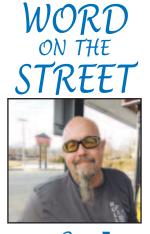


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The Benton County Democratic Club will not meet in November or December. Our next meeting is January 17, 2018. ****

Benton Collector's Office will be open, Friday, December 29,2017. Can pay online or drop box at the front on building. Must be postmarked in December.

***** The Missouri State Highway Patrol would like to remind the public that driver examination stations throughout the state will be closed on the following date: Monday, January 1, 2018, in observance of New Year's Day. Normal operations will resume on Tuesday, January 2, 2018. ****

Regional Boonslick Library will be closed on Christmas Day. The regular hours of 9:00 to 5:30 resume on Tuesday December 26, and Monday, January 1st. The library's regular hours of 9:00 to 5:30 resume on January 2. For more information, contact the library at 660-438-5211 or stop by 102 E. Jackson St. ***** "Slide into a Good Book" is the theme for Boonslick Regional Library's Adult Winter Reading Program. Read for a chance to win prizes! Sign-up begins January 2. For more information, contact the Warsaw Library at 660-438-5211 or stop by 102 E. Jackson St. ***** Roger L. Reedy, Benton County Assessor, will mail approximately 12,000 personal property lists to Benton County residents who own taxable personal property, as of January 1, 2018, who must furnish the assessor a list by March 1, 2018, to avoid late penalties. Taxable personal property includes vehicles, boats, boat motors, airplanes, travel trailers, mobile homes, livestock, farm



RESPONDING TO A CALL, Benton County Sergeant Andrew Breshears stays in constant contact with a dispatcher who in a sense "rides along." The Sheriff's Office has responded to over 17,000 calls this year, with many requiring an average of one hour of follow up paperwork.

Sheriff's Office Challenged By Rising Calls And Budget Shortfall

By Joyce Coates Enterprise Staff

The Benton County Sheriff's Office faces a staffing shortage amid rising calls, coupled with a budget shortfall. Despite this, as 2017 comes to an end, Sheriff Eric Knox can take pride in what he and his deputies have accomplished. More than one challenge has been met or overcome. They acknowledge support of residents, of County Commissioners, the fundraising by Friends of Benton County Sheriff's Office, and the collaboration and assistance of other equally-dedicated public safety and law enforcement colleagues.

Between January and November 2017, the sheriffs deputies responded to a total of 17,033 incidents, an average 1,548 per month. December's numbers, not yet final, will bring the year's total close to 18,500. Since the population of the jurisdiction is also in the 18,000 range, the workload can be equated to one incident per every man, woman, and child in Benton County.

"To keep my word about being transparent," Knox said, "I want to inform and explain that sometimes there

Visually Impaired Girl Sees

are lag times in between calls and responses because of sudden life-threatening situations we have to respond to first."

Knox gave an example of a deputy on his way to respond to a call about vandalism who was interrupted by emergency calls three separate times. That was the reason he could not get to the scene of the first call as soon as the victim of vandalism expected.

Diana Marmino volunteers as a data analyst and gives 30 to 40 unpaid hours per week. She maintains a spreadsheet of monthly numbers and categories of incidents that the 12.5 fulltime road deputies respond to. The ".5" represents one deputy whose other halftime duties include court appearances and transporting inmates. She also serves as the training coordinator and serves the office in other vital functions.

The secretary Michelle Bruns, has responsibilities as jailer, administrative assistant, accountant and janitor!

For the Sheriff and deputies, besides the to-and-from the scene response times, following each incident they spend and average of 60 minutes or more completing the detailed, mandatory See Review on Page 10

Cole Camp Approves 5% **Pay Raise**



Under new business, Thursday evening December. 21, Cole Camp City Board approved a 2018 salary raise, averaging about five percent for City employees, while also approving the City's 2018 budget. Other than salary increases, that budget was said to be similar to its 2017 budget. One Alderman expressed concern about the size of the pay increase (2% being the federal standard for 2018 COLAs), but was assured that since City employees had seen no recent raises, and since no future raise is guaranteed, See Cole Camp on Page 3

SFCC Promotes **Dr. Hutton Gann**

State Fair Community College's Board of Trustees approved the promotion of Dr. Rhonda Hutton Gann to Dean of Health Sciences at the Nov. 28 trustees? meeting.



Dr. Hutton Gann started her career with SFCC in 2002 as a nurse educator and then advanced to divi-See Hutton on Page 3

Knights Brighten Up Christmas With Dinner



self. She joined the Benton County, MO ARES and Rick Wade heard Stanfield Twin Lakes Amateur Radio had obtained her General Club in August 2017. She attended meetings, contributed ideas and participated in weekly nets. She attained her General Class and then Extra Class licenses within a span of two months. "I became interested in ham radio because my grandfather enjoyed it and he encouraged me as well," said Stanfield.

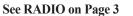
When Jim McNally and



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Blind since birth, Kelly Stanfield of rural Lincoln didn't let her disability stop her from become a ham radio operator. Stanfield came to Benton County from Kansas and soon found a group of people who enjoyed talking on the airwaves like herClass license, they wanted to give her the ability to speak with people all over the world. They worked with members of the BC ARES to raise the funds needed to purchase a Kenwood TS-590s HF radio with a VGS-1 voice synthesizer board, and a Powerwerx 30 Amp power supply. An 80-10 meter di-





TAKING TO THE AIRWAVES on her specially equipped ham radio, Lincoln resident Kelly Stanfield enjoys talking to folks from across the country and the planet.

THE SPIRIT OF THE SEASON filled the Warsaw Knights of Columbus Hall on Christmas Day as the organization hosted a complimentary dinner that was open to all members of the community. Helping with the event were Mary Kemna and Jack Hahn.

By Anita Campbell

Enterprise Staff Over 400 people enjoyed Christmas Dinner at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Christmas Day according to event coordinator Charlie Smith.

"The Christmas Dinner event was started to make sure everyone had a place to go to enjoy food and fellowship on Christmas Day," said Smith. "However, now it has turned into a yearly tradition for people from all walks of life.'

The Knights Cooking Crew consisting of Howard

Sullentrop, Butch Mowry, Bob Clark, John Cooner, Jack Hahn and Don Wilde prepared the meal early Christmas morning. The Ladies of the Knights Auxiliary helped serve.

Ham, turkey, dressing, mashed potatoes, gravy, cranberry sauce, green beans as well as dessert and ice tea and coffee made up the traditional Christmas meal.

The meal was free to anyone who wanted to participate. The Knights pay for events such as this with their annual Shrimp

See KNIGHTS on Page 3

LAKE STACES

Truman Lake 705.25, 0.75 feet below normal pool. Lake of the Ozarks at the Warsaw Swinging Bridge: 655.45, 4.65 feet below normal pool. Total discharge over the spillway is 0 CFS and through the turbines is 0 CFS. Lake temperature is 43°.

7 DAY FORECAST

Thur., December 28 - Partly Cloudy, High 37 $^{\circ}$ Low 21 $^{\circ}$ Fri., December 29- Cloudy, High, 37° Low 12° Sat., December 30 - PM Snow, High 22° Low 8° Sun., December 31 - Partly Cloudy, High 25° Low 13° Mon., January 1 - Partly Cloudy, High 20° Low 7° Tue., January 2- Mostly Sunny, High 32° Low 19° Wed., January 3 - Partly Cloudy, High, 29° Low 20°

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A **RECEPTION** was held for retiring Warsaw Police Chief Dave Jones on Friday. Attendees included Cierra Delaurier, Josie Jones, and Robbie Lane.



SPREADING HOLIDAY CHEER, Warsaw fifth grade students visited Warsaw Health And Rehabilitation Center last week where they met residents including Lela Plumlee.



FIVE GENERATIONS of the Berryman family recently gathered. They are Jerry Berryman, Randy Berryman, Brynlee Sibley and Danelle and Ralph Sibley.



FAMILIES PICKED UP FOOD, cloth-



Thursday, December 28, 2017

TWENTY-TWO STEPPING STONES MEMBERS and one guest attended the last meeting of 2017 and Christmas Party. The business meeting program included voting on changes to the bylaws and installation of officers for 2018-19. The Hostesses were Esther Bolinger and Jacque Scott who provided Christmas decorations, soup and bread and beverages. The members prepared additional finger foods and desserts. Ranetta Daugherty presented a red and white Poinsettia flower arrangement, "Winter Wonderland". She clarified that poinsettias are not poisonous and come from Mexico and can grow from 10 to 15 ft. tall.

Patty Orsborn passed out the 2018 Yearbook to each member. She explained the use of the "Plant America" theme, which is the theme for the National Garden Clubs, Inc. Our club theme in 2018 will be "Plant Your Neighborhood," which involves selecting friends, neighbors, or club members to assist with their gardening needs. We appreciate Patty being our Yearbook Chairman, getting program ideas from the members and meeting with the officers as they collected the information. She did an excellent job.

Ranetta Daugherty conducted the installation of officers for 2018-19. They are Nancy Konkus, President, Patty Orsborn, Vice President, Angela Lindley, Secretary and Sara Blacklock, Treasurer. Ranetta presented each officer with a Christmas nutcracker soldier with ribbons attached for the colors of the office. This ended the business meeting and the Christmas Party began. The party began with a delicious lunch and followed with a rousing garden related gift exchange Santa in a Grinch t-shirt (alias JeanTullos) was our hostess. Everyone had a wonderful time. Coming Events: NEXT MEETING : February 14, 10 AM at the Warsaw Christian Church, Program: "Gardening After 50", by Randall Postel, Mgr. Integrated Fitness, Licensed Wellness and Fitness Coach The Public is welcome to attend. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to Everyone!





Name: Randy James. Birthplace: Brookfield, MO Years In Warsaw: 15. F a mily: Rita(wife) Christopher, Cory, Dustin, (sons) Hayden, Conner, Chloe, Madison, & Evan(grandchildren). Occupation: Counter

person and delivery driver at NAPA.

Education: 2 associates State Fair, continuing education at Governor's University.

Favorite Childhood Memory: Growing up on the farm.

Growing Up I Wanted To Be: In the military. Favorite Movie: Sands of

Iwo Jima.

First Job: Bucking hay bales.

Prized Possession: My wife. **Favorite Musician:** Little Big Town.

What Do You Value Most In Your Friends: Honesty & respect.

Hobbies: Bass fishing. Best Time Of My Life: Bass fishing with my uncle in Florida.

I Hope I Never Have To: Move from the lake. Worst Time Of My Life: The loss of my father. I've Never Been Able To: Play golf. Worst Idea I've Ever Had: Leaving the farm. Most Embarrassing Moment: Forgetting someone's name. If I Won The Lottery I Would: Travel and fish. Major Accomplishment: Graduating college. Future Goal: Bachelor's Degree

What Is The Best Thing About Living In Warsaw: Living near the lake. What Is Your Greatest Fear: Snakes. Which Person Do You Admire The Most: All military personal. Words To Live By: Be kind even on your bad days.

Tourism Grant Applications Available

The Benton County Tourism Commission has announced that Tourism Promotion Grants for 2018 are available using funds raised by the Guest Tax in Benton County. These funds are to be used to promote, encourage, and attract visitors to Benton County and will be for the specific promotion of Benton County Tourism Attractions/Events to be held in 2018.

Grants are available on a competitive basis to any visitor attraction, community event, or area (more than one community) event held within Benton County with nonprofit (501c3), or other non-profit status whose primary purpose is to encourage tourism and generally promote Benton County. Grant projects must be completed within the 2018 calendar year.

Applications for 2018 grants will be accepted from now thru January 8, 2018.

Application forms and instructions can be found at http://www.visitbentoncomo.com/blog or by emailing lstokes@visitbentoncomo. Ing and gifts for 35 children on Wednesday December 20, at Benton Co. Elks Lodge #2783. Each family received food for over a week, including a ham. Elks Care Elks Share!

com. Mail completed application to: Benton County Tourism & Recreation, PO Box 1245, Warsaw, MO 65355. Questions call 660-438-2090.

Notification of results will be made public in February 2018.

EDWARDS AREA NEWS

I M P O R T A N T CANCELATION NOTICE: THE DEER CREEK FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT P O T L U C K F O R JANUARY HAS BEEN CANCELLED. Due to the inclement weather forecast, the DCFPD potluck has been cancelled. If weather permits, the next potluck will be held in February. An update will follow later in the month.

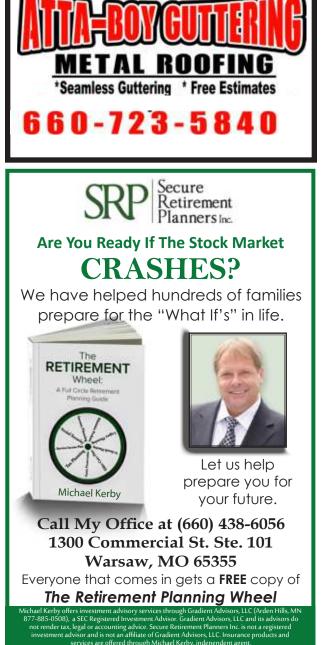
THE NEXT TRAINING M E E T I N G F O R FIREFIGHTERS AND FIRST RESPONDERS OF THE DEER CREEK FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT WILL BE HELD ON JANUARY 9TH AT 6:00 PM at FIREHOUSE 3 ON M HIGHWAY. We still need volunteers for fire and first responders. If you would like to help, please contact Chad at 660-723-1145.

THE ANGELS IN TRAINING MISSION GROUP WILL MEET ON MONDAY JANUARY 8TH 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 Adopta-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 Darleine at 573-345-3032 or Della at 573-345-3095.

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.





MORE NEWS BRIEFS

machinery, and all licensed trailers. If you have lifetime plates on your vehicle or trailer, you still need to list this.

If you do not receive a list in the mail by January 22, 2018 please call the assessor's office at 438-5473 so that one will be sent to you. Office hours are 8:00 to 12:00 and 1:00 to 4:30.

In addition, the assessor will be at the Cole Camp City office to take lists on the following mornings from 8:30 AM until noon: Fridays, January 5, 12, and 19, 2018.

COLE CAMP

(Continued from Page 1) there could be no certainty of future raises.

The meeting opened at 7 PM, with Alderpersons Earlene Oglevie, Wayne Karman, Eric Hoke, Bob Meuschke present. Mayor Burton Bormann presided; City Clerk Ami Dieckman recorded. First actions by this group were to approve the evening's agenda and minutes of its Nov. meeting and a subsequent closed session, then agree to pay bills presented.

Under old business, the group discussed a bid received for a library remodeling project, but took no action since they decided they needed to further research the project. They approved a \$7,700 audit contract with DSWA Certified Public Accountants for a 2017 audit and the next five years; with slight increases in costs in each succeeding year. The City has used DSWA audit services for 10 plus years. The group then voted to accept an employee insurance renewal option with a health benefits savings plan costing about \$38,288; a projected \$3,000 savings for the City, with potential cost savings for employees who opt into the program.

Under new business, the group okayed a \$25 expenditure to renew membership in the Missouri Rural Services Workers' Compensation Insurance Trust.

In late session, Mayor Bormann reported a recent budget meeting went well. Police Chief Stephen Phillips furnished reports of Department activities in Nov. and Dec. to date. He also said he was not too serious in investigating a recent report of "tall grass, received at midnight." He reported business as usual for the season. Public Works Director Klark Boling stated that recent assistance furnished by Whiteman AFB volunteers in assembling playground equipment was very helpful. "One more day of assembly should finish the job." He added that parts for the new water tower switch are in. The meeting closed about 8:15 PM to go into executive session on a court case. Holiday greetings were in the air as the meeting closed. The open sessions are usually held on 3rd Thursday evenings; visitors are welcome.

also has been involved on multiple taskforce initiatives for the Missouri State Board of Nursing. As Dean of Health Sciences, Dr. Hutton Gann will now serve on SFCC's Executive Leadership Team (ELT).

SFCC trustees approved the recommendation from the ELT to make Health Sciences its own division with Dr. Hutton Gann as the dean reporting to Dr. Brent Bates, Vice President for Educational and Student Support Services. Establishing Health Sciences as its own division creates a better balance of employee management and responsibilities with the other two academic deans, Mark Kelchner, dean of Technical Education and Workforce Innovation, and James Cunningham, dean of Academic Affairs.

RADIO

(Continued from Page 1) pole antenna with a Comtec 4:1 current balun, 140 FT of coax, insulators, wire, and PL-259 connectors will be installed outside Kelly's home. Kelly's uncles, Joe, Lee and Roger Krout purchased a flight case for Kelly to store and transport her new radio easily!

In order for a sightless person to operate a complex radio like this, the radio must 'speak' when settings change. The Kenwood has this ability with the synthesizer board installed. Wade ordered and paid for the VGS-1 voice synthesizer board and McNally installed and tested the voice synthesis feature that will allow the radio to verbalize and interact with Stanfield. During all of this, McNally was in contact with Stanfield's uncle, Joe Krout (KR0UT), and best friend, Craig Martin (KY0O), so they could take part in the surprise as well.

"I had no clue to what my friends had planned," said Stanfield. "I really enjoyed my surprise."

Stanfield is a third generation Amateur Radio operator on her mother's side of the family. She was very excited to recently acquire her grandfather, Harry Krout's callsign (W0YQG) since he became a Silent Key. It was obvious to the group she wanted to keep up the family tradition. Her first radio was a Kenwood TMV71A, which she still owns and uses to this day for local contacts and participating in BC ARES nets and activities.

Wade (KD0CNC), Samantha Henley (KE0LMY), Joe Krout (KR0UT), Craig Martin (KY0O), Rick Harkins (W0YGH), Michael Schley (KB0LW), Steve Pierce (WA5ICX), Rebecca Pierce (W5RNX), Robert Scott (KD0AFI), Della Scott (KD0AFJ), Roger Henley (KD0WXT), Renee Cason (KE0LMZ), Lee Krout and Roger Krout.

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ACROSS

1) Telescope component

So all of the amateur radio buffs out there, call Stanfield (W0YQG) and find out what she is up to now.

KNIGHTS

(Continued from Page 1) Boil, Tootsie Roll sales and renting their building out for special events.

"We always have something happening," said Smith. The Knights also sponsor an educational scholarship for those wishing to continue their education.

"I don't know how long the Knights have been sponsoring the Christmas Dinner but I have participated for 18 years," said Smith.

FRISTOE NEWS

Wow it is cold on this 2017 Christmas Eve! The wind is blowing really hard which makes the cold worse. I hope everyone is where they need to be and are not out traveling in this cold weather, but if you are my wish for you is a safe warm trip!

As mentioned in last week's column, The Place, eatery of Mary Brown in Fristoe will be open this week with regular hours Again, Fristoe Cafe will not reopen till Friday January 5.

Sending out a major prayer request this week for Lincoln resident, friend and Vietnam Veteran Darrell Smith. Darrell had an encounter with Pancreatic Cancer a year ago but with treatments and many prayers he overcome the cancer and was declared cancer free this past summer. However, he was told last week that the cancer has returned, this time in his lungs. Darrell and his lovely wife Debbie go January 8 for conference with Dr. to discuss what treatments he will under

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44) Arcade foul

is amazing to watch and a very wonderful Blessing. Words of Wisdom for th coming year! The person who talks without thinking runs more risks than the person who thinks without talking! Prayer meeting: Monday morning, 9:00 AM-Fristoe Lighthouse Church.

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Birth of Christ. Immediately

after church Br. Smith left to

be with his family in Wichita,

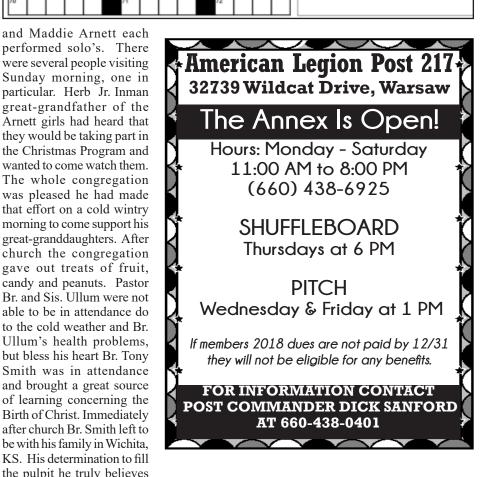
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HUTTON (Continued from Page 1)

sion chair and associate dean. She holds a Doctorate of Nurse Practitioner from Capella University.

Dr. Hutton Gann's leadership has been instrumental in expanding SFCC's health science programs, securing external funding and growing partnerships with health care providers which benefit students and communities. She serves on national committees for the Organization of Associate Degree Nursing and the Katy Trail Community Health Board of Trustees. Dr. Hutton Gann

Amateur Radio operators are able to send out messages when other forms of communication may be out of order due to bad weather.

"You never know who you are going to talk to," said Stanfield. "Sometime I call out to a specific person but many times I just call out to see who is listening and who wants to talk to me."

Rick Wade, then Emergency Coordinator for the BCARES and current President of the Twin Lakes Amateur Radio Club, was astounded by her capabili-

"I don't know how she does it," he remarked upon meeting Stanfield. "She's pretty amazing. She doesn't complain about her disability or use it as an excuse."

Before moving to Missouri, Stanfield worked as a cashier and customer service representative.

"Since I moved to Missouri, I have been concentrating on obtaining all the necessary licenses to become an amateur radio operator," Stanfield said.

Those who contributed to the gift to Stanfield's gift included: Jim Mc-Nally (KA0DXU), Rick

Please put Darrell go. on all prayer lists as he is going to need the prayers of all to beat this thing again. Please keep Br. Kenneth Ullum, Darrell and Helen Beyer, Shirley Piggott, Mary Scarbrough, and W.Y Garrison on prayer lists.

Fristoe Pentecostal Lighthouse held church service Sunday, December 24 Christmas Eve and when it was over everyone in attendance was talking about how great it was. The Sunday school, along with a Sunday School teacher Kele First brought the program entitled "The Christmas Story". The Christmas Story was read as always from Luke chapter 2. However, never before has it been brought forth how things came about, what the gifts were and where these gifts came from and how these gifts are used. It was just a wonderful program and after, the Sunday School performed many Christmas Carols. Laney Arnett



Community Bible Study: Thursday morning, 7:30 AM-Fristoe Community Building.

Tri-Lakes Cowboy Church: Thursday evening-Fristoe Community Building. Building opens 5:15 PM, food and music starts around 6:00, Prayers, Praise and Worship, Preaching God's Word starts around 7:00 PM. Everyone encouraged to attend! Call Phronsie



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BENTON COUNTY ENTERPRISE **SPORTS** THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28, 2017



They Are Not Laughing Anymore

I have been at boys basketball games in the last couple of years where opposing fans would laughed about playing Warsaw. They felt it was an easy win. Well, I got news for them. Our Freshman aren't freshmen anymore. They are juniors and they have come of age.

Let's face it, Matt Luebbert and Logan Davis was thrown to the dogs their freshman year. The coaches had no choice but to play them. I would have played them. Luebbert could have averaged 20 points a game on the JV level last year but we really didn't have that option. So they took the losses. Davis had the ball stolen and had a bunch of turn overs. Luebbert played against bigger and more experienced players. The difference between 14 year olds and 18 year olds is huge.

Although Sacred Heart handled them pretty well, Warsaw has been in every game and is 6-3 and is the No. One seed in the upcoming Skyline tournament.

Yes, things are changing. The boys are coming of age and the master chess player Scott Floyd is using everything at his disposal to further their success.

Make no mistake, this last year in the Tri- County Conference will be tough. We should be able to win a few games but the powerhouses will be hard to beat as always. We will see. The conference tournament at Osage this next week



SOPHOMORE LANE BATES goes up for a shot against Buffalo last Tuesday at WHS. Warsaw beat Buffalo 71-62 to move to 6-3 on the season.

Warsaw Tames **Buffalo Bisons** By Johnie J. Logue

Enterprise Staff

It was a game with some 12 lead changes, seven in the first quarter but a poor third quarter by Buffalo allowed the Warsaw Wildcats to break open a close game. The home win on Tuesday night of 71-62 put the Wildcats at 6-3 on the season.

In a high scoring first quarter with Warsaw leading 22-20 that Buffalo probably didn't do their homework as Matt Luebbert had ten after one and 19 at half. He would have 35 with some four

Warsaw's New Conference **Ready To Merge**

By Johnie J. Logue Enterprise Staff

As some of you already know, Warsaw is leaving the tri-county conference after this season. However their new conference (Ozark Highlands) will have a short life. A new conference is being formed called the (Ozark Mountain Conference). The newly formed Ozark Highlands Conference, consisting of (Warsaw, Buffalo, Butler, Eldorado Springs, Sherwood, and Cole Camp {football only}) was slated to start in the fall of 2018. However, there will be a merger of the remaining schools of the (Mid-Lakes Conference) (Skyline, Stratford, Fair Grove, Stockton, Clever, and Forsyth), which will take place in 2020/2021. There will be a north and south division, with the north comprised of (Skyline, Eldorado Springs, Warsaw, Butler, and Stockton). The south will be (Buffalo, Fair Grove, Stratford, Clever, and Forsyth). Schools will play each team in their division in all team sports, and all conference schools each year in basketball. Specific guidelines will be in place to determine conference champions in each team sports. There will also be an academic bowl competition beginning in 2020/2021. Warsaw's Superintendent and President of the Ozark Highlands Conference, Shawn Poyser, the acting President of the Ozark Highlands Conference, commented "We are really excited about the new conference! There is strength in numbers, we have the ability to add schools, especially to the north. Schools in the Ozark Mountain Conference have strong traditions academically along with rich histories with extra and co-curricular activities. This move is better for our students and our patrons, as we compete against schools our size, and more in our geographic location".

minutes to play but missed a couple of free throws and never scored again.

While Luebbert was showing his athletic skills, Logan Davis was running the floor and the offense Davis had 21 points on the night. Buffalo pressed sparingly. Teams that have beaten Warsaw have used the press as their main weapon over the past three years.

It was tied 34-34 at the half and the fouls had Buffalo in the lead at 11-5. Buffalo had an balanced attack with four players in double figures.

Warsaw led 55-38 after thee. However, Buffalo

would make a run behind the three point shooting of Freshmen Bode Abraham and Jospeh Pons to cut the lead to eight at 70-62. Layton Moody made a great play by stealing the ball from Luebbert and hitting his open team mate for a quick score.

Luebbert would pick up his fourth foul but Warsaw had matters well in hand. Cole Branson, Warsaw's

6'5 center, was ill. He started but played sparingly. Warsaw scoring was com-

pleted by Keegan Glenn with six, Lane Bates with 5 and Trey Palmer with four.



WARSAW SENIOR CASH MILLER SIGNED a litter of intent to attend North Central Missouri College on Wednesday morning at WHS. Pictured on front row along with Miller are his parents, Kim and Mark Miller. On back row are WHS athletic Director Ryan Boyer, Warsaw new Head Baseball Coach Micky Wheeler and Trenton Head Baseball Coach Donnie Hillerman.

Cash Miller Signs With Trenton

By Johnie J. Logue Enterprise Staff

Warsaw Senior Cash Miller signed a letter on intent to play baseball at North Central Missouri College in Trenton Mo. on Wednesday morning at WHS.

The 6'5 hard throwing right hander impressed Trenton's coaching staff during their summer Show Case Camp this year.

Miller has improved every season since his freshman year and should be a tremendous addition to their program.

Head Baseball Coach Donnie Hillerman, commented, "We see Cash with a lot of potential and he should make a solid impact on our team. We will work on his velocity and at 6'5 he should be a dominate presence on the mound."

Miller will have plenty of competition as Trenton will have some 56 players on their roster. They were 23-31 last season and hope to play even more games next year.

Among those attending the signing were 25-30 fellow students who crowed in the Warsaw library. Miller still has his senior year to play for Warsaw this coming spring and hopefully will lead the Wildcats to a winning season.





could tell us a lot about how good we really are.

Expect Luebbert to get double teamed a lot for the rest for the season. Other guys will have to score as he may not be able to score thirty a night like he is doing right now. They will also see the press more and will probably see more trees.

As always, the key is how well you are playing at the end of the season. We have a long way to go. However, for me it goes by pretty fast. The boys will be seniors next year. How did that happen?

Anyway, let me say it again, they are not laughing anymore.

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



the shortest player in the NBA Hall of Fame.





THE LHS ATHLETE OF THE WEEK Blayke Bays had 24 points in Lincoln's first victory of the year with a home victory over Rich Hill last week. She is our Lincoln Athlete of the Week for the second week in a row. Congratulations!



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Lady Cats Beat Versailles

By Johnie J. Logue Enterprise Staff The Warsaw Lady Cats traveled to Versailles on Tuesday night and defeated the home team 61-32 to move their record to 4-6.

Once again it was Aubrie McRoberts leading the way with 16 points. Warsaw junped out to a 15-12 first quarter lead and never looked back. It was 32-22 at half.

Like in the boys game on the same night at home against Buffalo, it was the third quarter that made the

difference. Versailles only managed four points compared to Warsaw's 13 as the Lady Cats led 45-26 after three and then ran away with the victory in the final frame.

Kylee Creach returned to the lineup after missing two games because of illness and added ten points to the cause.

Warsaw Scoring: McRoberts. 16 Plybon.12 Chapman. 11 Creach 10, Schepker 6, Yach 2, Fajen 2, Mantonya.2

Versailles- Hendrix.12 Hoffa 8, Ballew 7, Knoerle 4 Viebrock.

Warsaw R-IX **December Board** Meeting News

The Warsaw R-IX Board of Education met in regular session on the evening of Monday, December 18, 2017. The meeting was called to order by President Tracey Spry at 6:00 p.m.

The evening began with recognition of WHS Senior Dallas Larsen. Dallas is a three-sport All-State athlete including Wrestling, Cross Country and Track. Dallas is also a member of the Warsaw National Honor Society.

Next, the WHS FBLA (Future Business Leaders of America) presented a slideshow to the board with pictures of their recent trip to the National FBLA Convention in New Orleans, Louisiana. The students shared some of the information that they had learned in break-out sessions with the board and thanked them for approving the trip.

Following, the WHS Madrigal performed two Holiday songs for the Board. The Madrigal singers are directed by Mrs. Deanna Schockmann.

After unanimous approval of the Consent Agenda, which included approval of minutes from the previous meeting, finance report, bills for payment and approval to transfer funds. With no Old Business on the agenda, the board moved to agenda items under New Business.

Under New Business, the board formed a committee of three members to select the John T. Belcher Scholarship nominee for Warsaw through this Thursday for Mrs. Beth Love, North/

RME Principal informed the board of the recent Family Movie Night held last Friday at North Elementary.

Mrs. Cross, South Elementary Principal informed the board of the recent 2nd/3rd Grade Christmas program and that Santa will be visiting South Elementary this Thursday, December 21st. Mrs. Cross also shared encouraging recent Evaluate Testing Results in English Language Arts with the board.

Next, Dr. Shawn Poyser, Superintendent of Schools, updated the board on plans to share information, answer questions and survey faculty/staff on the January 2nd **Professional Development** Day, regarding the possibility of a 4-Day Week Calendar for 2018-19. Dr. Poyser commented, "After sharing information, answering questions and surveying the staff, if there is not at least a two-thirds majority in favor of further looking into the 4 Day Week we will not go any further and will go with a more traditional calendar." If district staff is favorable, a survey of district parents and a panel of educators from other schools currently using the 4-Day Week Calendar will be assembled for a community forum to share information and answer questions from parents and the community.

information on the newly formed Ozark Mountain Conference of which Warsaw will be a member in college and you don't know what to do with a basketball? You shoot it. Pretty simple.

I have also seen timeouts where a kid would come out and shoot a 25-30 footer. That couldn't had been the play they designed. Really?

By the way, in playground and in the pros, they run the pick and roll a lot. I wonder why? I also see kids rushing their shots and missing layups and sometimes missing the entire goal. The trees are either going to foul you or block your shot. Getting blocked is not the end of the world. However, missing a layup late in the game is pretty bad.

No, street ball isn't a science and you can pick up some bad habits but for the inexperienced player, it can improve their game. Also, you usually have to make a free throw in order to even play. I would walk three miles to play at the old Oak Grove Community Building in Springfield, MO. and then miss my free throws and I would sit out most of the night. Then people wondered why I stood out in the cold and shot free throws at my house all of the time. I tell kids to shoot a hundred free throws a day and they laugh at me. Then they miss the front end of a one and one late in a close game and wonder why.



Thursday, December 28, 2017

THE WHS ATHLETE OF THE WEEK Matt Luebbert had 35 points in Warsaw's victory over Buffalo last week. He is our WHS Athlete of the Week for the second week in a row. Congratulations!



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WHS students.

The Forgotten **Fundamentals** Of Basketball By Johnie J. Logue Enterprise Staff

a lost art.

Kids today watch the pros

If I was a high school

play street ball. I would

dump them out and leave.

Yes, I would get fired pretty

quick, but that is what I

I never played under a

coach and was never actu-

ally taught the fundamentals

of the game. In truth, I was

pretty bad. I could shoot

with the best of them if no

I feel that sometimes

coaches over coach. Really,

there is only four things you

can do with a basketball.

You can shoot, dribble, pass

or hold it and look foolish.

Without the ball is where I

see the problem today. Kids

don't move to get open

and they don't set enough

Now if you played street

ball and it doesn't have to

be in the street, you would

learn pretty quick to get

open if you wanted to touch

the ball. Also, there are no

referees, so it gets pretty

I was watching a college

game years ago and the

announcers said the reason

physical at times.

screens.

one guarded me.

would do.

and they want to dunk and shoot threes. Well, it is the turnovers that usually tell the outcome of a basketball game. basketball coach of a team that wasn't very good, I would load up my inexperienced players and take them somewhere and let them

Finally, Dr. Poyser shared

WARSAW'S JAKE LUEBBERT DRIBBLES around a

defender against Buffalo. Dribbling a basketball has become

High School. The district nominee will compete for the Regional Scholarship in January.

Next, the board moved to declare several items Surplus Property including tables, concrete blocks, chairs, counter-tops, ceiling fans and wooden shelves. Persons interested in bidding on any of these items are encouraged to call the District Central Office for more information.

Under Items for Information, the board approved several Missouri School Board Association (MSBA) Policy updates.

Mr. Randy Luebbert, WHS Principal informed the board that the WHS Music department preformed their annual Holiday Concert last Thursday evening to a large audience. Mr. Luebbert also updated the board on the recent performances of the Boys and Girls Basketball teams in the W-K Shoot Out in Sedalia as well as the WHS Wrestling team. Finally, Mr. Luebbert shared the 1st Semester Finals Schedule that will run

beginning next year. Dr. Poyser shared that he is excited about the schools that will be joining to form the conference and feels that the size of the schools and proximity for travel are optimal. The Ozark Mountain Conference will have a North and a South Division made up of approximately 5-6 schools in each division.

With no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 7:41 pm.

Board members present were President Tracey Spry, Vice President Brandy Fajen, Rickie Caswell, Denise Hinkle, Carolynn Fisher, Drew Burdick and Amie Breshears.

Guests present in open session were WHS Madrigal Singers, WHS FBLA Members, Martha Foster and Sally Yaeger

Staff members present in open session in addition to administration were Donna Stull, Shawn Crouch, Shanda Miller, Bethany Siegel, Laura Smith, Rachelle Yoder, Kelly Bethel and Kim Flippin

the team lost was because they ran out of timeouts and couldn't set up a last second play. Play? You are



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Helen C. Dankenbring



Helen C. Dankenbring, 87, of Concordia, MO, died Wednesday, December 20, 2017 at St. Luke's Hospital on the Plaza in Kansas City.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, December 26, 2017 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Concordia with Pastor Paul Mehl officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. Visitation will be 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at the church. Memorials are suggested to the Von Hippel Lindau (VHL) Foundation or Lutheran Good Shepherd Home Auxiliary Club in care of Campbell-Lewis Funeral Home. An online guestbook is available at www.campbell-lewis.com

Born November 20, 1930. in rural Concordia, she was the daughter of the late Erwin Deke and Carolina "Carrie" Werths Deke. She was confirmed on April 2, 1944, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church. On June 4, 1950, she married Marvin Otto Dankenbring who preceded her in death on February 15, 1980. They resided in Alma until 1958 when they moved to a farm in rural Concordia, where Helen assisted Marvin with the farming operation. Due to her husband's illness, they sold the farm and moved to town where she went to work for the Lutheran Good Shepherd Home as a waitress. Helen worked at LGSH from 1975 until her retirement in 1999. After retirement, she did volunteer work at the Good Shepherd Home for several years. She enjoyed going on group bus tours with her friends, attending her grandkids sporting events, and crocheting. In her later years she got involved in watching the Kansas City Royals and enjoyed daily visits with her neighbors.

Survivors include one daughter, Debbie Reed of

The sinner's prayer itself doesn't save anybody. Baptism doesn't save the soul. Church membership and giving for good things but they can't save you.

Have you truly been born again or has Satan given you a counterfeit experience?

By the way, a gift is given not taken away? It is not earned or constantly being paid for. It is yours forever.

The gift is greater than any words can ever describe. Song writers and poets have tried in vain.

The other question I ask is if you are a believer then how do you thank him for his unspeakable gift?

Do you thank him by staying home on Sunday morning. You play Christian on Sunday maybe and then you act like the world the rest of the week. You worry about money but you won't put a dollar in the offering plate. You haven't picked up your Bible in weeks or months. How do you thank Him?

Grace Baptist Church is located at 31046 MM Hwy. Call 660-223-6826 for more info.

LINCOLN FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Happy New Year. By the time you read this Christmas will be passed. Hope everyone had a blessed Christmas with friends and loved ones. In Sunday school today there were 33 with 2 visitors. Many stayed away because of the snow. Children gave birthday offering to say happy birthday to Jesus. Pastor Ron celebrated a birthday. There was \$332 Jesus dollars collected for the children's home. Pastor was given a gift from the church for Christmas.

Pastor's text was taken from Luke 1. He spoke of Mary and how she accepted being chosen to be the mother of baby Jesus. Mary had a heart for God. God looks for humble people and chooses to use them. Mary found favor with God. Jesus was conceived of the Holy Spirit. Jesus came to give joy and peace. He came to remove the fear and replace it with peace.

Evening service was the Christmas Eve service. The pastor read the story of Jesus' birth and the congregation sang songs of Jesus' birth. We ended the service with a candle lighting and song.

HAPPY NEW YEAR. UNTIL NEXT TIME GO WITH GOD AND GOD BLESS.



What a beautiful snowy morning just in time for Christmas! Marilyn Manley led the Sunday School opening. Melissa Schutz led the singing and Barbara Ott was at the piano. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the Williams family who lost their home to a fire Saturday morning. We also need to remember those who will be traveling as well as those dealing with illness and pain. We enjoyed having two songs for our special music today. Melissa Schutz, accompanied by Donna Schutz, sang "The Babe In The Manger." Our guest speaker, David Miflin, sang "He Was Still Her Little Child." Today's sermon was titled "Thank God for Easter." God came to dwell on earth with man in the form of Jesus (John 1:14). Had this not happened, our sins would not have been forgiven when Jesus died on the cross. Christmas didn't eliminate evil or suffering. There are lessons we can learn from the shepherds. They immediately left to go and see (Luke 2:15). When God calls us today we need to go without delay. The shepherds were willing to leave their flocks to travel afar. We should be willing to be involved when God calls. When the shepherds heard the message, they spread the word (Luke 2:17) and people who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds told them (Luke

Cross. The Cross makes the difference and without it we wouldn't celebrate Christmas. What will you do with the message of Christmas?

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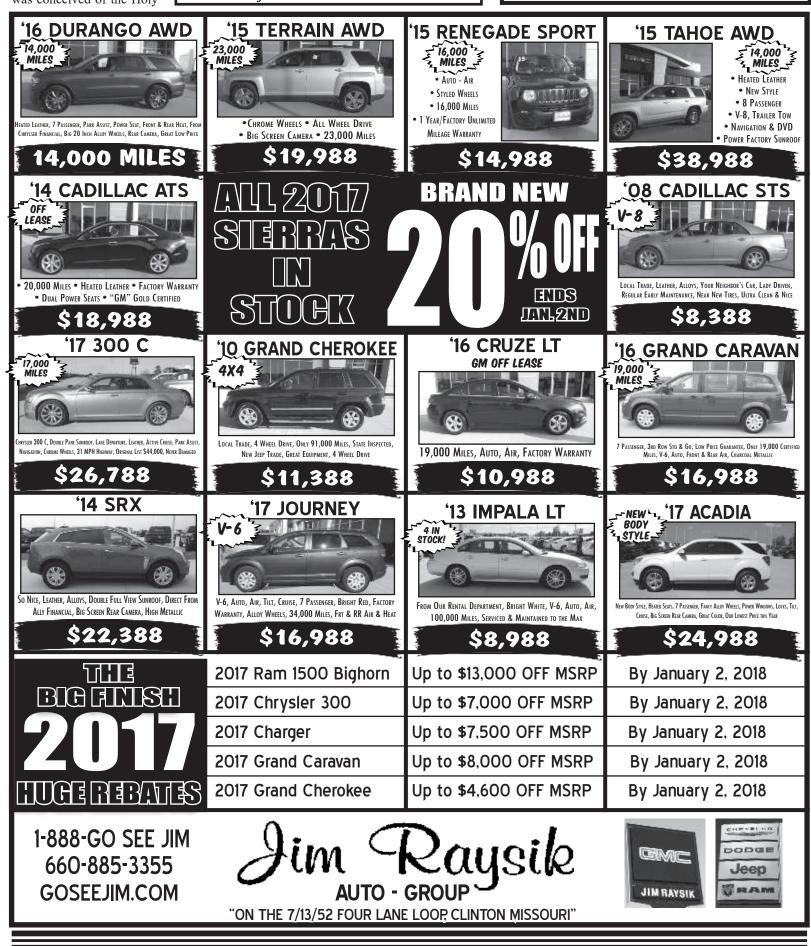


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heard the message, they spread the word (Luke 2:17) and people who heard it were amazed at what the shepherds told them (Luke 2:18). Those who celebrate Christmas often miss the **Sunday** 7:00 AM 9:30 A **FREE** Biblirequest a

Warsaw; one son-in-law, Stanley Palmer of Concordia; three granddaughters: Shelly Tagtmeyer and husband Brad of Concordia, Mindy Dohrman and husband Adam of Sweet Springs, and Jenny Giffen and husband Eric of Sweet Springs; two grandsons, Jesse Palmer and wife Misty of Concordia, and Daniel Palmer and wife Samantha of Eldon; eight great grandchildren; one great-great grandchild; one brother, Harold Deke and wife La-Verna of Higginsville; as well as nieces, nephews, and many cousins.

In addition to her parents and husband, Helen was preceded in death by one daughter, Vicky Palmer; and one brother, Donald Deke.



The Unspeakable Gift We have put the label "free" when we talk about gifts. The Bible never says free gift. Today free gifts are not usually free at all.

We are told by some to ask Jesus into our hearts. Yet, except for kids we do not ask for a gift. It is given out of love, passion, appreciation and concern.

A gift has to be received. I knew a man who never opened his presents. He didn't believe in the giving of gifts so he had a closet full of birthday and Christmas gifts he had never opened.

So I have two questions for you today as you read this. The first one is have you accepted the gift of eternal life? Really? Many think they have. They have gone through the motions but never experienced a change of life to any extent.

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The derailing of an Amtrak train in Washington State was a terrible thing happening during the holidays, with several people losing their lives. The NTSB said it will take at least a year to investigate and determine the cause and make recommendations to avoid another accident. Okay....our tax dollars are hard at work here. A train going 78 MPH around a curve with a speed limit of 30 MPH. It's probably a safe bet to call it excessive speed and follow up on what the engineer was doing.

Niece Maeve Lorenz and I took a drive around Warsaw on Christmas Day. As we passed Lumpe Field I pointed to the concession stand that Tracey Spry and I ran one long ago summer. What really got her attention though, was telling her there used to be people buried where home plate is now located. The land was the initial location for a new town cemetery at the turn of the century, but city officials changed their minds after being lobbied by the local baseball team and fans. Two caskets were disinterred around 1902 and moved up the road to what is now Riverside Cemetery. We also drove by the old Warsaw Cemetery on South Main Street which has been closed for many years. It's the final resting place for some early day residents who died before the Civil War, and a few who were born before the Revolutionary War. ****

Speaking of a final resting place, scientists recently looked into the stomach by an arrow while walking across the Austrian Alps. think about: His age puts him 1000 years before the Great Pyramids to your employer-sponsored went up. What a different retirement plan. For 2018, world it would have been then. We do know that his last meal was goat and red you're 50 or older) to your deer meat and that he suf-



fered from a gastric ulcer. Wouldn't it be interesting if he could be revived and tell us about his life and also, maybe his death, and the reasons for it? The changes in lifestyle since he was walking the planet would probably astound and maybe horrify him.

And it's time to close up shop for the day. Bundle up if you have to go out. Better yet, just stay in by the fire.

Til Next Week: J.M.W.



Time for New Year's **Financial Resolutions**

We've reached the end of another year- which means it's just about time for some New Year's resolutions. Would you like to study a new language, take up a musical instrument or visit the gym more often? All these are worthy goals, of contents of the 5,300 year course, but why not also add old ice man. He was killed some financial resolutions? Here are some ideas to

• Increase contributions

the money held in a lowrisk, liquid account. This fund can help you avoid dipping into your longterm investments to pay for unexpected costs, such as a new furnace or a major car repair.

• Control your debts. It's never easy, but do what you can to keep your debts under control. The less you have to spend on debt payments, the more you can invest for your future.

• Don't overreact to changes in the financial markets. We've had a long run of rising stock prices - but it won't last forever. If we experience a sharp market downturn in 2018, don't overreact by taking a "time out" from investing. Market drops are a normal feature of the investment landscape, and you may ultimately gain an advantage by buying new shares when their prices are down.

•Review your goals and risk tolerance. At least once in 2018, take some time to review your short and long-term financial goals and try to determine, possibly with the help of a financial professional, if your investment portfolio is still appropriate for these goals. At the same time, you'll want to re-evaluate your risk tolerance to ensure you're not taking too much risk - or possibly too little risk - with your investments. Do your best to stick with these resolutions throughout the coming year. At a minimum, they can help you improve your investment habits - and they may improve your financial picture far beyond 2018. This article was written by Edward Jones for use by your local Edward Jones Financial Advisor Rickie Caswell.

And then the wrapped olives were always a hit. 36 small pimento-stuffed

green olives, drained 3/4 cup all purpose flour 1/2 teaspoon paprika

1/4 teaspoon salt 4 tablespoons unsalted

butter, softened 1 cup coarsely shredded

cheddar cheese, room temperature

Preheat oven to 400

Combine flour, paprika and salt, then blend the butter and cheese together, add to flour and mix to make a smooth dough. Using a teaspoon of dough, shape into a ball, flatten in palm of your hand, and wrap olive, encasing it completely. Bake on baking sheet (I use parchment to keep them from sticking) 12-15 minutes or until dough is set. Bacon is now really

trendy but we must have been trendy in Northwest Missouri before our time since we used to make and eat a lot of these. (who doesn't like bacon?)

Candied Bacon Knots. Vegetable cooking spray

1-1/2 cups packed light brown sugar 1-1/2 pounds thinly sliced

bacon Preheat oven to 350

degrees First version

Place brown sugar in shallow dish, tie bacon into a loose knot, dip one side into brown sugar to coat well. Bake sugar side up until bacon is crisp and bubbly.

cream cheese. It's easy enough to find now, so it makes a handy to have 'on hand' treat.

Happy New Year Benton County!



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SWEC Donation Shared With 4-H and FFA

Earlier this year, the Benton County Extension Council received a donation from Southwest Electric Cooperative at Bolivar. SWEC partnered with their lender, CoBank, through their Sharing Success program, to make this donation. Additional donations were made to MU Extension offices in Camden and Hickory counties.

The Benton County Extension Council has elected to share a portion of their donation with Benton County 4-H clubs and the FFA chapters at each of the county high schools. A total of \$750 was donated to the five Benton County 4-H clubs. FFA chapter advisors were asked to provide a proposal of how they would use the funds to further the educational efforts of the FFA program for all members. Based on these proposals, a total of \$1,350 was distributed to the three Benton County FFA chapters.

According to Extension Council chair Rod Brethower, "The extension council wanted to ensure these donations were used by each club or chapter to further the education opportunities for every member. We were glad to be able to share some of these donated funds in support of the efforts of these groups to further the education of our youth."

The extension council is still in the process of

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What is your favorite

winter time comfort food?



Chili with noodles. Vincent said mac and cheese is better than chili. Whitney Schwanebeck and son, Vincent.



Ham and beans with fried potatoes. Dale Leisenheimer.



Mild chili made with hamburger and venison. Mike Barker

you can contribute up to \$18,500 (or \$24,500 if 40l(k) or similar plan, such as a 403(b), for employees of public schools and some nonprofit groups, or a 457(b) plan, for employees of local governments. It's usually a good idea to contribute as much as you can afford to your employer's plan, as your contributions may lower your taxable income, while your earnings can grow tax-deferred. At a

minimum, put in enough to earn your employer's matching contribution, if

one is offered. • Try to "max out" on your IRA. Even if you have a 401(k) or similar plan, you can probably still invest in an IRA. For 2018, you can contribute up to \$5,500 to a traditional or Roth IRA, or \$6,500 if you're 50 or older. (Income restrictions apply to Roth IRAs.) Contributions to a traditional IRA may be tax-deductible, depending on your income, and your earnings can grow tax-deferred. Roth IRA contributions are not deductible, but earnings can grow tax-free, provided you don't start taking withdrawals until you are 59-1/2 and you've have had your account at least five years. You can put virtually any investment in an IRA, so it can expand your options beyond those offered in your 401(k) or similar plan.

• Build an emergency fund. Try to build an emergency fund containing three to six months worth of living expenses, with



Hard to believe that it is almost 2018, especially since I just got used to writing 2017 a few months ago. This year went by very fast indeed.

Since I have OCD, obsessive cooking disorder, and food is usually on my mind, I like to remember all the different foods I have eaten during the past year. It was a retro year in my kitchen, concocting many favorite old recipes from my family.

A standby was our cuppa, cuppa, cuppa dip, so named because it was easy to remember.

1 cup mayonnaise

1 cup shredded Swiss cheese

1 cup minced onion, important it is minced, not chopped

Preheat oven to 350, mix everything together, place in shallow 1 quart baking dish and bake until golden brown, about 20 minutes.

Serve with crackers or sliced bread.

Second version

Honey or maple syrup instead of sugar

Tie bacon in loose knot, brush with honey or syrup, grind black pepper on top and bake.

Bacon wrapped water chestnuts

Oven preheated to 400 degrees

1/4 cup soy sauce 1 tablespoon brow sugar 1 can water chestnuts, drained

Thin slices bacon

Mix soy sauce, sugar until blended and sugar dissolves. Add chestnuts and let marinate for 15 minutes. Wrap each one with a slice of bacon, secure with a toothpick. Bake until bacon is nicely browned.

One of my favorites was and still is the Oyster **Stuffed Biscuits.**

Preheat oven to 425

Drain a can of smoked oysters. Take a can of refrigerated biscuits, cut each biscuit into quarters, roll out into 1/4 inch rounds. Completely wrap each oyster in the dough, bake seam side down until golden brown, about 10-15 minutes.

Smoked Oyster Dip was another favorite.

1 (8 ounce) package cream cheese, softened

2 tablespoons mayonnaise 1 teaspoon lemon juice 1/4 teaspoon garlic salt Dash hot pepper sauce Mix together then fold in 1 can smoked oysters 1/2 cup chopped ripe olive I used to make my own

pepper jelly to spread on

determining how to best invest the remaining SWEC donation in education activities to benefit the county. On behalf of the Benton County Extension Council, we would like to say a big "Thank you!" to SWEC and their partner CoBank for their generous donation to our extension council. If you have the opportunity, please express your gratitude to SWEC for their generous donation to support the education mission of University of Missouri Extension in Benton County

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SANDY HOOK HORROR It was the twelve days before Christmas at 9:30 AM Twenty little children's Lives came to an end A disciple of the devil Burst thru their Classroom door and left Twenty little children Lying dead up on the floor All the angels up in Heaven Came down and bore away Twenty beautiful little angels Carried up to HEaven On a sad and deadly day And so we have to go on Mopping the blood up off the floor While twenty little boys and girls Stormed Heavens door

> Written by Frances Harlan Clark

Amen.

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"Artemis" by Andy Weir

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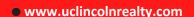
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Beautiful cattle farm on 164 AC! The elegant farmhouse has 3 bed/3 & ½ baths, full walkout basement, & a large wrap-around porch with Truman Lake view! There is a sizeable 3 car garage & 30x40 equipment barn. With fencing & high **quality hay fields**, this farm is your dream opportunity! **#78503 \$749,500**



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Once the home of Cedar Hills Golf Course, this 61 AC property has level to gently rolling grassland with scattered trees. With great development potential, this track adjoins the Warsaw city limits on one side, & Jackson Ave. spans the front. Excellent investment opportunity! #79470 \$495,000



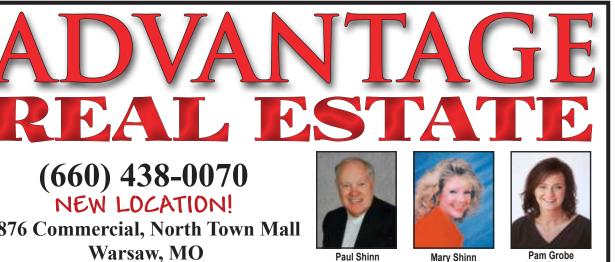
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off the master bedroom. The newer window ac unit keeps it nice and cool on hot days! This property includes 2.5 lots together measuring 78x100 and 48x100. Sitting next to the house is a nice over-sized carport perfect for that boat in the winter time. There's also an option to rent covered slips just up the road! Call Deanne Glenn 660-287-5845 to set up your Appointment!

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MLS #78266 EXCELLENT LOCATION MLS #78395 RANCH HOME IN TOWN MLS #78590 REALLY NICE HOME IN near 65 Hwy and Dam Access road. 3 across from park and pool 2 BR, 1 1/2 Ba units in building. Two units currently with 2 car attached garage. New cenrented. One is still available. New metal tral heat and air and new roof. Really roof and gutters. City water & sewer. nice back yard Would make a great first This is a must see w/ lots of potential. home! \$94,900



TOWN. This home features 2BR possible 3 and 2 1/2 BA ,Central Heat air. Roof was installed last year. New carpet . Deck. Close to shopping. A great buy for only \$89,900



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MLS #79532 BEAUTIFUL LEVEL WA- MLS #79533 LOVELY 3 BR, 3 1/2 BA Beautiful view of the Lake. All paved money!!! \$169,900 roads. \$209,000



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MLS #79229 ENJOY THIS WONDER-FUL LOCATION IN TOWN. 4 BR, 3BA ranch home. Granite counter tops in kitchen. Rec room downstairs w/wet bar. Home features fireplace and wood stove. Nice screened in porch, 3 car garage, Central Heat & Air. lots of storage. This will make a great family home! \$179,900



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beyond the already well-

known problem of the aged

and deteriorating building

that houses the jail. On the

other hand, there have been

In May, commissioners

approved the purchase of a

Malinois, "K-9 Billy", for

\$7,500. His photo hangs

alongside all the other mem-

In late July, County Trea-

surer Renno notified the

Sheriff and Commissioners

that the first deposit of pro-

ceeds was made to the law

enforcement account (from

the one-eighth percent sales

tax approved in November

2016 and implemented in

April 2017). Prisoner board

is one of the expenses au-

thorized to be paid from

In September commis-

sioners notified Sheriff

Knox that HMN Architects

had been selected for the

new jail project. In October,

Knox reported that \$11,342

had been raised from the

community and that Friends

of Benton County Sheriff's

Office had raised an ad-

ditional \$2,424 for body

On the downside, how-

ever, the bat infestation

problem in the Sheriff's Of-

fice attic reached crisis level

in mid-June, increasing

operating costs and creating

health and safety problems

that required closing off

the second floor entirely.

A five-year lease of offices

in the downtown Hawthorn

Bank was signed to provide

new space for deputies who

had to be relocated. A new

ventilation system was in-

stalled for the jail in July at

a cost of \$2,500. Thereafter,

furnaces were cleaned in

the old building where the

sheriff and jail remain oper-

ating, and renovations began

of the new office spaces in

preparation for the deputies'

Recent follow up revealed

more guano present than

before, although at least

9,400 bats left the build-

ing through the exclusions

installed this fall. Indefinite

The second floor was

quarantined for health and

safety reasons, yet oper-

numbers remain.

move.

this fund.

armor.

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bers of the office.

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Commissioners Continue To Budget

By Anita Campbell Enterprise Staff

Associate Judge Mark Pilley and Circuit Clerk Cheryl Schultz met with the Benton County Commission on December 14 to present their 2018 budget requests. This included budgets for the Circuit Clerk Interest, Drug Court, Law Library and Circuit Clerk Garnishment Fee Funds.

Mike Keith Insurance representative Paul Barbee met with the Commissioners to present the 2018 property and liability insurance information at the December 19 meeting. This included the schedule of property and premium breakdown for each type of coverage.

District 2 Commissioner Jim Hansen made a motion to accept the quote as presented for the county's annual property and liability insurance from Mike Keith Insurance, Inc., at a cost of \$146,101 to include terrorism insurance at ad added annual cost of \$242 for a total renewal amount of \$146,343. Dale Jr. Estes seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Debbie Brackman, Homeland Security Planner for Missouri State Emergency Management, met with the Commissioners to present grant information pertaining to the county's emergency management grant.

Cynthia Smith, Debbie Swerline and Karen Gruhn met with the Commission on behalf of the Benton County Food Bank. They presented information on programs that this entity provides and invited officials to volunteer at a food distribution program.

Representatives from the Benton County Soil and Water Conservation District met with the Commission to present their 2018 budget request. Those in attendance included Joe Reser, Larry Nelson, Jamie Henderson, Bill Brouk, Dwayne Holmes, Diane Bradley-Reddem, Jim Freeburger, Tina Dulaban, and Chester Schlesselman.

County Treasurer Rick Renno gave his weekly financial report. **REVIEW**

Enhanced 911 (E-911) systems display a caller's address and phone number. In the event of a hang up, or an open line call where the connection is live but there is no audible response to the operator, deputies are dispatched and can most often locate the caller. Sometimes a person dials 911 by mistake, as happened 208 times as of November 30 this year. But repeated misuse - 119 separate events in the same period, is a Class B misdemeanor that may result in up to six months in jail and a fine up to \$1,000 (RSMo.

190.308). Knox reminds that parents, and others, may not be aware that disabling a mobile phone, for instance, does not automatically disable the emergency dial feature. If the phone is On, even little fingers at random play can unwittingly generate a 911 call.

Dispatchers do more than receive phone calls. They are "...also short staffed... these folks who ride along with us in our patrol vehicles through radio contact, who share our experiences with each call. ... It takes a special person to be a dispatcher," wrote Sheriff Knox in his December 13 Facebook post.

Besides responding to 911 calls, between January and November, individuals called the Sheriff or a deputy directly for assistance 1,590 times.

Calls for response to animal abuse (96), animal control (357), and animals in the road (271) – all from January to November, rank fourth highest, with a combined total of 724. Fifth are responses to public and domestic disturbances involving physical and or verbal abuse – 632.

In addition to responding to crime-related calls, the Sheriff's Office has performed 611 well-being checks in the eleven months recorded so far. The least, 33 in January 2017, and the most, 74 in July equates to at least one every day of the month, every month of the year.

The entire spreadsheet listing totals for all categories included is posted on the Sheriff's Offices Facebook page. It can be viewed at https://www.facebook. com/SheriffKnox/. Join 3,312 current followers to receive frequently updated information and photos. Of course, budget shortfalls are among the other
challenges. The Sheriff'sbut time-consuming when
time is short.Office has faced hardshipsIn November, a near trag-

edy was averted when the lone jailer made a random check, just in time, on an inmate who had attempted to hang himself. The inmate was caught on camera, unconscious, with strips of bedsheet he had torn off and twisted into a noose around his neck.

Incidents like these justify Knox's request for additional jailers. He needs four additional deputies and a full-time investigator. However, he has asked for two additional deputies for the current time. (See the announcement posted December 8, 2017 on Facebook using the URL address above.)

An investigator would relieve each deputy from the substantial time spent - or that needs to be spent, to follow up his/her own cases – 469 in the first 11 months of 2017. Taking several hours from each new day's requirements to follow up pending cases is difficult at best, and sometimes impossible to do in a timely fashion.

The Sheriff has discussed his office's budget issues at Commissioner's meetings throughout the year. He said, Commissioner Jim Hanson stated the budget would have a \$400K shortfall if every office's requests were approved as submitted.

Treasurer Renno reported sales tax revenues up in February, slightly up in April and May, down in June. Commissioners amended the budget in July and again in September to cover extra expenses. Sales tax revenues were down again in November, but up in December. Knox presented his budget request to the commissioners for review on December 5.

In the meantime, all who work in the office continue to do their duty day by day. They thank everyone for their support thus far, and ask with high hopes that they continue to "Support Your Local Sheriff!"

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GIANT YEAR END

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paperwork.

"It takes about 4 hours to cover a DWI," Knox said. Traffic stops from January to November totaled 1733, and in the same period, careless and imprudent driving stops numbered 556.

The category with highest numbers for the period were 911 calls – 2,039. Fiftythree percent of those calls, 1081, ended in "hang ups". Nevertheless, a deputy was dispatched to the address or, if unknown, to the general area, to investigate.

"Probably 99 percent of 911 hang-ups do not involve a crime in progress," Sheriff Knox said, "but we respond because we don't want to ignore the one percent chance that someone's life is at stake." d ating from two different
c. locations is less efficient.
n Chief Deputy Canfield, who
also manages the vehicle
d fleet, walks back and forth
between buildings several
t- times a day. Good exercise,







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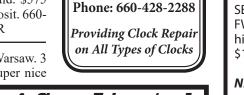
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IN THE 30th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT OF BENTON COUNTY, WARSAW, MISSOURI

Probate Division Case No. 17BE-PR00108 In the Estate of EVELYN CURETON, Deceased.

Notice of Letters Testamentary Granted (Supervised Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of EVELYN CURETON, Decedent:

On December 18, 2017, the last will of the decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed personal representative of the estate of **EVELYN CURETON**, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of BENTON COUNTY, WARSAW, Missouri.

The name, business address and phone number of the personal representative is: TAMMY J. TURNER, 804 W. MAIN STREET, SEDALIA, MO 65301.

The representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is: James Owen Kjar P.O. Box 1495 Warsaw, MO 65355; 660-438-7102.

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

Receipt of this notice by mail should not be construed by the recipient to indicate

Court of Benton County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to secure a judgment of adoption for your child, and to change his name.

The names of all the parties to this action are stated above, and the name and address of the attorney for petitioner is: James Kjar, #48179, P.O. Box 1495, Warsaw, Missouri 65355.

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 December 28, 2017, the date of first publication of this notice, judgment by default will be taken against you.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the BENTON COUNTY ENTERPRISE, a newspaper of general circulation published in Benton County, Missouri.

Dated: 12/22/2017 By: Katelynn Angle, Deputy Clerk Cheryl Schultz, Circuit Clerk Benton County, Missouri.

Dates of Publication: December 28, 2017 and January 4, 11, and 18, 2018.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

IN RE: Ashley Marie Murray and Matthew Murray wife and husband Trustee's Sale:

For default in payment of debt and performance of obligation secured by Deed of Trust executed by Ashley Marie Murray and Matthew Murray wife and husband dated August 31, 2011 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Benton County, Missouri in Book 610, Page 1470 the undersigned Successor Trustee, at the request of the legal holder of said Note will on Friday, January 19, 2018 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., (at the specific time of 10:25 AM), at the Northwest Front Door of the Court House, City of Warsaw, County of Benton, State of Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, described in said Deed of Trust, and situated in Benton County, State of Missouri, to wit: ТНЕ PART OF SOUTH HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 17, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 22 WEST OF THE 5TH P.M. IN WARSAW, BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI, DESCRIBED FOLLOWS: A S CONSIDERING THE NORTH LINE OF THE SE 1/4, SW 1/4, NE 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 17 TO BEAR N 90 DEGREES 00' 00" W AND ALL OTHER BEARINGS USED HEREIN RELATIVE THERETO: BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SE 1/4, SW 1/4, NE 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 17; THENCE ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF THE SAID SE 1/4, SW 1/4, NE 1/4 N 90 DEGREES 00' 00" E 115.10 FEET TO A POINT ON THE WEST RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF POLK STREET, ALSO KNOWN AS OLD HIGHWAY 65; THENCE ALONG THE SAID RIGHT OF WAY LINEN0DEGREES00'00" W 76.60 FEET; THENCE S 89 DEGREES 00' 00" W 145.00 FEET; THENCE S 0 DEGREES 05' 40" W 74.07 FEET; THENCE N 90 DEGREES 00' 00" E 30.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING. to satisfy said debt and cost.

NOTICE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, 15 U.S.C. §1692c(b), no information concerning the collection of this debt may be given without the prior consent of the consumer given directly to the debt collector or the express permission of a court of competent jurisdiction.

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The debt collector is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

Dates Of Publication: December 28, 2017 and January 4. 11, 18, 2018.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI CIRCUIT DIVISION CASE NO. 17BE-CC00057 R O B E R T MCDOWELL, &

HELEN E. MCDOWELL, Plaintiffs,

Vs.

NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, INC., AND THEIR UNKNOWN CONSORTS ,HEIRS, DEVISEES, DONEES, ALIENEES, OR IMMEDIATE MESNE OR REMOTE, VOLUNTARY Or INVOLUNTARY GRANTEES OF SAID PERSONS, AND ANY OTHER PERSON OR ENTITY WHO CLAIMS OR MAY CLAIM AN INTEREST,

Defendants.

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF MISSOURI TO DEFENDANTS: NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT COMPANY, 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: Lot 63, Block 83, BENT TREE HARBOR, AMENDED PLAT 14, a subdivision in Benton County, Missouri, according to the recorded plat thereof. 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 December 14th, 2017, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

the legal holder of said Note will on Friday, January 5, 2018 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., (at the specific time of 10:25 AM), at the Northwest Front Door of the Court House, City of Warsaw, County of Benton, State of Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, described in said Deed of Trust, and situated in Benton County, State of Missouri, to wit:

LOTS 3140, 3141, 3142 AND 3143 OF UNIT D-2 OF FORBES LAKE OF THE OZARKS PARK, A SUBDIVISION IN BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI, ACCORDING TO THE RECORDED PLAT THEREOF.

to satisfy said debt and cost.

MILLSAP & SINGER, P.C., Successor Trustee 612 Spirit Drive St. Louis, MO 63005 (636) 537-0110 File No: 155756.010518.31762FC

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Publication Dates: December 14, 21, 28 and January 4, 2017.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

IN RE: Timothy W. Curtis, a single person, Trustee's Sale:

For default in the payment of the debt secured by Deed of Trust executed by Timothy W. Curtis, a single person, did by a certain Deed of Trust dated May 18, 2017, and originally recorded at Book 644, Page 981 and re-recorded on July 10, 2017, at Book 644, Page 3139 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, Benton County, Missouri, at Warsaw, the undersigned Jeremiah Mosley, Successor Trustee of said Deed of Trust, will on Friday, January 12, 2018, between the hours of 9:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M., at 1:00 P.M. at the northwest front door of the Benton County Court House in Warsaw, Missouri, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said debt and costs, the following-described real property situated in Benton County, Missouri, to wit: Part of the Northwest Quarter of Section 4, Township 40 North, Range 23 West of the 5th P.M., Benton County, Missouri, also described as being a part of Teal Beal, a subdivision in Benton County, Missouri, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at the most northerly corner of Lot 1 of Block 4 of First Addition to said Teal Bend Subdivision; thence North 18 degrees 53 minutes East, 35.9 feet; thence North 61 degrees 10 minutes East, 115.7 feet; thence South 4 degrees 14 minutes East, 130.5 feet along the right of way line of Missouri State Highway 7; thence South 57 degrees 18 minutes West, 77.0 feet; thence North 34 degrees 55 minutes North, 100 feet to the point of beginning. Subject to easements, restrictions, reservations of record, if any. The debt collector is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained shall be used for that purpose.

IN THE CIRCUIT

COURT, BENTON

COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

Case Number:17BE-

In the matter of: L.S.A.,

C.B.A., I.A.E., G.T.D.,

MINOR CHILDREN

NOTICE UPON ORDER

FOR SERVICE BY

PUBLICATION

To: Julie Darnell, Jon

You are hereby notified

Lisenbee, Jason Alspaugh

and All Unknown Fathers

that an action has been

commenced in the Circuit

Court of Benton County,

Missouri; namely, a

Petition for Appointment of

Guardian and Conservator

the Petitioners, Kimberly

Sue Weiland and Randy

Warren Weiland, and the

Respondents, Julie Mae

Darnell, Jon Lisenbee, Jason

Alspaugh, and all unknown

The name and address for

the attorney for the Petitioner

is Cale B. Haddock,

Haddock Law Office, LLC.,

243 Washington St. Warsaw,

MO 65355 Tel:(660)223-

You are further notified

that, unless you file an

answer or other pleading

or shall otherwise appear

and defend against the

aforesaid Petition within 45

days after first publication

date December 21, 2017

,judgement by default will

Witness my hand and seal

Date of publication:

December 21 28, 2017 and

IN THE 30th JUDICIAL

CIRCUIT COURT OF

BENTON COUNTY,

WARSAW, MISSOURI

Case No. 17BE-PR00100

In the Estate of

RICHARD INGRAM,

Probate Division

Deceased.

of the Circuit Court this 18th

day of December, 2017.

By: Cheryl Schultz

(SEAL)

Circuit Clerk

January 4, 11, 2018.

be entered against you.

Fathers.

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Parties to this action are

of the Person of Minors.

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do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after the decedent's death, as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, RSMo, shall be construed to bar any action against a decedent's liability insurance carrier through a defendant ad litem pursuant to Section 537.021, RSMo.

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

Date of decedent's death: November 10, 2017.

Date of first publication: December 14, 2017.

Cheryl Schultz, Circuit Clerk Kyle Cowherd, Clerk

To be published in Benton County Enterprise

Dates of Publication: December 14, 21, 28, 2017 and January 4, 2018.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

IN RE: Mark E. Pearl, A Single Man Trustee's Sale:

For default in payment of debt and performance of obligation secured by Deed of Trust executed by Mark E. Pearl, A Single Man dated October 10, 2008 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Benton County, Missouri in Book 584, Page 1369 the undersigned Successor Trustee, at the request of the legal holder of said Note will on Friday, January 5, 2018 between the hours of 9:00 AM. and 5:00 PM, (at the specific time of 10:25 AM), at the Northwest Front Door of the Court House, City of Warsaw, County of Benton, State of Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, described in said Deed of Trust, and situated in Benton County, State of Missouri, to wit: THE SOUTH 700.0 FEET OF THE WEST 622.0 FEET OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED TRACT: THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 28, TOWNSHIP 42 NORTH, RANGE 22 WEST OF THE 5TH P.M. IN BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI. EXCEPT THE WEST 396 FEET OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER to satisfy said debt and cost.

that the recipient necessarily has a beneficial interest in the estate. The nature and extent of any person's interest, if any, can be determined from the files and records of this estate in the Probate Division of the above referenced Circuit Court.

Date of decedent's death: November 30, 2017.

Date of first publication: December 20, 2017.

Cheryl Schultz, Circuit Clerk Kyle Cowherd, Clerk

To be published in Benton County Enterprise

Dates of Publication: December 28, 2017 and January 4, 11, and 18, 2018.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI AT WARSAW JUVENILE DIVISION

Case Number: 17BE-JU00017 A. J. R. C., DOB: 05/31/2007, A MINOR,

JIMMY L. METSCHER, A N D D E B R A S . METSCHER, PETITIONERS, Vs. SARAH N. HUNT, AND PAUL V. CHAVEZ, RESPONDENTS

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

State of Missouri to Respondent: SARAH N. HUNT and PAUL V. CHAVEZ

You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit

MILLSAP & SINGER, P.C., Successor Trustee 612 Spirit Drive St. Louis, MO 63005 (636) 537-0110 F i 1 e N o : 163019.011918.379713 FC

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court of Benton County, Missouri, this 7th day of December, 2017.

CHERYL SCHULTZ, Circuit Clerk

Date of publication: Dates of Publication: December 14, 21, 28, 2017 & January 4, 2018.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

IN RE: Joan H Rauch

For default in payment of debt and performance of obligation secured by Deed of Trust executed by Joan H Rauch dated March 22, 2006 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Benton County, Missouri as Book 550 Page 1357 and modified by Partial Deed of Release recorded July 05, 2017 in Book 644 Page 3057 the undersigned Successor Trustee, at the request of

JEREMIAH MOSLEY, Successor Trustee

Dates of Publication: December 21, 28, 2017 and January 4, 11, 2018.

Notice of Letters Testamentary Granted (Independent Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of Richard Ingram, Decedent:

On December 6, 2017, the last will of the decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of RICHARD INGRAM, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of BENTON COUNTY, WARSAW, Missouri. The personal representative may administer the estate independently without adjudication, order, or direction of the Probate Division of the Circuit Court, unless a petition for supervised administration is made to and granted by the court. The personal representative's business address. RODNEY G. INGRAM, 19503 KESEMAN AVENUE, LINCOLN, MO 65338.

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is: JEREMIAH MOSLEY, 601 Commercial St., Suite 3, PO BOX 1119 WARSAW, MO 65355; 660-530-0103.

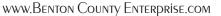
All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or if a copy of this notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the administrator, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period

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IN THE 30th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT OF BENTON COUNTY, WARSAW, MISSOURI

Probate Division Case No. 17BE-PR00093 In the Estate of **JOHN D**. **MYERS**, Deceased.

Notice of Letters Testamentary Granted (Supervised Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of JOHN D. **MYERS, Decedent:**

On November 30, 2017, the last will of the decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed personal representative of the estate of JOHN D. MYERS, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of BENTON COUNTY, WARSAW, Missouri.

The name, business address and phone number of the personal representative is: Wendy J. Myers, 13996 Hwy 65, Cole Camp, MO 65325.

The representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is: Laurie Schear Ward, 514 S. Ohio St., Sedalia, MO 65301; 660-827-1770.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or if a copy of this notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the administrator, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after the decedent's death, as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, RSMo, shall be construed to bar any action against a decedent's liability insurance carrier through a defendant ad litem pursuant to Section 537.021, RSMo. Receipt of this notice by mail should not be construed by the recipient to indicate that the recipient necessarily has a beneficial interest in the estate. The nature and extent of any person's interest, if any, can be determined from the files and records of this estate in the Probate Division of the above referenced Circuit Court. Date of decedent's death: December 3, 2016. Date of first publication: December 7, 2017.

IN THE CIRCUIT **COURT OF THE** THIRTIETH JUDICIAL **CIRCUIT OF** MISSOURI AT WARSAW, BENTON **COUNTY, MISSOURI PROBATE DIVISION**

Estate No. 17BE-PR00102 IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF: ARCHIE ELVIN HARNESS, Deceased.

NOTICE OF HEARING

To all persons who claim any interest in the property of ARCHIE ELVIN HARNESS, deceased, as an heir of said decedent or through any heir of said decedent:

You are hereby notified that a Petition has been filed with the Court by SHIRLEY JOYCE HARNESS for the determination of the heirs of ARCHIE ELVIN HARNESS, deceased, and of their respective interests as such heirs in and with respect to the following described property owned by decedent at the time of death, to-wit:

PROPERTY: All the part of the Northeast fractional quarter of Section Twelve (12), Township Forty-two (42), Range Three (3)East, described as follows: Beginning at the point on the South line of said Northeast fractional quarter and the East bank of the Big River, thence down said river 212 feet to a Cottonwood 20 inches in diameter; thence South 58 degrees East 81.5 feet to and Elm 3 inches in diameter for corner; thence South 52 degrees West 156 to the South line of said Northeast fractional quarter; thence West 112 feet to place of beginning. 0.21 Acres, Value: \$4,000.00

sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said debt and costs, the following-described real property situated in Benton County, Missouri, to wit:

A part of the E $\frac{1}{2}$ of the NE 1/4 of Section 27, Township 42 N, Range 22 W of the 5th P.M. in Lincoln, Benton County, Missouri, described as beginning 1078.48 feet N and 40 feet W of the SE corner of said E 1/2 of the NE 1/4; thence W 240 feet; thence N 125 feet; thence E 240 feet to the W line of U.S. Highway 65; thence S 125 feet to the place of beginning. EXCEPT all right, title, and interest acquired by the State of Missouri by deed recorded in Book 589, Page 526.

Subject to easements, restrictions and reservations of record; to satisfy said debt and costs. The debt collector is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained shall be used for that purpose.

James Kjar, Successor Trustee Dates of Publication: December 7, 14, 21 and 28, 2017.

NOTICE OF **TRUSTEE'S SALE**

Default having been made in the payment of the Note secured by a Deed of Trust executed by Mike Stoner and Denise Stoner, husband and wife, dated December 26, 2007, and recorded December 28, 2007, in Book 574 at Page 1028, of the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Benton County Missouri, conveying to John D. Landwehr, Trustee, the following described property situated in the County of Benton, State of Missouri, to wit: Lots 1726, 1728, 1729, 1730, 1731, 1732, 1734, 1735, 1736, 1737, 1740, 1741, 1744, 1745, and 1753 of UNIT N-1 of FORBES LAKE OF THE OZARKS PARK, a subdivision in Benton County, Missouri, according to the recorded plat thereof.

used for that purpose.

Dates of Publication: December 7, 14, 21 and 28, 2017.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE IN RE: Cheryl A Engebretsen, a single person Trustee's Sale:

For default in payment of debt and performance of obligation secured by Deed of Trust executed by Cheryl A Engebretsen, a single person dated June 14, 2005 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Benton County, Missouri in Book 539, Page 493 the undersigned Successor Trustee, at the request of the legal holder of said Note will on Friday, January 19, 2018 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., (at the specific time of 10:25 AM), at the Northwest Front Door of the Court House, City of Warsaw, County of Benton, State of Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, described in said Deed of Trust, and situated in Benton County, State of Missouri, to wit:

LOTS 1 AND 2, BLOCK 1, GATLIFF LAKE THIRD ADDITION, A SUBDIVISION IN BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI, ACCORDING TO THE RECORDED PLAT THEREOF. ALSO PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 28. TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH. RANGE 22 WEST OF THE 5TH P.M. IN BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING MOST ΑT ΤΗΕ WESTERLY CORNER OF LOT 2, BLOCK 1, GATLIFF LAKE THIRD ADDITION; THENCE S 53 DEGREES 32'E 84.9 FEET; THENCE S 54 DEGREES 33' E 99.86 FEET TO THE SOUTHERLY CORNER OF LOT 1 OF SAID BLOCK 1, GATLIFF LAKE THIRD ADDITION; THENCE S 28 DEGREES 05' 39" W 317.72 FEET TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID NW1/4 NE 1/4 AT A POINT DUE SOUTH OF THE POINT OF **BEGINNING; THENCE** NORTH TO THE POINT OF **BEGINNING** [, EXCEPT ANY PART THEREOF NOW IN OR USED FOR STREET, ROAD OR HIGHWAY]. SUBJECT TO ALL RESTRICTIONS, RESERVATIONS, CONDITIONS, AND EASEMENTSOFRECORD AND TO ALL EXISTING ROADS AND POWER LINES, WHETHER OF RECORD OR NOT. [THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN BRACKETS HAS BEEN ADDED TO MORE ACCURATELY REFLECT THE LEGAL DESCRIPTION] to satisfy said debt and cost.

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From December 17, 2017 to December 23, 2017 Cole Camp Police Officers have done the following activities:

-Provided an escort for Fox Funeral Home.

-Assisted Cole Camp Ambulance with a medical call in the 800 block of East Main Street.

-Followed up on a theft call in the 500 block of West Main Street.

-Responded to the 800 block of East Main Street for a civil disagreement.

The Cole Camp Police Department wishes everyone a very safe and Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays.

BENTON COUNTY Sheriff's Report **ERIC KNOX** Benton

a court date.

Alexis Kay McCracken, 30, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 12/20/17 for driving while suspended. Subject posted bond and was given a court date.

Marcelino Valadez Santos, 59, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 12/21/17 for driving while revoked/suspended 2nd or subsequent offense. Subject was given a court date.

Gary Herman Esely, 37, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 12/22/17 for domestic assault 3rd 1st/2nd offense family strong arm. Subject posted bond and was given a court date.

Katelyn Marie Walters 19 was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 12/23/17 for domestic assault 3rd degree. Subject posted bond and was given a court date.

Tina Renae Beck, 39, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 12/24/17 for delivery of controlled substance except 35 grams or less of marijuana or synthetic cannabinoid. Subject was given a court date.

Blake Allen Morris, 19, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office for DWI-drug, prior offender possession of drug paraphernalia, prior offender possible of less than 10grams. Subject posted bond and was given a court date.



Cheryl Schultz, Circuit Clerk Kyle Cowherd, Clerk To be published in Benton County Enterprise Dates of Publication: December 7, 14, 21 and 28, 2017.

BENTON COUNTY ENTERPRISE

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The address of Petitioner SHIRLEY JOYCE HARNESS is 9404 Anne Court, Seminole, FL 33776.

You are hereby required to appear to answer said Petition on January 22, 2018, at 3:00 PM, in the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Benton County, Missouri, at Warsaw, at which time and place said Petition will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment may be entered in due course upon said Petition.

Date of First Publication: December 7, 2017

Cheryl Schultz, Circuit Clerk By: Kyle Cowherd, Deputy Clerk

Dates of Publication: December 7, 14, 21 and 28, 2017.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

For default in the payment of debt secured by Deed of Trust executed by Michael B. Ready and Robin M. Ready, husband and wife, dated December 4th, 2014, recorded in Book 629, Page 3357, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, Benton County, Missouri, at Warsaw, the undersigned James Kjar, Successor Trustee of said Deed of Trust, will on December 29th, 2017, between the hours of 9:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M., at 1:00 P.M. at the northwest front door of the Benton County Court House in Warsaw, Missouri,

At the request of the legal holder of said note, I, John D. Landwehr, Trustee, will sell the above-described property at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the Northwest door of the Benton County Courthouse in the City of Warsaw, Missouri, on Thursday, January 4, 2018, at 1:00 p.m., to satisfy said indebtedness and the cost of executing this Trust.

John D. Landwehr, Trustee COOK, VETTER, DOERHOFF & LANDWEHR, P.C. 231 Madison Street Jefferson City, MO 65101 (573) 635-7977

See WWW.CVDL.NET for foreclosure updates/ information

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MILLSAP & SINGER, P.C.,

Successor Trustee 612 Spirit Drive St. Louis, MO 63005 (636) 537-0110 File N o : 186766.011918.378078 FC

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Sheriff's Report 12/18/17 to 12/25/17

Michael Ray Wormsley, 45, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 12/18/17 for DWR/S 2nd or subsequent, delivery of controlled substance except 35 grams or less marijuana/ synthetic cannabinoid, and tamper or attempt to tamper with a victim in a felony prosecution. Subject was released on original bond and was given a court date.

Brandon James Campbell, 31, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 12/19/17 for failure to appear amphetamine possession and failure to appear DWI. Subject was transported to another county.

Jason Alan Vanblaricon, 41, was arrested by Benton County Sheriff's Office on 12/19/17 for unlawful use of drug paraphernalia subsequent offense. Subject posted bond and was given



NOTICE TO BID

The following items have been declared surplus property by the Warsaw R-IX Board of Education:

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Items:	Quantity
1. 10' Counter Top	2
2. 5' Counter Top	1
3. 6' Wooden Table	7
4. Rolling Counter	2
5. Ceiling Fan	2
6. Wooden Shelves	2
7. Small Student Chairs	25
8. Small Student Desk	50
9. Concrete Blocks Approximately	25

All bids must be in sealed envelope with bidders name, phone number, listed item(s) and a bid amount per item. All bids must be separate per item (No bundling of items). For more information, please call 660-438-7120. Sealed bids may be submitted to the Superintendent of Schools Office, 20363 Lane of Champions, PO Box 248, Warsaw, MO 65355. All sealed bids must be received by 3:00 PM January 19, 2018.

Dates of publication: December 28, 2017 and January 4, 2018.



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