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Local Options Are Few For Uninsured Looking To Detox



A FIRST POINT OF CONTACT for those seeking outpatient drug treatment are customer service representatives Kandi Kellner and Stephanie Young at Pathways Community Health in Warsaw.

By
Joyce
Coates
Enterprise
Staff

“Substance Use Disorders are a chronic disease, much like high blood pressure or diabetes,” said Elisabeth Brockman-Knight, the senior director of addiction recovery and prevention for Compass Health Network (CHN).

One steady reminder that there are people in Benton County who suffer from the disease can be found in the Sheriff’s weekly report of arrests.

At the approach of the new year, from Christmas Day 2017 through January 7, 2018, seven individuals were arrested for drug related violations, and another for alcohol abuse. A total of eleven men and women were arrested during those

14 days; the majority (8) for illegal substance use. One man was arrested twice within a week for the same offense.

From a broader perspective on the impact of the problem, below are excerpts from Benton County statistics in the “2017 Status Report on Missouri’s Substance Use and Mental Health”:

•Alcohol induced deaths in 2015: 4

•Drug induced deaths in 2015: 4

•Alcohol involved car crashes 2016: 14; 9 people injured

•Drug involved car crashes 2016: 1; 5 people injured

•DUI arrests in 2016: 59

•Drug arrests in 2016: 143

•Juvenile alcohol offenses in 2016: 3

•Juvenile drug offenses in 2016: 17

•Juvenile court placements in 2016 related to

parental drug use: 4

•Prison admissions in FY2017 – DWI: 3

•Prison admissions in FY2017 – Drugs: 41

Substance users need to know that help is available in a variety of settings to anyone with an addiction, whether insured or uninsured. Brockman-Knight said CHN contracts with the Missouri Department of Mental Health to provide

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4 Day School Week Moves Closer



THE NUMBER OF SCHOOLS using a four day school week in Missouri is growing and the Warsaw R-IX District has placed it under consideration. The move would affect teachers and students including South Elementary Instructor Rachele Yoder and student Wesley Orton.

The Warsaw R-IX Board of Education will host a question and answer session on March 8 at 6:30 PM in the Warsaw High School gym to address the concerns of parents about the proposed four day school week. A panel consisting of Warsaw R-IX Superintendent Dr. Shawn Poyser, Board members from the Stockton School District and the Superintendent of the Stockton School District. Parents are encouraged to e-mail their questions to Dr. Poyser at dr.poyser@stocktonschools.org

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Expo Reels In Hunting And Fishing Enthusiasts



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A JAM PACKED Warsaw Community was the scene on Saturday for the Hunting And Fishing Expo sponsored by the Warsaw Area Chamber of Commerce. R&C Adventures was represented by Christine Letcher who spoke with attendees Brad Jelinek and Tonya Thies.

Sales Tax For New Jail Ready For April Vote

At a regular meeting of the Benton County Commissioners held at 9:00 AM on January 22, 2018, a resolution placing a 1/2 Cent Sales Tax proposal was unanimously approved for the April 3, 2018 ballot. The ballot states that the proceeds for this 1/2 Cent Sales Tax (not a property tax) are to be used to construct a new 80 bed jail (expandable to 100 beds) to be located at 1620 East Main Street (east of Highway 65 across from the former Smoke Shack BBQ) along with administrative office space to house the Benton County Sheriff’s operations. This 1/2 Cent Sales Tax will sunset (cease) by September 30, 2039 or upon the final payment of the lease financing, whichever comes first. With voter

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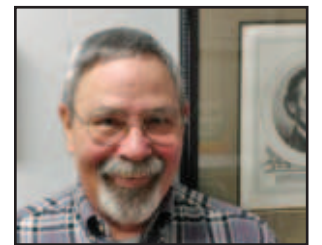
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MEET

THE PEOPLE OF
BENTON COUNTY



JOHN KING
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BRIEFLY

Warsaw South School PTO St. Patrick’s Day Dodgeball Tournament March 17, 2018 South School Gymnasium \$10 per player - \$100 per 10 member team
This event is open to the community and everyone is welcome! All proceeds benefit Warsaw South School PTO. To register your team or get more information, call Tonia Johnson, Warsaw South PTO President, at 314-703-5387.

Lincoln Community Care Center Guild will hold its monthly meeting on Monday, March 12, 2018 at 10:30 AM in the Family Dining Room at the Care Center, 205 Timberline

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7 DAY FORECAST	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
	HIGH 48° LOW 28°	HIGH 55° LOW 34°	HIGH 61° LOW 42°	HIGH 59° LOW 44°	HIGH 50° LOW 34°	HIGH 47° LOW 32°	HIGH 48° LOW 31°
LAKE STAGES	Truman Lake 709.93, 3.93 feet above normal pool. Lake of the Ozarks at the Warsaw Swinging Bridge: 654.85, 5.15 feet below normal pool. Total discharge over the spillway is 0 CFS and through the turbines is 0 CFS. Lake temperature is 38°.						
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\$5.00 ~ Children Under 5 FREE

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MEET The People Of BENTON COUNTY



Name: John King
Birthplace: Kansas City, Mo
Years In Lincoln: 31.
Family: My wife, Earline, children, Wendy Link, Suzette Riddle, Joseph King, Steven King.
Occupation: Electronic Technician, retired U.S. Navy.
Education: High School, Odessa, U.S. Navy Electronics School.
Favorite Childhood Memory: Watching Saturday morning cartoons and Little Rascals on T.V.
Growing Up I Wanted To Be: An Engineer (train).
Favorite Movie: Gone with the Wind.
First Job: Grocery store clerk.
Prized Possession: Civil War era pistol handed down from my great grandfather.
Favorite Musician: "Six" in Branson.
What Do You Value Most In Your Friends: Honesty, integrity, and willingness to help others.
Hobbies: Camping, fishing, and tinkering with electronics.
Best Time Of My Life: Hard to single out one event as I have enjoyed life even with the ups and downs.

I Hope I Never Have To: Be a burden to others.
I've Never Been Able To: Use a hula hoop.
Worst Idea I Ever Had: I've asked everyone but my wife and no one seems to think of one.
Most Embarrassing Moment: Upper denture flew out at a basketball game when I was yelling at referee's bad call.
If I Won The Lottery I Would: I don't participate in the lottery, because many winners end up worse off than before.
Major Accomplishment: Promotion to Chief Petty Officer during my U.S. Navy career.
Future Goal: Seeing the completion on the city upgrade to our waste water collection and treatment.
What Is The Best Thing About Living In Lincoln: The friendly people.
What Is Your Greatest Fear: Being disliked.
Which Person Do You Admire The Most: Abraham Lincoln, because he did what was right instead of what was popular.
Words To Live By: Procrastination is a thief of time.

MORE NEWS BRIEFS

Drive, Lincoln. All Guild members and those interested are invited to attend the regular business meeting.

"Libraries are for Creating" is the theme for Teen Tech Week which will be celebrated at the Warsaw Library March 5-10. There will be a contest for ages 12-18 for a chance to win a Kindle Fire 7. Teen Tech Week is sponsored by YALSA, a division of the American Library Association. For more information, contact the Warsaw Library at 660-438-5211 or stop by 102 E. Jackson St.

No day or evening classes will be held and offices will be closed March 6 at all State Fair Community College locations for a faculty and staff professional development day on the Sedalia campus.

Osage Valley #502, Order of the Eastern Star will celebrate St. Patrick's Day on Tuesday, March 6th, at the Shawnee Lodge Masonic Temple across from the Warsaw Post Office. The meeting will begin at 7:30 PM. All Eastern Star sisters and brothers are invited to come and enjoy good fellowship and food. If anyone has questions, please call Martha Foster, Worthy Matron, at 660 438 6927.



WALNUT GROVE SCHOOL 1943-1944 Front Row: Nadine Motley, Helen Massey, Mike Robb, Murl Leeders, Jr. Middle Row: Midde Row, Kenneth Motley, Beth Beyer, Helen Beyer, Elaine Breasher, Bill Hutton, Lew Massey. Back Row: Charlotte Robb, Helen Sledd, Bonnie Sue Rob, Homer Sledd, Geneviene Drake (teacher), Gene Farr, Donna Robb.

K.C. Metro Men's Chorus In Warsaw

The Kansas City Metro Men's Chorus will perform Sunday afternoon March 11 at 3:00 PM at the First United Methodist Church in Warsaw. The Church is located at 154 West Washington Street. Since its inception, the men of the chorus have donated their time and monies in support of mission. Their generosity has allowed the Chorus to give 100% of love offerings, which now total over \$400,000, to various charitable organizations in the metro area. With over 75 men singing songs of praise the dynamics and inspiration are something to behold. The group is led by Noel Fulkerson and Cliff Jones.

A free will offering will be accepted with proceeds benefitting Soup & More Community Kitchen.

Change Your Routine For A Better You

Sometimes the smallest changes to your daily habits can have the biggest impact on your wellness. With that in mind, here are a few easy ways you can change your routine for a better you.

Sit Less
 Does your job require you to sit still most of the day? Even if you work out regularly, an otherwise sedentary lifestyle can be bad for your health. Be sure to get up throughout the day in order to stretch and walk around. It only takes a minute to reap the benefits, so don't skip these breaks. Consider installing an app on your phone to remind you at periodic intervals when it's time to move, and if pos-

sible, alter your workstation to make it easier to assist in this effort. Standing desks, treadmill desks and even biking desks can keep you active throughout the day.

Rethink Brushing
 Good oral health includes taking great care of your gums -- and research shows that harmful bacteria and plaque that lurk below the gum line can have a big impact.

"A healthy mouth needs healthy gums, and even diligent brushing may not remove all harmful plaque," said Sarah Thiel, RDH. "Toothpaste that goes below the gum line to destroy plaque bacteria in the mouth is a great addition to your brushing routine. Because if you're not taking care of your gums, you're not taking care of you."

Consider switching to a toothpaste specifically developed to improve gum health, like Crest Gum Detoxify, which uses Activated Foam Technology to seek out harmful bacteria in hard to reach places in order to neutralize it, even below the gum line. More information can be found at Crest.com.

Spice it Up
 If you rely on fat and sugar for the bulk of flavor in your cooking, consider improving your seasoning routines for more nutritional meals. Reduce your reliance on these ingredients without getting bored by adding healthier boosts of flavor to dishes. Chop fresh herbs onto your pasta or salad, add spices to your stew, include garlic, ginger and even hot peppers in your stir-fry.
Drink More Water
 What are you drinking during the day? If the answer is juice and soda, consider replacing at least some of that with water. Water doesn't have to be flavorless. Infuse your water

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bottle or pitcher with your favorite fruits, vegetables and herbs. From cucumber and strawberry slices to watermelon and mint, you can have fun while hydrating, without resorting to high calorie beverages that offer little or no nutritional value. Focusing on sweep-

What You Need To Know About
MISSOURI CONCEALED CARRY LAWS

The Friends of the Benton County Sheriff's Office are proud to host a seminar reviewing the current Missouri's Firearm Concealed Carry Laws

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 2018

Starting at 6:00 PM

Knights of Columbus Hall

31687 Highway 83, (Wildcat Drive) Warsaw

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FEBRUARY 26 to March 2- Annual Lincoln Chamber 5th and 6th Grade Basketball Tournament. The Tournament will be held in the Lincoln R-2 High School Gym. Games will be Monday thru Friday. Times to be announced. Admission will be \$3.00 adults, senior citizens (65 & up) \$2.00, \$1.00 students, under 6 free. Concessions will be available. For more information contact Rick Renno, 660-221-9422.

MARCH 1- CONCEAL & CARRY LAWS SEMINAR: Warsaw Knights of Columbus Hall, 31687 HWY 83, Warsaw. 6-9 PM. More information on Facebook, Friends of the Benton County Sheriff's Office, 417-719-2538 or 660-438-6927.

MARCH 16- WHEELCHAIR SWING FUNDRAISER. Spaghetti Dinner, Warsaw Community Building 4:30- 7:30. More information 660-619-3835 or on Facebook under Wheelchair Swing Fundraiser.

APRIL 14- Benton County Cancer Dinner and Dance, hosted by Mary Donnell-Brown at the Cole Camp American Legion. Free will donations. 6:00 PM Potluck, bring your favorite dish. 4:00-7:00 Silent Auction, closing at 7:00. 7:00 Live Auction, 8:00-12:00 Dance with music by Ionia Chamber of Commerce.

APRIL 7- Benton County Historical Society will host the 47th Annual Benefit Dinner FEELING GROOVY on Saturday, April 7, 2018 at St. Ann's Catholic Church Fellowship Hall in Warsaw. 6 p.m. Social- 6:30 PM. Dinner. Entertainment provided by The Morton Sisters. Silent Auction and Pie Auction. Tickets \$30 per person. Tickets can be purchased from BCHS Board Members, Warsaw Chamber of Commerce, or call Carter Kinkead for information 660-221-7319. This is a fundraiser to support our local Benton County Museum.

FRISTOE AREA NEWS

Today, Monday, is a beautiful sunny day. I am thankful to see the nice day after so many cloudy dreary, cold, days that was our weather last week.

Yesterday was a lovely day although still on the chilly side. Adam and Bridget Arnett celebrated their daughter Laney's and Madalyn's birthdays after church. Laney was born February 16, 2006 and Madalyn was born February 26, 2008, so they usually have a small celebration on each separately but have a family and friend party of both together also each year. Everyone enjoyed the day and Laney is growing up too fast as she baked her own birthday cake.

Garrett Hilburn, Wyatt Hilburn, and Breyer Hilburn send out a Great Big Happy Birthday Shout-Out to their Mom Brenda Hilburn! Brenda's birthday is Saturday March 3rd!

The Fristoe Pentecostal Lighthouse Church was blessed by Sis. Brenda Smith visiting. She always provides wonderful music for song service and accompaniment to Br. Smith as he brings his message. Br. Smith brought an uplifting message entitled "The King is Coming" from 2nd Samuel. A blessing for the entire congregation. Also a blessing was Madalyn Arnett working with Kele First as the song leader for church service. As mentioned Madalyn is celebrating her 10th birthday but she really enjoys helping with the song service. God is so good!

Had word from Mary Brown on Leland's progress at the Dr's. The dr's report was that he is still having small "mini" seizures and they have therefore doubled his meds and will check him again in two weeks. This is a trying time for them as he is trying to work and she is trying to run her business while having to drive him to work and pick him up every day. Please keep Leland and Mary both in prayer. Although we reported good news concerning Joe's feet and legs please keep Joe and Gladys Harris on prayer lists. Br. Tony Smith went and picked up Mary Scarbrough yesterday as she was able to come to church and Sunday school but keep Mary Scarbrough and W.Y Garrison on your prayer list.

Matthew Pierson, son of Keith and Linda Pierson, and grandson of long time Fristoe resident Werby Williams, was at the home farm last week visiting. Matthew has made a career of Army service and is back in the states after two different deployments in Afghanistan. Thank you Matthew for your service and all you have given!

The Antwiler Park Board reminds everyone that the meeting will be Monday night, March 5th at 7:00 P.M. in the Fristoe Community Building.

Prayer meeting: Monday morning, 9:00 A.M. Fristoe Lighthouse Church

Community Bible Study: Thursday morning, 7:30 A.M. Fristoe Community Building

Tri-Lakes Cowboy Church: Thursday evening, Fristoe Community Building, building opens 5:15 P.M. music, food begins around 6:00 prayer, praise, and worship and bringing God's Word at 7:00 P.M. Everyone is always welcome!

Thought for the week: Habit, if not resisted soon becomes a necessity!

EDWARDS AREA NEWS

THE DEER CREEK FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT WILL HOLD A POTLUCK DINNER ON TUESDAY MARCH 5TH AT 6:00 PM AT FIRE STATION 3 ON M HIGHWAY. The fire department will provide place settings along with coffee and tea. Please bring your potluck dish of meat, vegetables or dessert. This is the first potluck dinner for the New Year! THIS IS A COMMUNITY-WIDE EVENT, ANDEVERYONE IS WELCOME!

EDWARDS AREA COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE MARCH 1ST. The 2018 Edwards Area Community Scholarship essay contest begins March 1, 2018. The scholarship is available for any student currently residing in the Edwards ZIP Code 65326 - including home school students. To qualify, the applicant must show that they have been actively involved in their school and community, that they have been accepted (or have applied and are awaiting acceptance) to an accredited school for further education, and they are full time residents living in the Edwards Area. High school counselors in Climax Springs and Warsaw will have the application forms and be available for further assistance. Home school applicants will need to contact EACC president John Spry at 573-347-2552 for the forms and instructions.

A HANDMADE WOODEN SWING IS BEING RAFFED BY THE BUSY BEES AS A FUNDRAISER. Raffle tickets will be available at the DCFPD Potluck Dinner on March 5th, the Chili Dinner on March 23rd, or from Busy Bee members. The drawing for the swing will be held on June 5th at the DCFPD potluck dinner. THE NEXT TRAINING

MEETING FOR FIREFIGHTERS AND FIRST RESPONDERS OF THE DEER CREEK FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT WILL BE HELD ON MARCH 13TH AT 6:00PM AT FIREHOUSE 3 ON M HIGHWAY. We are still needing volunteers for fire and first responders. If you would like to help, please contact Chad at 660-723-1145.

THE ANGELS IN TRAINING MISSION GROUP WILL MEET ON MONDAY MARCH 5TH AT 10:00AM AT COLONY BAPTIST CHURCH. After the business meeting the ladies have a study time on a very good inspiring book, followed by a light lunch or snacks. The Angels in Training work together through fundraisers to support the following groups: Crossroads Family Services, The Place at the Lake for Abused Women and their children; Summer Camperships at Baptist Ridge Camp; and Adopt-a-Tote program. Many of the ladies also help provide a meal and fellowship once a month for area seniors. Angels in Training Mission Group puts a heavy emphasis on caring for our youth and seniors. If you have any questions or would be interested in joining, please call Darlene at 573-345-3034 or Della at 573-345-3095

THE EDWARDS AREA COMMUNITY CORP (EACC) WILL MEET ON THURSDAY MARCH 8TH AT 6:30 PM AT THE EDWARDS COMMUNITY CENTER. This is the first meeting in 2018! The doors of the community center will open at 6:00 PM for a meet & greet prior to the meeting. Refreshments will be available. Anyone wishing to bring snacks or finger foods (hot or cold) is welcome to do so. New members and/or visitors are always welcome. If you have any questions or would be interested in joining, you can call EACC president John Spry at 573-347-2552.

If you reside in the Edwards mailing area and would like to submit information and news for the Edwards Area News column, email it to EdwardsAreaNews@yahoo.com.

Please submit information no later than noon on Friday.

WARSAW AREA NEWS



By Linnie Newman

Good morning you all. Is that a Warsaw welcome or Southard saying? Darn if I know just my silly side coming out. If we couldn't laugh and be crazy our faces would crack. Lord, as I look in the mirror I see my mother with not cracks, just

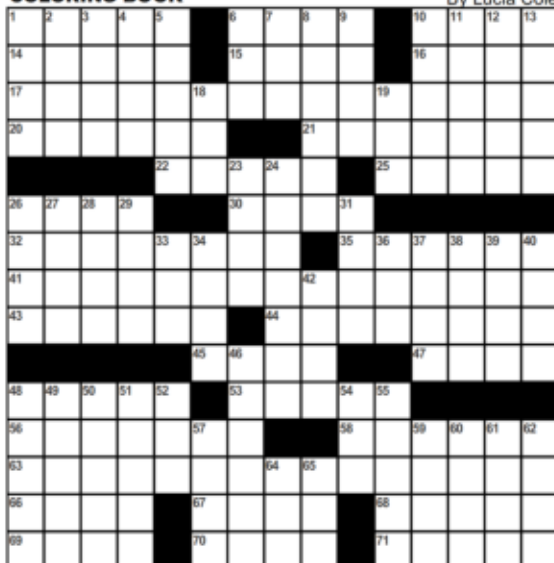
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- 1) Matriarchs
- 6) Adventurous, heroic story
- 10) Cleaning substance
- 14) To no ___ (worthless)
- 15) Press, as a shirt
- 16) "Cogito ___ sum"
- 17) First National of Wyoming?
- 20) Nobleman, informally
- 21) Where Jesus grew up
- 22) Do-it-yourselfer's genre
- 25) Holographer's beam
- 26) Id's counterpart
- 30) Hawaiian dance
- 32) Pollen, e.g.
- 35) Make do?
- 41) Independence Day colors
- 43) Rent collector
- 44) Bahamas cruise stop
- 45) Word with "miracle" or "wonder"
- 47) Die pip
- 48) Prone to backtalk
- 53) Eschew a big wedding
- 56) Where some are young
- 58) Mount for Noah
- 63) Maryland's state flowers
- 66) Long, angry complaint
- 67) Made a mockery of?
- 68) Ravens tight end Dennis
- 69) Makes inquiries
- 70) Tuna-and-cheese sandwich
- 71) Nonlethal weapon, usually

DOWN

- 1) Legendary Angelou
- 2) Say it isn't faux
- 3) Bamako's country
- 4) Is under the weather
- 5) A deadly sin
- 6) She may be bro kin?
- 7) "How Great Thou ___"
- 8) Number with 100 zeroes
- 9) Visitor to Siam
- 10) Restored photo, perhaps
- 11) Doctorate exams
- 12) Be in concurrence
- 13) Hand-raising activity?
- 18) Pursue amorously
- 19) 90-degree shape
- 23) Stimulate, as one's appetite
- 24) Pleasing to the ear
- 26) Viscount's superior
- 27) Cheerfulness
- 28) Bygone automaker
- 29) Performs stitchery
- 31) Pimples
- 33) P. on a fraternity sweater
- 34) ___ one's loins
- 36) Poem of praise
- 37) Broadband speed letters
- 38) Alka-Seltzer sound?
- 39) 100-cent unit
- 40) Native of Latvia
- 42) Golden Fleece-seeker's vessel
- 46) Correct, as a manuscript
- 48) Native-born Israeli
- 49) Collection of maps
- 50) Beef cut
- 51) Religious spin-offs
- 52) Talk, talk, talk
- 54) Faux ___
- 55) Let out the lava
- 57) 500 sheets of paper
- 59) Marco Polo crossed it
- 60) Charlie Brown expression
- 61) Kitty starter
- 62) Nicholas I or II, e.g.
- 64) Unagi, at a sushi restaurant
- 65) Banned bug-killer

COLORING BOOK



By Lucia Cole

wrinkles.

Last Monday morning as I wrote my news, who knew that by the next morning 3 very dear people would be included in an obituary somewhere in this U.S.A. Namely Jean Thompson of LaMonte, Sue Ferguson, and Glen Harpham of Warsaw area and former local boy Bill Proctor who up a good fight in Texas. If my mind is still working he would have graduated in 1980 from Good Old Warsaw High School. My deepest sympathy to these families.

Happy Birthday and congratulations to those that celebrated anniversaries. Life is precious so live each day like maybe tomorrow will never come on this earth.

Thanks to each and everyone for calling with news. BFF Shirley Church of Lincoln called to tell me Jeannie West and Kaye Mantonya had traveled to the Isle of Capri in Booneville for the birthday thinking they would catch up with me and my gang, but due to rain, pit stops and of course food we didn't make it until after dark. I had went to Hollister, MO and cross country to Booneville. In Hollister I picked up good friend or should I say BFF Larry Martin for a weekend away where we met up with daughter Gayla and BFF Babs. For everyone that has reached a certain tier we were issued Wrangler rolling suitcases. Some of us along with acquaintances spent Friday night, Saturday night, and returned to our own homes on Sunday. We ran into several from Warsaw and friends we had all made at the casino, etc. Just so much fun, friendship and laughter and back to the real world of laundry, etc. I love housework and I love Warsaw also the very near and dear friends of Benton County and surrounding counties. To Shawn I say the odds weren't that good.

Getting home Sunday night I had a call from Tina Balke Odom of Odessa to report that Anita Orne niece of the Smith girls of Fristoe picked up her Aunt Bonnie Henderson of Wheatland, her mother Jenny Balke in Warsaw and traveling with a beautiful birthday cake to Lincoln Nursing Home where Leta Rogers is living to celebrate Bonnie's birthday. Tina also drove down from her home to be in on the celebration. Jenny, Bonnie and Leta Ann were the children of Everett (Chick) and Rachel Smith of Fristoe.

Also a phone call from long time friend Donna Clark Griffith. She was the daughter of the late Perry and Bertha Clark whom owned the Warsaw Shoe Store and Shoe Repair on Main Street.

Here's hoping everyone gets outside and gets some fresh air up their nostrils, take a walk if able. Also look around at the beautiful country in Benton County. Also received a letter and picture from Lila Barnes Vanschoick of Libby, MT. Her and I go back to school days in "Good Old Shawnee Bend." Also of Gene Stadlers death and memorial from Helen Gaylord Mantonya.

Treat each other and everyone as you want to be treated, also hold your tongue and control your anger just turn the other cheek God Bless You With Health and BFFS. Talk to you next week, God Willing.

BENTON COUNTY ELKS LODGE #2783 WARSAW

Shuffleboard Tuesday 2-20 2 PM

1st Linda Kosmicki & Doris Velazquez

Up & Down Herb Halterman 20

Darts Weds. 2-21 5:30 PM

1st Terry Timmons & Jerry Mewszel

Darts Friday 2-23 5:30 PM 1st Bev Simms & Sherman Stroup

Cornhole Sat. 2-24 2 PM 1st Paula Oprzedek & Dennis Schoen

On Sunday, February 18, Benton County Elks Lodge hosted the Lodge Boys Band Music Jam. The crowd enjoyed singing, dancing and various musical guests. Brats, appetizers, and peanut butter fudge; was enjoyed by many. Next scheduled Music Jam is Sunday, March 25 @ 1 PM. The Lodge Boys welcome all musicians, singers and dancers, to the Jams; and, also, to attend the music every Thursday at the Benton County Elks Lodge, 1 PM - 4 PM. Elks Lodge #2783 will also celebrate a special member birthday, Dorothy Hindes -100 years young, on Thursday March 1, with the Lodge Boys Band. All events are open to members and guests. Saturday, March 10th, Lodge #2783 will host the MO Elks President's party. Pete Nash, MO Elks President and Benton Co. Elks President, will celebrate his year as MO Elks President, (April 2017-April 2018). MO Elks Convention is March 16-18, Jefferson City, MO. Next

meeting is Monday, March 5th, BOD 5:30 Membership 7 PM. Submitted by Sherry Blyth, Officer Elks #2783.

AMERICAN LEGION POST #217 PITCH RESULTS

The public is welcome to play 10 Pt. Pitch Wednesdays and Fridays at 1:00 at the American Legion. Winners last week were:

Wednesday 02-23
1st: John Fitzpatrick & Jim Breckon

2nd: Larry Shinn & Sherman Stoup
Friday 02-23

1st: John Fitzpatrick & Nick Day

2nd: Larry Shinn & Fred Johnson

3rd: Sue Hager & Bob Harding

Anyone interested in playing please contact Bob for more details at 402-699-2885. Join us to observe a game & pick up a copy of the rules.

BOONSLICK LIBRARY NEWS

Fiction

"The Tuscan Child" by Rhys Bowen

"Night Moves" by Jonathan Kellerman

"Poison" by John Lescroart

"Fifty Fifty" by James Patterson

"Death and the Vikings Daughter" by Loretta Ross

Nonfiction

"American Fire: love, arson, and life in a vanishing land" by Monica Hesse

"Show - Me Katy: memories of the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad" by Michael A. Landis

"Agent 110: an American Spymaster and the German Resistance in WWII" by Scott Miller

"The Odyssey of Echo Company" by Doug Stanton

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Rehab (Continue from Page 1)

addiction treatment services for the uninsured. The Benton County Health Department (BCHD) provides information and guidance. The website at <http://bentonhealth.org/health-education-resource-directory/> refers inquirers to support groups holding regularly-scheduled meetings in Warsaw at no cost, and to Pathways Community Health center.

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA), Al-Anon and Alateen, and Narcotics Anonymous (NA) meet at the Coach Apartments, 604 W. Jackson, in Room 12 on the ground floor. Note the meeting schedules below have changed since last updated on the BCHD website.

•AA meets every day at 10 AM, and on Sundays at 6 PM.

•Al-Anon and Alateen meets on Thursdays at 3 PM.

•NA meets at 7 PM on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

Pathways Community Health at 17571 N. Dam Access Rd., Warsaw (660) 428-1280, a not-for-profit community health center that offers a full range of outpatient mental health care and counseling in individual, family or group settings. Pathways provides outpatient drug treatment, as do over 32 clinics in the Compass Health Network in Missouri.

Statewide, the 286 substance abuse treatment centers throughout Missouri served 16,219 patients in 2016, per data collected in the annual survey by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) of the Department of Health and Human Services.

Fees at 213 of these facilities are based on an income-based sliding scale. Eight (8) accept no payment, and 175 facilities accept patients who cannot pay. For those who are insured, many plans

include coverage in whole or in part for substance abuse treatment.

Detoxification (detox) is often a first step, but not the only step, in treatment of alcohol and drug addiction. Thirty detox treatment centers in Missouri provide outpatient services; 24 provide non-hospital inpatient treatment, and six are hospitals with inpatient detox treatment.

Detoxification is a set of interventions aimed at managing acute intoxication and withdrawal. ... a clearing of toxins from the body of the patient ... acutely intoxicated and/or dependent on substances of abuse. Detoxification seeks to minimize the physical harm caused by the abuse... Detoxification alone is not sufficient in the treatment and rehabilitation of substance use disorders (SAMHSA Quick Guide for Clinicians).

SAMHSA's Quick Guide describes five levels of substance abuse treatment, two in outpatient settings, one in non-medical residential setting ("social setting detox" based on peer and social support rather than medications), and two in medical inpatient (hospital or psychiatric) settings.

Determining the type of detox that is appropriate, Brockman-Knight said, depends on the medical history of the client; what substances the client has been using and the history of withdrawals, plus the client's other chronic diseases. Depending on the substance the client is withdrawing from, detox can pose serious medical risks to the client, although not usually dangerous to others.

Opioid addiction has reached a crisis point nationwide. The Center on Disease Control (CDC) reports that two people die every two hours from the effects of opioid addiction.

At the recommendation of the health department and the support of local doctors, Benton County

Commissioners signed an ordinance on March 23, 2017, establishing a "Prescription Drug Monitoring Program" to allow doctors and pharmacists to track individuals who attempt to purchase opioid prescriptions for resale or abuse.

Brockman-Knight said outpatient, medication assisted treatment for Opiate Use Disorders can eliminate the need for detox.

Benton County has no residential, inpatient treatment centers. Of the 12 outpatient care facilities in the Compass Health Network within a 50-mile radius of Warsaw, only one in Warrensburg, Johnson County, MO also provides residential care for social setting detox.

Brockman-Knight said CHN has three adolescent residential facilities and four adult residential facilities in Missouri. A maximum three patients are enrolled at a time for a 1-3-day treatment period. Individuals can enroll voluntarily in CHN's detox programs on a walk-in, self-referral basis. Others participate under the terms of probation or parole.

Substance use disorders, she said, need to be managed by the consumer for the extent of his or her life. Goals and what constitutes success are individualized. Relapses are not considered to be failures.

The public should understand, Brockman-Knight said, "that substance use disorders when treated with medications and therapy have better outcome rates than many other chronic diseases."

School (Continue from Page 1)

4day@warsawk12.org or call 660-438-7210.

With the departure of Board member Denise Hinkle, the Board is considering a replacement on the Board. Warsaw residents Dr. Amber Campbell, Rickie Caswell, Tabitha Colbert, Mike Mais

and Jeremiah Mosley have applied for the position. The Board will look over the resumes and possibly vote on a replacement at the next meeting.

In other business, the Board opened bids for surplus busses. Henry F. Moss bid \$700.88 and \$3,100.88 for each bus and was accepted by the Board. Other bids were John Spry, \$100 for each bus and Kyle Brown, \$150 and \$160.

The Board also voted to spend \$7,100 to fund Educational Counsel School Attorneys to help them set goals for the school district.

Poyser also announced the snow make-up dates as March 5, April 3, April 23 and May 17 and 18. May 18 will be a half day with graduation that night.

Expo (Continued from Page 1)



By Anita Campbell County Reporter

Over 400 people attended the Warsaw Chamber of Commerce Hunting and Fishing Expo held in the Warsaw Community Building on Saturday.

According to Chamber Director Mac Vorce, the Expo was a success. "The weather wasn't the best, but then more people came to see what our vendors had to offer since it was too cold and wet to do anything outside."

Admission was \$5 or \$3 if the person brought a canned good which the Chamber donated to the Benton County Food Pantry. All proceeds go toward the many Chamber events during the year.

"I was very pleased with the turnout as well as the twenty five vendors who participated in the event," said Vorce.

One of the vendors was the Warsaw River Rats. This group's main focus is making fishing fun for kids.

They are planning a kids fishing event on June 2.

The Benton County Bass Group which main purpose is teaching people how to catch large mouth bass was also on hand at the Expo. The Benton County Bass Group meets at 6 PM on the first Monday of each month in the Warsaw Library conference room. Everyone is welcome.

Four Season Heating and Cooling from Windsor had a booth at the Expo where they demonstrated their air scrubber.

Triple River Gunsmiths were present at the Expo and donated several guns for raffles throughout the day.

The Leathernecks were stationed in the kitchen where they served food throughout the day. The proceeds were going to their various charities which includes summer baseball and many other events for children.

The next big event for the Chamber will be the Missouri State Championship for Mountain Bikers on May 19 and 20. Winners will qualify to participate in the National Mountain Bike competition to be held in West Virginia.

Then in June the Chamber

will be co-sponsoring the Warsaw High School Academic Banquet.

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Remembers Ronald T. Lang
Ronald T. Lang, age 79, of Council Bluffs passed away on Monday, May 30, 2016 at Bethany Lutheran Home. Ron was born on July 7, 1936 in Council Bluffs to the late Mitchell and Teresa (Shepard) Lang. Ron married Patricia Joyce on November 20, 1971. Together they were owner and operator of Cow Patty's Restaurant and Angler Bart Tackle in Warsaw, Missouri. For 30 years, they had a Council Bluffs in Trinity Church. Ron was preceded in death by his brother...

Spunaugle Pitches Lincoln Into Final Four
In a pitching duel that drew a crowd of over 1,000 fans, Spunaugle pitched his way into the final four of the Lincoln Community Care Center's annual baseball tournament. Spunaugle pitched a complete game, allowing only one run, two hits and one walk. He struck out 10 batters and pitched a total of 9.1 innings. Spunaugle's performance earned him the title of MVP for the tournament. The game was held at the Lincoln Community Care Center's baseball field in Warsaw, Missouri. Spunaugle's team, the Warsaw River Rats, defeated their opponent, the Warsaw River Rats, in a 1-0 victory. Spunaugle's performance was a testament to his skill and dedication to the sport. The tournament was a great success and raised funds for the Lincoln Community Care Center. Spunaugle's performance was a highlight of the tournament and he was well-received by the fans. Spunaugle's performance was a testament to his skill and dedication to the sport. The tournament was a great success and raised funds for the Lincoln Community Care Center. Spunaugle's performance was a highlight of the tournament and he was well-received by the fans.

Dr. Carpenter Joins Truman Lake Dental
Dr. Lucas Carpenter did his undergraduate work in Manhattan, KS at Kansas State University. He attended dental school at University of Missouri-Kansas City and graduated in May 2016 as a Doctor of Dental Surgery. Family is very important to him and he plans on having one of his own down the road. In his spare time Dr. Carpenter enjoys hunting, fishing, sports and a heavy dose of country music. "I am excited to help and serve the people of the Warsaw, MO area at Truman Lake Dental with their dental needs and concerns. Schedule your appointment today. I will make your dental experience as pleasant as possible and develop the trust needed between you and your dentist." - Dr. Carpenter.

Ribbon Cutting At The Landing
The Warsaw Chamber of Commerce held their latest Director, Leah Conway - Assistant Director, Leah Conway - Employee, Shelly Hare, Jamie Emma & Chloe Lutz, David Hare, Sol Mena - Employee, and Rachael Sherman-Director - Chamber member, Trinity President.

Lincoln Community Care Center Celebrates May 8th - 14th, 2016 National Nursing Home Week
Delighted by the overwhelming support of the Warsaw community, the Lincoln Community Care Center celebrated National Nursing Home Week from May 8th to 14th, 2016. The week was filled with activities, including a parade, a concert, and a fundraising event. The community's support was a testament to the care and dedication of the staff at the Lincoln Community Care Center. The week was a great success and raised funds for the center. The community's support was a testament to the care and dedication of the staff at the Lincoln Community Care Center. The week was a great success and raised funds for the center.

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ALPHA GAMMA ALPHA

Alpha Gamma Alpha chapter has had to make several changes for their meetings and socials. We had to cancel January and move others to Mondays instead of Tuesdays. March 5th will be at Daniell Pricers, April 2nd at Betty Beachamp's, and May 7 at Carolyn Street's.

Doris Williams has some additional coats for the schools and Daniell will take those to them. The schools have sent us Thank You notes for the many donations we have given them. We are very happy to have done this. To continue our quest to help we again raffled our monthly basket and it was won by Linda Diamond. It sure contained a lot of goodies. Linda Craig thanked Mary Ann Charles for stuffing the envelopes for the state convention in October. This convention is going to be a lot of fun. A slate of officers for next year is as follows: Daniell Pricer, President; Linda Dimond, V.P.; Carolyn Street, Treasurer; Shirley Cave Secretary. Crowning of our Valentine Queen will be at North Town Restaurant on February 22nd at 3, At 4:43 we will have dinner in honor of Linda and Leon Craig's 50th wedding anniversary. Congrats to you all.

A big welcome to our 2 new members Cathy Parman and Sue Swope. We are so happy to have you. If anyone would like to join us please call Carolyn at 438 2987. You are always welcome.

Several of our members or spouses have been ill recently. We hope they will all be well and back in good health shortly.

Extension Office To Relocate To Brady Annex

By Anita Campbell
Enterprise Staff

The Benton County Commissioners toured the Brady Annex Building during their February 20 meeting to discuss renovations at that facility which will be necessary in order for the Missouri University Extension office to be located in that building.

Thomas Gage, Ionia City Councilman, visited with District 2 Commissioner Jim Hansen to discuss the need to adopt and enforce policies pertaining to waste and trash disposal.

Mike Stein, a representative from the engineering firm of Shafer, Kline and Warren, Inc. was contacted by Commissioner Hansen to discuss paperwork to be filed for the bridge project on Fort Lyon Avenue. Commissioner Hansen will follow up with the requested paperwork.

County Treasurer Rick Renno gave his weekly financial report and County Clerk Susan Porterfield submitted bills for approval and payment

SFCC To Sponsor Health Fair

State Fair Community College nursing and health sciences students will sponsor a free public health fair from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. March 5 in the Thompson Conference Center in the Heckart Science and Allied Health Center on the Sedalia campus.

The students will present information on more than 20 health topics such as nutrition and physical fitness, mental illness and depression, sexually transmitted diseases, injury and violence prevention, tobacco and substance abuse, and more.

The free health fair is part of Healthy People 2020, a national initiative that challenges individuals and communities to take steps toward good health.

For more information, contact nursing instructors Addie Courter at (660) 596-7382 or abarton4@sfcemo.edu or Rhonda Jetmore at (660) 596-7330 or rjetmore@sfcemo.edu.

Trout Opening Kicks Off Fishing Season

Missouri's catch-and-keep trout fishing season officially begins at 6:30 a.m., March 1, at Roaring River State Park near Cassville, Bennett Spring State Park near Lebanon and Montauk State Park near Salem.

After a long winter, trout season opening day serves as the unofficial beginning of spring for many outdoorsmen. For trout enthusiasts, opening day means they have until the season closes on Oct. 31 to feed their passion as well as their appetite for fresh trout.

With opening day falling on a Thursday this year, Missouri State Parks officials expect many avid trout anglers to make a four-day weekend to maximize their time with fishing lines in the water. Trout tags can be purchased at the state park concession stores. Last year, more than 4,300 adult and youth tags were sold at the three state parks on opening day.

The parks' campgrounds, lodging units and restaurants are all expected to be busy. In the communities closest to the state parks, Cassville, Lebanon and Salem, business owners are also preparing for the mass influx of fishermen who travel from near and far to fish for Missouri trout. Although trout fishing occurs in the parks, the surrounding communities reap economic benefits during the fishing season with busy hotels, restaurants, quick shops and other retail stores.

Online viewing of opening day activities at Bennett Spring State Park will be available again this year from the park's "trout cam." Video streaming from the trout cam can be viewed on the Missouri State Parks trout opening website at mostateparks.com. The trout cam is located near one of the park's most popular fishing spots and follows all the fishing action. It is great for fishermen who are unable to be there in person or for family members wanting to share in the excitement from home. Opening day photos and trout tag sales information from all three state trout parks will also be available on the trout opening website.

Trout season in Missouri is a cooperative effort of Missouri State Parks, which manages state parks, and the Missouri Department of Conservation, which operates the hatcheries and stocks the streams with trout.

For more information on trout season opening, visit mostateparks.com or call Montauk State Park at 573-548-2201, Roaring River State Park at 417-847-2539 or Bennett Spring State Park at 417-532-4338.

For information on Missouri state parks and historic sites, visit mostateparks.com. Missouri State Parks is a division of the Missouri Department of Natural Resources.

BENTON COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE

Our meeting started off with Superintendent Dr. Shawn Poyser informing us about the steps they taking to safeguard our youth when they are at the schools. After the horrendous acts in Florida, schools safety is the top item for discussion, next was the 4 day school week. Participation was lively and positive. We thank Dr. Poyser for taking the time to speak to us on such a worry some topic as safety in our schools and answering our questions. I encourage all parents to talk

to their children about safety and set up a communication plan if something were to happen. Maybe having someone out of the are for everyone to call and touch base is easier than trying to call after something happens. Lines will be flooded and maybe talking to your local first responders wher, what and who does what if an emergency situation happens before it happens.

Our committee members had discussion about our up and coming Lincoln Day Event on April 14, 2018 at the Warsaw Community Building. Our Year Long Food Drive took ina little over 48lbs. and including what we donated in January equals about 98.3 lbs. We are off to a good start toward our goal of 500 lbs. by November 2018. The committee signed up to the Adopt A Highway Program to help keep our county roads looking pristine. We researched how to make Benton County a Purple Heart County and gave that over to the Commissioners. They have to be the entity that sets that up. There is not suppose to be any cost to the County, but honoring our Purple Heart Hero's that live and enrich our communities should not be an issue of politics. They served us and now we honor them and their service. Republican Women's Club President Karen Gruhn caught us up on what was current for them. They are participating in an event for the Food Pantry and encouraged everyone to support it. Our regular meeting will be held March 15, 2018 at the Warsaw Library at 7:00 PM until about 9:00 PM and our speaker will be North Side Commissioner Jim Hansen to speak with us about what is news in our County. All interested residents of Benton County are welcome to come to our Benton County Republican Committee meetings and participate. We try to have speakers that are informative and current about issues of the day. Your positive input is most welcome. Thank you to all of our guests. Your attendance enriches our meetings.

Donna Hart-Nolte, Benton County Republican Committee




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How Can Women Make Financial Progress?

On March 8, we observe International Women's Day. This year's theme is "Press for Progress," and events around the world will celebrate women's advancements in the political, social and cultural arenas. But right here in the United States, women still face barriers to their financial progress. If you're a woman, you need to recognize these challenges - and respond to them.

So, what are the key obstacles to financial security for a woman? Probably the first thing that comes to mind is the gender wage gap: Women generally earn around 80 cents for every dollar men earn, according to the U.S. Census Bureau.

But women also face other threats to their financial security. For one thing, they are far more likely than men to take time away from the workforce to raise a family - and time away means smaller Social Security payments and significantly lower balances in 401(k) plans and other retirement accounts. And women's roles as caretakers don't end when their children are grown - in fact, women are twice as likely as their male siblings to end up caring for an elderly parent, according to a Princeton University study.

What, then, can you do to help ensure a comfortable

retirement and achieve your other financial goals? Here are a few suggestions:

- Take full advantage of your employer's retirement plan. If your employer offers a 401(k) or similar retirement plan, take full advantage of it. Invest as much as you can afford each year, and every time you get a raise, increase your contributions. At the very least, put in enough to earn your employer's matching contribution, if one is offered.

- Invest for the long term. Some evidence shows that women may be more conservative investors than men. But if you want to reach your long-term goals, you will need to consider some growth-oriented investments in your portfolio, factoring in your risk tolerance and time horizon. You may want to consult with a financial professional about the best way to invest for the long term.

- Maximize your Social Security. If your spouse is the higher earner, you may want to consider how you can use this disparity to your advantage when you collect Social Security. Specifically, you may be eligible for Social Security benefits based on your spouse's earnings and Social Security record. You'll want to consult your tax advisor before making any moves.

- Protect yourself from long-term care costs. More than two-thirds of nursing home residents are women, according to the National Center for Health Statistics. And the median rate nationwide for a private room in a nursing home is over \$97,000 per year, according to the Genworth 2017 Cost of Care Survey. Medicare generally pays very little for long-term care, so if you ever need these services, you'll have to find other ways to pay for them. A financial professional can suggest some ideas.

As a woman, you face special financial challenges, and striving to overcome them will be a lifelong activity. But it's worth the effort

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Your Guide to Reducing the Prom Price Tag

Prom is a time-honored tradition and a rite of passage for teens. Originally

inspired by graduation celebrations and debutante balls, prom today is now an extravagant, defining moment in a teen's life, bearing little resemblance to promenades of the past -- especially when it comes to cost.

All of this indulgence unfortunately comes with a price tag, and prom expenses can put a large dent in your wallet. Teens are spending nearly \$640 on prom hair and makeup, outfits, tickets and rides, according to Yahoo Style's "2017 Prom Across America" survey -- and that doesn't take into consideration any pre-prom expenses, such as the promposal, which, according to Visa's annual prom spending survey, adds another \$324!

The Promposal

In recent years, teens have upped the ante, finding elaborate -- and often public -- ways to ask someone to prom.

What are some popular promposal tactics? Spelling "prom" with pastries, creating giant duct tape posters, decorating lockers and bedrooms, and popping the question on the jumbotron at a sporting event.

Fashion First

When proms first became common, teens were encouraged to wear their "Sunday best" -- implying a nice dress or suit they already owned. Not so anymore. For girls, prom is all about the dress, and finding the perfect one at the right price is no easy task. "Seventeen Magazine" reported that girls spend \$231 on average for a dress, \$45 on shoes, \$23 on a handbag, \$32 on jewelry and \$118 on hair, nails and makeup.

While guys typically spend less on prom clothing and accessories, they're still shelling out for a tuxedo, corsage and other accessories.

Cut Costs, Save for College

The steep prom price tag is leading teens to look at alternatives, such as ditching typical outfits and making their own. One example is Duck Tape formal wear.

Over the last 17 years, the Duck brand Stuck at Prom Scholarship Contest has attracted more than 7,000 entrants and awarded more than half a million dollars in scholarships to teens who crafted their Duck Tape prom attire.

Now in its 18th year, the contest will once again help offset the skyrocketing costs of college by helping teens save on prom and by awarding creative makers for their unique promwear designs, offering two individual \$10,000 Grand Prizes: one in the Dress Category and one in the Tux Category, totaling \$20,000. For more information, visit stuckatprom.com.

Other ways to cut the prom price tag? Hair, makeup and other accessories can cost more than \$200, so skip the salon and opt for online tutorials for hair and makeup inspiration. Also, DIYing accessories, such as jewelry, a clutch or flowers (i.e. Duck Tape roses), can add a personal touch, and keep money in your wallet.

Setting a budget and looking for opportunities to save money can help ensure prom is an amazing night that doesn't break the bank. (Article provided by StatePoint)

BOONSLICK OUTREACH SERVICES

March 5-9
March 5- Lincoln City Hall (open to the public), Lincoln Cardinal Apartments- Office, Lincoln Community Assisted Living, Lincoln Community Nursing Home.

March 6- No Run
March 7- Greenridge R-VIII School, Greenridge Post Office (open to the public).

March 8- No Run
March 9- St. Joseph Catholic School, Otelco Telephone (open to the public), Katy Manor Nursing Home.

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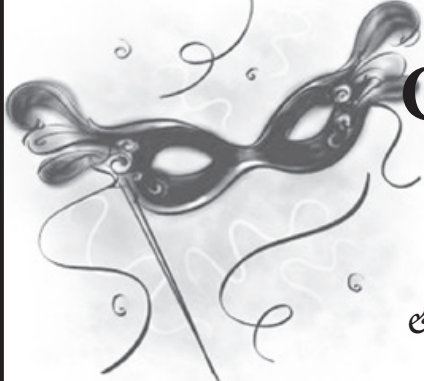


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In One Fell Swoop
There is a line in Garth Brook's song, "The Dance" that goes, "and now I'm glad I didn't know the way it all would end and the way it all would go."

Well, the season ended for all three Benton County high school boys basketball teams last Wednesday night. In one fell swoop they were all gone. They all were eliminated from the competition, therefore leaving this reporter with little to write about.

So all I had left were the Cole Camp girls, who would lose on Thursday night to Boonville and Benton County basketball was done with almost a whole month to go in the season.

I was 44-4 on games I actually predicted an outcome on and three of those losses were attributed to the Lincoln boys. I had them winning the Warsaw tournament, beating Warsaw at home and beating Windsor in districts. My other loss was Smithton over Stover, although I predicted it would go into overtime before the game started and it did.

An All-Benton County boys team would be hard to pick if you just went with five players. Derek Stephens and Matt Luebbert would be sure things but from there it would be difficult. You would have to consider, Logan Davis, Grant Eifert, Jackson Beaman Corbin Reese, and a couple of players off of Cole Camp. I like this Ethan Ives kid. He is just a sophomore and shows promise. I left off Trey Palmer and Bo Kroenke but you will be hearing more about them in a couple of years.

I do want to mention the hospitable rooms at Cole Camp and Windsor. The food was great and the people were friendly.

As always, I will be watching the Skyline girls as they move along after winning their district. They went the first half without a turnover the other night and had just five in the second half.

Hey, I got to go find a game to watch.

TRIVIA QUESTION

Trivia Question - Who is considered the greatest fisherman of all time?
a. Kevin VanDam
b. Curt Gowdy
c. Buck Perry.

Answer From Last Week- Puny White's Warsaw's team lost to Joplin in the finals in 1924 in a regional state basketball tournament



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AUBRIE MCROBERTS AND REAGAN SHELBY were recently named Academic All-State for softball. They represent many student athletes at Warsaw High School who excel in both the classroom and in the arena of high school athletics.

The Life Of A Student Athlete

While there are many athletes at WHS who do well in both academics and sports, I had the opportunity to interview Aubrie McRoberts who plays both softball and basketball and Reagan Shelby who is an outstanding catcher for the WHS softball team. Both were recently named Academic All-State for softball. Below is our interview.

JL- How much harder is it to manage your time between sports and school work? You miss a lot of time in school by leaving early to go to away games. How do you handle that?

Shelby- You have to make sure you manage your time wisely. Sometimes you stay up late and sometimes you have to get help in the morning before school or advisory time.

JL- So what is hardest thing about being a student athlete?

Shelby- You have to know what you are doing and you have to catch up.

McRoberts- I would say to focus, your work ethic and your time management. (Both agreed on that)

JL- Are freshmen overwhelmed by all of this?

McRoberts- Yes, but you can get help on the bus from your team mates and the teachers are flexible. Once you get going you learn how to organize and focus.

JL- (To McRoberts) What is harder basketball season or softball?

McRoberts- Both are about even. Maybe basketball a little because it is during finals week. Both are about time management. I think if you set your mind to it you can do anything.

JL- Now both of you want to go to college and play softball. So what type of college are you looking for?

Shelby- You look at both, a good college in academics and in athletics. If they do not have the program you are looking for then you have to do what is best for you.

McRoberts- We are student athletes and the colleges will look at you for both. You have to have good work ethics. So you want to be hard working in the gym and out of the gym too.

JL- Okay, let's say you have a big game in districts coming up. Is it hard to focus on a math test?

McRoberts- You have to lock into school mode and into game mode. You can't be thinking about that last math problem. After the game then you can go back to student mode.

Shelby- You have to block that out. You think about the game but you can't let that distract you. You have to make sure you are getting your work done too.

JL- I know when I went to school they gave me a lot of reading to do. How do you deal with that?

McRoberts- Sometimes you stay up late because you can't do things on the way home because the car is dark and sometimes on the bus ride there is no signal so you can't always do it on your phone.

JL- What about students that have jobs?

McRoberts- If you have a job then that is double harder.

JL- How much support do you get from your parents?
McRoberts- My parents support me more than a ton. They are my number one supporters.

Shelby- I am too young to get a job right now. I can't drive. My parents are very supportive. They know how much time I put into sports. In the summer we are very busy with practices and traveling teams. So it hard to have a job and play tournaments all summer.

JL- Is it hard to have a boy friend and hang out with friends since you are so busy with sports?

McRoberts- Yes, I don't have a lot of time so sometimes you have to pick one or the other.

Shelby- They have to understand what you want to do and be flexible.

JL- So in any spare time that you do have what do you like to do? Do you have hobbies?

McRoberts- Yes, I like to go bowling, go to the movies, swimming and all of that stuff

Shelby- I like to go to movies and just hang out with my friends.

Thanks, girls.

Did You Miss A Spot?

Lincoln Menu

March 5-9

Monday: Egg and cheese bagel, waffles, cereal, oatmeal, yogurt, pineapple. Corn Dog, chicken nachos with white queso, taco salad, cornbread, garden salad, texas pintos, mandarin oranges, milk.

Tuesday: French toast sticks, fruit and yogurt parfait with fruit muffin, cereal, oatmeal, cinnamon toast, apple. BBQ rib on bun, ham, egg, and cheese sandwich, french fries, Cobb salad, blueberry muffin, garden salad, banana orange mix, milk.

Wednesday: Cinnamon roll, breakfast burrito, cereal, oatmeal, yogurt, bananas. Chicken patty, roast pork, mashed potatoes and gravy, chicken caesar salad, glazed carrots, peaches, hot roll, milk.

Thursday: Scrambled eggs, chocolate croissant, cereal, oatmeal, toast, orange slices. Chicken nuggets, with Italian bread, hot dogs and mac and cheese, chef salad, corn, applesauce.

Friday: Biscuits and gravy, sausage, cinnamon streusel cake, cereal, oatmeal, yogurt, mandarin oranges. Cheese pizza, Parmesan chicken, popcorn chicken salad, pineapple muffin, broccoli with ranch, pineapple, milk.



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TORI HARDING DRIBBLES AGAINST TWO defenders during their district semi-final matchup with Boonville at Cole Camp on Friday night. Cole Camp lost 46-41 to end their season at 18-9.

Cole Camp Girls End Their Season

The Cole Camp girls lost 46-41 to Boonville in the semi-finals of their district tournament on their home court last Friday night.

Cole Camp jumped out to a 11-7 first quarter lead after a strange start. Cole Camp called time out trailing 2-0 after just 25 seconds into the contest. They came out with an old play where four players line up in front of the inbound passer and they just held the ball to take time off the clock to shorten the game. It didn't work as they lost the ball out of bounds. They tried in again later in the half. They could have used those precious seconds in the fourth quarter as they only lost by five.

It was 22-18 at the half as Boonville took the lead with 33 seconds left.

Boonville kept up the pressure and stretched the margin to seven after three at 34-27.

The Lady Bluebirds wasn't ready to quit just yet as Tori Harding hit a bucket to narrow the lead to seven after Boonville had extended it to nine. It was 11 at 43-32 with 3:03 left as the Lady Bluebirds came charging back on baskets by Carmyn Schear and Lainey Williams but it was too late as the clock wound down the Lady Bluebirds' season.

Schear had 14 while Williams and Harding had 11 apiece.

The Lady Bluebirds fell to 18-9 after a 5-6 start. Harding missed five games in the beginning of the season with an injury.

Lincoln Boys Defeated in Opening Round of Districts

By Johnie J. Logue
Enterprise Staff

From the third year in a row, the Lincoln Cardinals lost in the districts to a team they were favorite to beat. Even though they lost to Windsor earlier in the season, they revenge that lost later on. Lincoln seemed to be the superior team, especially after coming so close to beating the top ranked Class 2 team in the state in Sacred Heart in the finals of their conference tournament.

Playing Windsor on their home court, the Cardinals fell behind by 11 in the third period and lost 72-67 as their comeback fell five points short of the mark.

Senior Derek Stephens, who would celebrate his birthday a couple of days later, ended with a team high 25 points and once again was a force underneath the basket.

Lincoln ended 17-8 for the season. The BCE will up a full wrap up of the Cardinals' season in the coming weeks.

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WARSAW SENIOR KEEGAN GLENN GOES up for one of his last shots of his basketball career as the Wildcats lost to Sherwood 57-53 in district play in Cole Camp on Wednesday night.

Nick Miles Too Much For Warsaw

By Johnie J. Logue
Enterprise Staff

They tied in the voting for the fourth seed but it doesn't matter as four versus five plays the winner of one versus eight no matter what. So Warsaw was given the fourth seed in the re-vote but lost to a scrappy Sherwood club 57-53. in the first round of district competition at Cole Camp.

Warsaw jumped out to a 8-2 lead behind the hot three point shooting of Freshman Trey Palmer and led 23-14 after one. Palmer would have six threes on the night for his team leading 18 points. Warsaw led 31-25 at the half and 42-37 after three.

Head Coach Scott Floyd commented after the game, "We stopped scoring in the second half and we didn't pass the ball very well."

The name Warsaw coaches, players and fans might not soon forget is Nick Miles. He was 11-11 at the free throw line, including three on being fouled on a

three pointer and ended with 34 points. Needless to say, he was on the money down the stretch when Warsaw had to foul. He was doubled teamed on the inbound but Sherwood managed to get the ball in his hands several times in spite of the Wildcat's efforts. Miles even had the referees talking about him during time outs.

Every time it looked like the Wildcats would put Sherwood away they kept coming back. Matt Luebbert was held to 13 points on the night. Logan Davis had 14. Warsaw's big guys struggled as Lane Bates and Cole Branson had just 2 apiece. Keegan Glenn tossed in 4.

Warsaw's failure to drive the lane and missed chip shots cost them dearly in the second half but in the end it was Miles who did the ultimate damage. His 20 points (9-9 from the charity stripe) in the fourth quarter was just too much for the Wildcats to handle. They knew coming in that he would be the man to stop but knowing something and doing it are two different things. Warsaw ends their season at 13-13 and the BCE will have a full recap in a couple of weeks.



PROMISING SOPHOMORE ETHAN IVES shoots over a Boonville defender in Cole Camp's 56-45 loss in the semifinals of district play last week at Cole Camp.

Cole Camp Loses To Boonville In Districts

By Johnie J. Logue
Enterprise Staff

Cole Camp jumped out early in a very physical match up with Boonville in the opening round of district play at Cole Camp on Wednesday night. However, after leading 14-8 after one and 26-21 at the half, they trailed 37-34 after three. The Bluebirds would fall to a tough Boonville club 56-45.

It was a closer game than indicated by the final score. Both teams raced up and down the court in the second half with the Bluebirds going ice cold from the floor in the final ticks of the clock.

The referees let the play-

ers play at times with a bump or two driving the lane was seemingly permitted without calling a foul. It was probably the way a playoff game should be called as both teams battled for loose balls and were allowed to play without the ticky tacky calls that sometimes influence the outcome of a contest.

Karen Harms had 13 and Ethan Ives 12 to lead the Bluebirds. Charue Bronaksowki had 16 for Boonville. Avery Reardon at 6'4 had nine points and was a real force at times under the basket for Boonville.

Peyton Warren Named Eagle Select Scholar



The Eagle Select Program at Central Methodist University pits some of the most outstanding high school seniors against the challenges of high grade point averages, ACT scores, interviews, and testing.

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Peyton Warren, a senior at Lincoln High School, won the latest CMU Eagle Select award. The competition was held earlier this month, and Peyton shined among two dozen other outstanding students from across the United States who participated in the competition.

Dr. Joe Parisi, vice president for enrollment management, surprised Peyton and her family Friday by visiting Lincoln and presenting the award. Her classmates gave her a standing ovation.

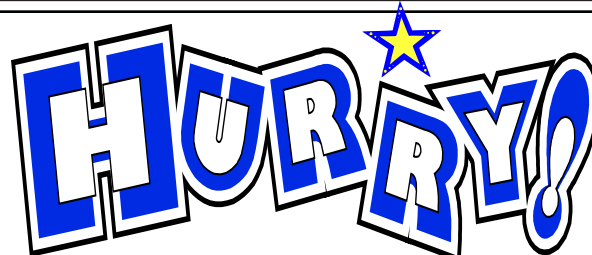
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Peyton, her grandparents, and her whole family," Parisi said. "I am very confident she will thrive at Central."

To compete, Peyton and the others were required to have at least a 3.5 grade point average and a minimum ACT score of 26. Contestants come to CMU the day of competition to undergo a series of interviews and tests involving math, verbal, and written skills.

Peyton wowed a number of CMU faculty, staff and administrators with her knowledge and poise, Parisi said.

Peyton is president of Lincoln High School's National Honor Society, and captain of the BEST Robotics team. She plays the flute in the school band, and participates in Future Business Leaders of America, Math Club, Art Club, and A+ Tutoring. She enjoys reading, writing poetry and short stories, and drawing.



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approval by at least a simple majority, collections from this 1/2 Cent Sales Tax are to begin on October 1, 2018. The Presiding Commissioner Michelle McLerran Kreisler stated that Benton County has been involved in a serious regrouping process since the failure of a similar measure at the April 5, 2016 election. "We have attempted to listen carefully to those citizens who opposed the 2016 proposal as well as our supporters from the 44% of yes votes at that time. As a result of accepting valuable input from the public and a jail committee made up of county citizens, we have made many revisions that are incorporated into this concept," Ms. Kreisler said.

The predominant differences between the previous proposal and the current one include location and cost. Specifically, the proposed jail will be constructed on an approximate 3.5 acre site at 1620 East Main Street instead of the downtown square area of Warsaw. The County has the site under option to purchase subject to the election results. Additionally, many opponents vocalized that the projected cost of \$13,500,000 to \$14,500,000 in 2016 was too high. To address this cost sensitivity, the County, after interviewing three firms, engaged the services of HMN Architects of Overland Park, Kansas, who developed a preliminary plan that can theoretically house up to 80 detainees (expandable to 100) with approximately 6,000 square feet to be allocated to administrative office space for the Benton County Sheriff's office. Sheriff Eric Knox has actively participated with the architects and believes the preliminary design will be a big improvement over what is now available and should be adequate. The total budgeted cost for this jail facility is expected to be \$10,000,000. "I appreciate how much effort the HMN Architects have made to meet our needs and yet remain within the acceptable budget," Sheriff Knox remarked.

The Northern District Commissioner, Jim Hansen, made a point to describe some of the major facts for the public to keep in mind as they study this revised proposal. "The Commission feels that the 1/2 Cent Sales Tax is the best option available to Benton County to address our jail situation. It is not something that the County Commissioners take lightly; but, we do believe that it is our responsibility to those who elected us to address this issue," Mr. Hansen stated. The existing jail is 160 years old and has a wood and masonry structure with no fire sprinkler system. It has a designed capacity for 28 prisoners (20 men and 8 female). In 2007 the average detainee count was 17 per day and by 2016 the average number was approximately 41, with a high of 58 detainees. The County must pay other counties to house the overflow of detainees plus the transportation expense to deliver and pick them up from the other county facilities. Whenever deputies are occupied with the pick-up and delivery of detainees, they are not available for other law enforcement duties. In 2016, these expenses were approximately \$18,498.12 per month and totaled about \$221,977.47 for the year according to figures supplied by the County Budget Officer. If the jail were to be closed due to its current condition, the County would still be responsible for housing its inmates at other county jails. That expense assuming 50 detainees per day at present costs could be as high as \$821,250 per year, which absorbs all of the revenues presently available to Benton County from its Law Enforcement Sales Tax as well as much

of the budgeted funds from General Revenue. It leaves very little to cover the Sheriff's office activities, which is a potential problem Benton County must avoid.

According to data prepared by the County's municipal bond underwriter, L.J. Hart & Company of St. Louis, Missouri, the projected revenue from the 1/2 Cent Sales Tax with a two percent (2.00%) growth assumption (3.57% is the average growth for the last five years) and assuming interest rates that are higher than those in the current tax-exempt municipal bond market, an ample amount is available to meet the annual lease payments of principal and interest for a \$10,250,000 financing, which is to provide at least \$10,000,000 of upfront funding. The County interviewed two other firms prior to deciding to continue with L.J. Hart & Company. The projections make allowances for managing the project costs if the construction bids come in slightly above the estimates of HMN Architects. The financing is to be delayed until the actual project costs are firm based upon the receipt of competitive bids from general contractors or a construction manager qualified to do the work. The Lease Certificates of Participation are to be made available first to local individuals and financial institutional investors before being marketed outside the local area and are to be in denominations of \$5,000 with interest payments that are tax-exempt from federal and state of Missouri income taxes.

Although it is difficult to project exactly how much of the sales tax will be paid by visitors to Benton County, it is reasonable to assume a margin of 40% to 60% might be paid by visitors. Whatever the actual figure turns out to be, some of the expense will be absorbed by visitors, whereas with a general obligation bond issue secured by property taxes, all of the payments would be placed upon the local taxpayers. The estimated

extra expense for a typical household with median county income will be \$2.43 per month or \$29.15 for a full year. Another way to quickly grasp the financial impact of this sales tax is to recognize for every \$100 spent in Benton County, this 1/2 Cent Sales Tax adds 50 Cents, or \$5.00 for every \$1,000, \$50.00 for every \$10,000, etc.

The Southern District Commissioner Dale "Junior" Estes stated that the Benton County Commission expects that there will be several public forums to present the facts about this 1/2 Cent Sales Tax Proposal. "Efforts will also be made to meet with service clubs and other organizations at their request to provide information on the ballot measure and to answer questions that those members have," Mr. Estes concluded. The County also expects to publish other facts about the jail population, the number of male and female detainees, numbers of arrests for violent versus non-violent crimes, and other factual information that might be of interest prior to the April 3, 2018 election. Questions regarding the proposal or to arrange a time and date for a presentation may be referred to the Benton County Commission at 660-438-7406.

A short informational video on this proposed project is available at the Benton County website: <http://www.bentoncomo.com>. The video is also available on YouTube.

Benton County Master Gardener February Meeting

February 21, 2018 was the regular monthly meeting date for the Benton County Master Gardeners.

The meeting was held at 1:00 PM in the meeting room of the Warsaw Library. Members present were Diane Downing, Jean Breshears, Julie Snodgrass, Beth Halsey, Arlie Knox, Billie Wilson, Mary Donnell-Brown and Larry & Linda Nelson.

Prior to the business

meeting Jack Hayes and Shayna Burchett gave a slide presentation on correct pruning methods for fruit trees, shrubs and hedges. They answered a variety of questions asked by our members and provided a plant for each member to give "hands on training" to practice correct pruning. Their presentation was excellent and we hope they will return again this fall to provide additional information on a topic of their choice. Jack is an instructor at SFCC and a member of the Show-Me Master Gardeners in Sedalia, Mo.

Billie Wilson, presided over the business meeting. Linda Nelson, secretary, read the minutes from our last meeting that was held November 20, 2017. The treasurer's report was given by Mary Donnell-Brown. Billie mentioned the Flower & Garden Show at the Ozark Empire Fairgrounds that will be held February 24-25 in Springfield, MO. P. Allen Smith will give a presentation each day at 1:00 PM. Dan Britton will give a presentation on "Growing Mushrooms" at our monthly meeting to be held on March 21. Dan is a member of the Ozark Prairie Master Gardeners.

April 18 Travis Harper, MU Extension Specialist, will present "Native Plants-Part II" for our monthly meeting. We will also review our Milkweed plot at Bledsoe Ferry and clean and mulch the courthouse garden.

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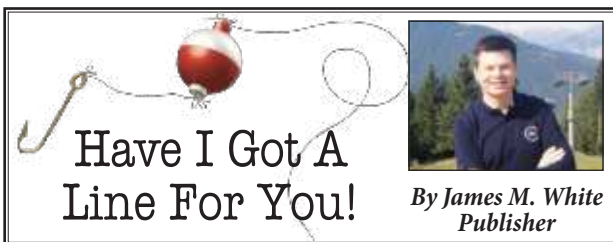
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Have I Got A Line For You!



By James M. White
Publisher

Yucca Mountain is back in the news. The President's new budget calls for money to restart activity at the nuclear repository in Nevada. And Japan says its interested in sending waste from their Fukushima plant over here for storage. Runoff from that destroyed power plant is still causing all kinds of problems with fish in the Pacific. There have been reports of mutated fish wreaking havoc on nets and boats. Bet they won't be showing that on Deadliest Catch. I'm curious how all of this radiation in our oceans affects the shows actors who are constantly being sprayed, usually with a cigarette hanging out their mouth. Good luck to the Japanese though, because we've spent billions at Yucca Mountain for a repository that is not being used due to, you guessed it, partisan politics.

Speaking of politics. Here we go again with the never ending Russia story and The Donald's campaign. Two of his former campaign staff were charged with lying to banks to obtain millions of dollars in loans. Much ado about nothing. Obviously these are bad characters, but this had nothing to do with the election. Isn't that why Robert Mueller was appointed? Too bad Mueller doesn't have the authority to just hand over the Presidency to Hillary, which is what it seems they're really after.

A new month opens its door this week. March is usually a time when decks and patios get cleaned off. And soon families will gather for Easter lunch. I bet there's not another day in the year when so many tables have ham on the same menu. Now this is way

WORD ON THE STREET

What steps do you think should be taken to prevent more school shootings?



I'm sick of it! Some kind of defense has to happen to stop it. There is no good answer right now.
Jon Freeman



Having more school guards and resource officers could be a start.
Walker Foster



Arming school personnel who are willing and trained.
Tammy Poe

off course if we're talking about Easter. While poking around on the internet last night I found the dress code and other rules for a Christian college in Florida. Pretty stringent for this day and age, don't you think?

Here's some from the list:

DORM RULES:

You may not put up a picture of unmarried people in physical contact.

OFF CAMPUS RULES:
Students must return to campus by 10:00 PM every night, including weekends.

Males and females are to use separate public beaches and may not go to the popular Pensacola Beach or to the nearby Boardwalk.

You may not go to the public library.

SOCIAL INTERACTION:

There is to be no physical contact between students of the opposite sex, except perhaps on some "dating outings," when hand holding games are played.

Siblings of the opposite sex should not interact in un-chaperoned areas to abstain from the "appearance of evil."

The academic mall areas are un-chaperoned areas in the evening. Students taking evening classes should socialize in the classrooms only.

Have a happy, comfortable and interesting weekend.

Til Next Week:
J.M.W.

P.S. I don't want to let another day go by without thanking Cynthia Bolinger for the cookies she left at our office. Very good and very thoughtful.



By Tyler Simons
Contributing
Writer

Change. A six-letter word that, to some people, feels like a four-letter one.

It's understandable why that's so. People have never liked changing their habits or routines. It's much easier and more comfortable to stick to what you're used to, even if it's not necessarily the best for the best.

Change can occur anytime, to anyone and anything. That being said, there's no reason to be afraid of or to try to avoid it.

Today, people would rather live in their so called "box" where things are safe and constant. The problem is that while this "box" may seem comfortable at the time, refusing to try new things and explore the world and yourself drastically reduces quality of life.

There is always a reason for what life throws at you, both good and bad. Either way, the best way to handle change is to accept it fully embrace and face it head on.

Denial and fear will do nothing but harm, and ultimately make the road ahead harder to handle. Being confident and trusting in the future won't just ease your mind, but also help adapting to changes later on be an easier process.

Life holds limitless opportunities, it's how you deal with the twists and turns that determine what you get out of them.



Letters To The Editor

Notice: All letters to the editor must be signed, before they can be printed!

Dear Editor,

Recently the Warsaw School District announced a proposed four day week. My research led me to only more questions which led me to e-mail the elected Board of Education including the Superintendent to see if my questions and cynicism could be answered and addressed. With no response and a second e-mail sent I finally heard from some members of the School Board a month

later. Three Members of the Board responded and encouraged me to attend the upcoming community meetings without answering any of my questions. One Member provided partial answers to the best of their ability and seemed to have questions pertaining to the proposal as well.

I had one member e-mail me saying "I am highly offended by your misinformation of the facts." Which they failed to address my "misinformation of the facts". I was also told, "Apparently you are not aware of the community forums that will be organized

and the pros and cons to be discussed." A comment by this board member was also made, "you do not have a vested interest in the four day week other than being a tax payer". I can assure the individual that I do indeed have a vested interest in a four day school week. With a mind set like that I can also assure you that my vote will go elsewhere this election on April 3rd.
Scott Mills

We want to know what you think. Each week we will pose a question, we look forward to your responses.

Question of the week:

If you could pick one new business to come to Benton County what would it be?

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Getting Out And About This Spring

Spring is the best time of year to get outdoors and spend some quality time with the family. Here are three ideas to shake off winter's cabin fever and the most of the season.

Take a Hike

Visit a state or national park and hit the hiking trails. Most parks have a variety of trails of varying difficulty and length. From Glacier National Park in the west to Arabia Mountain National Heritage Area in the east, check out options that offer nature and wildlife areas, hiking trails, parks and family fun. If hiking, do your research and select a route that's right for your group, pack some snacks and sandwiches before hitting the trail. Just be sure to stay hydrated, wear good footwear, and apply sunscreen and bug spray. As the weather warms, you'll want to take these important precautions.

To reward your efforts, plan a fun ice cream excursion for the way home.

Community Events

Whether you stay local or travel afar, many local communities offer music, food and fun-filled spring

events and outdoor festivals. How about an epic road trip to Brookhaven, GA? The city hosts their annual Brookhaven Cherry Blossom Festival each spring attracting over 15,000 people from across the country. The festival makes for a great girlfriends' getaway, guys' trip or family adventure. And, pets are welcome too! "This music and art extravaganza is our marquee event of the year, and we hope to kick off the Atlanta-area festival season in style," says Brookhaven Mayor, John Ernst.

The totally free event takes place at Blackburn Park on March 24-25 and features something for all age groups, including great food, an arts and crafts festival, a classic car show, a 5k road race, a dog show, a Kidz Zone, and big-name musical acts, like country music stars Craig Morgan and Keith Anderson, as well as the LA-based indie rock band, Transviolet, and the rock act, Hannah Wicklund & The Steppin Stones.

For more information about the 2018 Brookhaven Cherry Blossom Festival, visit brookcherryfest.org.
Enjoy Your Own Back-

yard
Kick off the backyard season by firing up the grill and playing lawn games, like horseshoes, croquet, and bean bag toss. Create a warm-weather playlist to set the party mood and ask friends and neighbors over and turn it into a potluck.

After a long winter, welcome spring with fun outdoor activities at home and out in the community that the whole family can enjoy. (Article provided by State-Point)



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MLS #79532 BEAUTIFUL LEVEL WATERFRONT on the 76 mile marker on the Lake of the Ozarks. Fully finished walk out basement w/screened in porch. 3 Bedrooms, 2 full baths. New wrap around deck partially covered, new paint, windows and roof on home. Completely remodeled on inside. Custom kitchen cabinets, bamboo flooring, tile and carpet are all new. Large Master bedroom. Attached garage. Beautiful view of the Lake. All paved roads. \$209,000

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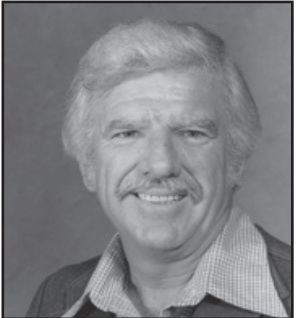
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Charles Fredric Niess



Charles "Charlie" Fredric "Fritz" Niess, age 87, of Lincoln, Missouri, passed away unexpectedly on Tuesday, February 20, 2018 at his home. He was born on August 16, 1930 in Natchez, Mississippi, the son of Fred and Grace (Greenwood) Niess.

Charlie started life in very humble beginnings on the banks of the Mississippi at Natchez in 1930. He believed greatly in the value of education to help overcome even the poorest of backgrounds and dedicated his career to public education. Ultimately this passion lead him to the training of future teachers in his role as Dean of Education and Psychology at Missouri Southern State University.

In this role, in 1966, he designed, implemented and achieved accreditation of a total Teacher Education Program for the new state college in Joplin. He was also passionate about providing children and the public with quality television programming and was instrumental in the creation of the Ozarks Public Television (OPT) KOZJ-26 Joplin, Missouri. He served on the OPT Board of Directors for four years.

He also believed in education through travel and took his family on wonderful camping trips each summer. The family explored the United States and Canada, enjoying visits eventually to all 48 continental states and most of the provinces of Canada. Through these trips he discovered a love of the beach and the mountains. In remembrance of these great times together, the family celebrated his 80th birthday with a family reunion at the beach. He and his wife, Nancy recently celebrated their 66th wedding anniversary earlier in February.

During his lifetime he served in the U.S. Army in Korea, he earned a Doctorate of Education and started a small business. He was dedicated to civic service and was a key member of the National Exchange Club serving in many leadership roles including on the National Board of Directors. During this service he was instrumental in starting two organizations dedicated to the prevention of child abuse, one in Joplin Missouri, the Child/Parent Center of S.W. Missouri and the National Exchange Foundation for the Prevention of Child Abuse.

In his years, Charlie was able to pursue his passion for singing and for musical theatre. He enjoyed performing and entertaining as well as serving on the Board of Directors for the Joplin Community Theatre. His favorite songs were those made famous by Frank Sinatra and Neil Diamond. He had the pleasure of singing, "New York, New York" at his grandson's wedding reception. Charlie began his career as a high school coach and continued his passion for sports throughout his life. In his later years he never missed a game of the Kansas City Chiefs.

Charlie has been a resident of the Warsaw area since 2004 when he retired from his business, GME Hot Water Company. He grew up in Kansas City, Missouri and raised his children in Joplin, Missouri.

He is survived by his wife, Nancy Niess, four children; Charles F. Niess Jr. and his wife Martha, Barbara Orr, and her husband, Jim, Carolyn Amparan, and her husband Gabe and Michael Niess, and his wife Susan Allen, seven grandchildren;

Garrett Orr, and his wife Marijo, Calder Orr, and his wife Dana Coyle, Hayden Orr, Andrea Niess, Dan Amparan, and his wife Jenny, Jazmine Tezak and Zoey Niess, eight great grandchildren; Aubrey Niess, Bailey Niess, Garrison Orr, William Orr, Mary Elizabeth Orr, Aster Orr, Xavier Amparan and Bishop Amparan.

Memorial Services were held at 11:00 A.M. Saturday, February 24, 2018 at the Reser Funeral Home in Warsaw, Missouri. Visitation was held one hour prior to the service from 10:00 A.M. until 11:00 A.M. Charlie was also a man of faith and was a member of Calvary Episcopal Church of Sedalia. Following cremation the ashes will be placed in the Calvary Episcopal Church Columbarium in Sedalia. Memorial contributions may be made to Ozarks Public Television (optv.org/memorial), KOZK-21, Springfield and KOZJ-26 Joplin, Missouri. www.optv.org/memorial.

Sue Ferguson



Sue L. Ferguson, age 70, of Warsaw, MO, passed away suddenly at her home on Monday, February 19, 2018. Sue was born on August 11, 1947, in St. Charles, MO, the daughter of the late Delmar and Clara (Haas) Hollenberg. She grew up in the St. Charles area and graduated from Pattonville High School.

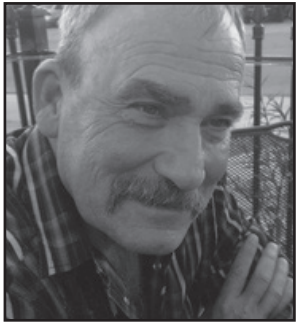
While making her home in Warsaw, Sue co-owned and operated the Ace Hardware Store for several years. She was united in marriage to James "Jim" Ferguson on October 9, 1994. Following their marriage they made their home near Warsaw.

Sue was a member of the Faith Lutheran Church of Warsaw.

She is survived by her husband, Jim, of the home, one sister, Jackie (Lew) Martin of St. Louis, MO, one niece, Debbie and one nephew, Brad, two great-nieces and two great-nephews. Also surviving are her sons, Jody (Nancy) Ferguson of Versailles, MO, Paul (Tammy) Ferguson and Robert (Kenda) Ferguson, all of Stover, MO, 12 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

There will be a memorial visitation on Friday, March 2, 2018, from 2:00 to 3:00 P.M., at the Reser Funeral Home, Warsaw, MO. Family suggest memorial contributions be made to the Benton County Hospice in her memory in care of the Reser Funeral Home, P.O. Box 910, Warsaw, MO.

Verlon H. Keeth



Verlon H. Keeth, age 66, of Lincoln, Missouri passed away Friday, February 23, 2018 at the Villages of St. Peter's Nursing Home, in St. Peter's, Missouri. He was born on May 9, 1951 in Tuscumbia, Missouri the son of Verlon Edward and Della Rose (Barbie) Keeth.

Verlon graduated from Lincoln High School in 1969. He worked for the union with his father helping to build Truman Dam. He attended Central Missouri State University in Warrensburg, Missouri majoring in architectural engineering.

I would like to thank the citizens of Warsaw and Fristoe. To all who provided the service in Fristoe after the passing of my wife, Hazel Doll, I thank you. All the thoughts, prayers and support has been greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,
Wayne Doll

He was also a member of ROTC in college.

Verlon was first married to Linda Bollin having two daughters Amy Janish and April Keeth. Later he was married to Nadine (Dillon) Soles, having one daughter, Verla (Keeth) Turner.

Verlon resided in Lincoln, Missouri for the majority of his life where he started Keeth Construction and did construction work for many years for residents of Benton County and the surrounding areas.

He loved nature and enjoyed to hunt, fish, spend time in nature and plant his own garden. He also enjoyed spending time with his family and friends, kids and grand kids. He owned a farm for several years where he raised livestock and owned various farm animals. He enjoyed riding horses, attending rodeos and livestock auctions. Verlon even spent time in his younger years breaking horses. He was Christian in his beliefs and was a member of different churches throughout his life.

He is preceded in death by his parents Verlon E. Keeth and Della Rose (Barbie) Keeth, a sister Vernice Thompson and a nephew Ronald Johnson.

Verlon is survived by a brother, Vern Keeth, of Lee's Summit, Missouri, two sisters; Violet Johnson of Florida and Vera Maudlin, of Colorado, three daughters; Amy Janish, of O'Fallon, Missouri, April Myers, of Leavenworth, Kansas and Verla Turner, of Columbia, Missouri, six grandchildren; Danielle Holmes, Mitchell and Montgomery Palmer, Steven Myers, Carlie Cox and Espalyn Turner, many cousins, nieces, nephews and loving family and friends.

Funeral Services for Verlon H. Keeth will be held at 11:00 A.M. Wednesday, February 28, 2018 at the Davis-Miller Funeral Home in Lincoln, Missouri. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the funeral from 10:00 until 11:00 A.M. Graveside Services will follow the funeral at the Sunnyside Cemetery near Lincoln. Memorial contributions may be made to the family c/o the Davis-Miller Funeral Home 119 W. Main

Cheryl A. Andrews

Cheryl A. Andrews, age 55, of Clinton, Missouri, passed away Saturday, February 17, 2018 at her home.

A Celebration of Life was held at 11:00 A.M. February 26, 2018 at the Church of Living Water, in Warsaw.

John Beyers Jr.

John Beyers Jr, went home February 20, 2018. Born December 21, 1952 in Jackson County, Missouri, A celebration of life will be held Sat., March 3rd at 3 PM, Memorial Building, 212 Cedar, Pleasant Hill MO. In lieu of flowers, do something nice for someone.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

JOHNNIE J. LOGUE

Billy Graham

I once heard a sermon entitled "Why Billy Graham will go to Hell." First, I believe no one knows the final resting place of another person and secondly, it takes a lot of arrogance and sinful pride in my opinion to say that about Billy Graham.

I believe Billy Graham was one of the greatest preachers in my life time. He wasn't a pastor of a church so he didn't have the problems most pastors have. He chose to be an evangelist and there wasn't any one anywhere quite like him and there may never be again.

In my book he was a living legend. He reached millions for the cause of Christ.

If I had a million dollars, I would give it to talk to Billy Graham today for just one minute. I believe he would describe the beauty of heaven and the glories of God and it would be way beyond my personal understanding.

Grace Baptist Church is located at 31046 mm Hwy. Call 660-281-4775 for more information.

LINCOLN FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Hello everyone. Hope your week has been wonderful. Sunday school attendance today was 56 with 4 visitors. This included church, Bristol Manor and Lincoln Care Center. Birthdays celebrated by Rachel and Lauren, daughters of Michele Kreisler. There will be a retirement party for Jim and Jean Andrews on March 3 from 1-3 PM at First Baptist Church fellowship hall. They have been the caretakers of Baptist Ridge Camp for the past years. We wish them well. One of our community passed away this week, Verlin Keeth. Our prayers are with his family at this time.

Conduct of Holiness was the subject of the pastor's sermon today. Would your conduct lead others to Christ? If you are tolerant of sin you are not showing God's love. Don't deny the sinfulness of sin. Love the sinner not the sin. If you are living unholy lives don't judge others. There has to be a stopping point of sin in your life. Jesus died on the cross for our sin. We need to live honoring and glorifying Jesus.

What does tomorrow hold for us? God gives us a hope and a purpose. God's divine intention is to give us peace. He desires to reach people. You are where you are by God's design. Pray to God for peace in this country and world. Seek peace where you are planted. Spend time with God and find peace.

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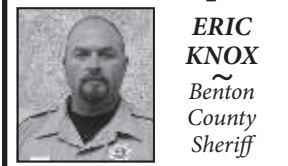
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BENTON COUNTY Sheriff's Report



ERIC KNOX
 Benton County Sheriff

2/19/18- 2/25/18
 Lucas Quade Bock, 20, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 2/19/18 for unlawful possession of a weapon. Subject was given a court date.
 Kathy Sue Gross, 36, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 2/19/18 for failure to appear- violation of education requirement for a child. Subject posted bond and was given a court date.
 Jeremy Scott Gross, 46, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 2/19/18 for unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia x2 and violation of education requirement for a child. Subject posted bond and was given a court date.
 Robert Carl Louis Register, 18, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 2/19/18 for possession of marijuana, synthetic cannabinoid 10 grams or less, driving while revoked or suspended 1st offense, and exceed posted speed limit by 20-25 miles per hour. Subject posted bond and was given a court date.
 Tammy Lynn Davis, 37, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 2/19/18 for failure to appear DWS, failure to appear DWR, and possession of a controlled substance except 35 grams less of marijuana. Subject posted bond and was given a court date.
 Kevin Lee Powell Jr, 28, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 2/22/18 for domestic assault 4th. Subject posted bond and was given a court date.
 Kasey Lynn McKay, 29, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 2/23/18 for failure to appear kill wildlife illegal. Subject posted bond and was given a court date.
 Alex James McKay, 29, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 2/23/18 for domestic assault 4th. Subject posted bond and was given a court date.
 Michael R. Fritchey, 35, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 2/24/18 for possession of controlled substance except 35 grams or less of marijuana. Subject was given a court date.
 Taylor Michelle Clark, 21, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 2/24/18 for failure to appear, failure to appear, and no seat belt. Subject posted bond and was given a court date.

MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION

The Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) is offering its annual cost-share grants to assist government agencies, public schools, and non-profit groups with the management, improvement, and conservation of trees and forests on public land. The Tree Resource Improvement and Maintenance (TRIM) cost-share grants can help communities fund tree inventories, removal or pruning of hazardous trees, tree planting, and the training of volunteers and city/county employees to best care for community forests. "By accessing these cost-share grants, Missouri communities can do more to take care of their trees," said MDC Community Forestry Programs Supervisor Russell Hinnah. "TRIM-grant recipients focus on keeping their neighborhood trees healthy and thriving, which translates to a whole host of social, economic, and environmental benefits for the community and the state. Properly caring for your community's trees helps make your town safe and beautiful."
 TRIM grants are administered by MDC in cooperation with the Missouri Community Forest Council. The program provides reimbursements of \$1,000 to \$10,000 to grant recipients to fund up to 60 percent of money needed for projects. Projects located in communities with the Arbor Day Foundation's Tree City USA designation are eligible for an additional 15 percent in matching funds.
 TRIM applicants must submit a completed application by June 1. Applications must include details on project costs and funding sources, maps and drawings of the project site, and a narrative outlining the purpose and anticipated long-term impacts of the project. Additional details, including the grant application forms, are available at mdc.mo.gov/trim. Proposals are assessed on a competitive basis for their value to the community, the ability to promote, improve and develop a community's urban forest, and economic feasibility.
 Trim Grant Workshops
 To assist potential grant applicants, MDC will hold the following TRIM grant workshops:
 Joplin: March 27, 2018, 9 a.m. to noon, Wildcat Glades Conservation and Audubon Center, 201 W. Riviera Drive. Register by calling 417-629-3423 or email jon.skinner@mdc.mo.gov.
 Springfield: March 28, 2018, 9 a.m. to noon, MDC Southwest Regional Office, 2630 N. Mayfair. Register

by calling 417-895-6880 or email cindy.garner@mdc.mo.gov.
 Columbia: April 9, 2018, 10 a.m. to noon, MDC Central Regional Office, 3500 E. Gans Road. Registration is not required. For more information, contact Ann Koenig at 573-815-7900, ext. 2878.
 Kirkwood: April 24, 2018, 6-8 p.m., MDC Powder Valley Conservation Nature Center, 11715 Cragwood Road. Register by calling 314-301-1500 or email mark.grueber@mdc.mo.gov.
 For assistance in areas of the state where no workshops are scheduled, contact a local MDC forester. Find MDC contacts at mdc.mo.gov/regional-contacts?county=All.

CIRCUIT COURT

Judge Pilley February 6, 2018
 Jessica Huckaby
 Warsaw, MO
 Age: 42
 Passing bad check
 Defendant was granted probation in July of 2013. She surrendered her probation. Probation was revoked and her sentence of 4 years in the Department of Corrections was ordered executed.

Judge Barnes February 8, 2018
 Robyne McKinney
 Warsaw, MO
 Age: 52
 Unlawful possession of a firearm
 Officers responded to a disturbance March 9, 2017 and found that the defendant had possessed a firearm during the disturbance. She had been convicted in 2011 of a felony DWI. She entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to serve a term of 4 years in the Department of Corrections. Execution of sentence was suspended and she was granted probation for a period of 5 years.

Judge Hackett February 9, 2018
 Robert Brady, Jr.
 Warsaw, MO
 Age: 46
 Possession of a Controlled Substance (methamphetamine).
 Defendant was contacted in connection with a drug investigation on August 7, 2016. A baggie of crystal substance was located during a search of the vehicle he had been operating. The Highway Patrol Lab determined the substance to be methamphetamine, a controlled substance. He entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to serve a term of 7 years in the Department of Corrections. Execution of sentence was suspended and he was granted probation for a period of 7 years.

Judge Pilley February 13, 2018
 Ricky Hensley
 Warsaw, MO

Age: 52
 Possession of a Controlled Substance (methamphetamine).
 Defendant was contacted in connection with a drug investigation on June 2, 2016. A baggie of crystal substance was located during a search of his residence. The Highway Patrol Lab determined the substance to be methamphetamine, a controlled substance. He entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to serve a term of 7 years in the Department of Corrections. Execution of sentence was suspended and he was granted probation for a period of 5 years.

NOTICE

The Benton county LEPC (local emergency planning committee) along with the Missouri Emergency Response Commission and the local fire departments would like to remind businesses about the Tier II reports.
 Tier II reports must be filed by March 1, 2018 with information related to the 2017 year. Anyone with specific amounts of hazardous material must file a report with the MERC, the local LEPC and the fire department in your area.
 If for instance you have 4 (four) 500-gallon propane tanks on the property a report must be filed. As long as the material is on the property even if the lines run to four separate buildings it is the total amount on the premises. Following is a brief list and minimum gallon quantities to be reported:
 Diesel 1,360 gallons
 Gasoline 1,600 gallons
 Propane 2,000 gallons
 Kerosene 1,500 gallons
 The above is a short list of the most common hazardous substances and the minimum amount on premises that must be reported.
 All filling stations and some livestock businesses as well as nursing homes with the listed material must file. For some businesses there will be a small fee for others they will file and have no fee to pay to the MERC.
 For questions on who must file and the please contact the local LEPC.
 To receive more information or to make an appointment please call, 660-438-9555, if we are not available please leave a message and we will return your call.
 If you are calling to report an emergency please notify the 911 center and immediate contact with LEPC will be made.
 All reports are available for inspection by making an appointment at the above number.
 Benton County LEPC meets quarterly for more information contact 660-438-9555.

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF MISSOURI TO DEFENDANTS: Ted A. Marvis (a/k/a Theodore A. Marvis), Bernice R. Marvis, Danny R. Marshall, Norma J. Fair, Harold R. Gower, Marie D. Gower, Kenneth R. Veltrop, Ralph A. Madden, Erma L. Madden, Herbert J. Harvill (a/k/a Bert Harvill), Mary Ann Harvill, Allen J. Seans, Kirk C. Colony, Inc. (a/k/a Kirk C. Colony of Ozarks, Inc.), and all other persons who may claim an interest in the herein described property:
 YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Benton County, Missouri, to determine the right, title and interest to the following tracts and parcels of real estate:
 Tract 1:
 Lot 31, Block 20, PALO DURO V, a subdivision in Benton County, Missouri, recorded in Plat Book 13, Page 7.
 TRACT 2:
 Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36, Block 17, PALO DURO IV, a subdivision in Benton County, Missouri, recorded in Plat Book 6, Page 24.
 The names of all parties to said action are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for Plaintiffs is: James Kjar; Kjar Law Office, PC., 220 W. Main St./PO Box 1495; Warsaw, MO 65355-1495; Tel. No. 660-438-7102
 You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within forty-five (45) days after March 1, 2018, judgment by default will be rendered against you.
 Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court of Benton County, Missouri, this 21st day of February, 2018.
 CHERYL SCHULTZ, Circuit Clerk
 Dates of Publication: March 1, 8, 15 and 22, 2018.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI CIRCUIT DIVISION
 Case Number: 18BE-CC00009
 DEBRA FOSTER, Plaintiff,
 Vs.
 TED A. MARVIS (a/k/a Theodore A. Marvis), BERNICE R. MARVIS, DANNY R. MARSHALL, NORMA J. FAIR, HAROLD R. GOWER, MARIE D. GOWER, KENNETH R. VELTROP, RALPH A. MADDEN, ERMA L. MADDEN, HERBERT J. HARVILL (a/k/a Bert Harvill), MARY ANN HARVILL, ALLEN J. SEALS, KIRK C. COLONY, INC. (a/k/a Kirk C. Colony of Ozarks, Inc.), and their Unknown consorts, heirs, devisees, donees, Alienees, or Immediate Mesne or Remote, Voluntary or Involuntary Grantees of said persons and any other persons or entity who claim or may claim an interest.
 Defendants.
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Benton County SWCD To Hold Annual Open House

The Benton Co. Soil and Water Conservation District will be holding their Annual Meeting Open House, at the USDA Service Center in Lincoln (between Dollar General and Estes Drive In) The date is Friday, March 16th. The Open House lunch of grilled hamburgers and hotdogs along with all the extras will be served from 11:00 to 1:00. Make plans now to stop by the office between 11:00 and 1:00 to enjoy a meal. We hope to see you there!!!

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February 22, 2018
Greetings, My Fellow Missourians!

I hurried home last Thursday after session with just enough time to move the electric fences and give the cattle more grass and hay. My wife, Marla, prepared a very fine belated Valentine's Day supper. Afterward, I drove to the Methodist Church in Clinton and attended a memorial service for Roy Ackers. Roy spent his lifetime farming and raising cattle. He was a member of the National Cattlemen's Association, Missouri Cattlemen's Association (MCA) and the Henry County Cattlemen's Association. He received the Pioneer Award in 2015, the highest award given by the MCA. My first recollection of Roy went back to the 1970's when I first got involved with the MCA. Our paths crossed often due to us both being in the cattle business. In my book, Roy was a "Top Hand" and will be greatly missed by many Missouri Cattlemen.

Friday morning started

with breakfast at the 'Round Table' in Smith's Restaurant at Collins. The discussion centered around the MO Department of Conservation plans to reduce the deer herd population in the Collins area. I then visited Weaubleau High School to deliver American FFA Degree resolutions for Leo Barnett, Gatlin Freeman, and Lakota Peppel; then to Hermitage High School with American FFA Degree resolutions for Brent Aubuchon and Ashely Wise; and to Skyline High School for Payton Damitz, Fred Reiss, Tyler Sweaingin, and Shian Swearingin. I am sure proud of these young adults for earning this prestigious degree. I also had an opportunity to spend time with Hermitage R-IV School District Superintendent Ed Vest discussing current educational issues. I also enjoyed going to the McCarty Senior Center in Wheatland for a fine fish dinner. While there, I passed out several 2018 legislative surveys and discussed issues with many of the seniors at the center on Friday.

Since being signed into law in 2012, Missouri Vietnam Veterans Day is observed on March 30 each year. In recognition of those who served in this conflict, Vietnam Veterans are invited to the Capitol on THURSDAY, MARCH 29 for a special ceremony and presentation at 9:00 AM to be followed by a formal recognition at the start of session in the House Chamber. House members are encouraging Vietnam Veterans throughout the state to come forward to receive special recognition for their service. If you are able to attend, please call our office at 573-751-4065 for special arrangements. The House of Representatives and I would be greatly honored by your presence, and we hope to make this a day of celebration to recognize all the Vietnam Veterans across the state.

If you would like to be added to the e-mail list to receive our Capitol Reports, you can e-mail me at warren.love@house.mo.gov or call the Capitol office at (573) 751-4065 and talk to Kelley Rogers, my Legislative Assistant.

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MISSOURI CATTLEMENS ASSOCIATION

Missouri Cattlemen's Association (MCA) 2014 President Jim McCann was honored with the Peter Myers Distinguished Service Award Tuesday, February 20, 2018. MCA President Greg Buckman said the recognition is one of the highest honors for Missouri civic duty and service to the agricultural industry. Buckman said McCann is very deserving.

"McCann has consistently and constantly given of his time to advance Missouri

agriculture," said Buckman. "He is the first to volunteer and is most passionate about the next generation."

McCann was born into a farming and ranching family in central Texas and has always been interested and informed about issues affecting the beef industry. While other pursuits led him away from ranching, opportunities in Missouri led him back to full-time ranching several years ago.

McCann and his family run a diversified cattle farm near Miller, Missouri, which is primarily a stocker and cow calf enterprise. McCann is active in both MCA and the National Cattlemen's Beef Association.

Since the award was first conceptualized by the Missouri Agribusiness Association (MO-AG), Senator Brian Munzlinger (R-18) has presented the award to the recipients each year at the MO-AG banquet. In a surprise twist, Sen. Munzlinger also received the award alongside McCann and other industry leaders.

The banquet is held in conjunction with the Missouri 4-H Legislative Academy. McCann said that made the award all the more appreciated.

"To see youth at the banquet made this award even more special to me," said McCann. "The next generation is truly my focus. If we are serious about advancing Missouri agriculture, we must empower and engage the youth in this industry. They are the future."

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Elation joins a set of elite sires at Square B Ranch, providing the genetic foundation for the Quality Beef program, a Missouri-based network of ranchers whose focus is on improving quality, consistency and value of cattle.

The Quality Beef program was originally created by the University of Missouri before being acquired by Square B Ranch and owner Brian Bell. The goal of Quality Beef is to capture more value from cattle raised on the same resources.

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WEDNESDAY • FEBRUARY 28, 2018 Evening

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Word To The Wise

The only way to discover the limits of the possible is to go beyond them into the impossible. ~Arthur C. Clarke



WEEKLY HOROSCOPE

Horoscope text for various zodiac signs: Aries 3/21-4/19, Taurus 4/20-5/19, Gemini 5/21-6/21, Cancer 6/22-7/22, Leo 7/23-8/22, Virgo 8/23-9/22, Libra 9/23-10/22, Scorpio 10/24-11/22, Sagittarius 11/22-12/21, Capricorn 12/22-1/19, Aquarius 1/20-2/18, Pisces 2/19-3/20.



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ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Warsaw Assembly of God: 703 Elm Road, Warsaw, 65355. 438-6244. Rev. Chad Banfield - Pastor. SS 9:45 AM, WS 10:45 AM, Sunday Worship 6 PM & Bible Study Wed. 6 PM.

Climax Spring Assembly: 345 Climax Ave corner of Park and Main. Pastor Jason Moppin. Sunday School 10 AM, Worship service 10:45 AM & 7:00 PM, Wednesday 7:00 PM. 573-345-0791

Ozark Bethel Chapel Assembly of God Church: J Rd. 9 miles E. of Climax Springs and 7 miles W. of Greenview, 573-347-2237. Sunday morning worship 10:30 AM Wednesday family night 7:00 PM Sunday evening 6 PM Pastor A.L. Thomas

BAPTIST

Cedar Grove Baptist: 31766 Cedar Grove Ave., Warsaw, MO 438-5675, Barry Edwards, Pastor. Worship services at 8:30 AM, and 11:00 AM; morning bible fellowship at 9:45 AM; Wednesday night programs (children, youth & adults) at 7:00 PM.

Church Of Living Water: Warsaw - Saturday service 6 PM, Childrens Church Saturday 6 PM, Sunday service 10:30 AM. Clinton - Thursday Dinner 6 PM, Service 6:30 PM. Windsor - Sunday service 6 PM. Pastor Daniel Yoder. 660-723-1776.

Concord Church: Sunday and Wednesday night services 7:30 PM and Sunday services at 11:00 AM. Pastor Gary Conway, One mile south of Fristoe on 65 to Raven Rd, then 2 miles west.

Cross Timbers Southern Baptist Church: Sunday School 9:45 church worship services 10:45, Wednesday night services 7:00 PM Pastor Terry Gentry 417-998-6889. Rt 1 Box 1436 Cross Timbers, MO 65634

Edmonson Baptist: 27109 Hwy. H, Lincoln, MO. 660-668-4662. SS 9:45 AM WS 10:45 AM & 6 PM, Wed. 7 PM Evening Bible Study. Bro. Rex Green.

Colony Baptist (Forthview & Elk Drive), Edwards, MO 573-345-3513. Sunday 9:30 AM and 10:40 AM, Wednesday 4 PM Services. Robert Walton, Pastor.

1st Baptist/Lincoln: 660-547-3781. Ron Griffith, Pastor. Worship Service 10:30 AM Worship Service 6:00 PM Wednesday Evening Worship 6 PM, Youth Service at 7:00 PM, 121 E. Locust, Lincoln, MO.

Finey Baptist Church: Finey is located 1 miles west of the Benton/Henry county line on Z Hwy. Sunday School is a 10 AM & Worship is at 11 AM Wednesday bible study & singing is at 7 PM Everyone is welcome to our fellowship.

First Baptist/Warsaw: Sunday School: 9:30 AM • Morning Worship: 10:45 AM. Sunday Evening Worship: 6:30 PM. Wednesday Evening Bible Study: 6:30 PM. Pastor Dr. Richard Edds. Email: warsawfbc@embarqmail.com. Website: fbcwarsaw.org. Facebook: First Baptist Church-Warsaw MO. 305 W. Jefferson, Warsaw, MO 65355. (660) 438-6161.

First Baptist/Climax Springs: Hwy. 7 - Worship 11 AM, Sunday School 5:30 PM, Sunday Evening Worship 6:30 PM. Phillip Orick, Pastor.

First Baptist/Cole Camp: F Hwy., Cole Camp, MO. 660-438-3667. Pastor Chris Nichols (727) 207-9211, Sunday School 9:30 AM, Morning Worship 10:30 AM.

Fredonia Baptist Church: 4.3 miles down MM Hwy, 438-2038.

Freedom Missionary Baptist Church: 83 Hwy. to EE & follow EE for 2 miles to Smithview Rd and exit to the right. 1st & 3rd Sundays: S.S. 10 AM, Worship Service 11 AM, 2nd & 4th Sundays: S.S. 10 AM, Worship Service 11 AM and 6 PM Bro. Wayne Duncan, Pastor.

Fristoe Missionary Baptist Church: 38126 Antwiler Ave., Fristoe. SS 10 AM Worship Service 11 AM Every Sunday. 6 PM Sunday evening. Pastor Lavern Garrison.

Good Hope Baptist Church: 7 Hwy. & U Hwy. 660-477-9430. 660-890-1639. Pastor Bryce Kristofferson. Sunday School 9:45-10:40 AM. Worship Service 10:45-11:45.

Green Ridge Freewill Baptist Church: Green Ridge Rd., 3 mi. south of Climax Springs. 573-345-0281 or 573-347-2966. Sunday School 10 AM, Worship 11 AM.

Hopewell Baptist/Quincy: 1 mi. E. of Harper on Hwy 82, follow sign. SS 10 AM, WS 11 AM, Sun. Bible Studies for all 6 PM.

LP Union Missionary Baptist: Pastor Mark Beyer, Every Sunday morning. Sunday School. 11 AM Worship

Lakeside Chapel SBC: West off 65 on T Hwy. to TT Hwy. 1/4 mi. to Mack's Camp Ave., 2.5 miles to church. Pastor Tommy W. Berry. 9:30 AM Sunday School, Worship Service 10:30 AM. Wed. night Worship Service 6:30 PM. Every Thurs. 9

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Mt. Pleasant Church: 3 miles south of Lincoln to McDaniel Rd. and follow signs, about 1 1/2 miles to church. Sunday School at 10 AM, Church Service at 11 AM. 2nd & 4th Sunday.

New Life Baptist: 2 1/4 mi E of St Rte B on State route W, S. of cole Camp.

New Home Baptist: 34457 Hilty Ave. PO Box 1474 Warsaw, MO 65355. 5 miles south of Warsaw on Hilty Ave.

Poplar Baptist: 25819 Poplar Church Ave., Warsaw. 1 mi E of 65 of BB then 1/4 mi S. Pastor: Bro. Van Mellen. (660) 438-3050 Sunday School 10 AM, morning worship 11 AM, Evening Service 6:30 PM, Wed. Evening Service 6:30 PM.

Spring Grove Missionary Baptist Church 25475 Highway T, Warsaw. SS 10:00 AM, Worship Service 11:00 AM every Sunday. Pastor Mike Henderson.

BIBLE CHURCH

Warsaw Bible Church: SS 10:00 AM, Worship 8:00 and 11:00 AM. Wed. Prayer Meeting & children's ministry 6:30 PM. (Children's Ministry Sep-May), take West Dam Access Rd, turn onto Shawnee Bend Rd (next to Shawnee Cemetery), turn right onto Waggoner Rd and go 1/4 mile. www.warsaw-biblechurch.org.

CATHOLIC

St. Ann Church: Mass: Saturday's 4 PM, Sunday's 8:30 AM.

Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church: Cole Camp, Missouri. Sunday Mass 11 AM.

CHRISTIAN

Warsaw Christian Church: Richard Bowman-Pastor. 320 State Street. SS 9 AM Worship 10:15 AM 438-5312.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Church of Christ/Lincoln: Hwy. 65 South at city limits, Lincoln. 547-3523 Sun. 9:30 AM & 10:30 AM & 6:00 PM, Wed. 7:30.

Warsaw Church of Christ/Warsaw 726 E. Main, Warsaw, MO. 10 AM Sunday Services, 1:30 PM Sunday afternoon Services., 7 PM Wed. night Services.

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Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints: 18 Hwy. Kitchart Rd., Clinton. Paul Griner 660-647-2023. Ward Building 660-885-6839, Missionaries 660-885-9290.

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Turkey Creek Church of the Brethren: 1/2 blk. west of Fristoe on CC Hwy. Sunday School at 9:30 AM.

EPISCOPAL

St. Paul's Episcopal Church: Adult Bible Study 9 AM, Worship Service, 10 AM/Mid-week Service 5:30 PM Wed./Handicap accessible/1.6 mi east of 13&7 Jct., Clinton.

FULL GOSPEL

Abundant Life Christian Center: Pastors Herbert & Renee Robertson, 547-2455, 15423 Centerline Rd., (Cole Camp Jct.) Cole Camp. Sun celebration 10 AM Children's church 10 AM Evening 6 PM Wed evening 7 PM with Bible Study for all ages.

INDEPENDENT BAPTIST

Grace Baptist Church: MM Highway, 660-723-2605. Johnie Logue, Pastor. SS 10 AM, WS 11 AM & 6 PM, Wed. 6:30 PM.

Heaven Bound: Sunday service 10:45 AM, Bible teacher Robert Whittington. 612 Polk St. Warsaw, MO (660)723-9690

INDEPENDENT CHRISTIAN

Cross Timbers Christian Church: Jack Davis, Pastor. Sunday School 10 AM Morning Service 11 AM Wednesday, Bible Study at 7 PM. Let us be your family church.

INTERDENOMINATIONAL

Black Oak Community Church: 1 mile south of Lincoln & 9 miles east on H. (660) 647-2371.

River Church: Hwy. 65 & Truman Dam Rd., Rev. Sam Hinkle, Pastor. 660-438-5749.

First Church of Nazareth: 32877 MM Hwy., Warsaw. Rev. Ivan Joe Bradley Jr. 660-723-4931. Sunday 10 AM, 3:30 Sunday, 7:00 Tuesday & Thursday.

LUTHERAN

Faith Lutheran (LCMS)/Warsaw: 1201 Dogwood Dr., 438-6948. Worship Service Sunday 10:00 AM. & Monday 6:30 PM. Sunday School 9 AM.

Emmanuel Lutheran /Lincoln: North of Lincoln on 65 to HH and follow signs. Worship service 10:30 AM.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church: Pastor Stephen Zeller, 705 S. Hickory St., Cole Camp, MO 65325. Worship Service 10 AM,

SS 9 AM, Sat. Evening Service 5:30 PM.

Zion Lutheran/Lincoln: Worship service 8:00AM, Sunday School 9:15 AM and Service 7 PM on Monday. 547-3399.

MENNONITE

Evening Shade Mennonite: 4 Mi E. of Dell on Hwy. 7. 438-6084 or 438-3924.

Fountain of Praise Mennonite: Pastor Truman Yoder. Sunday School 9:30 AM Church service 10:30 AM 660-547-3716 or 660-723-3516.

METHODIST

Cole Camp United Methodist: 107 North Boonville Rd. Pastor Tanner Wiley, Sunday worship 10:30 AM, Sunday School 9:30 AM. 1st Saturday praise and worship 6:30 PM 668-3051.

Cross Timbers Independent Methodist: Located on the square in Cross Timbers, MO. Worship service each Sunday at 10:30 AM. Bro. Carl Ginnings, pastor.

Hickory Chapel United Methodist: Located at C Hwy and Hickory Chapel Rd. Nine miles west of Lincoln on C Hwy. Sunday worship is 9:00 AM followed by Sunday school at 10:00 AM Pastor Matt Riley, (660)547-2223.

Ionia United Methodist: Pastor Harvey J. Beach. Located at 5th and Main. Worship time is 9:00 AM.

Lincoln United Methodist: 217 W Main St. Sunday worship and kids church is at 10:50 AM, Sunday school, 9:30 AM for adults. Pastor Matthew Riley, (660)547-2223.

Mt. Pleasant Church: 3 miles south of Lincoln to McDaniel Rd. and follow signs, about 1 1/2 miles to church. Sunday School at 10 AM, Church Service at 11 AM. 1st & 3rd Sunday.

New Hope United Methodist Church: DD & DD3 - 32912 Spry Rd., Edwards. Pastor Cliff Saupé, 660-438-1677. Worship at 9 AM.

Warsaw United Methodist Church: 660-438-6261 Sunday Worship; 8:15 AM & 10:30 AM. Youth IGNITE 6-12 grade 6-8 PM. Rev. Loren Whetsell. Come join us to change lives! www.firstchurchwarsaw.org

NAZARENE

Church of the Nazarene: 812 Elm Street. Parsonage-438-7450 712 Elm St., Pastor Christopher Keith, SS 9:45 AM, WS 10:45 AM. Wednesday service at 7:00 PM.

PENTECOSTAL

Ozark Tabernacle Church: End of AE Hwy., Cole Camp, MO. Pastor Rev. John Medlock, Sun. Worship 11 AM/6 PM Sunday School 10 AM 660-668-3996.

Victory Temple Full Gospel: State Road U & Hwy. 65, Cross Timbers, MO 573-347-2467. Non-Denominational.

Faith Chapel Pentecostal Church of God: Fowler & Dehony St., Cole Camp, MO 660-668-3497.

Fristoe Pentecostal Lighthouse : Sunday School 10 AM, Morning Worship 11 AM, Evening Services 6 PM, Wednesday 7:00 PM.

Lighthouse of Jesus Christ: 338 Jackson St., Warsaw. Pastors Nick Womble. Morning Worship 11 AM, Evening Service 5:30 PM, Sun. School 10 AM.

PRESBYTERIAN

Climax Springs Presbyterian: Pastor Myron Keith Hall. 227 Simpson Dr., Climax Springs. WS 11AM. Pastor number 417-852-4111.

OTHERS

Community of Christ: 130 Lillie Lane, Warsaw, 438-7133. Church School at 9:45 AM, Worship at 11:00 AM Pastor Sue Stevens 660-826-8020. Our doors are open to all. Come join us!

Golden Valley Seventh Day Adventist Church: 2000 N. Community Drive, Clinton, MO 64735. www.gvsda.com. Services: *Saturday*, Sabbath School 9:30 AM, Worship Service 10:50 AM. Vegetarian buffet following service.

Unity of the Lakes: Member of Association of Unity Churches; affiliated with Unity School of Christianity, publishers of the Daily Word. Hwy. 65 (8 miles south of Warsaw). WS 11 AM. PO Box 1336, Warsaw. 438-6235.

Shiloh Community Church: 83 South 18 miles to EE 1 1/2 miles down EE to church. Sunday School 9:45 AM; Worship Service at 11:00 AM.

NON-DENOMINATIONAL

Waypoint Ministries: 1827 E. Main St., Warsaw, MO (Next to Valley Transmission) Sunday 10:00 AM; Worship Service at 11:00 AM, Wednesday 7:00 PM. Pastor Randy Rushing. 660-223-2700. www.waypointministries.org.

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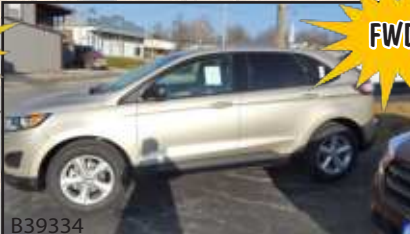
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