada (63-32) and Summit Christian (70-54) on Tuesday and Wednesday of the same week.

However, the resilient Cardinals, in their third game in three days, prevailed on the road against the Minutemen with a 57-52 final.

Clinton struggled early to get their offense going and trailed at the first quarter buzzer, 10-9.

In the second period, the Cardinals began to find their rhythm behind Dom Jackson's 8 points as he led them to a slim halftime lead of 22-19.

The third period was a back-and-forth one but Lexington managed a slim margin of 18-15 and the game was tied entering the final frame, knotted up at 37-37.

Clinton owned the fourth as Jackson rained in 2 timely three-point shots and conneceted on 4-for-4 from the line in the period. The Cardinals took the quarter, 20-15 and eventually the game, 57-52.

Jackson paced the Cardinals offense with 27 points. Richie Brown and Brayden Ethridge added 7 points each while Emrie Neal and Mitchell Alexander both

GOING FOR THE BLOCK, the Cardinals Jake Balke (24) contested a baseline jumper by Summit Christian in last Tueday's junior varsity game. Unfortunately, the JV squad fell by a final of 53-39. The Clinton varsity didn't fare much better as they lost their game by a 70-54 final.

tossed in 6 apiece.

CLINTON (57): R. Brown, 7; D. Jackson, 27; E. Neal, 6; B. Ethridge, 7; M. Alexander, 6; J. Wilson, 0; G. Ethridge, 0; X. Ray, 4.

LEXINGTON (52): M. Gonzalez, 21; D. Moss, 21; P. Kaullen, 0; D. Reeves, 0; Z. Miller, 0; C. Grom, 0; C. Schieber, 0; C. Sawyer, 0; Z. Melvin, 1; C. Soendker, 1; C. Lichte, 0; D. Thompson, 8.

To cap their busy week, the Cardinals welcomed Odessa to town on Friday night but their stint at .500 was short-lived as they fell below that mark once again after absorbing a 68-60 loss to the visiting Bulldogs.

Odessa came out firing and led 16-6 at the end of the first and used a 20-5

advantage in the second to secure a comfortable 36-11 halftime lead.

But the same Cardinals, who overcame just a night before, came out in the second half, a different team.

Both teams battled but Clinton managed to squeak out a 20-13 advantage in the third period to peck their way back in, still trailing 49-31.

In the fourth, the talented backcourt of Richie Brown and Dom Jackson for Clinton combined for 25 of the Cardinals 29 points in the period. Clinton took the final frame with a 29-19 margin, but Odessa held on late, handing the Cardinals the 68-60 loss. Jackson Brown and

matched each other with 19 points apiece to lead Clinton. Xzavier Ray was also in double-digits with 11.

CLINTON (60): R. Brown, 19; D. Jackson, 19; E. Neal, 4; B. Ethridge, 2; M. Alexander, 0; J. Wilson, 3; J. Balke, 0; G. Ethridge, 2; X. Ray, 11; K. Townsend, 0; S. Taylor, 0. ODESSA (68): C. Bennett, 4; L. Linkhart, O; N. Begemann, O; H. Nye, 1; P. Mitchell, 11; Z. Miller, 8; J. Murray, 25; K. Crowder, 0; B. Petersen, 0; I. Sumy, 19; D. Cates, 0; A. Mitchell, 0; D. D'obron, O.

The Cardinals will travel to Sedalia for their next game to take on Smith-Cotton on Wednesday night. They'll then be back at home to host Butler on Tuesday.

provided one of many highlight moments for the Clinton community last year when they won the district championship. Looking Back: Football: Georgia Sports in 2022 Bulldogs over Alabama 33-18, Baseball WS: Old This is my yearly review Miss over OK \*\*\*Softball of big sporting events, Champs: OK over Florida and a few not-so-big St.\*\*\* Soccer Champs (M): Syracuse, (W): events, from last year. UCLA \*\*\* Golf Champs This review includes (M): TX Longhorns, (W): everything from the Standford. Super Bowl to the Little

THE 2021-22 LADY CARDINALS basketball team

#### (D2 Champs)

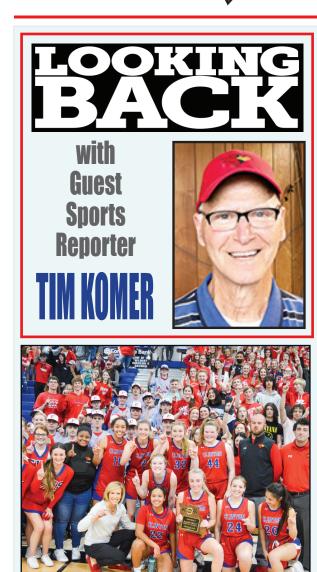
Football: Ferris State \*\*\* Basketball (M): NW Missouri St., (W): Glenville \*\*\* Baseball: N. Greenville \*\*\* Softball: Rogers State \*\*\* Soccer (M): Franklin Pierce, (W): West Washington.

(How did UCM do?) Football 4-7, Basketball

Lady Cards Stay Hot, Win Sixth Straight

The Lady Cardinals con- Brown, 17; H. Campbell, 2;





1/12/23

Billie Jean King, the ladies are well represented in this review. If this was written in the '30s-'60's it would look a lot shorter. The soon-to-be 2023 Super Bowl winner should be an easy pick, am I right? I'll go with the Chiefs. Enough talk, here is the summary of 2022. Please note, I am aware very big 'world' events, like Rugby, Cricket, Lacrosse, and Field Hockey championships are not included.

League World Series, the

Masters' golf tournament

to UCM, the Kentucky

Derby to Wimbleton, and

our local Cardinal sports.

I love the LL World Series.

I think it is great when

Major Leaguers drop by and spend time with the

kids at Williamsport, PA.

Thanks to Title IX and

#### (Professional Championships)

Super Bowl: LA Rams 23 Bengals 20 \*\*\* World Series (WS): Houston over Phillie - 4 games to 2 \*\*\* Stanley Cup: Columbia 4 Lighting 2 \*\*\* MLS Cup: LAFC 3 Phil. Union 3 (PK) \*\*\*NBA Title: Warriors 4 Celtics 2 \*\*\* WNBA Title: Las Vegas Aces 4 Sun 2 \*\*\* NWSL Title: Portland 2 KC Current 0 \*\*\* NASCAR Cup Series: Joey Logano, R. Chastain (2nd) Kentucky Derby: Rich Strike, Epicenter \*\*\* (2nd) Tour-de-France: Denmark's Jonas Vingegaard \*\*\* World Cup (soccer): Argentina over France (PKs) \*\*\* Nationals: Crappie Hayden and Dan Jeffries Wimbleton (M): Novak Djokovic, (W): Elena Rybakina (Kaz.) \*\*\* Masters Golf: Scottie Scheffler (USA) \*\*\* US Open (Golf): (M) Matt Fitzpatrick (2.6 mil.), (W) Minjee Lee (1.8 mil.)- 2nd-Mina Harigae \*\*\* (Almost pro) March Madness (M): KU 72 N. Carolina 69, (W): S. Carolina 64 Conn. 49.

#### (Youth)

Little League WS: Honolulu 13 Curacao 3. (D1 College Champs) (M) 13-14, (W) 19-11, Baseball 46-9 (wow!), Softball 17-36, Soccer (W) 19-2, Volleyball 19-11, Wrestling (M) 6-8.

(How did MU do?) Football 6-7, Basketball (M) 12-21, (W) 18-13, Baseball 28-23, Softball 38-22, Soccer (W) 5-8-4, Volleyball 9-19, Wrestling (M) 13-4.

#### (Clinton Cardinal Review)

Fall: Cardinal Football made strides forward and won two games, one in District play. The Softball team continued to gain ground and went 12-15. The Volleyball team had another strong year going 19-13. Cross Country sent six to State. The boys' Soccer team was young but improved and was able to capture six wins. The boys' Tennis team was very inexperienced but improved as a team and individually.

Winter: The CHS girls' Basketball kept going strong with a 17-11 record and becoming District Champs. The boys' Basketball team moved a step closer capturing seven wins and 2nd at Districts. Wrestling (boys and girls) had a lot of weight divisions open but did well and sent two to State.

Spring: Baseball won nine games (the most in four years) with one District win. The track team took 13 to State. The girls' soccer team worked hard and got 14 wins, a school record. Girls' tennis went 8-6 which was tied for the best since 2012. CHS Golf went 5-0 in duals and sent one to State. Go Cards in 2023.

tinue to separate themselves from the rest of the pack and are proving to be a team to watch moving forward as they added two more W's to their total with wins over Lexington and Odessa last week.

In their first contest on Wednesday night, the Lady Cardinals jumped on Lexington from the tip and led 21-6 at the end of the first. A 21-4 margin in the second led to a 42-10 lead at half and Clinton would cruise from there

With many substitutions already taking place early in the second half, the Lady Cardinals surrendered the third, 10-7, and the fourth, 11-8 but still rolled to a 57-31 win.

Mercedez Brown paved the way for Clinton with 17 points while Skyte Wilson and Vyla Brown were also in double figures with 12 and 10, respectively.

CLINTON (57): V. Brown, 11; A. Cardwell, 3; M.

K. Schaffer, 0; S. Wilson, 12; A. Goucher, 3; A. Potter, 5; B. Wishard, 5.

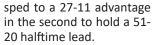
LEXINGTON (31): Α. Hamacher, 2; A. Ellison, 0; Z. Earnest, 11; R. Shaw, 0; M. Triplett, 4; A. Kidd, 0; S. Eads, 2; T. Emmerich, 4; L. Davis, 4; L. Harris, 0; E. Grosso, 0; S. Schumacher, 4.

\* After one night off, from a game anyway, the Lady Cardinals picked right back up where they left off on

Wednesday when they hosted Odessa and powered their way to another MRVC win on Friday night, this time in lopsided fashion, 72-39 over the visiting Lady Bulldogs.

The hot hand of Skyte Wilson got the Lady Cardinals going early when she was responsible for 13 points herself as Clinton took the opening quarter with a 24-9 scoring margin.

WIth the gas firmly pressed, the Lady Cardinals



Clinton won the second half, 21-19 and improved their record to 10-2 with the 72-39 final.

Wilson led the way for the Lady Cards with 22 points. Ava Potter tossed in 17 and Vyla Brown contributed 13 for Clinton.

CLINTON (72): V. Brown, 13; M. Brown, 9; H. Campbell, 0; K. Schaffer, 0; A. Cardwell, 4; S. Wilson, 22; A. Goucher, 0; A. Potter, 17; L. Brauer, 0; B. Wishard, 7.

ODESSA (39): K. Thomas, 3; K. Byrd, 0; G. Harget, 3; R. Adams, 20; A. Guem, 3; B. Wade, 0; M. Lockhart, 0; B. Westerhold, 6; A. Bullock, 0; E. Peterson, 0; B. Burns, 4; K. Smith, 0.

The Lady Cards will bring in Smith-Cotton on Wednesday night and will then play host to perennial Class 3 power, the Eldorado Springs Lady Bulldogs on Friday night.

#### **Clinton** Wrestling Drops Dual At Harrisonville

Cardinals wrestling put up a strong fight in Harrisonville last Tuesday, leaving their mark on the event as they push deeper into the season.

While both varsity boys and girls lost in team scoring as open weight classes proved to be a difference, the teams each still managed to put together a respectable showing.

For their part, the Lady Cards cinched up a 5-1 record in their matches with Kylee Whalan, Mia Bagley, Amitria McNack, Rylee Cannon and Abby Jones each picking up strong wins. Rylee Canon impressed as she handled business in her first match of the season for a crucial



win. For the Varsity Boy's, the team went 5-6 at the

event with Lucas McMenemy, Drake Cannon, Payton Goth, Landon King, and

Triston Switzer all coming out on top.

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#### **Back to the Land: Master Naturalists** Lend Hand to Help Environment

#### BY JENNIFER JACKSON Staff Reporter

The turning of the calendar to a new year is a time when many people take stock of their lives and resolve to take a leap into a new interest, activity or hobby.

Some people literally take a leap on New Year's Day by participating in a Polar Bear Swim. Others take a leap by making resolutions -to reduce their waistline by getting outside for more exercise and fresh air, expand their mind by developing a new interest, or increase their impact by doing something to improve the environment. Becoming a Missouri

Master Naturalist encompasses all these resolutions.

Master Naturalists have a broad range of interests in the out-of-doors. The Hi Lonesome Chapter of Missouri Master Naturalists meets in Cole Camp, Mo., and includes people whose interests range from backyard bird counts to conducting prescribed burns to help maintain prairie ecosystems.

As one member said: "You can do whatever you are interested in."

The chapter was formed in 2008, and serves four counties — Henry, Benton, Johnson and Pettis, for the purpose of doing community projects, citizen science, nature interpretation and community nature education. The naturalists have built barn owl boxes, constructed a chimney swift tower, helped with a Prairie Chicken Restoration project, held a work day at Big Buffalo Creek Conservation Area, conducted a prescribed



MASTER NATURALISTS: Learning to identify birds and protect their environment is just one area of interest of Master Naturalists. The Hi Lonesome Chapter of Missouri Master Naturalists, based in Cole Camp, takes its name from the nearby Hi Lonesome Prairie Conservation Area, shown here.

burn at TurkeyFoot Prairie and participated in a beetle conservation project at Taberville Prairie. They also worked with the Missouri River Bird Observatory, based in Arrow Rock, Mo., to conduct grassland and prairie surveys.

Prairie conservation areas were established throughout Missouri and the United States to preserve grassland ecosystems, of which less than one-half of one percent of original prairie remains.

The chapter takes its name from the Hi Lonesome Prairie Conservation Area just west of Cole Camp. Hi Lonesome is a greeting used by cowboys who worked in isolated areas. The 655 acres were purchased in 1987 from cattle rancher Vaughn Lumpee, who had the greeting sign on his cabin, according to the conservation area's website on mdc.mo.gov.

One of the largest remaining pieces of prairie in Central Missouri, Hi Lonesome Prairie Conservation Area is home to native plants and birds, including upland sandpipers

and loggerhead shrikes. Muzzle-loading and archery hunting for deer is allowed. You can also hunt for quail, rabbit and dove, fish in the ponds, and hunt, spear or net frogs. See the mdc. mo.gov website for seasons and current regulations.

Trapping fur-bearing animals is also allowed by special-use permit, with trappers working with the area manager to remedy a problem.

The Missouri Master Naturalist Program is sponsored by the MDC and University of Missouri Extension to support conservation efforts and natural resource education in local communities. Members take 11 weeks of training, and commit to a required number of service hours a year.

For more information, contact Ginger Miller, Hi Lonesome chapter advisor, at 660-885-8179 or email Ginger.Miller@mdc.mo.gov The Hi Lonesome chapter of Master Naturalists meet the first Tuesday of the month at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Cole Camp, Mo. at 6 p.m., according to Melissa Zimmerschied.

## Fixing the Flame: UMC Symbol Burns Again

#### **BY JENNIFER JACKSON** Staff Reporter

More than 50 years ago, a metal sculpture of a cross and a flame was erected on the side of Clinton United Methodist Church. The sculpture, put up as a memorial to church members and friends who had ioined the church eternal, was lit by neon tubes.

But after the neon tubes failed, no-one wanted to tackle the job of replacing them, and the flame no longer lit up. In fact, most people who attend the church now have never seen it lighted, office manager Kathy Garnett said.

So last fall, Clinton UMC, which had undergone a \$1.9 million addition and remodel, decided the church should do something about fixing the flame.

The trustees provided the funds, and the week before Christmas, David Garnett, Kathy's spouse and head of the building project, and Greg Hard, the church maintenance person, replaced the neon tubes with LED lights.

A symbol of the United Methodist Church all over the world, the cross and two-pronged flame was adopted after the Methodist and the Evangelical United Brethren churches merged in 1968, creating the United Methodist Church. The two parts of the flame represent the two denominations.

The flame is also a symbol of the Holy Spirit, a reminder of the tongues, as of fire, that appeared at Pentecost over the heads of the apostles, who were filled with the power of the Holy Spirit.



THE UMC FLAME once again burns brightly on the side of Clinton United Methodist Church, 601 S. 4th Street.



Due to Covid-19, our first Chamber Banquet since Jan. of 2020 is coming up Jan. 19th. We are excited and we hope you are too! \$20 per person for Chamber members, \$25 for non-members. Same price as 2020. Get your tickets at 200 South Main St.

From the Chamber Facebook page on Dec. 30th: The staff at the Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce would like to wish everyone a happy and healthy New Year.

We would also like to take this opportunity to thank the five on the Board of Directors that will be leaving this Board at the end of this year as their terms have expired: Courtney Banks from Banks Motors, Wes Hilton from Cover & Hilton Law, Lynn Lear with Clinton Abstract and Title Co., Clay Radford from KDKD/KXEA and Bill Wilson

with Champion Brands.

We are sorry to see these five individuals leave the Board, but at the same time, we are excited about the five that will be taking their place in 2023: Larry Dawson from Hawthorn Bank, Amber Hansen with Seeds of Faith Preschool, Sabrina Harris from TC Transcontinental, Jim Huenefeldt of A&K Railroad Materials and Jeff Stone from W&S Door.

The 2023 President will be Adam Cummings from American Family Ins... Past President will be Daniel Dody from Dody Legacy Group...and President-Elect will be Amber Hansen.

Continuing with the Board of Directors in 2023 will be Kyle Adkins from GVMH, Tim Deskins from White River Marine Group (Tracker), Tonya Gilley with Buck-**CHAMBER PAGE 12** 

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## 1/12/23 — PUBLIC RECORD =

#### **Municipal** Court **GARY COVER**

Ledeen Denise Arellano, No Headlights When Required, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$16.50

Daniel Richard Baker, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$46.50

Daniel Bohm, Fail To Proceed W/ Cautn/Yld Right-Of-Way/Reduce Spd When Approach Statnry Emergncy Veh Dsply Emergncy Light, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$60.50

Christopher Ryan Chezem, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost

Eric Wyatt Clay, Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Cesar Alejandro Capielo-Oliver, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (20-25 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$155.50 And Court Cost

Eugene Hugo Cullinane, Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50 Julie Marie Dickinson,

Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50, Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50, Operate Vehicle On Highway Without Valid Or No License, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$66.50

Heather Nicole Driskill, Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$66.50

David Wayne Fastnacht, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Scherry Lee Fowler, Shoplifting, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution Of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To 30 Days Jail, Ses, 2 Years Probation

Rafael Vite Fuentes, Failed To Drive On Right Half Of

#### bation Kevin Alan Tripp, Fail

To Proceed W/ Cautn/ Yld Right-Of-Way/Reduce Spd When Approach Statnry Emergncy Veh Dsply Emergncy Light, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$60.50

Robert Dale VanBlaricon Jr, Seat Belt Violation - Other, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$10.00

#### Highway Patrol

#### Driver Examination Stations To Close Statewide In Observance Of Martin Luther King Jr. Day

The Missouri State Highway Patrol would like to remind the public that driver examination stations throughout the state will be closed on the following date:

Monday, January 16, 2023, in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Normal operations will resume on Tuesday, January 17.2023.

#### Patrol Participates In Human Trafficking Awareness Initiative

Colonel Eric T. Olson, superintendent of the Missouri State Highway Patrol, announces the Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division will participate in a five-day Human Trafficking Awareness initiative January 9-13, 2023. This initiative is a concentrated effort to educate commercial motor vehicle drivers. motor carriers, law enforcement officers, and the general public about human trafficking, what signs to look for, and what to do in these situations.

Human trafficking is illegal exploitation of a person through force, fraud, or coercion. It can take the form of sex trafficking, forced labor, or domestic servitude. Human trafficking is not specific to age, race, or gender, and it occurs in rural, suburban, and urban areas across Missouri. The victims of human trafficking are from all socioeconomic backgrounds and levels of education.

Human traffickers are motivated by greed, exploiting the most vulnerable among us for \$150 billion annually. This crime is occurring throughout North America and has been reported in every U.S. and Mexican state, and in all Canadian provinces. In addition to being trafficked within their own nation's borders, our citizens are being exploited across national borders. "Human trafficking often involves our nation's transportation systems, including Missouri's roadways," said Col. Olson. "Our commercial vehicle drivers, inspectors, law enforcement officers, and the general public need to know what to look for and how to respond to these situations to help rescue the vulnerable people being exploited."

#### 1-800-825-8477 ARREST AND INCIDENT REPORTS

January 3, 0600 a.m. -January 9, 2022 Stolen Property 1100

block of S Windsor St./report taken

Brenda Vokolek of Windsor MO. was issued a citation for domestic assault Conducted MODOT Division of Highway Safety funded traffic enforcement saturation for hazardous moving violations -- saturation totals = 8 traffic stops;

- 6 warnings for speed; 1 warning for registration

- Issued Chase Robinson a citation for Driving While Suspended and a citation for no insurance

Arrested Dustin Phelps, age 41, Clinton, on a Clinton Municipal warrant for failure to appear on original charges of traffic violations

Arrested Randy Presley, age 34, Stover, on a probation violation warrant

Arrested Julie Jones, age 23, Clinton, on a Henry County warrant for failure to appear on original charges of possession of a controlled substance

Arrested Randi Overton from Clinton on multiple Henry County warrants for possession of a controlled substance and a Clinton Municipal warrant for driving while suspended

Arrested Terri Elliott from Clinton on a Henry County warrant for possession of a controlled substance

Abandoned vehicle 1700 block of NE Hwy Y/report taken

Arrested Kyle Schussler, age 58, of Montrose on a Benton County warrant for Driving under the influence of liquor

Citations issued to Warren Downs out of Warrensburg for failure to register motor vehicle and driving while suspended

Citation issued to Erica L. McGough, Sedalia, for exceeding the posted speed limit

Citations issued to Josef W. Black, Warsaw, for failure to provide financial responsibility, driving while revoked, failure to register a motor vehicle

Citation issued to Shawn Crowley of Independence L And Humphries, Dan, Grantor, And SLH Homes, LLC, Grantee, Lot 8 L.w. Seamans Half Acre And Acre Addition To Windsor Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/28/2022 Between Laroche, Joni Lea, Grantor, And SLH Homes, LLC, Grantee, Lot 8 L.w. Seamans Half Acre And Acre Addition To Windsor Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/28/2022 Between Goodbrake, Patricia A (Trust), Goodbrake, Jeffrey T And Goodbrake, Rex I, Grantor, And Wareham, Clinton A (Trust) And Ware-

ham, Jill J (Trust), Grantee, 35-41-26 Warranty Deed Entered

Into On 12/28/2022 Between Crooks, Betty S (Trust), Grantor, And Crooks, Alvin B, Grantee, 7-43-25

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/28/2022 Between Crooks, Alvin B, Grantor, And Crooks, Alvin B (Trust), Grantee, 7-43-25 Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/29/2022 Between Logan's Property Management LLC, Grantor, And Newby-Sisco, Christopher, Grantee, Lots 29, 30 Weaver's Addition Clinton Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/29/2022 Between Hai, Pervez, Grantor, And Hammond, Donald K And Hammond, Lisa R, Grantee, Lots 7, 8 Cedar Meadows Sub

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/29/2022 Between Marr, Dorothy F, Lovewell, Debra C And Lovewell, Edwin W, Grantor, And Newby-Sisco, Christopher, Grantee, Lot 1 **Glendale Addition Clinton** Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/29/2022 Between Moreau, Sharon K And Moreau, James K, Grantor, And Newby-Sisco, Christopher, Grantee, Lot 1 **Glendale Add Clinton** 

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/29/2022 Between Gray, Brett And Gray, Tina, Grantor, And Aversman, Glen And Aversman, Connie, Grantee, 25-43-27

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/29/2022 Between Aversman, Glenn And Aversman, Connie, Grantor, And Gray, Brett And Gray, Tina, Grantee, 25-43Into On 12/30/2022 Between Stone, Mark And Stone, Susan, Grantor, And Anstine , Lora D (Trust), Grantee, 8-41-25

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/30/2022 Between Delapp, Sandra Jo (Trust), Grantor, And Allen, Alva F III (Trust), Grantee, 28-42-26

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/30/2022 Between Smith, Rose Marie, Grantor, And Bell, Lois A And Evans, Patricia Jane, Grantee, Lot 30, 31 Smith And Sullivans Addition To Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/03/2023 Between Urvashi, LLC, Grantor, And Newby-Sisco, Christopher, Grantee, Lots, 15 16 Ot Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/03/2023 Between Finks, Terry R. And Finks, Myra E, Grantor, And Umland, Matthew J., Grantee, Lot 3 Country Village Sub

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/03/2023 Be-Gosch-Morris, tween Kennedy N, Grantor, And Udovich, Molly H, Grantee, Lot 2 Block 8 Fosters Second Addition To Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/03/2023 Between Howard, Forrest Lee, Howard, Charles Robert And Howard, Mary Kay, Grantor, And Steinmetz, Casey T, Grantee, Lots 21, 22, 23 Weeden Majors Survey To Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/03/2023 Between Anstine, Lora D (Trust), Grantor, And New-Christopher, by-Sisco, Grantee, Lot 25 Britts And Others Sub Of Lots 116, 117, 118, 119, 122 Ot Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/03/2023 Between Bohon Farms LLC, Grantor, And Eigsti, Levi And Eigsti, Brenda, Grantee, 10-42-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/03/2023 Between Harbstreet, Karl E(Trust) And Harbstreet, Diann (Trust), Grantor, And Warren, Anne Elizabeth, Grantee, 17-42-27

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/04/2023 Between Cantrell, Kristine L, Grantor, And Collins, Reina

Grantor, And Tarasov Properties LLC, Grantee, Lots 17 18 Block 2 Johnstons Addition To Windsor

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Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/05/2023 Between Lind Family Trust, Grantor, And Ricketts, John And Ricketts, Kristina, Grantee, 22-40-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/05/2023 Between Mcdowell, Samuel And Mcdowell, Sherry, Grantor, And Wilson, William Robert, Grantee, 34-43-25

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/05/2023 Between Crooks, Betty S (Trust), Grantor, And Crooks, Alvin B, Grantee, 7-43-25

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/05/2023 Between Crooks, Alvin B, Grantor, And Crooks, Alvin B (Trust), Grantee, 7-43-25

#### Marriage Licenses

GAIL A. PERRYMANN 12/28/2022, Lilley, Bruce Wayne, 25, Windsor, And Johnson, Camryn Elizabeth, 21, Windsor

12/30/2022, Miller, Jesse Lee, 31, Lowry City, And Shepard, Traci Ann, 49, Lowry City

12/30/2022, Ibbotson, Craig Scott, 47, Grandview, And Glover, Jessica Elaine, 32, Grandview

#### H.C. 9-1-1 Board

The Henry Co. 911 Board of Directors will have their regularly scheduled meeting on Thursday, January 19, 2023 at 08:00.

The meeting will be held in the Boardroom at the 911 Center. Henry Co. 911 - 115 E. Green St, Clinton MO 64735

\*The Board may go into closed session if such actions approved by a majority vote of the board members who constitute a quorum to discuss legal, confidential or privileged matters under section 610.021 RSMO\*

#### H.C. Water Co. & PWSD #3

The Henry County Water Company and PWSD #3 offices will be closed on

Roadway When Roadway Was Of Sufficient Width, Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$60.50 And Court Cost Amy Elizabeth Hulsing-Baker. Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost

Sydney Elizabeth Libowitz, Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50

Olivia Macpherson, Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50

Rachna Rajesh Mehta, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over). Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost

Deonte Don'quez Pritchett, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (20-25 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$155.50 And Court Cost

Steven Wayne Reddell, Fail To Obey Traffic Control Devices, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$60.50, Illegal/Improper Turning, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine And Court Cost., Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50, Failure To Produce License On Demand, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Kenneth Eric Rich, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Cody Edward Kenneth Riordan, Shoplifting, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution Of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To 30 Days Jail Ses 2 Years Probation, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$0.00 2 Years Pro-

Signs of human trafficking are not always obvious, and may include:

The presence of an older "boyfriend" or "girlfriend;" Travel with an older male/ female who isn't a guardian; Signs of psychological coercion, such as depression, anxiety, and/or an overly submissive attitude; Lack of control over his/ her schedule, money, and/ or items proving identification; Physical trauma (bruises, cuts, burns, scars); Poor health; Coached/rehearsed responses to questions; Substance abuse or addictions, selling drugs; or, Homelessness.

Suspected human trafficking can be reported by calling 1-888-373-7888.

The Missouri State Highway Patrol is joining agencies across the United States, Canada, and Mexico for this Commercial Vehicle Safety Alliance initiative.

#### **H.C.** Sheriff **TIPS HOTLINE**

for driving while suspended

#### Property **Transfers GAIL A. PERRYMANN**

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/27/2022 Between Smith, Travis Lee And Smith, Megan Ailean, Grantor, And Hughes, Hanna Eileen And Hughes, Alexander, Grantee, Lot 15 Weden Majors Survey To Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/28/2022 Between Freedom Mortgage Corp, Grantor, And Secretary Of Housing & Urban Development, Grantee, Lot 35 Arthur T Duncans Sub To Lot 71 Of An Unnumbered **Block Ot Clinton** 

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/28/2022 Between Deckard, John A. And Deckard, Joann, Grantor, And Sorrell, Douglas And Sorrell, Tracy, Grantee, 24-40-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/28/2022 Between Savage, Kayleigh And Savage, Blaine, Grantor, And SLH Homes, LLC, Grantee, Lot 8 L.w. Seamans Half Acre And Acre Addition To Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/28/2022 Between Greenough, Karri, Grantor, And SLH Homes, LLC, Grantee, Lot 8 L.w. Seamans Half Acre And Acre Addition To Windsor Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/28/2022 Between KRAMER, KAREN L AND KRAMER, MICHEL, Grantor, And SLH Homes, LLC, Grantee, Lot 8 L.w. Seamans Half Acre And Acre Addition To Windsor Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/28/2022 Between Humphries, Susan 27

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/29/2022 Between Ash, James E And Ash, Lori, Grantor, And Underwood, Richard, Grantee, Lot 6 Block 9 City Addition To Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/30/2022 Between Gutierrez, Sharol Jeanne, Gutierrez, Manuel A, Tucker, Shelley Jo, Tucker. Russell V Scott, Shannon Jay And Scott, Christine L, Grantor, And Soulis, Samuel, Soulis, Betty And Heater, Denise, Grantee, Lot 13 Foxwood Sub

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/30/2022 Between JMI Properties, LLC, Grantor, And Morton, Peggy, Grantee, Lot 6 Block G Sunrise Addition To Clinton Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/30/2022 Between Lohre, Kitty Koren, Grantor, And Qualls, Aaron, Grantee, Lots 4, 5 Block 9 Fosters Second Addition To Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/30/2022 Between Tatman, Catherine R And Tatman, David, Grantor, And Sitting Duck Hollow, LLC, Grantee, 10-42-28

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/30/2022 Between Brzuchalski, Willard (Trust) And Brzuchalski, Rhoda Irene (Trust), Grantor, And Honn, Robert Wayne, Grantee, 8-41-24 Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/30/2022 Between Dawson, Robert F (Trust), Grantor, And Ptomey, Preston And Ptomey, Melissa, Grantee, 14-41-24 Warranty Deed Entered Into On 12/30/2022 Between Stunz, Glenda S, Grantor, And Cole, Yolanda, Grantee, Lot 40 Williams Addition To Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered

G, Grantee, 11-41-25

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/04/2023 Between Skaggs, Megan And Skaggs, Wesley, Grantor, And Batschelett, David And Batschelett, Kay, Grantee, Lot 21 Gv Sub 2nd Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/04/2023 Between Nichols, Gayle L And Nichols, Dale H, Grantor, And Nichols, Gayle L And Nichols, Dale H, Grantee, 21-41-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/04/2023 Between Yankee Enterprises, LLC, Grantor, And Nichols, Gayle L And Nichols, Dale H, Grantee, 27-41-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/04/2023 Between Parsons, Chelsea, Grantor, And Stroud Partners, LLC, Grantee, Lot 6 Block 2 Ot Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/04/2023 Between Kidwiler, Michael William, Grantor, And Readi 321 Farms LLC And Double-Wide Duck Club, LLC, Grantee, 33-42-27

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/04/2023 Between Peek, Randy And Peek, Connie, Grantor, And Heird, Betty S, Grantee, Lot 7 Allen And Cisels Second Addition To Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/05/2023 Between Wiley, Karen Ann, Grantor, And Charles, Micah L And Charles, Mackenzie Faye, Grantee, 23-42-25 Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/05/2023 Between Paschal, Sussan And Carroll, David, Grantor, And Charles, Micah L And Charles, Mackenzie F, Grantee, 14-41-26

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 01/05/2023 Between Eason, Jeffery Louis And Eason, Lisa Marie,

Monday, January 16th for M. L. King Junior Day. For after-hour emergencies call Central Dispatch at 660-885-5587

#### **Clinton Fire Department**

01/03 - 12:33am: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 700 Block of East Green St.

01/03 - 1:39pm: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 200 Block of East Harmon Cir.

01/03 - 3:40pm: EMS Call, 200 Block of North Washington St.

01/03 – 4:32pm: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 1700 Block of North Gaines Dr.

01/03 - 8:52pm: EMS Call, 1400 Block of North DZF Rd.

01/03 - 9:21pm: EMS Call, 900 Block of East Ohio St.

01/04 – 1:51am: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 2100 Block of North Gaines Dr.

01/04 - 6:58am: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 300 Block of East Clinton St.

01/04 - 10:36pm: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 600 Block of South Third St.

01/04 - 11:05pm: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 400 Block of West Grandryier St.

01/05 – 2:55am: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 400 Block of West Grandriver St.

01/05 – 8:52am: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 1000 Block of East Trevino Rd.

01/05 - 11:16am: EMS Call, 400 Block of North Fifth St.

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CFD cont..... 01/05 - 11:40am: Natu- Call, 1000 Block of South

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tip/story idea?

ger Vehicle Fire, Cemetery Rd near SE 31 Rd. 01/07 - 6:34pm: Trash Fire, Cemetery Rd. near SE

31 Rd. 01/08 - 9:47am: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 1400 Block of North DZF Rd.

01/08 - 1:18pm: Medical Assist with GMVH Ambulance, 1700 Block of East Green St.

01/09 - 8:35pm: EMS Call, 400 Block of South Third St.

01/09 - 10:02am: EMS Call, 1200 Block of South Remington Cir.

01/09 - 10:44am: Residential Automatic Fire Alarm (False Alarm, Canceled En Route), 244 Northwest 51 Rd.

01/09 - 5:23pm: EMS Call, 500 Block of West Rogers St.

01/09-8:52pm: Enforcement on Unauthorized Burning, 208 West Henry St.

#### Clinton **Police Dept.**

12 /13/2022 - ARRESTS Smith, Jacob Thomas, 25, Urich, Taken Into Custody, Resisting/ Interfering W/ Arrest For A Felony - Resisting Officer, Tampering With Physical Evidence In Felony Prosecution • Obstruct, Unlawful Possession Of Drug Paraphernalia Amphetamine/ Methamphetamine -Narcotic Equipment -Possess, Possession Of Coittr Subst Except 35 Grams/ Less Of Marijuana/Synthetic Cannabinoid-Synth Narcotic, Stealing-Value Less Than \$150 And No Prior Stealing Offense • Shoplifting

12/14/2022 - ARRESTS Lindsey, Blake Austin, 21, Clinton, On View, Property Damage 1st Deg · Damage Prop - Private, Burglary 1 St Deg - Burgl - Forced Entry - Resid, Violation Of Chlo Protection Order -1st Offense

Lindsey, Blake A, 21, Deepwater, Citation, Property Damage

Malan, Anthony David, 34, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest-Other Jurisdiction • Felony

Whatley, Ronald Lee, 55, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest -Clinton, Warrant

Arrest-Other Jurisdiction

Felony, Warrant Arrest.

Other Jurisdiction • Misd.

Malloy, Thomas Rich,

51, Deepwater, Taken Into

Custody, Driving While Sus-

12/18/2022 - ARRESTS

Natchitoches, Louisiana,

Taken Into Custody, Assist

12/21/2022 - ARRESTS

Phillips, Tristen Lee, 24,

Clinton, Warrant, Warrant

Arrest-Other Jurisdiction-

12/23/2022 - ARRESTS

Kirk, Christopher Lee, 31,

Clinton, Taken Into Custo-

dy, Assault 4th Deg -Pur-

suant To Subdivisions (3),

(6) • Special Victims · Aggr

Asslt • Pol Off· Strng Arm,

Trespass 1st Deg. Trespass-

12/27/2022 - ARRESTS

Cooper, Vincent Lee,

Windsor, Warrant, Warrant

Arrest-Other Jurisdiction-

Williams, Roy Edward, 54,

Osceola, Warrant, Warrant

Arrest-Other Jurisdiction.

Holder, Ryan Daniel, 29,

Clinton, Taken Into Custo-

dy, Stealing -Shoplifting

Edwards, Jermon O, 24,

pended / Revoked

Other Agency

Felony

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X7

#### 12/28/2022 - ARRESTS

Maxwell, James William, 55, Warsaw, Warrant, Warrant Arrest • Clinton

12/30/2022 - ARRESTS Baker, Jessica Lynn, 36, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest • Clinton

12/31/2022 - ARRESTS

Jones, Donovan Wade, 24, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest-Other Jurisdiction -Misc. X2

1/1/2023 - ARRESTS

Lindsay, Christopher Lee 2nd, 31, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest -Clinton Hilbert, Tyler Leroy, 20, Calhoun, Taken Into Custody, Misusing "911" • Making False Report

1/2/2023 - ARRESTS

Parker, Charles G Iv, 34, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest · Clinton

1/3/2023 - ARRESTS

Masterson, David Scott, 34, Holden, Taken Into Custody, Possession Of Contr Subst Except 35 Grams I Less Of Marijuannsynthetic Cannabinoid-Amphetamine-Possess, Unlawful Possession Of Drug Paraphernalia · Amphetamine/ Methamphetamine -Narcotic Equipment -Possess, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Felony

Allen, Thomas J II, 37, Clinton, On View, Assault

Whettam, Stephanie Ann, 44, Osceola, Citation, Stealing • Shoplifting

Craven, Kimberely Dawn, 37, Osceola, Citation, Stealing • Shoplifting

Victor, Timothy James, 33, Windsor, Warrant, Warrant Arrest-Other Jurisdiction • Felony

Overbey, Mashele Marie, 44, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Stealing - All Othr Stealing

Cook, Alexandra Shaye, 26, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest-Other Jurisdiction • Felony

1/4/2023 - ARRESTS

Osborne, Chanity Nicole, 28, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest. Clinton

Vargas, Isaac N, 28, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest-Other Jurisdiction • Misd

#### 1/5/2023 - ARRESTS

Parks, Brandon Lynn, 29, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Excessive Blood Alcohol Content

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• Ease of access to major roads.

• Visible from major roads. · Close proximity to amenities, such as general commercial areas, recreation, healthcare, etc.

 No environmental legacy issues. Sites with a completed Phase I Environmental Site Assessment are preferred.

 No flood zone or wetlands within development area. To submit a site for consideration, please provide the following:

• Site address, or if no address, site is located near X (for example)

 Sites may be submitted by the following:



• Aerial photo of site with boundaries denoted. Google Earth, Henry County Assessor Map photos or other sources are acceptable. • Asking price (per acre). All sites for consideration must be received by Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce Economic **Development Department** by Friday January 20, 2023. Please forward to: Mark Dawson, CEcD **Economic Development Di**rector 200 South Main Street Clinton, MO 64735

(660) 492-6344 mark@clintonmo.com j11x1c

01/05 - 1:02pm: EMS Call, 100 Block of South Washington St.

01/05 - 2:39pm: EMS



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Carla Moberly, Agent Carla Moberly Agency LLC (660) 885-5575 cmoberly@amfam.com



Steven Cummings, Agent (660) 885-5575 scumming@amfam.com 901 E Ohio St., Clinton



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01/05 – 3:27pm: EMS Call, 400 Block of East Truman St.

01/05 – 4:58pm: Smoke Odor Investigation, 209 North Washington St.

01/05 - 5:52pm: Motor Vehicle Accident (Canceled En Route), 2300 Block of East Highway 7

01/05 - 8:55pm: EMS Call, 500 Block of East Franklin St.

01/05 - 9:07pm: Reported Motor Vehicle Accident (Nothing Found Upon Arrival), Area of North East Highway 52 & Highway AC 01/06 - 8:55am: EMS Call, 700 Block of South Sixth St.

01/06 - 2:31pm: Commercial Automatic Fire Alarm, Capri – 912 East Nusbaum Pl.

01/06 - 2:43pm: Natural Gas Leak in Roadway, 1801 East Green St.

01/06 - 5:04pm: Motor Vehicle Accident, North Highway 13 at NW 794 Rd. 01/06 - 5:50pm: Medical Assist with GVMH Ambulance, 1800 Block of North Community Dr. 01/06 - 11:25pm: EMS

Call, 400 Block of South 01/07 - 1:16pm: Passen-

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#### **Building Reports** DECEMBER 1-31

Permits: 5 YTD: 176 Permit Fees: \$1,399.00 YTD: \$44,920.00 Total Value YTD: \$37,372,644.00

CHAMBER cont.....

saw Resort and Marina, Bruce Limpus from Schreiber Foods and Jim Smith with Oak Star Bank.

Stacy Hinkle with Bernard Tax and Bookkeeping, Christy Maggi from the City of Clinton and Rick Pereles from the City Council will also continue to provide their services to the Chamber in 2023.

Remember when Rocky use to train for his fights in an old, dirty, sweaty gym? BLUSH Boot Camp is 100% on the other end of the spectrum...and it's just for the ladies. The Clinton Chamber Ambassadors held a ribbon cutting today at BLUSH. They have room for you, but this facility has become very popular very Congratulations! auick. From their Facebook page: We are a Boot Camp studio for women in all stages of their fitness journey! 1832 E Ohio St, Clinton, MO www.blushbootcamp.com

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

In the Estate of THOMAS WALTER FOSTER, Deceased. Case No.: 22HE-PR00152

1/12/23 -

#### **NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED** (Independent Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of THOMAS WAL-TER FOSTER, Decedent:

On DECEMBER 29, 2022, the following individuals was appointed the personal representative of the estate of THOMAS WALTER FOSTER, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The personal representative's business address is:

JORDAN RILEY GREGORY, 804 SOUTH 6TH ST. CLINTON. MO 64735

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

JEFFERY T. ADAMS, 206 SOUTH BAIRD, PO BOX 226, CLIN-TON, MO 64735, (660) 885-2221

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: 04-DEC-2022 Date of first publication: JANUARY 12, 2023

#### **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. j12,19,26,f2x4c

#### **REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES**

The City of Calhoun, MO is requesting qualifications for Engineer Services. The services required may include one or more of the following specialized services:

Drinking water and/or wastewater system engineering services which may include planning, design and/or construction phase services. Facility plans and engineering reports should adhere to 10 CSR 20-8.110 Engineering - Reports, Plans, and Specifications if appropriate. Funding for projects are through the Missouri Department of natural Resources' **Financial Assistance Center** 

Information provided in the response to the RFQ must include: (1) The specialized experience and technical competence of the firm with respect to the type of services required (0-20 points);

(2) The capacity and capability of the firm to perform the work in question, including specialized services, within the time limitations fixed for the completion of the project (15 points);

(3) The past record of performance of the firm with respect to such factors as control of costs, quality of work, and abili-

#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF **ROSEMARY EVELYN BIRDSONG**

LEGAL NOTICES =

TO: All persons interested in the estate of Rosemary Evelyn Birdsong, decedent.

The undersigned is acting as Trustee under a trust the terms of which provide that the debts of the decedent may be paid by the Trustee upon receipt of proper proof thereof. The address of the Trustee is 608 E. Ohio Street, Clinton, Mo. 64735.

All creditors of the decedent are notified to present their claims to the undersigned within six (6) months from the date of the first publication of this notice or be forever barred.

Michael X. Edgett, Trustee d22,29,j5,12x4c

#### TRUSTEE'S SALE

IN RE: Charles J. Branscombe and Annette L. Branscombe, Husband and Wife Trustee's Sale:

For default in payment of debt and performance of obligation secured by Deed of Trust executed by Charles J. Branscombe and Annette L. Branscombe, Husband and Wife dated January 16, 1998 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Henry County, Missouri in Book 616, Page 1416 the undersigned Successor Trustee, at the request of the legal holder of said Note will on Friday, January 20, 2023 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., (at the specific time of 9:00 AM), at the North Front Door of the Court House, City of Clinton, County of Henry, State of Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, described in said Deed of Trust, and situated in Henry County, State of Missouri, to wit:

ALL OF LOT THIRTY-ONE (31) IN HARMON GAINES SEC-OND SUBDIVISION TO THE CITY OF CLINTON, HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI.

to satisfy said debt and cost.

MILLSAP & SINGER, P.C., Successor Trustee 612 Spirit Drive St. Louis, MO 63005 (636) 537-0110 File No: 139452.012023.427286 FC

NOTICE

Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, 15 U.S.C. §1692c(b), no information concerning the collection of this debt may be given without the prior consent of the consumer given directly to the debt collector or the express permission of a court of competent jurisdiction. The debt collector is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. PUBLISH ON: December 29, 2022 01/05/2023, 01/12/2023, 01/19/2023

d29,j5,12,19x4c

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

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In the Estate of JAMES HARRIS KEIFER, Deceased. Case No.: 22HE-PR00141

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED (Independent Administration - Non-Resident Fiduciary) To All Persons Interested in the Estate of JAMES HARRIS **KEIFER, Decedent:** 

On December 12, 2022, tthe following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of JAMES HARRIS KEIFER, 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 personal representative's business address is: AARON KEIFER, 1800 W HOT SPRINGS ST, BROKEN AR-ROW, OK 74011

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

BRUCE E HOPSON, 721 N 17TH ST, APT 102, ST LOUIS, MO 63103, (573) 536-1984.

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

BRUCE E HOPSON, 721 N 17TH ST, APT 102, ST LOUIS, MO 63103, (573) 536-1984.

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: 29-OCT-2022

Date of first publication: December 22, 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. d22,29,j5,12x4c

**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT** 

**Board of Education** 

Calhoun R-VIII School District Calhoun, Missouri To The Members of the Board: **Report on the Financial Statements** 

#### Opinions

We have audited the accompanying modified cash basis financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of the Calhoun R-VIII School District, Calhoun, Missouri (the "District"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective modified cash basis financial position of the governmental activities and each major fund of the District, as of June 30, 2022, and the respective changes in modified cash basis financial position and the respective budgetary comparisons for the General and Special Revenue Funds for the year then ended in accordance with the modified cash basis of accounting described in Note 1. **Basis for Opinions** 

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards,* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

ty to meet schedules (0-15 points);

(4) The firm's proximity to and familiarity with the area in which the project is located (5 points); and

(5) The firm's professional experience in designing systems for the appropriate projects related to water and wastewater (20 points).

When submitting a proposal, please provide six (6) bound copies

The above information should be submitted no later than 4:00 p.m. on January 30, 2023 to the attention of City Clerk Tina Redding at Calhoun City Hall, 201 E. Main Street, P.O. Box 97, Calhoun, MO 65323. Submittals may be delivered via mail or courier. Email submissions will not be accepted. Submittals received after the deadline may not be considered.

Selection Process: Once the most qualified firm is selected, an engineering agreement will be negotiated. The engineering agreement may include services other than planning, design, and/or construction management including, but not limited to, assistance with securing project financing, assistance with attaining easements or real property, user rate analysis, geotechnical analysis, surveying, or other services as needed.

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#### **Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the modified cash basis of accounting described in Note 1; this includes determining that the modified cash basis of accounting is an acceptable basis for the preparation of the financial statements in the circumstances. Management is also responsible for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

#### **Emphasis of Matter - Basis of Accounting**

We draw attention to Note 1 of the financial statements, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial statements are prepared on the modified cash basis of accounting, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinions are not modified with respect to this matter.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and Government Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and Government Auditing Standards, we: • Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.

• Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.

 Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

• Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.

• Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time. We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

#### **Other Matters**

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements. The capital projects budgetary schedule, schedule of revenues collected by source, schedule of expenditures paid by object, schedule of selected statistics, schedule of transportation costs eligible for state aid and schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the capital projects budgetary schedule, schedule of revenues collected by source, schedule of expenditures paid by object, and schedule of expenditures of federal awards are fairly stated in all material respects in relation the basic financial statements as a whole.

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#### **LEGAL NOTICES PAGE 14** 1/12/23

#### Legal Notices cont.....

Our opinions on the basic financial statements do not cover the schedule of selected statistics and schedule of transportation costs eligible for state aid and we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the basic financial statements, our responsibility is to read the schedule of selected statistics and schedule of transportation costs eligible for state aid and consider whether a material inconsistency exists between the other information and the basic financial statements, or the other information otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work performed, we conclude that an uncorrected material misstatement of the other information exists, we are required to describe it in our report.

#### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated December 15, 2022, on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering the District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

December 15, 2022

Gerding, Korte & Chitwood, P.C. **Certified Public Accountants** Boonville, Missouri

#### CALHOUN R-VIII SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF REVENUES COLLECTED, EXPENDITURES PAID AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES ARISING FROM MODIFIED CASH TRANSACTIONS - ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

	Gov	ernmental Fund T	ypes	
	General (Incidental) Fund	Special Revenue (Teachers') Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Total Governmental Funds
<b>REVENUES COLLECTED:</b>				
Local	\$ 724,941	\$ 96,014	\$ -	\$ 820,955
County	-	37,605	-	37,605
State	254,556	635,560	-	890,116
Federal	603,105	348,923	-	952,028
Received from other districts	18,900	4,780		23,680
Total Revenues Collected	1,601,502	1,122,882		2,724,384
EXPENDITURES PAID:				
Regular instruction	127,320	637,091	-	764,411
Special instruction	18,695	118,955	-	137,650
Student activities	16,755	-	-	16,755
Tuition paid to other districts	-	6,000	-	6,000
Student support services	18,923	63,422	-	82,345
Instructional support services	15,248	87,413	-	102,661
Board of Education services	26,504	-	-	26,504
Executive administration	62,773	138,524	-	201,297
Building level administration	-	46,380	-	46,380
Business/central services	4,828	-	-	4,828
Operation of plant	307,445	-	153,233	460,678
Pupil transportation	32,736	2,160	46,900	81,796
Food services	118,742	-	-	118,742
Adult education and community services	327,703	90,968	-	418,671
Total Expenditures Paid	1,077,672	1,190,913	200,133	2,468,718
EXCESS/(DEFICIT) OF REVENUES				
COLLECTED OVER EXPENDITURES PAID	523,830	(68,031)	(200,133)	255,666
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES/(USES):				
Transfers	(230,357)	68,031	162,326	-
Total Other Financing Sources/(Uses)	(230,357)	68,031	162,326	-
EXCESS/(DEFICIT) OF REVENUES COLLECTED AND OTHER FINANCING SOURCES OVER EXPENDITURES				
PAID AND OTHER FINANCING USES	293,473	-	(37,807)	\$ 255,666
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR	742,190		112,470	
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR 2x1c	\$ 1,035,663	\$ -	\$ 74,663	

DAVIS TOWNSHIP, HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2023 Beginning Ending					to get some rest, it would be 2:30 or 3 a.m., he said. "I had to get up four hours
FUNDS:	Balance	Receipts	Disbursements	Balance later t	later to celebrate Mass on Christmas Day," he said.
a. General Fund b. Road and Bridge	<u>39,937.42</u> 24,536.78	<u>22,946.12</u> 63,741.29	<u>7,819.17</u> 69,075.72	<u>55,064.37</u> <u>19,202.35</u>	Asked how he stayed awake at Midnight Mass at St. Mark, he joked "I didn't. I told peo-
(1) Administration: All offices fees and Commissions, insurance, printing stationery Elections, etc.					ple I was praying." From 1987 to 1991, he served four churches — St.
(2) Construction: New roads, bridges,			Signed: Debora Lusby		Stephen, St. Stanislaus, St.
Culverts, road tubes, etc.			<u>Title: Treasurer</u>		Matthew and Holy Trini- ty. The phones of all four churches were forwarded to his house at night, he said.
<ul><li>(3) Maintenance: All expenses for Maintaining roads</li><li>j12x1c</li></ul>			<u>Name of District: Davis Twp.</u> <u>Name of County: Henry</u>		

ing at St. Mark and in Clinton - at St. Mark, he had a staff of 12, he said. In Clinton, he's on his own.

The advantage: staff meetings go so much more smoothly because everybody agrees."It's like, okay, we'll do that," he said, nodding his head as if conferring with the staff.

His Easter schedule is similar to Christmas Eve, with three services back to back, only they start earlier, at 7 a.m.

And next December, the schedule is even fuller because Christmas Eve falls on a Sunday. That means he'll be celebrating Sunday morning Mass in Clinton at 8:30 a.m. and in Windsor at 11 a.m., then head out to Osceola in the afternoon for the first of three Christmas Eve services.

In all, he has put 100,000 miles on his car, a Ford Escape, in the past two years, and averages 3,000 miles a month. Since he was assigned to the Truman Lake Parish in July of 2016, he's put in a lot of miles on the

road, but his spirit never flags.

"I just go from one church to the other," he said. "It's a self-motivating job."

That not only includes driving to his assigned churches, but also visiting people in their homes and in the hospital. It's the part of his vocation that he enjoys the most walking with people on

their faith journeys.

"I'm there in the good times weddings, anniversaries, birthdays - and the hard times," he said. "I help them trust in the Lord."

The bottom line, he said: Jesus loves you, and wants to be a part of your life. He celebrates Mass at Holy Rosary in Clinton, Fourth and Wilson, at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday through Friday, Saturday at 5 p.m. and Sunday at 8:30 a.m. Services at St. Catherine, Hwy. WW, Osceola, are Saturdays at 3 p.m. and at St. Bartholomew, 504 Benton in Windsor, Sundays at 11 a.m.

Everyone is welcome. For more information, go to trumanlakecatholic.com.



#### January 4, 2023

Please license and register your pet at AC City Hall. The cost is \$5.00 per pet and you need proof of current rabies vaccination.

Ellett Memorial Hospital Appleton City offers outpatient specialist services for January, 2023. Call 660-476-2111 for appointments: Jan. 13 - Ortho-Dr. Gray, Jan. 18- Upper GI, Colonoscopy-Dr. Namin, Jan 19 - Podiatry- Dr. Pace, Jan 23 - Rheumatology-Dr. John, Jan 25 - Ophthalmology - Dr. Soni

The Department of Economic Development (DED) encourages all Missourians to participate in the FCC's broadband map challenge opportunity as its Office of Broadband Development works to expand access to highspeed internet statewide. The challenge opportunity will identify errors in the new FCC maps that would prevent Missouri from receiving its full share of funding through the upcoming Broadband Equity, Access, and Deployment (BEAD) Program. Errors could relate to physical locations or types of internet service availability. To ensure coverage for homes, businesses, and communities is accurately represented, any citizen can participate. All challenges submitted prior to January 13, 2023, will be considered. Investment, and Jobs Act (IIJA). The state will use BEAD funding for its Connecting All Missourians initiative, which aims to provide high-quality internet statewide. Go to ded.mo.gov/getconnected and check the FCC map to see if you're listed correctly. A direct link https://broadbandmap.fcc.gov/location-summary/fi is:

xed?zoom=6.22&vlon=-93.116540&vlat=38.366122&br =r&speed=100\_20&tech=1\_2\_3\_7 To assist individuals with challenge submissions, guidance is available from the Office of Broadband Development or at any local University of Missouri Extension office. Resources, including an instructional video, how-to document, and FAQs, are

#### **NOTICE OF SALE**

For default of payment, all items from the following storage units will be sold at auction on Saturday, January 21, 2023. Enrollment starts at 11:30 am inside the RE/MAX building 5 NE 91 Rd. The sale starts at 12 Noon. The sale, sold as whole unit lot(s), will commence at 5 NE 91 Rd, Clinton, MO and progress to other locations. Unit(s) located at Remax: #3, #7, #21, #22, #75, #85 Unit(s) located on Swisher Drive: #117, #130, #225, #407, #424 Unit(s) located on Water St Ext: #129, #133, #157, #166, #316, #317, #318, #319, #329. #395 Unit(s) located at 1311 N Washington: #30, #57 Call 660-885-2201 with questions. STORE-N-MOOR, Clinton, MO j5,12,19x3c

#### Have a news tip/story idea? SEND IT ||| <u>P</u>) clintondaily democrat@ gmail.com

Deer Creek Township in Henry County, Missouri, is accepting bids for the hauling of road rock for 2023. Please bid hauling from Tightwad and Deepwater Quarries. Bids will be accepted until 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, January 18, 2023. Mail bids to Deer Creek Township, P.O. Box 35, Calhoun, MO 65323 or hand deliver bids to Calhoun City Hall, 201 E. Main, Calhoun, MO. Questions? 660-525-3540. Deer Creek Township reserves the right to accept or reject any bid. i5,12x2c

#### IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

IN RE: The Change of Name of

**CIDNEE ANN ROGERS** 

**NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME** You are hereby notified that the name of CIDNEE ANN ROGERS has been changed to CIDNEE ANN CHIPLEY by Judgment of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri which was entered on the 20th day of December, 2022. J5,12,19x3p

#### PRIEST Continued from page 1

schedule, serving as priest of the Truman Lake Parish, with its three churches, is one of his lighter assignments.

Father Jim will tell you with a straight face that he is the oldest living priest in the diocese, having been ordained in 1881, a misprint in a publication. He is actually 68, and has been a priest for 42 years. He has no plans to retire.

Where does he get the energy?

"I love God. I love people," Father Jim said. "I'm here to serve. It gives me energy to help people."

The shortage of men going into the priesthood means priests have to cover multiple churches in a parish, he said, and are encouraged to

continue to serve until they are at least 70 years of age. Father Jim studied to be a diocesan priest, he said, meaning one who works in the diocese, and is not part of an order. His last parish before Truman Lake was St. Mark in Independence, which had 3,000 families. It took him a week to learn everyone's name, he said, noting that the church had more people than the city of Clinton.

To accommodate all the parishioners on Christmas Eve, he celebrated Mass at 3 p.m., 5 p.m. and 7 p.m and at midnight while another staff person took two Masses in the parish hall. By the time Father Jim locked up the church and went home

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The third time they called, he said, they caught on that they were talking to the same person.

Besides serving his current three churches, he receives requests to return to his former parishes to do funerals. Last week, he was in Raymore to conduct a funeral at St. Bernadette on Wednesday, and the next day, was in Independence conducting a funeral at St. Mark. He's also served at St. Ann in Independence, Nativity in Independence and Visitation Church on the Kansas City Plaza.

He is entitled to an annual vacation, but hasn't taken one in 14 years, when his mother died in 2009. His mother's birthday was on Christmas Day, he said, so his family's Christmas celebration included cake and ice cream. He grew up in north Kansas City, attended high school at St. John's Seminary, college at a Benedictine seminary, and graduate school at Kenrick.

He has also served St. Charles Church in north Kansas City, and St. Matthew Church in south Kansas City. The difference between servavailable at ded.mo.gov/getconnected.

Missouri ag producers who need to obtain or renew a private pesticide applicator license to purchase restricted-use pesticides can attend an on-line Zoom class or attend an in-person class, according to Pat Miller, University of Missouri Extension agronomist. Producers can attend any of the Zoom classes taught by MU specialists across the state. These can be found at: https://extension.missouri.edu. Below is the list of trainings that will be taught by Pat Miller, MU Extension Agronomy Specialist: January 17 at 2 p.m. First Baptist Church, 505 Walnut, Osceola. Register by 1/13 at 417-646-2419, January 18 at 10 a.m. Bates County Health Department, 501 N Orange, Butler. Register by 1/16 at 660-679-4167, January 18 at 2 p.m. Bates County Health Department, 501 N Orange, Butler. Register by 1/16 at 660-679-4167, January 19 10 a.m. Extension Office, Courthouse Basement, 302 S. Main Street, Carthage. Register by 1/16 at 417-358-2158, January 19 2 p.m. Extension Office, Courthouse Basement, 302 S. Main Street, Carthage. Register by 1/16 at 417-358-2158. Online registration can be found at: https://extension.missouri.edu/events/?programs=Pesticide+Applicator+Training&lpurl=%2fevents In case of bad weather or illness the classes may be rescheduled so it is important to register so we can contact you if it is rescheduled. Check e-mails and texts. Keep in mind some offices may be closed during the holidays. On-line Zoom classes will also be available if you don't want to attend in-person. Let us know at registration if you need any special accommodations. Attendees are encouraged but not required to bring a 2007 copy of manual (M87) with them or purchase one for \$25 plus shipping at: https://extension.missouri.edu/m87. Allow time for shipping. Your local Extension Center may have a few copies for sale. Producers who need to avoid public settings due to health reasons, can check with their local extension center for an in-office option. This class also completes the EPA worker protection training program for ag employees who handle pesticides. Miller reminds producers that if their license expired in 2022 or earlier, they need to use the form for a new license instead of the one for recertification. Please bring your license number to the class. If ag producers have questions or need more information, contact Pat Miller, agronomy specialist, at 417-448-2560 or millerpd@missouri.edu.

New Year's helpful hint: Go ahead and write 2023 on the next several checks in your checkbook. That way, you won't write the wrong year on them during the first few days of 2023.

#### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Jan 9-14: 41st Annual Appleton City Invitational Basketball Tournament



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