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Clinton SFCC Director Marks Major Milestone

BY JENNIFER JACKSON Staff Reporter

A man came in the front door of the State Fair Community College-Clinton building recently. He was on his way home from work, he said, and stopped by to find out about classes and programs offered there. Learning that he had always wanted to go to college, Dara Bigler and the front-office staff talked to him about programs, and showed him how to apply.

While he was filling out forms, he called his mother on his cell phone, and told her he was applying for college.

"She was so excited that her son was going to college," Dara said. "I went over to him later and told him, "This is why we do what we do."

It's what Dara has been doing ever since State Fair Community College, based in Sedalia, opened a Clinton branch in 2003. Last week, co-workers held a surprise party for Dara to mark her 20 years as director of SFCC's Clinton campus.

The party was held in Truman Regional Educational Center, 1701 N. Second, where SFCC-



A STATE OF THE ART Surgical Tech Lab is a highlight of the SFCC Clinton campus where Dara Bigler has been the Director for 20 years. Bigler said students use a dummy with interchangeable parts in conjunction with the new Surgical Technology Program.

Clinton moved in 2010. But when Dara started the branch, classes were held at Clinton Technical School at 5th and Wilson, she said. The first classes were offered through ITV, Interactive Television, where the instructor is in one location and the class is broadcast in real time to students in other locations.

"We joked that we had six ITV classes and 12 students," Dara said.

Since then, the State Fair campus in Clinton has served more than 4,000 students and offered more

than 2,000 classes. It is now located in a 22,000 squarefoot building across from Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare.

From those first classes, programs have grown to 10 associate degrees, plus students can take online classes at other SFCC locations. The largest number students are in health sciences, Dara said, with three associate degrees and two certification programs.

"We can get you job-ready in two years," Dara said. Degrees include

Associate of Applied Science in Nursing, which prepares students to sit for the RN certification exam. Students can complete the degree in two nine-month semesters, Dara said.The format is hybrid — students can come to campus for lecture courses, or attend class online, via Zoom.

"SFCC's Nursing Program front-loads the criticalnursing skills classes," Dara

Labs and clinical classes must be attended in person, she said, to master practical

Free Matinee Brings Big Screen Fun To Heartland

Heartland Community Theatre is pleased to announce the latest edition of our upcoming Sunday monthly movie matinee at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, June 25th, 2023.

This month's feature presentation is "The African Queen" (1951), starring Humphrey Bogart and Katharine Hepburn, directed by John Huston. This presentation is set in East Africa, at the beginning of World War I. The captain of a riverboat is persuaded by an English missionary to undertake a dangerous trip up a treacherous river and attack a German gunboat. Humphrey Bogart won an Oscar for "Best Actor in a Leading Role" for his portrayal of the riverboat captain.

Admission is always FREE for this monthly event, along with gourmet pop-



LEGENDARY actors Humphrey Bogart and Katharine Hepburn star in the African Queen that will be shown at the Heartland Community Theatre on Sunday.

corn and beverages.

Hope to see everyone at the Heartland Community Theatre, 108 North Washington, Clinton, for our movie matinee event this Sunday afternoon!!

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The Game Box Debuts, Brings Magic To Squa

BY JENNIFER JACKSON Staff Reporter

Jennifer Jones and her husband, Kurtis, work nights at Schreiber's Cheese. They have four children, and are "GGPs" - great game players, and are addicted to playing a strategy card game called Magic: the Gathering. The equivalent of bridge for people in their 20s. 30s and 40s, Magic is a social game, with adventures familiar to the generation who grew up with Tolkien's Lord of the Rings movies or Joseph Campbell's take on the "Hero's Journey" mythology, where the hero enters a fantasy world, faces challenges and returns home transformed.

traveled to Sedalia to play with other aficionados, or hosted games with their co-workers at their house. "We would have 12plus people in my house," Jennifer said. "We needed

To play Magic, the Jones

a place to play." So in March, the Jones rented a store space on the Clinton Square, installed



A WINNING HAND FOR CLINTON, Jennifer Jones and her husband Kurtis opened The Game Box on June 15. The hobby and collectibles store features a game room where people can gather to play Magic and other games.

carpeting, painted the walls and had artist Jenn Bennett paint a mural. Last Thursday, they opened for business as "The Game Box."

Getting the necessary licenses was challenging in itself, Jennifer said, like the card game, of which the winner is the one who perseveres.

"Everywhere I went the courthouse, city hall they would ask "Have you done this?" she said. "There was always one Jennifer started her life's

more thing you needed." journey in Deepwater, and attended Lakeland schools. Kurtis was born and raised in Clinton, and attended CHS. Jennifer's guide to opening and running a business was her aunt, Kathy Charles, who owned Ginny's Red Barn Antiques. They were set to open earlier, but faced other obstacles — the air conditioning went out and the merchandise didn't arrive, Jennifer said. Now they have the shelves

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Have I Got A Line For You!



Nice surprises come almost every day. Thursday afternoon was quiet in the Clinton office when Aunt Jane came through the door. The subject of Kaysinger Bluff came up, though I'm not sure how and this led to the Visitor Center. Matthew Boring and I rode bikes out to Kaysinger and watched it being built. Looked like a flying saucer to us and our imaginations ran wild after seeing Close Encounters Of The Third Kind. We did have a good time back then, biked everywhere including treacherous treks across the Old Middle Bridge. Speaking of treacherous treks, Aunt Jane said she and a friend once climbed down Kasyinger Bluff to the river. They went under the little natural bridge a bit to the west. It was called The Devil's Chair. Why?

INTERNATIONAL NEWS! A new theory is out that King Tut was drunk and crashed his chariot. This caused injuries that led to a slow, painful death. The report cites the reason as Tut's apparent love of wine which was stocked in his tomb, along with multiple chariots. This old world is full of mystery and who knows how King Tut really met his end. At least these researchers didn't blame it on climate change.

know.

Well, President Biden is at it again, this time with plans to build a railroad across the Indian Ocean. Okay...... and on Friday he ended a speech with "God Save The Queen." Funny he should bring the British Monarchy into a gun grabbing speech. The first ATTEMPTED gun grabbing that happened on this continent was by British Troops. This started the Battle of Lexington and Concord. What crazed times we live in. Who knows what Uncle Joe will think of next? Ladder to the moon?

Here's my advice for the day, in Latin: "Illegitium

non carborundum." maybe I should be nice, with an old Irish blessing:

"In the name of God, who made a pathway of the

May He bring us safely home at the end of the

You bet old buddy.

Til Next Week J.M.W.

Word on the Street What was your worst



"Hit my head on a porch." - Martha Friedmeyer



"Broke my knuckle during softball."

- Jennifer Sell



"Cut my hand on a jar in kindergarten."

- Misty Yoss





NAME: Alicia Hamik. BIRTHPLACE: Salt Lake City,

YEARS IN Clinton: 22 years. FAMILY: I have 3 kids. Alexis. Alavna and Ander.

THE BEST THING ABOUT LIVING IN CLINTON IS: Being close to the lake.

OCCUPATION: Registered Nurse.

WHAT I WANTED TO BE WHEN I grew up: A teacher. FIRST JOB: Cashier at Country Market. **FAVORITE**

CHILDHOOD MEMORY: Thanksgiving at my Grandma's house with

THE BEST TIME OF MY LIFE WAS WHEN: I went kayaking with family in Island Park, Idaho.

EMBARRASSING MOST MOMENT: When I hit a dead deer on highway 13 and a teacher stopped to WHAT DO YOU VALUE MOST IN YOUR FRIENDS: I can be my authentic self around them.

YOUR GREATEST FEAR IS: That I won't go after something because it scares me. I HOPE I NEVER HAVE TO: Stop learning.

I'VE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO: French braid. IF I WON THE LOTTERY, I

WOULD: Travel with my kids.

MY DREAM TRIP WOULD BE TO: Ireland.

HOBBIES: Reading, running, working out, doing fun things with my kids and hiking.

FAVORITE BAND OR MUSI-CIAN: CHVRCHES FAVORITE MOVIE: Pride

and Prejudice. FAVORITE DRINK: Water or Cherry Limeade.

FAVORITE SNACK: Grapes. FAVORITE CANDY: Dove



chocolate. FUTURE GOAL: To travel

WHICH PERSON DO YOU ADMIRE MOST: My older sister, Ashley.

ADVICE YOU WOULD GIVE YOUR YOUNGER SELF: "A healthy relationship will never require you to sacrifice your friends, your dream, or your dignity". WORDS TO LIVE BY: "Do the best you can until you know better. Then when you know better, do better." Maya Angelou.

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The Agriculture Committee of the Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce would like to invite businesses, groups, clubs, organizations, etc. to be a sponsor of the Ag golf tournament. Last year, the committee raised enough money to give away three-\$1,000 scholarships to college students from Henry County, and we have set the same high goal for this year. The Ag Committee is asking that you consider being a hole sponsor for \$100 and participating in our golf tournament again this year. The deadline to be a hole sponsor is Friday, July 7th, as we must allow time to make sure we have signs for everyone. If you would like to know more info on being a sponsor or entering a team in the tournament, call 660-885-

Clinton Disc Golf Tournament; Modern disc golf started in the 1960s on campuses and city parks. The rules and terms are very much like traditional golf. Disc golf started as frisbee golf using trees and such until organizers decided to formalize the sport. In the 1970s a 'Whamo' toy inventor redesigned the frisbee into a disc that can fly much farther. They also de-

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The Olde Glory Days Committee would like to thank the Clinton Rotary Club for letting us present info about this year's celebration on Thursday during their regular meeting.

Hole #1

My thanks to Rick with Power 97 in Sedalia for having me on the air this morning talking about Olde Glory Days. Up next, 1450 KOKO in Warrensburg with Woody this Wed. morning and then with The Treecerman on The Lake in Warsaw Friday evening!

The Clinton Chamber of Commerce is ready for the Olde Glory Days celebration to begin (6/29-7/2). Please, PLEASE let all Veterans know that the free special dinner for them and a guest is TUESDAY, JUNE 27TH, 4:30 - 6:30 AT THE ELKS LODGE ON THE NORTH SIDE OF THE SQUARE. They are the reason for the season. No tickets nec-

Olde Glory Days 2023 June 29th and 30th, July 1st and 2nd Schedule of Events

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5-11pm: Clinton Police Officers Assoc. Beer Garden- Court-

house Lawn 5:30pm: Office Olympics on

the Courthouse Parking Lot Sponsor: Jim Falk Motors, Pizza Glen, Clinton Arts Council, Clinton Quick Lube, WRMG (Tracker), Mike Keith Ins., Vansant-Mills Funeral Home

6-8pm: Toddler Tent and Bounce House-NE Side of Courthouse

Sponsor: Seeds of Faith Preschool, Compass Health Network, Gus and Susie Wetzel, Jim Falk Motors

Carnival armbands: 6-10pm, \$25 before June 29th, \$30 after June 29th

Sponsor: Lake Country Carts, American Family Ins., Dody Legacy Group, Everharts Outdoor Store

NEAR BANDSTAND:

6pm: The Circus Science Spectacular-This innovative and entertaining educational offering uses the magical world of circus

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6:45pm: The Fishin' Magicians-a humorous mix of magic and mystery

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7:30pm: The Birdman and Co.-provides the very best in educational wildlife entertain-

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COURTHOUSE LAWN:

8pm: The Bubbler-Big Bubbles, small bubbles, bubbles inside bubbles

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FRIDAY, JUNE 30th 10am: Kayak Races-Artesian Pool, Ages 8 and up

Sponsor: Everhart's Outdoor Store, Clinton Park and Recreation, Summers Pharmacy, **GVMH**

10-4pm: Henry County Museum open (free admission)

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10-6pm: Art Show Open-De-Lozier Building, 203 West Franklin. Golden Valley Quilters' Guild will have a table in the DeLozier Building selling raffle tickets for a quilt.

Sponsor: Hawthorn Bank, Glasscock Enterprises

10-8pm: Information Booth & Souvenir

Shop Open-South Side of Courthouse

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11am: "FireQuacker 500"-Optimist Park/Fishin' Magicians Noon: FireQuacker Launch of the Duck Race

Sponsor: Clinton Sunrise Optimist Club

11am-Midnight: Clinton Police Officers Assoc.

Garden-Courthouse Lawn

Carnival armbands: 12 till 4pm and 6 till 10pm, \$25 before June 29th, \$30 after June 29thth

12-5pm: Toddler Tent and Bounce House-NE Side of Courthouse Sponsor: Seeds of Faith Pre-

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12:45, 3:00 and 5:15pm: The Fishin' Magicians-a humorous mix of magic and mystery

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COURTHOUSE PARKING LOT: 1:30, 3:45, 5:45pm: The Birdman and Co.-provides the very best in educational wildlife en-

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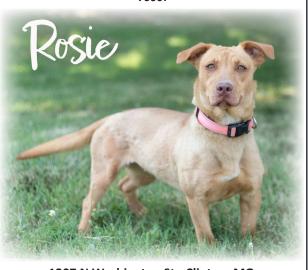
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—LOCAL —

Clinton Healthcare Spotlight Resident of the Month Rosalfe Looney



July 11, 1934, to Irvin and Mary Yount in Edwards Missouri. She is one of six children. Rosalie graduated from Warsaw High School. Soon after graduating she met her husband, Dale Looney. Dale was in the Army, and they married in 1952. Dale and Rosalie have three beautiful children Rodger, Sherry, and Kathy. Rosalie suffered not only the loss of her husband Dale but also Rodger and Sherry. She has eight amazing grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Rosalie owned a bar D&R which stood for Dale and Ro-

salie off the Clinton

name of Duck and Run. She loves nothing more than to be around people. Some say she was the life of the party. She enjoyed dancing and making people laugh.

When she had time away from the D&R you could find her at the bingo hall, casinos and playing cards. For many years she gave back by volunteering at the American Legion in Clinton,

Mo. After selling her bar and losing her husband Rosalie came to Clinton Healthcare & Rehab on June 14, 2021. She enjoys visiting with family and friends. She looks forward to the activities every day. She enjoys going to the beauty shop twice a month to get her hair done. While out she loves to shop and go out to eat. She is full of life and says laughter is the best medicine. Her advise to the younger generation is to go to church. She says, "True happiness begins with making yourself py." "Don't depend on other people to create happiness for you."

Local Author & Cat Appreciates Your Support

Jean Harris is the author of the "Biscuit the Cat" children's books. Jean was born and raised in Clinton, graduating from the class of 1982. She and her husband Hoby Dewey live in Appleton City. Jean is proud to announce that Lance McDaniel of Mc-Daniel Entertainment, will be writing a professional screenplay about her Biscuit book, "Play Day in a Country Yard." Mr. McDaniel will then guide Jean to find a production Co. to make a short film adaptation. Her final goal is to



Hollywood Film Festival for a chance to be picked up

for her "Biscuit the Cat goes to Hollywood" float, in the Olde Glory Days parade on July 1st. She will be selling both of her books on the square, on Friday June 30 and Saturday after the parade. Jean and Hoby appreciate all of your support in this process. Books are also sold at Simple Pleasures on the Clinton square.

Two SFCC Apprentices Earn Journeymen Certificates

State Fair Community College Apprenticeship Program Director Lori Blalock is pleased to announce that Shaun Taber of Smithton and Devon Tunis of Sedalia have earned their United States Department of Labor, Office of Apprenticeship, Journeyman Certificates in Industrial Machine Systems Technician.

An apprentice in industrial machine systems must complete up to two years of classroom work and 4,000 hours of on-the-job training to achieve journeyman status.

"Congratulations to Shaun and Devon for putting in the hard work to earn their certificates at Tyson," said Blalock. "It's been great having them in our Apprenticeship program, and we wish them all the best in their careers."

Apprenticeship programs are for people of all ages who want to earn a salary while they learn and gain direct job skills. These programs offer employers the ability to strengthen and build their workforce and provide a tailored, high-quality talent pipeline.

SFCC currently offers the following registered apprenticeship programs: Industrial Electrical Maintenance, Precision Machining, Welding, Engineering Design Technology, Construction Management, Robotics and Automation Tech, Millwright, Commercial Driver's License, First-Line Supervisor, and Digital Media Marketing.

Media Marketing.
Funding for SFCC's Apprenticeship program is provided by a MoAMP grant from the U.S. Department of Labor's Employment and Training Administration. For more information on how to enroll in the program as a student or employer, contact Blalock at (660) 596-7135, email apprenticeships@sfccmo.edu or visit www.sfccmo.edu/apprenticeships.



FROM LEFT, TYSON FOODS SUPERVISOR Randy Winstead presents Shaun Taber his U.S. Dept. of Labor, Journeyman Certificate; Tyson Foods Supervisor David Russell presents Devon Tunis his certificate. Taber and Tunis participated in State Fair Community College's Apprenticeship program.

Ralph Filder, Jr. Excellence In Education Scholarship



REBEKAH RIFFLE FROM SHERWOOD, was awarded the Ralph Filder, Jr. Excellence in education Scholarship, presented by NeCo Seed Farms. She was presented the award by NeCo Production Manager, Lucas Filer.

Rebekah Riffle, a senior graduate at Sherwood High School, has been awarded the Ralph Fiddler Jr, Excellence in Agriculture Scholarship, valued at \$1,000.00. This is the 13th year the scholarship has been available, which honors Ralph Fidler, Jr. Ralph graduated from Sherwood High School and was employed by NeCo Seed Farms, Inc. for 10 years. Ralph had a passion for agriculture, a strong work ethic, and was a highly committed team member. He passed away of A.L.S. also know as Lou Gehrig's disease, in May of 2010. The scholarship is awarded to an individual who has exhibited the

strength of character to

"accept the challenge to improve the field of agriculture." This person also demonstrates a strong work ethic as evidenced by excelling in school and the organizations he or she is involved in, and has financial need.

Rebecca plans on attending State Fair Community College of Sedalia, MO in the Fall. She will be majoring in Agronomy. This major will allow her to further her knowledge as an Agronomist and as a 3rd generation family farmer. At Sherwood High School, Rebekah maintained a 3.89 GPA and was a member of FFA, Sherwood Ag Program, Team Captain in her sports teams throughout High school, and Academic All-State 2021-2023.

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"This program is meant to provide personal, professional and academic support for incoming students who do not meet all of the automatic admission criteria, but clearly possess the potential to be successful with the advantage of additional equitable structure and support systems," said Ken Schueller, senior director of student success at

Participants in the program will benefit from access to unique opportunities to get involved on campus, assistance with finding on-campus employment, access to a success team who understands individual student needs, targeted academic



MICHAEL S. HARDING

coursework, tutoring and workshops, mentors and mentoring opportunities, and financial awards.

To make such opportunities possible, Harding worked with the UCM Alumni Foundation to create an endowed fund, which is a permanent fund in which the gift remains intact and invested at all times. Earnings from the endowment provide financial support in perpetuity. Distributions from the donor's gift and others who may wish to contribute financially to this endowment will cover the UCM Advantage Scholars program expenditures, such as scholarships, student mentor/tutor salaries. professional development, programmatic funds and tangible needs for the Harding Center.

"With the help of resources provided by the Harding family endowment, we are able to offer this program at no additional cost to eligible students," Schueller

Alumni Foundation Board

A member of the UCM

of Directors, Harding currently resides in Tomball, Texas, and is retired from a successful corporate career. In working with the staff at the UCM Alumni Foundation, he expressed his gratitude for the full cadre of experiences that the university opened up for him while he was pursuing a Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice Administration from 1969 to 1973.

Harding's college educa-

tion paved the way for his selection to a prestigious management trainee program, which ultimately led to a career that spanned more than three decades with Anheuser-Busch Companies. He recently retired as president and chief executive officer of Anheuser-Busch's packaging group. During his time with the company, Harding provided managerial direction and leadership for the packaging group's corporate offices in St. Louis, including 400 corporate and salaried employees involved in Operations, Engineering, Research and Development, and Quality Assurance. He also was responsible for management of 14 manufacturing plants and facilities, with approximately 1,900 employees nationwide.

Now serving as a consultant and lecturer, Harding has never lost touch with the importance of higher education, which also took him to institutions such as Pepperdine University, the University of Michigan and the University of North Florida for graduate and postgraduate education. By means of lecturing and supporting his three children through college, Harding witnessed the trend of students beginning their college careers underprepared and as a result discovered a passion for how he, as an alumnus,

can make a difference for today's and tomorrow's students.

"What makes an academic institution special and renowned is its alumni support, especially those who have achieved a level of prominence in their careers to keep the legacy alive for future generations," he said. "What more can be asked of an alumnus than to extend a hand up in the form of giving back?"

In appreciation for his investment in students, the UCM Board of Governors in its May 2023 plenary session approved naming the Student Support Services Center in the Elliott Student Union the Harding Center. Schueller said details have not yet been finalized, but plans are being considered to conduct an official naming ceremony during the 2023 Homecoming celebration. Information about that event will be released when available.

"Michael Harding and his family deserve our deepest thanks for their generous support of our most promising students," said Courtney Goddard, vice president for university advancement and executive director of the UCM Alumni Foundation. "With this gift, the Harding family has chosen to invest in UCM students who are most vulnerable to stopping short of graduating for a variety of reasons, which makes this gift truly unique and an investment in a better future for not only UCM but for all of us."

UCM's Harding Student Support Services Center is particularly geared toward students who are the first in their families to pursue a college education, who come from a low-income background or who are challenged by a physical disability. Learn more about how the UCM Advantage Scholars program serves students by visiting its website.



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Acosta, Isabella Marie Clifton, Austin Richard Cole, Katrianna LaVonne Rose

Eidson, Mia Nicole Ford, Noah Asher Godoy, Yancarlo Santiago Griffey, Isabella Grace Ann Johns, Ethan James Lauren Kernohan, Chesney

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Cum Laude (3.5-3.75 GPA)

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Anderson, Tyler Reed Baughman, Samuel Ray Deluna, Bastian Gabriel Dills, Landon Jacob Goth, Tate Emerson Griffey, Elijah Kevin Hatch, Nicholas Kent Houk, Molly Kay Kenney, Leah Rose Lawson, Chloe Katherine Mandelstein, Max Albert Ramirez, Alexa Guadalupe Rivas, Sean Matthew Russell, Miles Matthew Toal, Adam Joseph Tucker, Lauren Grace Waggoner, Macey Mae Wareham, Sydney Belle Woodland, Jackson

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Goehrig, Olivia Nicole Goucher, Allie Danielle Hager, Kinzlie Ann

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Wall, Angelica Hope Magna Cum Laude (3.76-3.99 GPA)

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(3.5-3.75 GPA) Barnes, Emily Michelle Cole, Elana Rene Marie Cosgrove, Savanah Kay Dowdy, Casey Mae Dunn, Riley-Ann Summer Fosnow, Isaac James Gilbert, Taryn Michelle Humphrey, Michael Mat-

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Patterson, Sara Elizabeth Preston, Katryna Dawn Richman, Raylen Denise Slater, Maddox Bryant Snyder, Taylor Brooke Stringham, Layla Daniele

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Garrison, Cory Wayne Goth. Olivia Shea Hatch, Drew Russell Hedrick, Shania Dawn Hess, Jenna Rae Hilty, Anna Lovell Himes, Andrew David Jones, Landon Ellis Lincoln, Harley Victoria Mason, Allan John McKeehan, Ben Wyatt McMillan, Eleanor Juliet Newman, Bridget Alana Palmer, Alex Michael

Radford, Megan Nicole Robertson, Cody Michael Shockley, Jazmyn Leigh Sisney, Ellison James Claire

Verhalen, Claire Elizabeth Gale

Magna Cum Laude (3.76-3.99 GPA)

Alexander, Mitchell Anthony

Bailey, Lauren Reese Baughman, Gabriel Bryce Best, Braden James "G" Branscombe, Clarke

Brown, Mercedez Vadean Cardwell, Allison Lee Chipley, Cidnee Ann Doll, Garrett Daniel Dudley, Gracie Jo Elliott, Preston Kade Gegner, Jamielyn Sue Gray, Brent Thomas Grunig, Quin Charles Heerdink, Riley Ann Licking, Kylie Sheryce Livingston, Allison Marie Modlin, Landon Dean Rogers, Colin Neil Rosiere, London Belle Sartwell, LeeAnn Marie Rose

Serna, Jacob Thomas Simmons, Gabriel Michael Strawser, Kaileigh Rose

Cum Laude (3.5-3.75 GPA)

Boch, Shelby Lucille Breden, Alexander James Brown, Gage Matthew Campbell, Hannah Rylee Crowell, Nickolas Andrew Duncan, Madison Riley Espinoza, Cristian Angel Foster, Carla Nicole Harrison, Phillip Thomas Hills, Allanah Danica Neil Klassen, Olivia Marie Lewis, Ethan Lane McClain, Marissa Leanne McGuire, Hayden Ray McQueen, Tate Preston Miller, Hannah Louise Morris, Loryn Jewell Pugh, Makenna Faith Ramirez, Angeles Ray, Xzavier Mikel Rivas, Marissa Nicole Rucker-Wilson, Kieanne Sandoval, Anahi Isabel Scott, Riley Nicole 12th Grade Cum Laude Honor Roll (continued) Snider, Hannah Paige

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Willings, Hunter Jackson

Tucker, Wyatt Lee

Wilson, Jordan Brett

Students Earn Degrees

Central Methodist University celebrated its Spring 2023 commencement on May 13 in Puckett Fieldhouse on the Fayette campus. Former board of trustees chairman Robert Courtney gave the commencement address as a packed house of family, friends, faculty, staff, and other guests celebrated the graduates. Students were recognized for earning degrees at the master's, bachelor's, and associate's levels.

The following local students were among those on the program for the

Kari Michelle Wright, of Windsor -- Master of Science in Clinical Counseling (clinical counseling)

Jackson Dalton Rotert (cum laude), of Montrose Bachelor of Science (sports management)

Alanna Seton, of Windsor -- Bachelor of Science in Education (social science education)

Dean's List Honors

The office of Central Methodist University Provost Rita Gulstad announced recently students included on the

Spring 2023 Dean's List. Almost 900 students across all campuses and online learning met the requirements for placement, including a grade point average of 3.50 or higher for the semester.

The following local students were among those who earned recognition by the university:

Ashley Jane Babcock --Appleton City

Jennifer Nicole Bruce --Clinton Rachel Christian -- Mon-

trose

Angela Nicole Dixon -- Calhoun

Camryn Elizabeth Lynde -- Windsor Lilian M. Patterson

Creighton Angela Lynn Roberts --Clinton

Brenda Joann Robinson --Clinton

Jackson Dalton Rotert --Montrose Andrea Mikael Schmidt --

Creighton

Jake Wheatley -- Windsor Since its founding in 1854, CMU has evolved into a university that confers master's, bachelor's and associate's degrees through programming on its main campus in Fayette, Mo., and through extension sites and online.



Spring 2023 Dean's List

Each semester, students at Missouri State University who attain academic excellence are named to the dean's list. For undergraduate stu-

dents, criteria include enrollment in at least 12 credit hours during the spring semester and at least a 3.50 GPA (on a 4.00 scale). More than 4,700 students were named to the spring 2023 dean's list. These local students made the list: Sabryna Fields of Creighton (64739).

Andrew Bailey of Montrose (64770).

Abbie Dameron of Chilhowee (64733). Lindsay Eye of Montrose

(64770).Madison Goucher of Clinton (64735).

Mason Huff of Clinton (64735)Madison Jones of Clinton

(64735)Kendall Keithley of Clinton

Mills of Clinton Mia (64735)

Reese Potter of Clinton (64735).Jessica Steward of Mon-

trose (64770). Megan Swaters of Clinton (64735)

Michael Talbot of Urich (64788).

Mikiah Carter of Clinton

(64735).Madie Hager of Clinton (64735).

Kizzie McKinney of Windsor (65360).

Mackenzie O'Bannon of Madison (65263). Sydney Bock of Appleton

City (64724). Alana Alexander of Apple-

ton City (64724).

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As a part of the selection process, individuals can be nominated using a form available on the Missouri State Fair website. Nominees must be Missouri residents and available to attend one of the 11 days of the 121st Missouri State Fair, Aug. 10-20. Once a nomination form is complete, it can be mailed, faxed, or emailed to the Missouri State Fair. The deadline to submit nominations is July 5, 2023.

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Looking Back: 92 Years of CHS Football

The following is a complete win-loss history of the modern football Cardinals. I say modern because there was football before 1931 but the program had been stopped years earlier. The modern program has had 27 different coaches. The Cardinal football program was brought back to life by Coach George Ramsey in 1931. He ran the program for 11 years. He literally had to rebuild it from the ground up, including fields, uniforms, equipment, and players. His years ran from 1931 to 1941 with the yearly record of: 2-5 1-6 3-2-1 1-4-2, 4-1-3, 3-2-1, 5-1-1, 0-5-1, 2-5, 4-2-1, 5-2-1. Orval Johnson was next and he had two stints: In 1942 the team went 3-1-1. Then from ('1946-'51) Orval's teams had four winning seasons out of five: 7-2, 5-2, 5-3, 7-1,1-7-1. Coach Johnson also coached basketball and was the coach of the great 1950 boys' basketball team. (The trophy is still missing by the way). In 1943, Patrick Freeman went 4-0-1. In '44 the Glen Rice Cardinals went 1-6-1. In 1945 Dr. Roy Nolte went 2-5. Dr. Nolte had to coach this year and parts of others when other men were fulfilling military duties. Interestingly, the Cardinal football program has had nine one-year coaches and five with two years. In 1952 and '53, Jack Richardson went 3-4 and 3-7. In 1954, William Thompson had a fine year at 7-2-1, but moved on. John Gieringer coached in '1955 and '56 and went 6-4 and 5-3. From 1957 to 1963 Ed Coley had five winning seasons out of seven: 7-1, 9-1, 10-0, 7-3, 5-5, 7-3, 4-4-2. Coach Coley has the highest CHS winning percentage at .721. Coach Allen (1964-1970) Ritchie

undefeated season in 1968. His record: 0-10, 2-7-1, 3-6, 9-1, 10-0, 8-2, 5-3-1. In '68 the Cards were the WCC Champs. Coach Ritchie was later inducted into the Mo Valley Athlete HOF. Abe Clark (1971-'73) went 3-6, 1-8, 5-3-1. Before his fourth year, Coach Clark died in a rafting accident. Ron Aldridge struggled (1974-75) with 0-9-1 and 1-7. Coach Aldridge also coached basketball and track. He retired in 1995. Gladden Dye had two bites at the apple, his first, (1976-'78): 6-4, 5-3-2, 7-3. His second bite ('1985-'87): 4-5, 6-4, 7-3. In 1979 Fran Schwenk went 5-5. He went on to at the college level. Big D (Don Bruns) was the head coach for three years (1980-'82): 1-8, 6-3, 3-6. Don coached at Knob Noster for 12 years before coming to Clinton. Dennis Vanarsdall worked hard in 1983 and went 4-5. Richard Deggs followed in '84 with a tough 1-8 season. Bob Endy took over the reins in 1988 and led the Cards for eight years, (1988-'95): 9-3, 10-1, 11-2, 8-3, 6-4, 0-10, 3-7, 5-5. He had several outstanding teams. Endy has the most wins in the program's history at 52. Dave Wanniger followed for four years (1996-'99): 6-4, 5-5, 2-8, 2-8. Coach Wanniger was a coaching legend for the Greyhounds. Windsor Tom Gramates had four years, with '03 at 5-5 being his best year. (2000-2003): 0-10, 4-6, 2-8, 5-5. A friendly Mike Long worked hard for six years with modest success (2004-'09): 4-6, 2-8, 5-5, 8-2, 2-8, 4-6. Chris Smoot stepped in for five years (2010-'14): 3-7, 5-6, 7-3, 2-8, 1-9. His wife Anne also coached at CHS. They both moved on to Nevada. With a ton of experience, mainly in KS, Bill Lowe coached the Cardinals for three years ('2015-'18) with LOOKING Page 8

Clinton Senior Ava Potter Set To Embark On Final Seasons Of Stellar Career







READY TO ENJOY ONE FINAL RUN, the Lady Cardinals Ava Potter will begin her senior year on the softball field, flip to the basketball court in the winter, and then finish on the soccer field. But following her graduation next fall, Potter will hang up her cleats and high-tops to pursue a career in broadcast journalism.

Ava Potter will be a senior in the class of 2024 at Clinton High School. She is a three-sport athlete who plays softball, basketball and soccer. Though her talents are well-known on the fields and courts for the Lady Cardinals, Potter will let those memories lie after graduation in pursuit of a working career in broadcast journalism.

OS: When was your first athletic memory?

AP: My first athletic memory was playing basketball for our local Park & Rec basketball league, back when they used colored wristbands to establish which girl each one of us had to guard. My color was green, so I guarded the girl with the green wristband on the opposing team. Playing the best defense a seven-year-old could, I stole the ball from the girl and made a layup on the other side, and that was when I fell in love with the game of basketball.

OS: Does your family enjoy sports? Tell me what sports, do you bond over

AP: My family consists of multiple athletes that all played different sports.

The main sport we all bond over by far is basketball. Basketball is a large part of our family's life, and we constantly have the sound of a game playing at home as a sort of background music to our life.

OS: Who would you say has had the biggest impact on your athletic career?

AP: The biggest impact on my athletic career is probably watching my dad coach basketball at the high school level growing up. As a kid, I was constantly at the high school; games. The atmosphere and adrenaline rush of a close game, while watching my dad teaching from the sidelines made me dream of playing on that high school court.

OS: What's your favorite thing about summer sports?

AP: My favorite thing about summer sports is playing with girls of all ages in each sport, building those relationships among all grade levels. I also get to connect with girls from other schools playing on my traveling softball team. OS: Do you prefer in-season or out-of-season ath-

AP: I prefer in-season because each season is in-season for me because I play three different sports, one in the fall, one in the winter, one in the spring, and all three in the summer.

OS: Tell me about some influential coaches you look up to.

AP: Former head coach of the North Carolina Tar Heels Basketball Team, Roy Williams. As one of the best, winningest coaches of his era. In 33 years of being a head coach, Williams mounted an unbelievable 903-264 record. He captured three NCAA Tournament Championships and nine NCAA Tournament Final Four appearances. Growing up we were and still to this day watch the Tar Heels, they are my favorite team.

OS: What are some ways you stay active outside of sports?

AP: I stay active by going to summer weights and going on walks.

OS: If you had to choose one sport that you enjoy the most what would that be, why?

AP: I enjoy watching basketball the most, but I also love playing softball. Basketball has always been a constant but my love for softball grew once I started playing travel ball. My softball team is unlike any other, we all are constantly dancing, laughing, and enjoying each other's com-

OS: Tell me about the atmosphere at Clinton sports?

AP: The atmospheres at Clinton Sports are full of passion. You can see how much we students love the sports we play. From the cheers, chants, fans, and support from the community, I proudly say that the Cardinals are ALL IN when it comes to sports.

OS: Do you plan on playing college sports? AP: No.

OS: What are your after-high school plans?

AP: Attend the University of Missouri-Columbia and major in Broadcast Journalism with a minor in Sports Journalism.



Lady Cards Softball Hosts Youth Skills Camp





THE CLINTON HIGH SCHOOL SOFTBALL TEAM hosted a summer youth skills camp for upcoming Lady Cardinals softball players last Monday and Tuesday, June 12 and 13. The camp focused on basic fundamentals and skills of the game, including hitting, fielding and base running. Clinton coach Sydney Snyder said, "We would like to thank anybody and everybody who played a role in making this possible for us. To the campers and their families—THANK YOU for showing your support. We can't wait to see you at some games this fall!"



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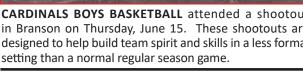


CARDINALS BOYS BASKETBALL attended a shootout in Branson on Thursday, June 15. These shootouts are designed to help build team spirit and skills in a less formal

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one great run in 2016 when they fought for a district title. Lowe's record: 3-7, 9-3, 4-6. Coming out of Osceola Paul Carney's Cardinals struggled and went 0-10 in both 2018 and '19. The rebuilding was still stalled as Kevin LaFavor went 0-9 in 2020. In 2021 the program took a 'gap-year' and played JV only. In 2022 Coach Cody Carlson got some traction and went 2-9, including one win in district play. In 2023 the new head coach is Todd Mowery.

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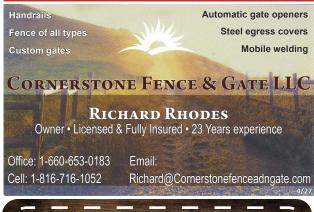
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HELP WANTED

Small rural church in Cass County seeking Minister. Call 816-718-7083 for information.

ju21x2p

Dog Kennel Cleaner 5 a.m. - 7 a.m. Monday - Saturday. Must be a hard working, dependable, animal lover. To apply please stop by the animal shelter at 1307 N Washington during business hours. M-F 2-6 p.m. or Saturday Noon-4. May25xtfn.p

First Baptist Church Clinton is taking applications for custodian. Minimum wage with opportunity for an annual pay increase. Hours will vary from a 30-40-hour work week depending on need and church events. More detailed duties to be discussed upon interview. Application can be picked up at 209 E Jefferson St. Clinton june7tfn.c

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To apply go directly to our website: wevegotitmade.com/Job Opportunities/location-Clinton or contact Ron Bradfish, HR Manager for Capri, at (660) 890-8814 or Ronald.bradfish@tc.tc

TAKING APPLICATIONS

Appleton City Manor is

currently taking applica-

tions for RN's. This is for

full-time and part-time,

various shifts. To apply for

this position, please fill out

an application at Appleton

City Manor, 600 N. Ohio,

Appleton City, Mo 64724,

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SUMMER/SEASONAL HELP **NEEDED**

The City of Clinton is accepting applications for Summer/Seasonal help at Englewood Cemetery for mowing, weed-eating and general labor tasks. This position will work through late October, 2023 and run 40 hours/week. \$13.45 per hour. Applicant must be at least 18 years old. Equal Opportunity Employer. Applications are available at the Cemetery office, City Hall or the City of Clinton page at www.clintonmo. com. Submit application to the Sexton at Englewood Cemetery by 10 am on Wednesday, June 21, 2023. ju21x1c

JOB OPENING

Aquatics Aide, Parks and Recreation: The City of Clinton is accepting applications for this full-time position. Starting hourly rate, \$15.10 / hr. Excellent benefits. High school diploma or equivalent, aquatic experience and ability to obtain required certifications. See job description for complete requirements. Must successfully pass a background investigation and drug screen prior to employment. Application and job description available at City Hall, 105 E. Ohio, and the City web page at www. clintonmo.com. EOE. Applications due by 5:00 p.m., Monday, June 30, 2023. ju21x1c

The Henry County Health Center has an opening for a detail-oriented Customer Service Representative for 32-40 hrs. a week. Associates degree, or a high school diploma with five years experience in customer service, is preferred. Proficiency with Microsoft Office and data entry a must. Must be reliable, have good interpersonal skills, and willing to promote public health in a positive manner. Pay ranges from \$14- \$15 per hour, based upon education and experience. Henry County Health Center is and EEOC

employer. Please send resume to Peggy L. Bowles at peggy.bowles@ Ipha.mo.gov or drop off at 1800 Community Drive, Suite

Hours of operation are Monday through Friday 8 - 4:30 pm.

A, Clinton MO. 64735.

ju21x2c

Clinton Christian Academy (www.clintonacademy.org) is currently accepting applications for the following positions for the 2023-24 school year:

Full-Time Elementary Teacher Full-Time Bible Teacher (grades 7-12)

Salary is \$26,896 per year. If you believe you possess the necessary skills and attributes for these positions, please submit your resume and cover letter to Robin Ritchie at rritchie@ clintonacademy.org or call 660-890-2111.

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HELP WANTED

GARY'S WASHER AND DRYER REPAIR No Gas! (660) 924-6357 may4tfn.p

SERVICES

GARAGE SALES

I have moved and brought way too much with me. Home decor, bedding, curtains, lamps, wild wings mallard print, garage and outdoor, clothes and baked goods. 304 E Jamestown Dr. Thur. 6/22, Fri. 6/23 & Sat. 6/24 - 7:30am. ju21x1p

Everything priced to sell!! Sat. June 24, 7:30am-2pm. 519 Ernest Drive (off Price Lane & Meadowbrook). Furniture, Lamps & Shades, Pictrures, Dishces, Rugs, Pillows, Home Decor, Ladie's (M/L), Men's (L/XL) **BULLOCK** ju21x1p

606 Booth Rd. June 22-24, 8am-? Upright Freezer, Utility Trailer 4'x6', Seasonal dec, new backpacks, men's jeans-size 44&46, Misc. women's items, much misc. ju21x1p

Multi Family, 114 W. Leona, Sat. 6/24, 8am-?. ju21x1p

LEGAL NOTICES

HENRY COUNTY HEALTH CENTER 1800 COMMUNITY DR, STE A CLINTON, MO 64735

LEGAL NOTICE—BIDS WANTED

The Henry County Health Center is currently accepting bids for Professional Cleaners for the new facility located at 111 N. 3rd Street, Clinton. The bid deadline is 4:30 pm Friday, June 30, 2023. Bid specification packets may be requested by emailing peggy.bowles@lpha.mo.gov.

Completed bid packet information must be placed in a sealed enveloped marked "BID FOR HENRY COUNTY HEALTH CENTER PROFESSIONAL CLEANING SERVICES" and addressed to: Henry County Health Center, 1800 Community Drive, STE A, Clinton, MO 64735, or may be dropped off at the front desk of the Health Center.

All bid packets must be received by the deadline listed above to be considered. The Henry County Health Center reserves the right to reject any and all bids. ju15x3c

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

In the Estate of JOHN ROBERT BINYON, Deceased. Case Number: 22HE-PR00132

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED (Independent Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of JOHN ROBERT **BINYON, Decedent:**

On 8-DEC-2022, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of JOHN ROBERT

BINYON, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of HENRY COUNTY, Missouri. The personal representative's business address is:

BRENDA L BINYON, 207 KRISTINE AVE, CLINTON, MO The personal representative may administer the estate

independently without adjudication, order, or direction of the Probate Division of the Circuit Court, unless a petition for supervised administration is made to and granted by the court.

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

HOLLY A CLOUSE, 3315 EAST RIDGEVIEW ST, STE 3000, SPRINGFIELD, MO 65804, 417-890-6600

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

Date of the decedent's death: 09-APR-2022 Date of first publication: JUNE 22, 2023

Crissy Johnston **Probate Clerk**

Receipt of this notice by mail should not be construed by the recipient to indicate that the recipient necessarily has a beneficial interest in the estate. The nature and extent of any person's interest, if any, can be determined from the files and records of this estate in the Probate Division of the above referenced Circuit Court. ju22x4c

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LEGAL NOTICES 6/22/23

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

IN THE MATTER OF KARTER KEITH WALSH, MINOR Case Number: 23HE-PR00055

Notice Upon Order for Service by Publication The State of Missouri to: CAREY MAY WALSH AND JEF-FREY WALSH, ADDRESS UNKNOWN

You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is Pr Guardianship

The names of all parties in this action are TROY WALSH AND MCKAYLA WALSH, and the names and addresses of the attorney for the plaintiff/petitioners are:

CHRISTOPHER EDWARD BENJAMIN, 8 N DELAWARE ST, PO BOX 45, BUTLER, MO 64730, 660-679-4161

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or otherwise appear and defend against this action within 45 days after JUNE 1, 2023, judgment by default will be entered against you.

> **CRISSY JOHNSTON** PROBATE Clerk

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

IN THE MATTER OF XAVIER ASHTON WALSH, MINOR Case Number: 23HE-PR00056

Notice Upon Order for Service by Publication The State of Missouri to: CAREY MAY WALSH AND JEF-FREY WALSH, ADDRESS UNKNOWN

You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is Pr Guardianship - Minor.

The names of all parties in this action are TROY WALSH AND MCKAYLA WALSH, and the names and addresses of the attorney for the plaintiff/petitioners are:

CHRISTOPHER EDWARD BENJAMIN, 8 N DELAWARE ST, PO BOX 45, BUTLER, MO 64730, 660-679-4161

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or otherwise appear and defend against this action within 45 days after JUNE 1, 2023, judgment by default will be entered against you.

> **CRISSY JOHNSTON** PROBATE Clerk

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

In the Estate of ARLETTA JUNE TEEGARDEN,, Deceased. Case No.: 23HE-PR00079

Notice To Creditors (Small Estate)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of ARLETTA JUNE **TEEGARDEN, Decedent.**

On JUNE 1, 2023 a small estate affidavit was filed by the distributees for the decedent under Section 473.097, RSMo, with the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of HENRY COUNTY Missouri.

All creditors of Decedent, who died on 09-MAR-2023, are notified that Section 473.444, RSMo, sets a limitation period that would bar claims one year after the death of Decedent. A creditor may request that this estate be opened for administration.

Receipt of this notice should not be construed by the recipient to indicate that the recipient may possibly have a beneficial interest in the estate. The nature and extent of any person's interest, if any, may possibly be determined from the affidavit on this estate filed in the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of HENRY COUNTY Missouri.

Date of first publication is JUNE 22, 2023.

Crissy Johnston **Probate Clerk**

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

In the Estate of GARRETT LIND REED, Deceased. Case No.: 23HE-PR00061

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED

(Independent Administration) To All Persons Interested in the Estate of GARRETT

LIND REED. Decedent: On MAY 17, 2023, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of GARRETT LIND REED, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The personal repre-

sentative's business address is: GARY REED, 479 SE 100 RD, CLINTON, MO 64735

The personal representative may administer the estate independently without adjudication, order, or direction of the Probate Division of the Circuit Court, unless a petition for supervised administration is made to and granted by the court.

The personal representative's attorney's name, business THE STATE OF MISSOURI TO: AMANDA MAZZOLINI, address and phone number is:

DONGJOO KIM, 9325 PFLUMN ROAD, LENEXA, KS 66215, 913-492-6008

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

Date of the decedent's death: 11-FEB-2023

Date of first publication: JUNE 22, 2023

Crissy Johnston Probate Clerk

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

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Bus Mechanic and Maintenance Services Advertisement The Calhoun R-VIII School District is seeking bids from mechan-

ics, auto shops to provide bus mechanic services for the district's 3 buses. Needed services include: Regularly scheduled maintenance and upkeep along with required repairs or coordination of required repairs. Contractor must carry insurance for potential damages to district property. Sealed bids are due by 3:00pm on Friday June 30th 2023 at 409 South College, Calhoun, MO 65323. Questions may be directed to Shane Stocks, Superintendent, @ 660-694-3422. Site visits are available to those who would like to schedule a visit. The Calhoun R-VIII School district is an equal opportunity employer.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI At Clinton

IN RE THE MARRIAGE OF:) **Curtis Wayne Callahan** 209 N. 7th Street Deepwater, MO 64740 DOB: 6/19/1997 xxx-xx-9805 Petitioner, Case No.: 23HE-DR00013 and **Ashley Nichole Callahan Address Unknown** DOB: 11/3/1987 SSN: UNKNOWN

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

State of Missouri to Respondent Ashley Callahan:

Respondent.

You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is a dissolution of marriage to Curtis Wayne Callahan.

The name of the attorney for petitioner is Sherri L. Harris, PO Box 1088, Branson, MO 65615.

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 June 8, 2023, 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 the law in the Clinton Daily Democrat, a newspaper of general circulation published in Henry County, Missouri. Dated: JUNE 1, 2023.

/S/ WENDI MCGHEE, Clerk of the Circuit Court BY SD **Deputy Clerk**

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

In the Estate of MARY H HUTCHERSON, Decedent. Case Number: 23HE-PR00058

Notice of Hearing-Determination of Heirship

All unknown heirs of the decedent and all persons known

or believed to claim any interest in the property outlined below as an heir or through an heir of the decedent. You are hereby notified that you are entitled to appear and be heard at a hearing to be held on July 18, 2023, at 03:15 PM in the Probate Division of the Circuit Court

of Henry County, 100 W FRANKLIN, ROOM 212, CLIN-TON, MO 64735, on a petition to determine the heirs of the above-named decedent, who died on 07-NOV-2001, and their respective interests as heirs in the following described property.

Should you fail to appear, judgment and decree may be entered in due course upon said Petition.

Description of Property

Value Real Property (Including Legal Description) \$ \$ Personal Property AMUNDI ASSET MANAGEMENT **ACCOUNT** \$4,416.50

Petitioner's attorney is RYAN D FOLEY, whose business address is 9401 Indian Creek Pkwy, Suite 700, Overland

Park, KS 66210. First Date of Publication: JUNE 1, 2023

Crissy Johnston Probate Clerk

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI **JUVENILE COURT DIVISION** IN THE INTEREST OF:

J.W.L. Case No. 22HE-JU00071 Male, DOB: June 11, 2021 **Minor Child**

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

JAMES LIMOGES AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Juvenile Court of Henry County, Missouri. The object and general nature of which is a termination of your parental rights involving minor children J.W.L.

The names of the parties to said action are stated above in the caption hereof. The name and address of the attorney for Missouri Department of Social Services, Henry County Children's Division is Ryan F. Kaiser, Kaiser Law Office, LLC, 606 West 39th Street, Kansas City, Missouri

Said action has been designated as an adversary proceeding and shall be governed by the applicable Rules of Civil Procedure.

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 the 15TH day of JUNE, 2023, a judgment by default will be rendered against you.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Clinton Daily Democrat, a newspaper of general circulation in Henry County, Missouri.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Court this 6TH day of JUNE, 2023.

Wendi McGhee **Circuit Clerk**

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI PROBATE DIVISION

In the Estate of:) Case No.: 18HE-PR00088 ALFRED E. STONEKING, Deceased

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF ALFRED E. STONEKING, DECEASED

You are hereby notified that the undersigned Personal Representative will file a final Settlement and Petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interest therein and for distribution of such property, in the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri on July 14, 2023, or as may be continued by the Court thereafter, and that any objections or exceptions to such Final Settlement or Petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within twenty days after the filing of such Final Settlement.

Cathleen A. Shine Mo Bar 26035 Clark A. Wolley 113 E. Wall St., P.O. Box 342 2401 SW Tupelo Avenue Harrisonville, Missouri 64701 Bentonville, Arkansas 72713 Telephone (816) 380-2122 Telephone (972) 832-6288 Fax (816) 380-3378 email cashine@planetkc.com

ATTORNEY FOR ESTATE ADMINISTRATOR DE BONIS NON

Date of First Publication: June 15, 2023. june15x4c

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL LEAD SERVICE LINE INVENTORY

The City of Calhoun, Missouri, is requesting proposals for services to complete a lead service line inventory. The scope of required services is described below. The completed lead service line inventory spreadsheet should adhere to 40 CFR 141.84. Funding for the project is through the Missouri Department of Natural Resources' Financial Assistance Center and local sources. The city has an estimated 250 service lines that must be surveyed.

Scope of Services

Records Review

- Reviewing available records to determine the presence, absence, or likelihood of lead in service lines. Records to review may include, but are not limited to: Construction records, building codes or ordinances, as-built drawings, record drawings, system maps, specifications from previous infrastructure projects, construction contracts, meter or service line replacement records, etc.
- Outreach efforts with the public include drafting inventory-related documents to inform the public, disseminating door hangers, speaking with private homeowners, etc. In-Field Verification
- •Potholing or excavating (mechanical or vacuum) service lines to determine the material present. •Internal or external CCTV investigation of service line mate-
- •Water Quality Sampling.

• Visual inspection of service lines including inside a home or

Administration • Completion and submission of the Missouri Department of Natural Resources Lead Service Line Inventory Spreadsheet by

October 16, 2024 or sooner. •creating a hardcopy and/or GIS maps indicating location and details of surveyed service lines.

• Assistance with preparing grant reimbursement requests.

• Attending limited board or council meetings to report on inventory progress.

Please provide a proposal including price for the above services clearly labeled "RFP-Service Line Inventory" no later than 11:00 a.m. on Monday, July 17, 2023, to the Calhoun City Hall, 201 E. Main Street, P.O. Box 97, Calhoun, MO 65323.

Once the City evaluates all proposals, they will select the preferred contractor and a contract will be drawn up for the listed services at the quoted price.

The City of Calhoun is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

The City of Calhoun, at its sole discretion, reserves the right to reject any and all RFP submittals. ju22x4c

O'DELL, Decedent:

IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, **HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI PROBATE DIVISION** In the Estate of MARTIN LEE O'DELL, Deceased.

Case No.: 23HE-PR00066 **Notice of Letters of Administration Granted**

(Supervised Administration) To All Persons Interested in the Estate of MARTIN LEE

On May 26, 2023, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of MARTIN LEE O'DELL, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri.

The personal representative's business address: KATHY O'DELL, 881 NE 801 RD, CALHOUN, MO 65323

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

MICHAEL EDGETT, 608 EAST OHIO ST, CLINTON, MO 64735, 660-885-2234

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or if a copy of this notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the personal representative, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after Decedent's death, as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, RS Mo, shall be construed to bar any action against a decedent's liability insurance carrier through a defendant ad litem pursuant to Section 537 .021, RS Mo.

Date of the decedent's death: 27-DEC-2022 Date of first publication: JUNE 8, 2023

> Crissy Johnston Probate Clerk

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

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6/22/23 — PUBLIC RECORD =

Municipal Court

GARY COVER Claire Nicole Anderson, Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant Sen-

tenced To Fine \$191.50 Walter Najib Avolevan, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50

Cameron Marlowe Blat-Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (20-25 Mph Over, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$155.50 Macy Faye Olivia Bloom, Animal At Large, Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost

Lee Alan Bryant, Resisting Arrest, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution Of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$200.00 2 Years Probation; Equipment Violation, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50. No Headlights When Required, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Denise Brown, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (11-15 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$70.50 And Court Cost

Micah Ray Burgess, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Shelley Renee Callahan, Littering, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$350.00

Debra Sue Calva, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost

John Carpenter, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (20-25 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$155.50

Jonathan David Clinton, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost

Caleb Nikitus Cox. Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost

George Davidiuk, Failed To Register Vehicle. Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Eli Conner Emerson, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To

Fine \$50.50 Cody Anson Hanway, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Defendant

Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost Emma Isabella, Paige Hardy, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (6-10 Mph Over), De-

fendant Sentenced To Fine \$60.50 And Court Cost Randy Mcree Hampton, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over),

Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 Zachary Lee Hicks, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (20-25 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine

\$155.50 And Court Cost Robert Anthony Iniguez Sr, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (6-10 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$166.50; Driving While Revoked Or Suspended, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution Of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$0.00 2 Years Probation; Oper Veh Without Main-

taining Financial Responsibility, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$166.50 Gary Lee Johnson Jr., Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (6-10 Mph Over), Defen-

dant Sentenced To Fine \$60.50 And Court Cost Kevin Michael Kojeski,

Miscellaneous Peace Disturbance, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution Of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$466.50 2 Years Probation Kimberly Sue Lyons, Miscellaneous Peace Disturbance, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution Of Sentence), Community Service, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$0.00 2 Years Probation

JACOB R MADSON, Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$191.50; Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$191.50; Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$191.50; Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$191.50

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

Conner Allen Minks, Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$116.50

Kimberly Ann Phillips, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Zoe Patterson, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over, Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost

William Grant Schmidly, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost

Lori E Smart, Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50

Darla Louise Stringer, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$166.50

Michael Stucker, Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50

Ca Sung, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50; Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50; Operate Vehicle On Highway Without Valid Or No License, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Jacob Leroy Weaver Jr, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Jesse Wayne Young, Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Property Transfers

GAIL A. PERRYMANN Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/09/2023 Between Foster, John L & Foster, Cheryl L, Grantor, And Pearia, Ronald L & Pearia, Suzanne M, Grantee, Lot 37 First Revision Southview Second, 15-41-26

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/09/2023 Between Quick, Drew & Quick, Savannah Viola Christine, Grantor, And Swetnam, Jonathan & Swetnam, Jennifer, Grantee, Lots 9, 10 Block 11 Union Addition Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/09/2023 Between Ash, James Edward & Ash, Lori Jo, Grantor, And Shaw, Keisha Brehan, Grantee, 1-43-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/09/2023 Between Brown, Michael J & Brown, Mindy R, Grantor, And Baber, Matthew G & Snyder, Shelby R, Grantee, Lot 4 Block 4 Colbows First

Addition Windsor Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/09/2023 Between Chen, Zu Hui & Wang, Yan Ping, Grantor, And Brown, Michael James & Brown, Mindy Rae , Grantee, Lot 3 Lynden Lake Sub Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/09/2023 Between Ritcher, Robert E (Trust) Sr, Grantor, And Mckay, Carla J, Mckay, Jimmie L & Mckay, Jody D, Grantee, Lot 25 Arcadia Sub No. 2

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/09/2023 Between Severson, Barry D Severson, Dennis W & Severson, Stacey R, Grantor, And Weber, Matthew B, Grantee, 26-40-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/13/2023 Between Anstine, Lora D

(Trust), Grantor, And Tightwad 2020 LLC, Grantee, Lot 108 Ot Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/13/2023 Between Combs, Bradley C & Combs, Emily L, Grantor, And Lankford, Andrew & Lankford, Amanda, Grantee, Lot B Lakeview Lane Addition, Lot 3 Lakeview Lane Addition

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/14/2023 Between Mullen, James R & Mullen, Diana, Grantor, And Ferguson, Hannah D, Grantee, Lot 5 Indian Trails Addition To Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/14/2023 Between Allen, Merlinda B, Grantor, And Rotert, John A, Grantee, Lot 35 Weavers Addition To Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/14/2023 Between Burkhart, Kimberly D & Burkhart, Andrew, Grantor, And Carey, Alexis, Grantee, Lot 4 Block 1 City Addition To Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/15/2023 Between Talley, Victoria L., Grantor, And Smith, Payton & Smith, Skye, Grantee, Lots 5, 6 Block 3 Tannehills First Addition

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 06/15/2023 Between Scherf, Thomas A & Force, Tammy Lynn, Grantor, And Myers, Marjorie A, Grantee, 26-40-24

Marriage Licenses

GAIL A. PERRYMANN 06/09/2023, Walton, Luke Riley, 20, Warrensburg, And Egbert, Trinity Shaw, 18, Warrensburg

06/09/2023, Bledsoe, Wyatt Thomas, 18, Deepwater, And Grah, Tobi Jolee, 19, Deepwater

06/12/2023, Brior, Jeremiah Marshall, 31, Clinton, And Glover, Allyson Christine, 31, Clinton

06/09/2023, Belsha, Tyler Dean, 32, Ionia, And Taylor, Savanna Briann, 31, Ionia

Clinton Police Dept. 6/9/2023 - ARRESTS

Franken, William Dustin, 32, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd. X2

Blanton, Michael Dean, 68, Clinton, On View, Violation Of Order Of Protection For Adult - 2nd Offense

Long, Jonathon Derek, 23, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd.

6/10/2023 - ARRESTS

Selvy, Janel Nicole, 28, Springfield, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd.

Gregory, Vicki Sue, 69, Windsor, Taken Into Custody, Stealing-Shoplifting

6/12/2023 - ARRESTS

Jones, Preston Eugene, 56, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Possession Of Contr Subst Except 35 Grams / Less Of Marijuana/Synthet-Cannabinoidamphetamine - Possess

6/13/2023 - ARRESTS Schmutz, Cheryl D, 33,

Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Felony

Christopher Battles, Shane, 32, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Unlawful Possession Of A Firearm - Possession Of Weapon, Possession Of Contr Subst Except 35 Grams / Less Of Marijuana/Synthetic Cannabinoidamphetamine - Possess Unlawful Possession Of Drug Paraphernalia - Amphetamine / Methamphetamine - Dangerous Drugs, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd. Allen, Thomas Michael, 35, Ballston Spa, Ny, On View, Property Damage, Fail To Obey, Obstruct. Resist Warrant Arrest - Other

Jurisdiction - Felony 6/14/2023 - ARRESTS

Wendegatz, Cheyenne Leigh, 31, Clinton, Citiation, Noise Prohibited General Vargas, Isaac, 28, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest -Clinton

Overbey, Mashele Marie,

45, Clinton, Summoned/ Cited, Stealing - All Othr

6/15/2023 - ARRESTS

Criss, Gary Dale Jr, 37, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Violation Of Order Of Protection For Adult - 1st Offense

City of Montrose

JUNE 12, 2023 The meeting was called to

order by Mayor Westhusing at 7:31 P.M. Members Present: John

Engeman, Kent Schussler, Russell Bracher, Amber Volmer and Andy Westhusing. Staff Present: Dale Bailey,

Donald Lamb and Sheriff's Office. Sherri Richter was absent. A motion was made by

John Engeman, 2nd by Kent Schussler to approve the agenda as presented. Ayes: 4 Noes: 0

A motion was made by John Engeman, 2nd by Kent Schussler to approve the minutes of the meeting held on May 8, 2023.

Ayes: 4 Noes: 0 A motion was made by Kent Schussler, 2nd by Russell Bracher to approve the Financial Statement for May, 2023.

Noes: 0 Ayes: 4 Communications:

Mr. Bracher talked about scheduling the street work. After discussion, a decision was made to start sometime in July.

Mr. Schussler met with Shannon Stewart with Kaysinger Basin about the T-mobile grant. We were denied again, but will reapply.

Ms. Volmer stated that she will be setting up a city social media page. This page will be to inform the community about city business. She will also post the city council meeting minutes each month.

Old Business:

Ordinances (Nuisances) Kent Schussler made a motion, 2nd by John Engeman to resend Ordinance 280.020, 280.030, 280.040, 280.050, 280.060, 280.070, 280.080 and 280.090.

Roll Call:

John Engeman Aye Kent Schussler Ave Russell Bracher Aye Amber Volmer Aye

Amber Volmer made a motion, 2nd by Russell Bracher to adopt new Ordinance # 280.020. JUNK, TRASH, DERELICT VEHI-CLES.

Roll Call:

John Engeman Aye Kent Schussler Aye Russelll Bracher Ave Amber Volmer Aye New business:

None Public Forum:

None

Staff Reports: Sheriff's Office:

Major Rob Hills reported total patrol hours for May were 68 hrs with 4 reports taken, 5 traffic stops/violations w/3 warnings, 1 felony arrest and 2 citatons.

Dale Bailev:

Mr. Bailey stated that there were 9 calls in May. EMS and smoke detector check.

He also stated that total man hours training was 48. The Fire Department did receive a grant of \$6,999.00. This grant mon-

sets of turnout gear. Mr. Bailey advised that Fire Camp will be July 12th at the Fire Station from 10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. This is for grades K-5.

ey will pay for the cost of 3

Water & Sewer Operations: None

Donald Lamb: Mr. Lamb stated that he has been taking the readings at the lift station, cleaning the lagoon and

filling pot holes. Mayor Westhusing advised the next council meeting will be July 10, 2023 at 7:30 P.M.

A motion was made by Kent Schussler, 2nd by Russell Bracher to adjourn at 8:28 P.M.

Noes: 0 Ayes: 4

Lakeland School Dist.

The regular monthly

meeting of the Lakeland R-III School Board shall be held on June 22, 2023, at 7:00 p.m. in the Lakeland Board Room of the Lakeland R-III School District. Following is the agenda,; There is a Closed Session scheduled pursuant with

Missouri State Statute 610.021 RSMo. (3) & (13) Personnel, (6) Student, (1) Legal.

AGENDA

I. Call to Order A. Roll Call

B. Recognition of Visitors and Guests

II. Consent Items A. Approve Agenda

B. Approve Minutes: May 18, 2023

C. Approve Bills for the Month of June 2023 and July Payroll

III. Administrative Report

A. Superintendent B. Elementary

C. High School

D. Special Services IV. Old Business

A. FEMA Storm Shelter Completion Documentation

V. New Business

A. 2022-2023 Amend Budget & Fund Transfer Authorization

B. Approve 2023-2024

Budget C. Bids

D. Federal & State Programs Application

E. June Core Data Ap-

F. Set Annual Tax Rate Hearing

G. Lunch / Breakfast Prices H. St. Clair County State

Bank Checking Account Interest Rate VI. Closed Session -610.021 RSMo. (3) & (13)

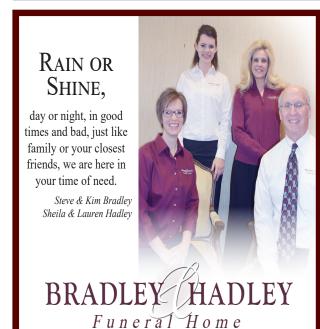
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Legal. VII. Adjournment



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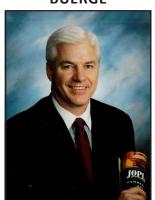
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OBITUARIES=

ALDEN DALE BUERGE



Alden Dale Buerge was born on May 1, 1951 in Harrisonville, MO to Paul and Margaret (Berkey) Buerge, second of three boys. He was raised in a farming family which turned to banking in 1965 with the purchase of First National Bank of Butler. Alden graduated from Adrian High School in 1969. He studied at Central Missouri State University, where he earned a BS in business administration and also met and married the love of his life, Kathryn Blair. Also during these formative years, he earned his pilots license, purchased a J-3 Cub, and developed a lifelong passion for aviation. Alden had over 7,000 hours of pilot in command time in dozens of aircraft, earning the highest FAA licensure - Airline Transport Pilot. After college, he went to work in the family business, rising from teller to President and CEO of both First State Bank of Joplin and First National Bank of Clinton. Leveraging his passion for aviation in his business, he was known nation-wide as "Your Sky Banker" and incorporated business flying into the management of his business interests stretching over three states. Alden and Kathy raised three boys, two of whom followed him into banking, and one into aviation. In his spare time, he spent many happy weekends with friends and family at Grand Lake o' the Cherokees. Alden was also an avid outdoorsman, travelling as far as Alaska, Nicaragua, and Africa to hunt big game. He was a 2016 "Missourian Award" recipient, proud member of The Order of Quiet Birdmen, and Daybreak Rotary. Alden and Kathy belonged to Christ's Community Church

friend, or share a story. Alden was a larger-thanlife figure who was a blessing to those who knew him best, and whose grandchildren found in him an advocate and friend. In typical fashion, he refused to accept a terminal cancer diagnosis in 2011, and added eleven years to the one he was given, by fighting courageously and

where he never missed

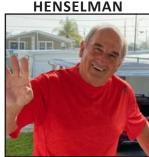
an opportunity to make a

creatively with the help of his wife. His final flight was exactly three weeks before his passing. Alden passed at home, with his family by his side, on June 14, 2023.

Alden was preceded in death by his parents Paul and Margaret, and his grandson, Jaxon Buerge. He is survived by his wife of fifty one years, Kathy, his brothers Robin and Steve, as well as his sons, their wives, grandchildren and great-grandchildren: Aaron & Angye, parents of Emalye, Aven and Aspen, Justin & Trisha, parents of Jaxon and Maxwell, and Brandon & Beth, parents of Charlotte, Isaiah, Silas, and Ezra. Emalye and Sam are parents of Wyatt.

Alden will be laid to rest at Mt. Hope Cemetery, next to Jaxon, in Webb City, MO. Funeral services will be held Tuesday June 20, 10am, at Christ's Community Church. In lieu of flowers memorials are being directed to either, The Ronald McDonald House of the Four States or Mt. Hope Cemetery Care Fund c/o the mortuary. Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Parker Mortuary in Joplin, Missouri.

ROBERT LEWIS



Robert Lewis Henselman, 75, passed away peacefully at The Pines in Kirksville. MO on Monday June 19th,

Robert (Bob) was born Sunday, July 20th, 1947, in Clinton, MO to James and Nola Henselman of Lowry City, MO. Robert had one son, Tyler Henselman, born to him and Marilyn Fetters in September of 1980. Robert spent the last 47 years in Northeast Missouri by way of Kahoka, MO, Memphis, MO and most recently the last 23 years in Kirksville, MO. He also spent January to early April for the last 10 years in Venice. FL for fun in the sun with his own No Socks Nation.

Robert graduated from Appleton City High School in 1965 and went on to achieve his Bachelor of Science degree at Central Missouri State College (now UCM) in May of 1969. Robert was drafted to the United States Army in late October of 1969 where he served two years with a portion of the time in Vietnam and Germany. Robert was honorably discharged from the US Army, 1st Calvary Division, in February of 1971 with a rank of Specialist 4 (SP4). During his service time, Robert achieved the decorations: National Defense Service Medal, Vietnam Service Medal, Vietnam Campaign Medal. Good Conduct Medal, Army Commendation Medal and Bronze Star Medal despite sneaking away an additional 11 days for some much-needed R&R. Upon returning to the United States, he enrolled in Graduate School at Central Missouri State University (Also now UCM) and was a part of the first

a Master's degree in 1973. Robert grew up on the family farm, now Henselman Centennial Farm, between Lowry City, MO and Appleton City. He greatly enjoyed spending time farming, but life chose a different path that lead to successful 30 year career in banking and concluded with his retirement from US Bank in April of 2007. He was also a proud board member on the Northeast Missouri Health Council for 27 years.

Robert had many pas-

MBA class to graduate with

sions in life. He greatly enjoyed spending time with family and friends, especially his grandchildren and great nieces and nephews as time would allow. An annual fishing trip to the Eleven Point River with the guys for over 50 years always gave him great anticipation and excitement. He was a very passionate sports fan in Mizzou Football and Basketball, Kansas City Chiefs and Kansas City Royals. Some of his best times were Saturdays at a tailgate in Columbia with fun loving people, music blaring and laughter all around. The annual trip to Knoxville, IA in August was a great way to start the summer wind down and provided many wild stories over the years. He very much enjoyed his Thursday golf outings with many friends and the tall tales that came along with the cold beverages afterward. He ventured out to many places across the United States with his favorite gal Cathy Adams and met a whole new set of friends during the winter months in Venice Florida. Sometimes it was the simple life spent with Cathy, Tyler, Ashley, Trent, Abby, Shahed, the Jesse's and the grandkiddos at Spring Lake. He had memories in all walks of life including many trips that rarely went as planned with his son, Tyler, which made for some of the best stories. Just the way that Bobbio liked it. Of all these wonderful things he enjoyed, his favorite peace in his time here was being a father, friend and confidant to the children he felt blessed with. Robert always believed this was a wonderful world. He

Robert was preceded in death by his parents, James and Nola Henselman, special friends John (surviving wife Dee) and Damen Eggleston of Memphis, MO and Ted Kirchner of Kahoka, MO.

was an amazing man and

he truly loved his life.

Robert is survived by his son Tyler Henselman of Kirksville, MO, special gal Cathy Adams of Kirksville, MO; sister Charlotte (Elmer) Rotert of Montrose, MO;, three stepchildren Abby (Dr. Shahed) Badiyan, two grandchildren of Chesterfield, MO; Ashley (Trent) Barnes, two grandchildren, of Kirksville, MO and Jesse (Jessica) Detweiler of Kansas City, MO. His nieces Kimberly (Wes) Carter of Montrose, MO; Cheryl (Scott) Munsterman) of Warrensburg, MO; Becky (Billy) Neuenschwander of Deepwater, MO and nephew Tod (Tabitha) Kirchner and many great nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be from 6-8 p.m. Thursday, June 22, 2023 at Davis-Playle-Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home.

Funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, June 23, 2023 at Davis-Playle-Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home. A visitation will be held Monday, June 26, 2023 at the Ohio Christian Church from 10-11 a.m. followed by a graveside service at the Westfield Cemetery in Lowry City, Missouri.

Arrangements in the care of Davis-Playle-Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home, Kirksville, Missouri; www. davisplaylehudsonrimer.

VELMA JUNE



Our Dear Mother, Velma June Cowden, passed away peacefully at home on June 9, 2023 at the age of 89. She leaves behind her husband William Cowden, daughter Rebecca Callahan, son Mark Cowden, granddaughter Elisabeth great-grand-Crumrine, daughter Sophia Crumrine and great-grandson Grayson Crumrine. Those of you who knew her are welcome to attend her graveside service at Englewood Cemetery, Clinton, MO on June 24, 2023 at 11:00 a.m.

She will be remembered with a smile on her face and an ice cream cone in her hand.

ROBERT "BOB" WRIGHT,

Robert "Bob" Wright, age 88, of Clinton, Missouri passed away on Wednesday, June 14, 2023 at Appleton City Manor in Appleton City, Missouri.

Robert Coleman Wright was born June 18, 1934, in Clinton, Missouri, to proud parents Lorenzo Dail Wright and Dorothy Elizabeth (Manuel) Wright. He joined his family and friends in heaven on June 14, 2023, at Appleton City Manor in Appleton City. Missouri, at the age of 88. In his last few hours of life, he was surrounded by family, who shared their favorite memories with him.

Robert (better known as Bobby Cole or Bob) Wright lived at his birth home in Clinton, Missouri, for one year before moving to Garden City, Missouri, after his parents purchased the Garden City Hatchery, later known as ABC Farms and Hatchery. His family also owned the Wright Manufacturing Company, and Bob worked for both companies growing up. One aspect of his job was to be available during hatchings, and he was sometimes required to stay overnight at the hatchery to analyze the cause if new baby chicks died.

During his childhood and adolescence, Bob spent many hours hunting and fishing on his family's property, mentored by his father, who was also an avid outdoorsman. Bob's mother and father were both pilots, and he joined them in this venture. Bob even flew himself to his first solo

flight. Bob graduated from Garden City High School in 1952 and always joked that he was in the top 10 of his graduating class, often failing to mention that his graduating class only consisted of 10 students. He played basketball in high school and later enjoyed playing basketball with his grandchildren.

After graduating high school, Bob attended one year at the University of Missouri-Columbia (MU) before enlisting in the United States Air Force. He was immediately deployed to Korea and became a ground photographer for the 5th Air Force. Due to his exceptional marksmanship, he was the favored ground photographer and was often chosen to accompany higher-ranking officers on missions.

After his military service, Bob returned to the family home in Garden City, Missouri, and continued working at both family businesses. From the moment he laid eyes on Carol Ann (Welsh) Wright, he knew she was the one he would marry. Carol, however, did not yet know he existed. They were married at the United Methodist Church in Clinton, Missouri, on August 3, 1958. Two daughters were born from this union: Lezlee and Loree. In 1961, they relocated to Clinton, Missouri, and Bob started working in the insurance business. After retiring, he worked part-time for Henry Co. and Cass Co. Sheriff's departments.

Bob and Carol were married for 64 years (almost 65). When asked what picture he would like brought to his bedside, he responded that he wanted the picture of his wife, Carol, in her wedding dress. This was displayed in his room, and during his final moments, he was comforted by stories about their life together. His family will always remember his love and dedication to all of them. When in need, he offered his family both financial and emotional support to better themselves and their families.

Bob was preceded in death by his mother, father, brother, and sister. He is survived by his wife, Carol Wright; daughters, Loree (Dennis) Walrath and Lezlee Talbott; grandchildren, Tyler Talbott, Kristen Christ, Haylee Clark, Travis Talbott, and Destry Walrath; eight great-grandchildren, and many other nieces, nephews, and friends.

We love you always and miss you already.

Funeral services were held June 19, 2023 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel. Clinton with Dr. David Maggi officiating. Special music included "Old Rugged Cross and Send Me Gently Home." The casket bearers were Brandon Christ, Ryan Clark, Destry Walrath, Dennis Walrath Tyler Talbott and Travis Talbott. Charles Dail Rutt, Jerrod Welsh, Jay Welsh, James Rutt, Mark Rutt, Warren D. Smith and Duane Bray were honorary bearers. Interment followed in Calhoun Cemetery, Calhoun, MO.

Military honors were under the direction of VFW Post #1894 and the US Air Force.

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

CLARICE NORTH

Clarice North, 94, of Windsor, Missouri, died Monday, June 12, 2023, at St. Lukes Hospital, Kansas City, Mo.

She was born September 4, 1928, in Racket, Mo., the daughter of Jud and Mable (Cochran) Summers. She attended schools in Leesville and Coal and graduated from Clinton High School. Her first job was in the billing department at United Telephone in Clinton, Mo.

She married Charles E. North on March 4, 1950, and to this union 3 children were born, Gail, Bill, and Mike. The family lived in Kansas City, Mo., for 43 years and Clarice worked in accounts payable at the Western Auto home office in downtown Kansas City. She retired in 1990 and Charles and Clarice moved back to Windsor in 1995. She joined the Windsor United Methodist Church and she was Secretary and Treasurer of the Christian Service Group, taught Sunday School, was the Membership Chairman, and was on the Council Committee. She enjoyed traveling, especially annual trips to Hawaii with Charles. She canned vegetables from the summer garden and her green beans were enjoyed year-round at special family dinners. Clarice loved her children and grandchildren and her dog and cat "Rosie" were faithful companions.

She leaves behind three children, Gail Echerd (Tom), Blue Springs, Mo., William "Bill" North, Kansas City, Mo.; Michael "Mike" North (Nancy), Palmdale, California; 3 grandchildren, Kimberly Echerd Dilley (Brian), Seminole, Texas, Timothy Echerd (Stacey), Mission, Ks., and Kelly North Baughman (Brett) Belton, Mo.; 4 great-grandchildren, Samantha, Alyssa, and Emily Baughman and Austin Dilley; and several nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband Charles on September 1, 2018; 4 sisters, Velma Byrum, Jane Huey, Laverne McLeran, and Perrie Benson; and 2 brothers in infancy. Graveside services were

2:00 p.m., Saturday, June 17, 2023, at the Tebo Cemetery, Leesville, Mo., with Pastor Pete Hill officiating. The family suggests contributions to the Windsor United Methodist Church in care of the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor. Condolences may be left online www.hadleyfuneralat home.com.

DOROTHY A. **HUTSON**

Dorothy A. Hutson, age 93 of Clinton, Missouri, passed away, Sunday, June 4, 2023 at Adair Village, Clinton, Missouri.

Dorothy Aileen (Duxbury) Hutson was born on November 18, 1929 to Bird and Annetta Duxbury in Kansas City, Kansas.

Dorothy loved going to garage sales, eating out, shopping, and seeing her family at family reunions. She worked at Unitog and Rivals for many years.

She is survived by her children; David (Sandra) Hutson, Ron (MaryAnn) Hutson, Connie Hutson, Sandra (Robert "Poncho") Knight Richard Hutson James Hutson, Nancy Hutson, her step children; Jimmy Dale and Nancy Hutson, Cecil and Carol Hutson, 17 grandchildren, 42 great grandchildren, and 31 great-great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held June 10, 2023 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel, Clinton with Rev. David Mills officiating. Special music included "Amazing Grace and In the Garden." The casket bearers were David Hutson, Ron Hutson, Kevin Hutson, Richard Hutson, Jim Hutson and Josh Hutson. Interment followed in Englewood Cemetery, Clinton, MO.

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

Death **Notices**

Juanita Conrad passed away on Saturday, June 10, 2023. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri and are pending at this time.

JoAnne Kemper, age 84, of Clinton, MO passed away on Wednesday, June 14, 2023. Funeral services will be held at 11am on Saturday, June 24, 2023 at the Clinton Christian Church in Clinton, MO. Burial to follow in the Englewood Cemetery, Clinton, MO. Memorial contributions can be made to the Clinton Christian Church or the Henry County Museum and may be left in care of the funeral home. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

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CHURCH NEWS ==

Calhoun UMC

Welcome to the Good News from Calhoun United Methodist. We are a diverse group of folk pleased to gather in fellowship and love, to praise the Lord with church family and guests. We ring the church bell at 9:45 to call the "flock" to 10:00 Worship.

We extend our Sympathy and Christian love to the family and friends of Linda Noland and Robert Wright who passed into the arms of Jesus recently. There was a good crowd for the celebration of life service for our friends Helen and Ray Reynolds Saturday morning with Brother Mark Abney. Our thanks to Calhoun Baptist Church; for the invitation to gather there following the service. Others on the prayer list Bob Baird, Bob and David Burson. We ask for prayers for our church and congregation as we take a hard look at what God has in mind for us next.

Joys to celebrate: We praised God for much needed rain this morning and pray for more in the days ahead. We are thankful the many blessings and opportunities we receive by the grace of the Lord. Linda Hawkins was our visitor

We welcome visitors any Sunday morning for worship, come dressed as you are comfortable, bring the youngsters and be prepared to receive a blessing for your effort. We are a Concerned and Praying church if you find yourself in need of prayer we encourage you to join us any Sunday morning. We will be blessed by your presents.

Drakes Chapel UMC

This Sunday our new conference year began with a big welcome back to Pastor Margie Briggs after her return from the Missouri Annual Conference in St. Charles Mo.

The church presented Pastor Margie with a beautiful corsage for her dedication and faithfulness to Drake's Chapel. This begins her 18th year as faith leader to this small country church and grateful congregation.

We were blessed by Lori Rima as she sang the praise song "How Great Is Our God". God has indeed given Lori a special gift. We hope she will share that gift with us again very soon.

Pastor Margie's message "DRP" was one leaving us wondering at first and then inspired as deep in her sermon "DRP" was revealed to us as Designated Religious Person. At times we are such a person and other times we seek that person in our lives.

We welcome you to join us in person or on Facebook live each Sunday morning at 8:30. We are located 5 miles east of Clinton off of 52 Hwy. Look for our sign on the road.

We hope this week you will find blessings all around so you may be a blessing to others.

First Baptist

Pastor Pat Findley continued his summer sermon series of 'Ears to Hear' with a message titled 'Parable of the Great Banquet'. In Luke 14:15-24, those invited to the prominent pharisee's banquet began making excuses to not attend, so he began inviting all people, regardless of their status, until his home was full. Pastor Pat used this parable to emphasize our invitation to God's Kingdom. First, the Kingdom of God is a party! There, Jesus will not only be the guest of honor and the host, but He'll serve US! Second, God's Kingdom should be our highest priority - no excuses! Third, extending God's invitation is our mission because God wants a full house! God's heart is for ALL to be invited. Finally, every person responds to Jesus' invitation, and we each have a choice to accept or decline. By serving and loving others, may we encourage people to accept this great invitation!

On June 25th, the Men's Discipleship Center, Forged by Christ Ministries, will host a Come and See Day at their new building from 3:30 p.m. to 6 pm. Also on June 25th, the Jamaica team will report on their recent mission at 6:30 pm at the Vansant location. Vacation Bible School will be held July 16th-21st. More information can be found at www.firstbaptistclinton.church. Celebrate Recovery is on Tuesday evening, beginning at 5:30 p.m. at FBC Vansant, for anyone with hurts, habits and hangups. Worship services are held at 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. For more information, please contact the church office at 660-885-2211. We invite those without a church home to join us in worship of our Lord & Savior, Jesus Christ. First Baptist Church exists to fulfill the Great Commission (Matthew 28:19-20) by loving people into a growing relationship with Jesus

Mt. Calvary **Apostolic Pentecostal**

"What's Your Relationship with Your Spiritual Father" Luke 15:17-19. (KJV)

Fathers are role models to their sons. Good behavior or

bad, the son is a witness to their father's behavior and learns from it. Because children learn what they live, fathers should

have to watch how they talk around their children. The sons should know their father is the leader and head of the house. He should teach them how to be a role model. Jesus gave parables in the New Testament, and they were important and put there for a reason.

The story of the prodigal son illustrates the broken relationship between the father and the son when we stray from our spiritual father.

The son took his inheritance and wasted it on loose living. The son found himself among pigs and slop before he realized his father's servants were living better than him. He resigned himself to return to his father.

Luk 15:20-24. (KJV)

This father was not hard-hearted toward his son. He was overjoyed to have his son home.

Jesus is letting us know that he is our spiritual father. Our relationship with him is broken when we stray away from him. No matter how far we go, we can come back to his waiting arms. The important thing is to get back into relationship with him before it is too late.

You are the one who broke relationship with him, and it is up to you to come back. Some do not return to our father and go to the grave lost. God is waiting with open arms. No matter how far you have strayed, it is not too late to come back.

God Bless.

Mt. Zion UMC

Pastor David's message. "The Holy Trinity", was prefaced with a New Testament reading from 2 Corinthians 13:11-13, and a Gospel reading from Matthew 28:16-20.

Even though the Trinity is certainly within Scripture it is not explicitly taught in Scripture. The apostles and Gospels assume a knowledge of the Triune God.

At the council of Nicaea, in 325 AD, the Nicaean Creed that most Christians recite today—was put forward as a statement of belief. It outlines the role and relationship of God the Father with God the Son, and the role of God the Holy Spirit. God the Father, our Creator, made all thingsexcept Christ Jesus, God the Son. God the Son was begotten, not made—taken from the very substance of the Father-light from light, true God from true God. And God the Holy Spirit/Ghost—which proceeds from God the Father and God the Son—offers council, advocacy, inspiration, and love to creation.

The Triune God represents the fullness of our faith and our entire faith flows through the Trinity. 1 John 4:15-17 tells us that God is love. We are commanded to take this revelation and explain to others the God we serve and the incredible things that God has done for us. So be the ambassadors of love, reflecting the illumination of the Holy Trinity and bring others into this grand body of believers.

Trinity Lutheran

And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near. Hebrews 1024-:25. "Christianity is a relationship, not a religion." Not true. Don't believe it.

The Christian Church is real. It's important. The triune God...Father, Son, and Holy Spirit..can be found there, wherever two or more are gathered in His name..

It is true that iIn this gathered body we call the "visible church," false Christians and secret unbelievers may be present. They are not actually part of the Church. They are just there. However, a person should never shun participation in the body of believers here on earth just to avoid associating with some who may be unbelievers.

Most people who belong to and attend a Christian church are sincere believers. In fact, few unbelievers these days care enough about what people think of them to bother going to church and pretending to be faithful Christians. Instead, they openly mock God and revel in their unbelief.

There are tremendous benefits for all believers in Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior to attend his church. Attend church this Sunday. Attend church regularly. Your faith will be strengthened and you will be blessed by God for your faithfulness. Amen.

"For where two or three are gathered in my name, there I am among them." Matthew 18:20

Urich Baptist 6/11 Service

We were blessed with rain on this Lord's Day. Clint Keeney rang the church bell. Mrs. Julia Klinefelter led in the congregational singing with Mrs. Dixie Collins playing piano. We rejoiced with Charles Forbes on his birthday. Clint Keeney and Charles Forbes collected the offering.

The scripture passage from Pastor Chad Pollett's sermon was from John 9: 13-34. In this passage the Pharisees are investigating Jesus' of a blind man. The Pharisees thought Jesus was a sinner, but the healed man said V.33 "If this man (Jesus)were not from God, he could do nothing." The Pharisees were upset with what the man said and threw him out. Jesus showed mercy to the blind man. As Christians we are to have a heart filled with love, kindness, mercy, forgiveness, patience, and fruitfulness. Have a great week.

Valley Center United

We celebrate on this Father's Day and every day, for the memories and the love and joy it brings when we honor our fathers.

We are an open and affirming church who welcomes all to come worship with us next Sunday morning!

We thank the members of our church and other dear

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friends who have given so generously to our local Food Bank. We send prayers of love and healing for some members of our church family who have some serious health issues. We pray for our churches, communities, country and world. We continue our prayers for the families of the Ukraine as they face horrific atrocities of war in their country and in their lives every day.

'We rejoice in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; perseverance, character; and character, hope'.

Christ's teachings were of, 'watch, do and teach'. He shared his words and images to his followers and he spoke to them about faith and truly believing in God. But then he showed them by healing the sick, restoring vision to the blind and many more powerful miracles. It was not enough to just say it, but it was important to also do it. He revealed his power and great love by doing all of the

It is the same for us. We are not just to stand by, we are to go out and 'watch, do and teach' others, just as Jesus did. He knew it would be a challenge for us, because there will always be some who are unwilling or not ready to hear his word. Sometimes we just have to dust off and move on in those situations. The 'no's' should not stop us. We need to get rid of any distractions and understand the important task he has given to us; to be the ones who have the courage and heart to go and demonstrate God's glory and power.

Give them all an invitation, whether they are ready or not to hear, to come and be part of God's love and glory.

Obituaries Continued.....

Shawn Moree, age 54, passed away on Wednesday, June 14, 2023. Shawn's wishes were to be cremated and a graveside memorial service will be held at 11am on June 30th, 2023 at Maplewood Cemetery in Brownington, Missouri. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

"Rick" Richard Syler, 79, of Windsor, Mo., died Wednesday morning, June 14, 2023. A celebration of life will be held at a later date. The family suggests contributions to help with funeral expenses in care of the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor. Donations and condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

Elbert L. Green, 82, of Appleton City, MO died June 16, 2023. Visitation was Tues., June 20, 2023, 6-8 p.m. at Hill & Son Funeral Home, Appleton City MO., Funeral Service were Wed. June 21, 2023, 1 p.m. at Hill & Son Funeral Home, Appleton City, MO. Memorial, Appleton City Cemetery.

Aurora Perez, 95, of Clinton, Missouri passed away Monday night, June 12, 202. The Mass of Christian Burial will be at 11a.m. Tuesday, June 20, 2023 at the Holy Rosary Catholic

Church. The rosary will be at 9:45 a.m., followed by visitation until Mass. Mrs. Perez will lie in state from noon to 8p.m. Monday, at the Bradley & Hadley Funeral Home, Clinton. Interment will be in the Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Kansas City, Mo. Condolences may be left online at www.bradleyhadley.com.

Loretta Marshall, age 81, passed away on Saturday, June 17, 2023. A Celebration of Life service will be held at 11am on Friday, July 7, 2023 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton, MO with a visitation from 10-11am prior to the service. Inurnment will follow in Englewood Cemetery in Clinton, Missouri. Memorial contributions can be made to the Clinton Samaritan Center and may be left in care of the funeral home. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri. ***









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SFCC

Continued from page 1 skills, but having the webconference classes allows working professionals, including LPNs and EMT-Ps (paramedics), to reduce commuting time while completing RN training. If people want to get a bachelor degree later, they can do so while working as an RN, she

The newest degree program at SFCC/Clinton, announced in February, is Applied Science in Surgical Technology. The campus received a grant to create a surgical tech lab, Dara said, plus a classroom and office space. SFCC also offers a degree in Applied Science in Medical Assisting, which began in 2016. All the nursing programs are full for next fall, she said. In addition to GVMH, which donated \$30,000 a year for three years to the Medical Assistant program, the campus partners with Compass Heath and the Clinical Technical School.

"Our goal is to provide people with a high quality education, skills and training, so they are work-force ready as soon as possible," Dara said.

The campus draws students from a 40-mile radius of Clinton, she said, including 30 to 40 students from the CHS graduating class every year. It also draws graduates from Clinton Christian Academy, and students from Lakeland. Sherwood, Osceola, Calhoun, Warsaw, Butler and Appleton

For home-schooled or publicschool students, it offers dualcredit classes (college and high school). The average age of students at SFCC/Clinton is 24, Dara said, although the campus does have students in their 60s.

In addition to classrooms and labs, the Truman Regional Education Center center has a computer lab and a student commons area with a snack bar with coffee and cocoa.

There is also a testing center where students can take exams for EKG, phlebotomy Certified and CCMA. Clinical Medical Assistant, certification. The Clinton Fire Department uses the testing center to give certification exams required for fire fighters, Dara said.

"They're not just from Clinton, but come from across the region," Dara said.

The Kiplinger Basin Regional Planning Commission was pivotal in obtaining the building, Dara said, formerly the Wetzel Clinic. Organized as CARE — Community Association of Regional Enterprise — people came forward, obtained grants and bought the building and remodeled it, naming it the Truman Regional Educational Center to be all-inclusive to

"It's all because of a group of community members who wanted to see State Fair here," Dara said, looking around the lobby and student commons

The goal: to strengthen the community as a whole by helping grow people's opportunities, educational she said.

Dara said SFCC/Clinton was offering classes using web conferencing (Zoom) before COVID hit, so already knew

students didn't have access to Wi-Fi, Dara said, so had to find places in their communities where they could access it. "I was surprised to learn

how to webcast classes.

The problem: some of the

students were taking classes in the parking lot of Casey's," she said, "and some were in the ball field in Urich."

The campus continues to offer web-conference option classes, post-COVID, she said, because it's a way to stay connected with students when life throws them a curve, Dara said.

SFCC-Clinton is the hub for all the medical-assisting education programs the State Fair Community College system, Dara said. Michelle Slater serves as SFCC -Clinton campus navigator for students, including those in medical assisting and surgical technology programs. A navigator helps students enroll in classes, hurdle obstacles and stay on track to graduation. Dara said she is fortunate to have a dedicated team, including full-time instructors in mathematics and biology and 40 adjunct faculty. The assistant director, Abby Tribble, is her 'righthand' person, and Bill Morris plays a huge role at the campus in maintenance and security, Dara said.

There are also six peer mentors, students who work at the front desk and are there to answer any questions prospective current or students may have.

Most of all, Dara wants people to know of the opportunities offered Clinton through State Fair Community College, whether it's to train for a job after high school or make a mid-life correction.

"It's about helping individuals find their path in life," Dara said.

That's been her focus for 20 years, during which she's grown with the job, Dara said, completing her master's degree in educational technology. It's a focus that has remained constant through all the physical changes at SFCC-Clinton, as a sign on the front desk of the lobby attests: "Without the student, there would be no need for the institution."

Through her director, Dara has chaired hundreds of meetings, dealt with mountains of paperwork and spent long hours at her desk, planning programs. The job culminated in seeing how excited that one man was to enroll in classes in a creative field he's always wanted to study, and how proud his relatives were that he was realizing his dream of going to college.

In addition to medical degrees services and certification courses, SFCC/ Clinton offers associate in applied science degrees in teaching, early childhood development, business management and criminal justice, and an associate of arts degree that transfers to a four-year college. Almost all lecture classes have a webcast

For more information about opportunities at SFCC-Clinton, go to www.sfccmo.edu/ clinton.

GAME BOX Continued from page 1 stocked, the game tables set up in back and are open, noon to 7 p.m., and to 10 p.m. on Game nights.

They officially opened on June 15, and participated in the Main Street "Sip into Summer." They hosted their first game night last Friday.

To share child care, Jennifer and Kurtis live with her sister. who is a nurse, and brotherin-law, Jeremy Cochran, who works at Schreiber's during the day and helps out at the store. "We're the Night Walkers,

and they're the Day Walkers," Jennifer explained.

Players in Magic are called Planes Walkers, who can move through the multiverse. Kurtis started three years ago playing Magic at the encouragement of friends, Jennifer said, but the game itself dates to 1993, when

it was invented by Richard Garfield. The great-greatgrandson of President James A. Garfield, Richard, whose father was an architect, grew up in Tibet and Nepal and not knowing the languages, connected with kids his age by playing card games and

When he was 13, he started designing games, and has a degree in computer mathematics. He invented Magic when he was working on his doctorate in combinatorial mathematics.

marbles.

Asked to design a game that would be portable and could be played at conventions, Garfield originated the idea of using trading cards, like baseball cards, to play a card game. The first printing of Magic cards sold out within months, and by 2018, an estimated 35 million people

were playing it. Celebrity

players include rap artist/ record producer Post Malone, 27, and professional football player Cassius Marsh, 30, a linebacker with the Seattle Seahawks. Marsh has his own trading card business, cashcardsunlimited.

There are also Magic tournaments in Germany, Japan, and all over the world, and conventions for Magic players in the United States. including the Grand Prix Las Vegas, which attracted 4,500 players in 2013.

"I hope to go to the next one," Jennifer said.

Magic is easy to learn but hard to master, Jeremy said. Like most card games, it is a combination of luck and skill, with part of the skill in building and using the cards in your deck, he said. It requires creativity and strategy, like chess, Jeremy said, and knowing how to read your opponents, as in poker or politics.

Like bridge, it's also a good social game and a way to meet people, Jennifer said. Four people play the traditional "Commander" format, she said, but there is also a twoperson version and one for six people. The Game Box will hold sessions for people who want to learn, Jennifer said, and you can come down and watch people play on Game Nights. Games can last six to seven hours, she said.

"We've started a game at 7 p.m., and the next thing we know, the sun is coming up," she said.

Also helping out at the store is Zak Barrett, the store's Pokemon expert, who works at Champion Oil. The Game Box also carries Marvel Ravensburger puzzles, and

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edge of the latest science, research and findings used by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Food Codes.

"I am extremely proud of Shelby, Melissa and Jason for achieving this certification," said Cynthia Brouk, RDN, LDN, MBA, AHCFA, Director of Food and Nutrition Services. "Each of them go above and beyond to provide quality foods in a safe environment and the ServSafe® Manager Certification verifies that they have sufficient food safety knowledge to protect our patients, staff and visitors from foodborne illness."

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



Mdc Program On **Catching Catfish By Alternative Methods**

Fishing for catfish has long been an activity that has provided angling excitement and excellent table fare.

Individuals interested in learning more about how to catch these popular sportfish by alternative methods (trot line or some other type of set-line device) should plan to attend the Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) program "Alternative Methods Catfishing Clinic." This free two-day program will be June 23 and June 24 and will be taught by MDC Conservation Educator Lyle Whittaker in two segments. The first segment will be from 4-6 p.m. on Friday, June 23 at the Greenfield High School Agriculture Classroom (418 W. College, Greenfield). The next segment will be 8-10 a.m. on June 24. Participants will meet at the Greenfield Public Access on Stockton Lake.

People can register online for this program at:

https://mdc-event-web.s3licensing.com/Event/EventDetails/192658

During the first segment of the program on June 23, topics that will be covered will carry tee-shirts and Funko POPS, small figurines depicting popular characters, including Disney, Marvel and DC Comics. The Game Box is a good addition to the Clinton retail-scape, and a good place to get a game or collectable cards for a birthday present or other gift for a child or grandchild.

The Game Box promotes the work of artist Jenn Bennett. who painted the mural in the game room. Bennett, who used to work for the Kansas City Star, creates custompainted shoes.

The Game Box is located at 207 S. Washington. Check The Game Box Facebook for information on game nights and introductory sessions.



JENNIFER JONES AND HER HUSBAND, Kurtis, have opened "The Game Box," a hobby collectible store with a game room on the Clinton Square where people can gather to play Magic and other games. The mural on the back wall is by artist Jenn Bennett, and represents the five colors and lands of the Magic world: blue islands, green forests, red mountains, white plains and black swamps.

include catfish biology and characteristics, regulations, equipment needed for alternative methods, techniques and strategies, types of baits, regulations, and water safety. After this session, from 6 p.m. to dusk, participants will take to the water in groups to set their own juglines. Bait will be provided.

The next day of the program, June 24, participants will check lines and collect fish from 8-10 a.m. and return to Greenfield High School. From 10 a.m.-noon, there will be a catfish cleaning demonstration. The event will end with a fish fry. Harvested fish will be divided among all participants.

Participants are encouraged to bring their own personal snacks, water, and a sack dinner for the June 23 portion of the program. All equipment (lines, fish-cleaning equipment, etc.) for this program will be provided. All participants must possess a valid Missouri fishing permit (unless they're exempt). This program is for ages 11 and up.

Participants are encouraged to attend both sessions. People who cannot attend both sessions should e-mail Whittaker at Lyle.Whittaker@mdc. mo.gov or call 417-895-6881, ext. 1644 to see if accommodations can be made.

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

Discover Nature -Fishing Event On **June 15**

Fishing is a great way to connect families with the outdoors. It's a great tool to introduce children to healthier lifestyles and it's a good activity for strengthening family bonds. These are some of the many benefits of the Missouri Department of Conservation's (MDC) Discover Nature - Fishing Program.

This program provides free lessons to help kids and families gain skills and confidence to enjoy fishing through a series of four instructional sessions:

Lesson 1: Equipment, casting, proper fish handling Lesson 2: How to tie a knot

and bait a hook Lesson 3: Five common Missouri fish - their anatomy,

habitats and life cycles

Lesson 4: Fishing with lures, fishing regulations

Interested families will have a chance to take Lessons 3 and 4 of the Discover Nature - Fishing program series of classes at MDC's Bois D'Arc Aquatic Education Pond on June 15. The program will be from 6-9 p.m. The Bois D'Arc Aquatic Education Pond is part of MDC's Bois D'Arc Conservation Area and is located at 4045 State Highway UU near Bois D'Arc in western Greene County.

This is the follow-up class to the June 8 Discover Nature -Fishing program held at the Bois D'Arc Educational Pond that covered Lessons 1 and 2. It is recommended that families take all four lessons, but it is not required.

All fishing gear will be provided by MDC staff. Participants should wear clothing and close-toed shoes suitable for outdoor and water activities. People can register for this event at:

https://mdc-event-web.s3licensing.com/Event/EventDetails/192681

Each participant must register for this program individually. To register your child, you may need to make a family account, or add them to an existing family account. You can also make a separate account for your child. Participants will not need a fishing permit to take part in this program. For questions about this event or about the registration process, contact MDC Community Education Assistant Jeanell Stockton at Jeanell.Stockton@mdc. mo.gov or at 417-737-0698. Information about other upcoming Discover Nature

at mdc.mo.gov. **Mdc Confirms** Second Northern **Snakehead Captured** In Missouri

Fishing classes can be found

Fisheries management biologists with the Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) confirm a second northern snakehead has been recorded in the state. The fish was captured by an angler May 19 while seining for bait at Duck Creek Conservation Area in Wayne County. The first northern snakehead recorded in Missouri was caught in a borrow ditch within the St. Francis River levees in Dunklin County in 2019.

MDC staff spent two days looking for additional specimens on Duck Creek Conservation Area and Mingo National Wildlife Refuge. This effort found no additional fish, likely indicating they're in the area, but at low numbers.

The northern snakehead was discovered in eastern Arkansas waterways in 2008. Since then, its distribution has been expanding, spreading north through the waters of the St. Francis River watershed.

"Unfortunately, it was only a matter of time before we saw this species continue to spread in Missouri," said MDC Fisheries Management Biologist Dave Knuth.

Snakeheads are an invasive species native to Asia. They're aggressive predators, preying on native species and competing for resources.

"This fish has a wide temperature tolerance, can spawn multiple times in one year, and can survive in low-oxygenated waters by breathing air," said Knuth. "The impacts of this species on native fish populations are still to be determined and it's something we will have to follow over time."

If you find a northern snakehead, MDC recommends the following:

Make sure it's a snakehead. Northern snakeheads can be confused with the native bowfin. Snakeheads have a snake-like appearance with a much longer anal fin than the bowfin.

Do not release the fish or throw it on the bank, as it could migrate back to the water or to a new waterbody. Remember this fish is an airbreather and can live a considerable amount of time out of the water.

Kill the fish by severing the head or gutting it.

Photograph the fish so the species can be positively identified.

Report any sightings of the fish to MDC's Southeast Regional Office at 573-290-

MDC reminds the public it is illegal to import, export, sell, purchase, or possess a live northern snakehead in Missouri, MDC will continue to monitor its spread in the

Learn more about the northern snakehead fish and its negative impact on aquatic habitats at https://mdc. mo.gov/discover-nature/ field-guide/snakeheads.

Join Mdc To "Talk Turkey" During July 6 Wild Webcast

The Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) invites turkey hunters, landowners and managers, and others interested in Missouri's wild turkeys and turkey hunting to its "MDC Wild Webcast on Talkin' Turkey" on Thursday, July 6, at noon.

MDC Turkey Biologist Nick Oakley and MDC Turkey Habitat Initiative Coordinator Meagan Duffee-Yates will share information on the wild turkey population in Missouri including harvest trends, production trends, MDC's annual brood survey, and research findings. They will also discuss habitat loss and the impacts of weather and predators on turkey numbers. They will take questions from webcast attendees as time permits.

Register in advance for the free, live MDC Wild Webcast on Talkin' Turkey at short. mdc.mo.gov/4Po. Then join the webcast live on July 6 from noon to 1 p.m.

Learn more about Missouri wild turkeys from the MDC online Field Guide at mdc. mo.gov/discover-nature/ field-guide/wild-turkey.

Learn more about turkey hunting in Missouri online at mdc.mo.gov/hunting-trapping/species/turkey.

Free Wild Jellies Classes June 30 At Clinton

The Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) will offer free classes on how to make wild jellies from native spring flowers. The classes will teach how to identify, harvest, and prepare jellies and other wild edibles from flowers produced by dandelions and wild violet, as well as flowers from redbud trees and elderberry shrubs. Four sessions will be offered at MDC's Lost Valley Fish Hatchery in Warsaw on Saturday, June 17. Three sessions will be offered at MDC's Clinton Office on Saturday, June 30.

"There is a bounty of wild food available in Missouri throughout the year," said Ginger Miller, MDC conservation educator. "Come learn how and when to make beautiful wildflower jellies with

Registration is required for these classes, which are open to all ages.

The session times for the classes at the Lost Valley Fish Hatchery in Warsaw on June 17 and registration links include: from 9 to 10 https://short.mdc. mo.gov/4P5; from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., https://short. mdc.mo.gov/4PS; from noon to 1 p.m., https://short.mdc. mo.gov/4PT, and from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m., https://short.mdc. mo.gov/4Pq.

The session times for the classes at MDC's Clinton Office on June 30 and the registration links includes: from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m., https:// short.mdc.mo.gov/4Pc; from 11 a.m. to noon, https://short. mdc.mo.gov/4Pp, and from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., https:// short.mdc.mo.gov/4PG.

MDC's staff offers a variety of classes year-round to connect people with nature, from foraging for wild edibles to catching fish for table fare. To check out offerings in your area, visit MDC Events at Events | Missouri Department of Conservation (mo.

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The Shepherd Calls

by Dr. H. Wade Paris

HE IS WITH JESUS

Some good friends of ours lost their only child, a son. He was only 51 years old. His clothes caught fire while cooking, and he burned to death---a real tragedy for the

I was asked to conduct the funeral because I was instrumental in their son becoming a Christian during Vacation Bible School. I accepted the invitation with a mixture of feelings. I felt inadequate to comfort my friends. I have not experienced what they were going through. On the other hand, I could tell them with confidence that their son was in heaven because I was present when he accepted the Lord. That truth was the best comfort I could give.

Jesus promised to prepare a place for those who accept Him. He said, "I am going to prepare a place so where I am you may be also." (John 14:1-3)

It is common for folk to describe heaven as having golden streets and pearly gates. That presents a beautiful picture; and, no doubt, heaven is beautiful. However, the problem with describing heaven is twofold: (1) Apart from John's report in Revelation 21, we have no firsthand accounts. No one has returned from heaven to tell us about it. (2) The second problem is found in the human language. We do not have the words to describe heaven's beauty, even if we knew what it is like. Even John's words in Revelation are "this worldly" and limited.

So, what should we say of heaven's beauty? It is a place where we will know God, our Creator, even as we are known by Him. God told John that in heaven, "God will dwell with His people. God himself will be with them and be their God." And that is what makes heaven beautiful---the perfect presence of God.

Think about it, what greater words of comfort could I give my friends than to say, "Your son is with Jesus now.'



JUNE 14, 2023

Stellar VBS will be hosted at First Baptist Church of AC June 20-23. Stellar is for kids 5 years old through those that have completed 4th grade. They will start with a meal at 5:30 and conclude at 8:30 p.m. each evening. Family members and friends can join in daily at 8:15 p.m. as they wrap up their day. They also invite families to church on Sunday, June 25 for the finale and a meal following services. Sign up free online at: https://forms. gle/11vyYKtqveVyKYzNA Paper copies are available upon request. For info, call 660-476-5512 or message them on Facebook.

The Appleton City Ministerial Alliance is excited to announce new events for the community to participate in. Third Sunday Services will be held each month throughout the spring, summer, and fall months at area churches. Everybody is encouraged to attend as they will participate in a variety of formats including traditional, contemporary, singspiration, etc. Each meeting will be from 7:00 - 8:15 p.m. (roughly), and they will have donation opportunities for those interested towards the ACMA. The first date is coming up June 18 at River of Life Fellowship in Rockville. The initial endeavor will be a testimony service where they encourage one another with stories of what God is doing in their lives, followed by some light snacks and fellowship. Plans are underway now for the July 16 service as a singspiration event held locally. More information will follow. They look forward to seeing you attend and participate in these exciting services, the third Sunday of each month.

Fischer Track has started laying the rubber surface at the ACHS track. The community is asked to stay off the track

AC Pool is open Sunday-Saturday noon-5:00 p.m. General family admission costs: Ages 11+ \$3.00, Ages 4-10 \$2.00, Ages 0-3 FREE with a paid adult. Season Pool Pass cost: \$60 for 1 person, \$20 for each additional person. Passes can be purchased at the pool or you can pay by credit card at City Hall. Pool party costs are 1 hour for \$90 or 2 hours for \$150. Start times for parties are 5:30 or 6:00 p.m. Swim lessons are scheduled for July 10-14. Beginner class will be 5:00-5:45 p.m. Your child must be able to touch the bottom of the pool without assistance (3 ft.) Intermediate class will be 6:00-6:45 p.m. The Lion's Club of Rockville has again made a donation to help lower the cost of classes, \$15 for 1 child and \$10 for each additional child in family. You can sign up for lessons by calling or stopping by the pool during regular hours or by contacting them through Facebook. They thank Mr. Tommy Payton and the members of the Rockville Lion's Club for providing another year of swim lessons.

There will be a benefit chicken dinner Friday, June 23 from 4:00-7:30 p.m. at the Fair Haven Park (on HWY C, 8 miles north of Walker, MO) to benefit Stoney Creek, Fair Haven and Walnut Creek Schools. The menu is all you can eat fried or BBQ grilled chicken, chicken & noodles, beans cole slaw, homemade bread and butter with freshly cranked ice cream and homemade pies for dessert. A freewill donation will be appreciated.

Appleton City July Second Saturday event will be July 8 from 6:00-9:00 p.m.

The Appleton City Fair will be August 19, with the parade at 5:00 p.m.

LEAP (Lewis Equine Assisted Programs) will have a barn dance, chicken dinner and silent auction fundraiser 6:00 9:00 p.m. at the Lowry City Community Center, 406 W. 4th St in Lowry City on June 24. Music will be provided by Campfire Cowboy, Randy Polson. Adult tickets are \$12, Children 5-12 are \$8. All proceeds will benefit Lewis Equine Assisted Programs. For tickets or more information, contact Kim at 816-506-6825.

River of Life Fellowship in Rockville is hosting a 24 hour worship service Saturday, July 1 into Sunday, July 2. Evangelist Mark Oswald, and his wife Rachel, from Shawnee, Oklahoma, will be present and ministering three times during the worship service. They will begin Saturday around 12:30 p.m. with some light snacks and an overview of the planned meeting. Mark will preach that afternoon and they will have interspersed times of worship and prayer throughout the evening and overnight. Coffee will be available throughout the night as well (say Hallelujah!). They will also have a light meal that evening followed by a youth centered service near 7:00 p.m. Other area ministry will be attending and involved throughout the evening. It is a come and go as you are able time to worship the Lord and be encouraged. They will take Communion Saturday evening, as well as again on Sunday morning. Full breakfast will be served at 8:30 a.m. on Sunday, followed by regular Sunday School, and morning worship service with Mark sharing the AM message. An offering will be taken to bless the Oswalds. All are welcome to come and worship in a first ever type of event for the area, as they seek the Lord for 24 hours.

The 19th Annual Appleton City Car Show will be July 8 in the City Park, right off 52 Hwy across the street from Zink Motor Company. Check in 8:00 a.m.-noon. Car Show noon-3:00 p.m. This is a judged event. There is a \$10 entry fee, with proceeds going to two \$1000 scholarships for local high school students. Top 70 cars and trucks combined, top 3 motorcycles, and top 3 rat rods.

Ellett Memorial Hospital Appleton City offers outpatient specialist services for June and July, 2023. Call 660-476-2111 for appointments: June 28 - Ortho-Dr. Gray, June 28 – Ophthalmology – Dr. Soni, July 5 – Upper GI, Colonoscopy-Dr. Vardakis, July 12 - Upper GI, Colonoscopy-Dr. Namin, July 14 - Ortho-Dr. Gray, July 19 - Upper GI, Colonoscopy-Dr. Namin, July 20- Podiatry- Dr. Pace, July 24 Rheumatology-Dr. John, July 26 - Ortho-Dr. Gray, July 26 - Ophthalmology - Dr. Soni

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Sponsor: Golden Valley Tractor, Legacy Bank and Trust 5:30-7:30pm: Historical DX Station @ 3rd & Green St.

(Time Flies) Open Sponsor: Central Airmotive **COURTHOUSE LAWN:**

6pm: The Bubbler-Big Bubbles, small bubbles, bubbles inside bubbles

Sponsor: Cook Tractor Parts, Dennis and Debbie Sieger, Henry Co. Mutual Insurance, Jim Falk Motors

MAIN STAGE:

6pm: Jake Gill-Yesterday and today's country music! www. jakegill.net

Sponsor: Jim Raysik Auto Group, Meadows Contracting 6:30pm: Golf Ball Drop at Chamber of Commerce Lawn-Southeast Corner of the Square Sponsor: ReMax Truman Lake, Gregg Smith Ford Lincoln, Bucksaw Resort and Marina MAIN STAGE:

8:10pm: Prize Drawings-Main

Sponsor: Hawthorn Bank, **Everharts Outdoor Store**

9pm: The Kay Brothers-Olde Time Missouri Stompgrass! www.thekaybrothers.com

Sponsor: Jim Raysik Auto Group, White River Marine Group(Tracker), HCA Midwest Health

SATURDAY, JULY 1st 7-9:30am: Pancake Breakfast-Clinton Fire Dept.

7:30am: OGD Patriotic 5K/Fun Run Starts 6:30 am: Registration at Chamber of Commerce Sponsor: Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare, Hawthorn Bank, Henry Co. Water Co.

9-3pm: Motorcycle Show-South Washington Street Sponsor: PLZ Corp. (Champion Brands) LLC, Gregg Smith Ford,

American Family Ins. 9-4pm: Downtown Desoto

Open-S. Washington St. Sponsor: Jim Raysik Auto Group

10am: "David Mills" Grand Parade/Vickie Moreland-Grand Marshal and featuring The Bubbler!

Sponsor: Schreiber Foods, Parks Cabinets

10-4pm: Art Show Open-De-Lozier Building, 203 West Franklin G.V. Quilters' Guild will be selling tickets for a quilt.

Sponsor: Gallery 3, Hawthorn Bank, Glasscock Ent. 10-4pm: Henry County Muse-

um open (free admission) Sponsor: TC Transcontinental, H.C. Commissioners

11am-Midnight: Clinton Police Officers Assoc. Beer Garden-Courthouse Lawn Carnival armbands: 12 till 4pm

& 6 till10 pm, \$25 before June 29th, \$30 after June 29th 12-5pm: Toddler Tent and

Bounce House-NE Side of Courthouse

Sponsor: Seeds of Faith Preschool, Compass Health Network, Summers Pharmacy

12-8pm: Information Booth & Souvenir Shop Open-South Side of Square

Sponsor: Bucksaw Resort and Marina, SFCC-Clinton

12:30-5pm: Historical DX Gas Station-3rd & Green streets (Time Flies) Open Sponsor: Central Airmotive,

UMB Bank

1pm: Clinton Elk's Lodge Cornhole Tournament, behind Elk's Lodge on the north side of the

Square

1:30 and 2:30pm StoneLion Puppets "Bubba and Trixie"-Children's Corner Theater, **DeLozier Building**

Sponsor: Henry County Museum, Legacy Bank and Trust, Clinton Abstract and Title Co., LLC

2pm: TLC Dulcimers-DeLozier Building

Sponsor: Cook Tractor Parts, Edward Jones Financial Advisors, Hampton Inn, GVMH

2pm: Heartland Community Theatre presents: "Sentimental Journey: A Return to Those Thrilling Days of Yesteryear", a live radio variety show.

Sponsor: Clinton Arts Council, **Adkins Printing**

NEAR BANDSTAND:

12 and 4:30pm: The Circus Science Spectacular-This innovative and entertaining educational offering uses the magical world of circus to teach Sponsor: Schreiber Foods,

GVMH, Golden Valley Fireworks, Glasscock Enterprises 12:45, 3:00 and 5:15pm: The

Fishin' Magicians-a humorous mix of magic and mystery Sponsor: State Farm Ins.-Davin

Newman, Clinton Candle Co., Jim Raysik Auto Group COURTHOUSE PARKING LOT:

1:30, 3:45, 5:45pm The Birdman and Co.-provides the very best in educational wildlife entertainment

Sponsor: Compass Health Network, Mike Keith Ins.

MAIN STAGE: 6pm: Disco Dick and the Mir-

ror Balls-The Nation's #1 Disco Experience! www.discodick. com

Sponsor: Schreiber Foods, Clinton Arts Council, Meadows Contracting, Mills and Sons Ins. 8:05pm: Clinton Rotary Club 50/50 Give Away

Sponsor: Clinton Rotary Club, Parks Cabinets, Gus and Susie Wetzel, TC Transcontinental 8:10pm: Prize Drawings-Main

Sponsor: Hawthorn Bank, **Everharts Outdoor Store** 9pm: The Rock Gods-The Rock

Gods are a Tribute to Rock and Roll's Most Iconic Stars!TheRockGodsBand.com

Sponsor: HCA Midwest Health, Henry Co. Mutual Ins., Schreiber Foods, White River Marine Group

SUNDAY, JULY 2nd 5pm: Ice Cream Social by Clinton Christian Church-Benson Center (free will offering for local missions) 5:30-8:30pm:

Fest-Benson Center Featuring: Tony Bullock, Ivan Parker, Spoken 4 Quartet, The LeFevre Quartet

Sponsor: Dody Legacy Group, First Baptist Church of Clinton, Clinton Quick Lube, Bernard Tax and Bookkeeping

9:30pm: Mega Fireworks Display(tune to KDKD FM 95.3 for

Sponsor: Hawthorn Bank, Pizza Glen, White River Marine Group, C Squared Screen Printing and Embroidery, Vansant-Mills Funeral Home

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Olde Glory Days is brought to you by the Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce.

Buy a badge and you might win a prize! Look for Olde Glory Days

caps, carnival armbands and

more! Items available at information booth June 29th and 30th and

July 1st . Presales of shirts at C Squared. Presales of armbands at the Chamber. ATS Bus Service; 6pm-10pm

Thursday, 8am-10:30pm Friday, 8am-10:30pm Sat. 60-885-3114 Stage Sponsor: World Wide Technology Inc.-

David Steward

Bill and Patsy's Pony Rides each day Welcome to Olde Glory Days!

TIMES AND EVENTS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE

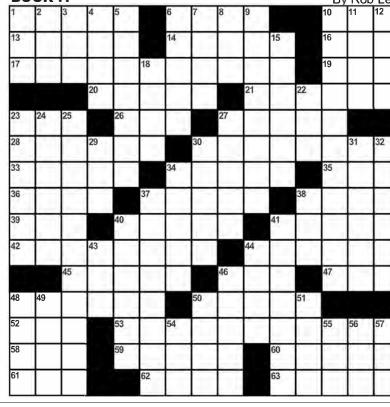
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- 1) Book of maps
- a mouthful!" 6) "You 10) Scoundrel
- 13) New moon, e.g.
- 14) Chips in
- 16) Mine find 17) Swiss soldier's do-all
- 19) Time div.
- 20) They may be clear or threatening
- 21) Blocks for metalworkers 23) Dash
- 26) Begley and Sullivan
- 27) Not at all emotional
- 28) Solar-system mobile
- 30) Verse makers
- 33) Brighton baby buggies 34) Euripidean tragedy
- 35) Letter after sigma 36) " who?"
- 37) Exposed

- 38) Film crew member
- 39) One for the off-road
- 40) More pure, as silver 41) Straight-billed game bird
- 42) Incomplete components
- 44) Evening repast 45) Backside
- 46) Newspaper div.
- 47) Bro, for one
- 48) Connect to electricity, as an appliance
- 50) Pelt hunter's tools 52) Unagi, at a sushi bar
- 53) Lovers of high-fidelity sound
- 58) Guy's opposite
- 59) Hideouts
- 60) Dickens' Heep 61) CIA employee
- 62) Cleaning cabinet supplies 63) Make a new attempt
- **BOOK IT** By Rob Lee

DOWN

- 1) Smartphone software, briefly
- 2) Even if, briefly
- of "Camelot" 3) Lancelot du
- 4) Does something appealing? 5) Hiders' companions
- 6) "Land ___!" 7) Coulter and Curry 8) "Lord, is ___?" (Last Supper
- question)
- 9) Like skim milk 10) Newspaper features 11) Husk
- 12) Animal shelters
- 15) Mexican missus
- 18) Like a neatnik 22) Seven, on a grandfather clock
- 23) Comes to light
- 24) Text mistakes 25) How some approach big decisions
- 27) Exodus commemoration 29) Ambulance initials
- 30) French mothers
- 31) Taiwan's capital
- 32) "Outstanding!" 34) Hairy-chested
- 37) Occurring twice a year 38) Econ. measure for a country
- 40) Decorative knob 41) Gunpowder ingredient (Var.)
- 43) Children's game 44) Bathroom bar
- 46) Anti-vampire device 48) Coatrack parts
- 49) Move like a kangaroo 50) Get bushed
- 51) "Your majesty" 54) Handyman's letters
- 55) On, as an old lamp 56) Ring bearer, often
- 57) Not outgoing



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3 KOLR	Young Sheldon	Ghosts	So Help Me Todd "The First Date Is the Deepest"	CSI: Vegas "Dead Memories"	KOLR 10 News (N)	(:35) The La With Stephe		(:35) James Corden	
4 WDAF	Alert: Missi Unit "Miguel	ng Persons	Stars on Mars "The Experiment Begins"	FOX 4 News at 9PM (N)	FOX 4 News at 10PM (N)	FOX 4 News (N)	TMZ (N)	Seinfeld "The Non- Fat Yogurt"	
5 KCTV	Young Sheldon	Ghosts	So Help Me Todd "The First Date Is the Deepest"	CSI: Vegas "Dead Memories"	News at 10	(:35) The La With Stephe		(:35) James Corden	
6 KMOS	Keep Up "The New Vicar"	Mr. Bean	The Indian Doctor "The Fete"	Unforgotten on Masterpiece	Unforgotter Masterpiece		Democracy Now! (N)		
9 KMBC	2023 NBA D	raft (N) (Live	3)		KMBC 9 News at 10:00 (N)	(:35) Jimmy Live!	Kimmel	(:35) Nightline (N)	
18 KCPT	KC: The	AIDS in KC: The Early Days	Adrian Dunbar's Coastal Ireland "Episode 1"	Alibi	Aerial Egyp	t	Amanpour a Company (N	npany (N)	
19 KYTV	The Blacklis "Wormwood		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Intersection"	Magnum P.I. "NSFW"	KY3 News at Ten (N) Starring Ji		night Show nmy Fallon	(:35) Seth Meyers	
29 KCWE	O \ II	se Flag (Part	Penn & Teller: Fool Us "Four Fools and Counting"	KMBC 9 News (N)	Modern Family	Modern Family	Mom	Mom	
41 KSHB	The Blacklis "Wormwood		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Intersection"	Magnum P.I. "NSFW"	KSHB 41 News 10PM (N)	(:35) The To Starring Jin	night Show nmy Fallon	(:35) Seth Meyers	
50 KPXE	Chicago P.I Protect") . "To	Chicago P.D. "Still Water"	Chicago P.D. "Blood Relation"	Chicago P.I	D. "Gone"	Chicago P.I	D. "Closer"	
62 KSMO	Ambuo		Dateline "Deadly Ambush"	Chicago P.D. "Chicken, Dynamite, Chainsaw"	Highway Th "Bumpy Ride		The First 48 Out; Death D	"Last Night Do Us Part"	
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3 KOLR	NCIS: Hawa Valor"				48 Hours		KOLR 10 News at 10 (N)	Judy	(:05) Deadline to Disaster	
4 WDAF	(6:00) MLB E	Baseball (N)	(Live)		FOX 4 News	s at 9PM (N)	FOX 4 News at 10PM (N)	Special For World's Tou "Pressure"	ces: ighest Test	Seinfeld "The Conversion'
KCTV	Valerii Till Van Make Mi		1		News Weekend (N)	(:35) KC Sports Tonight	(:05) Investigate TV	(:35) Magnum P.I.		
6 KMOS	Help! We Bought a The Carol B Show			Burnett	♥ Olympia	('18)	Austin City Limits "Lyle Lovett and His Large Band"		My Music With "Joy Clark"	David Holt "Zoe & Cloyd"
9 KMBC	America's F Home Video		America's Funniest Home Videos		America's Funniest Home Videos		News at 10:00 (N)	Mod Fam "The Big Guns"	Modern Family	9-1-1 "Next of Kin"
18 KCPT	Hamish Mad Perfectly Sin Explanation	nple	The Corone Zone"	er "The Drop	The Seaside New Beginn		Austin City Lovett and H Band"	Limits "Lyle lis Large	Caverns "Moon Taxi"	POV Shorts
19 KYTV	States Footb	all League. (N) (Live)	Football action		nd the United	at Ten (N)	Stallion Meg and perform	ght Live Me an Thee Stal s.	
29 KCWE	Illusion	Masters of Illusion	Weird and Funny (N)	Weird- Funny (N) (SF)	KMBC 9 News (N)	Two and a Half Men	WOW - Wor Wrestling N (N)		The Liquidator	The Liquidator
41 KSHB		oall Semifinal oall League. (Football action	ion from around the United		KSHB 41 Saturday N News (N) Stallion Meg and perform		light Live Megan Thee gan Thee Stallion hosts is.	
50 KPXE	Law & Orde Victims Uni		Law & Orde Victims Uni		Law & Orde Victims Uni Beloved"		Law & Orde Victims Uni Girl"		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Exchange"	
62	The Rookie Hawke"	"The	Carcass	Music City Trucks	Power Nation	Detroit Muscle	SOS: How t	o Survive	Top 10	

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3 KOLR	The Neighbo- rhood	"Idle Nigerians"	NCIS "Butterfly Effect"	NCIS: Hawai'i "Silent Invasion"	KOLR 10 News (N)	(:35) The La With Stepho		(:35) James Corden
4 WDAF	Stars on Ma	ars (N)	Crime Scene Kitchen (N)	FOX 4 News at 9PM (N)	FOX 4 News at 10PM (N)	FOX 4 News (N)	TMZ (N)	Seinfeld "The Stall"
5 KCTV	The Neighbo- rhood	Bob Heart "Idle Nigerians"	NCIS "Butterfly Effect"	NCIS: Hawai'i "Silent Invasion"	KCTV5 News at 10 (N)	(:35) The La With Stepho		(:35) James Corden
6 KMOS	Antiques Roadshow "Tucson Hour 2"		The Great American Recipe (N)	The Travelling Auctioneers "Carol and Keith"	Amanpour a Company (N		Democracy	Now! (N)
9 KMBC	Claim to Fa "Megastars a Meltdowns"	and (N) (SP)	the country to find love. (I	he Bachelorette Twenty-five men travel across e country to find love. (N) (SP)			Kimmel	(:35) Nightline (N)
18 KCPT	Antiques Re "Tucson Hou		The Great American Recipe (N)	POV "After Sherman" Bla inheritance, trauma, and g wisdom. (N) (SP)	generational KC: The Early Days		Amanpour a Company (i	
19 KYTV	American N Qualifiers 5		The Wall "David and Chris" (N)	Weakest Link "I Feel Like You're Trolling Me"			night Show nmy Fallon	(:35) Seth Meyers
29 KCWE	The Rising (N)		Barons "The Dream Factory" (N)	KMBC 9 News (N)	Mod Fam "Fight or Flight"	Modern Family "Integrity"	Mom	Mom
41 KSHB	American Ninja Warrior Qualifiers 5 (N)		The Wall "David and Chris" (N)	Weakest Link "I Feel Like You're Trolling Me"	KSHB 41 News 10PM (N)	Starring Jin		(:35) Seth Meyers
50 KPXE			BI "Protective Details" FBI "One Night Stand" FBI "Fear Nothing"		FBI "Face O		f" FBI "Ghost F Past"	
62 KSMO	KCTV5 New	s at 9	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Desperate"	Law & Order: Special Victims Unit "Tortured"	Highway Thru Hell		The First 48 "Shooting Spree; Lady in the Fire"	

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3 KOLR	The Price Is Right at Night	The Price Is Right at Night	CSI: Vegas "Shell Game"	KOLR 10 News (N) (:35) The La With Steph		
4 WDAF	MasterChef (N)	Gordon Ramsay's Food Stars (N)	FOX 4 News at 9PM (N)	FOX 4 News at 10PM (N)	TMZ (N) Seinfeld "The Pie"	
KCTV	The Price Is Right at Night	The Price Is Right at Night	CSI: Vegas "Shell Game"	KCTV5 News at 10 (:35) The La With Steph		
6 KMOS	Nature "Wild Florida"	NOVA "Ice Age Footprints"	NOVA "Emperor's Ghost Army"	Company (N)	Democracy Now! (N)	
9 KMBC	Judge Steve Harvey "You Ain't Slicker Than the Slick" (N)	Wonder Blockbusting" (N) Abbott Elementary	The \$100,000 Pyramid Rob Riggle, Joe Tessitore	KMBC 9 (:35) Jimmy News at Live!	Kimmel (:35) Nightline (N)	
18 KCPT	Nature "Wild Florida"	NOVA "Ice Age Footprints"	NOVA "Emperor's Ghost Army"	Adrian Dunbar's Coastal Ireland "Episode 1"	Amanpour and Company (N)	
19 KYTV	LA Fire & Rescue "Three Alarm" (N)	Chicago Fire "Run Like Hell"	Chicago P.D. "Blood and Honor"		onight Show mmy Fallon (:35) Seth Meyers	
29 KCWE	Nancy Drew "The Oracle of the Whispering Remains" (N)		KMBC 9 News (N)	Mod Fam "Patriot "Crying Out Games" Loud"	Mom Mom	
41 KSHB	LA Fire & Rescue "Three Alarm" (N)	Chicago Fire "Run Like Hell"	Chicago P.D. "Blood and Honor"		onight Show mmy Fallon (:35) Seth Meyers	
50 KPXE	Blue Bloods "Officer Down"	Blue Bloods "What You See"	Blue Bloods "Smack Attack"	Blue Bloods "Brothers"	Blue Bloods "Chinatown"	
62 KSMO	KCTV5 News at 9	Dateline "Lost and Found"	Dateline "The Mystery of the Murdered Major"	Highway Thru Hell	The First 48 "Tender Trap; Bait and Switch"	

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3 KOLR	S.W.A.T. "Unraveling"	Fire Country "My Kinda Leader"	Blue Bloods "Poetic Justice"	KOLR 10 News (N)	(:35) The La With Stephe		(:35) James Corden	
4 WDAF	WWE Friday Night Sma	ckDown (N) (Live)	FOX 4 News at 9PM (N)	FOX 4 News at 10PM (N)	News (N)	TMZ (N)	Seinfeld "The Masseuse"	
5 KCTV	S.W.A.T. "Unraveling"	Fire Country "My Kinda Leader"	Blue Bloods "Poetic Justice"	KCTV5 News at 10 (N)	(:35) The La With Stephe	(:35) James Corden		
6 KMOS	(N)	Country Music "The Rub Country music's first big s Family.	(Beginnings 1933)" tars include the Carter	Amanpour a Company (f	N)	Democracy	Now! (N)	
9 KMBC	Will Trent "I'm a Pretty Observant Guy"	20/20		KMBC 9 News at 10:00 (N)	(:35) Jimmy Live!	Kimmel	(:35) Nightline (N)	
18 KCPT	Washin- gton Week (N) Kansas City Week in Review	An Ozark Mountain Symphony: A Musical Celebration	Art21-Century "Bodies of Knowledge" (N)	AIDS in KC: The Early Days Early Days				
19 KYTV	Hot Wheels: Ultimate Challenge "Skater Boy vs. Jaipur Jewel"	Dateline NBC (N)		KY3 News at Ten (N)	(:35) The To Starring Jin	night Show nmy Fallon	(:35) Seth Meyers	
29 KCWE	Penn & Teller: Fool Us "Alyson Might Throw Up"	Whose American Line Is It Joke Off Anyway? (N) (SF)	KMBC 9 News (N)	Mod Fam "Connection Lost"		Mom	Mom	
41 KSHB	Hot Wheels: Ultimate Challenge "Skater Boy vs. Jaipur Jewel"	Dateline NBC (N)			(:35) The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon		(:35) Seth Meyers	
50 KPXE	(6:30) WNBA Basketball Liberty at Atlanta Dream	(N) (Live) Weekly	WNBA Basketball Dallas Wings at Los Angelo Sparks From Crypto.com Arena in Los Angelo (Live)			(N) Hawaii Five-0 "O Ke Kumu, O Ka Mana, Ho'opuka 'la"		
62 KSMO	KCTV5 News at 9	Chicago P.D. "An Honest Woman"	Chicago P.D. "Prison Ball"	Highway Th "Trapped"	ıru Hell	The First 48 Street"	"Lester	

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3 KOLR	The Equalizer "Paradise Lost"	Harm"	NCIS: Los Angeles "Best Seller"	News at 10 (N)	Judge Judy	Entertainment Tonight		
4 WDAF	(6:00) USFL Football Ser (Live)	nifinal: Teams TBA (N)	FOX 4 News at 9PM (N)		(:35) FOX 4 News (N)	Sports Show (N)	Paid Program- ming	
KCTV	The Equalizer "Paradise Lost"	The Equalizer "Do No Harm"	NCIS: Los Angeles "Best Seller"		(:35) KC Sports Tonight	(:05) Joel Osteen	(:35) Investigate TV	
6 KMOS	Ridley "The Peaceful Garden, Part 2" (N)	Endeavour on Masterpie entitled college students v		The Indian D Fete"	Ooctor "The	♥ Olympia (†18)		
9 KMBC	America's Funniest Home Videos	*★★★ Cinderella ('15) L Madden, Cate Blanchett. to lose hope in the face of	A young woman tries not	News at	KMBC 9 News at 10:30 (N)	Soledad O'Brien	Mod Fam "Rash Decisions"	
18 KCPT	Ridley "The Peaceful Garden, Part 2" (N)	Endeavour on Masterpie entitled college students v		Alibi		Ridley "The Peaceful Garden, Part 2"		
19 KYTV	(6:00) NASCAR Cup Seri Nashville, Tenn. (N) (Live	es Ally 400 From Nashville)	e Superspeedway in	at Ten (N)	(:35) Cardinals Insider		(:35) Outdoor- sman	
29 KCWE	Animals "Episode 317" Animals "Episode 318"	Whose The Great Line Is It American Anyway? Joke Off	KMBC 9 News (N) Two and a Half Men	9-1-1 "Fools"		The Good D Degree Angl		
41 KSHB	Nashville, Tenn. (N) (Live	<u></u>	e Superspeedway in	News (N)	Sunday Sound Off (N)	Joey Logano	Paid Program- ming	
50 KPXE	NCIS "The First Day"	NCIS "True Believer"	NCIS "Winter Chill"	NCIS "Watch	ıdog"	NCIS "Head Snake"	of the	
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4 WDAF	♣ Daughter of the Bride Andrew Richardson, Marc	cia Gay Harden. (P)	()	FOX 4 News at 10PM (N)	FOX 4 News (N)	TMZ (N)	Seinfeld "The Marine Biologist"	
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9 KMBC	Wheel "Francia Raisa, Joel Madden, Jenifer Lewis" Francia Raisa	Celebrity Jeopardy! John Michael Higgins, Wil Wheaton	Claim to Fame "Megastars and Meltdowns"	KMBC 9 News at 10:00 (N)	(:35) Jimmy Live!	Kimmel	(:35) Nightline (N)	
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29 KCWE	Superman & Lois "What Kills You Only Makes You Stronger" (N) (SF)	Gotham Knights "Night of the Owls" (N) (SF)	KMBC 9 News (N)	Mod Fam "Knock 'Em Down"		Mom	Mom	
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WEEKLY HOROSCOPE

Gemini 5/21-6/20: Monday is a tough day, as Mondays so often are, but that changes quickly. Many of the questions swimming around in your head as the week gets going are answered by Tuesday or Wednesday. An intellectual conversation on one of those days sets you thinking in a radically new way about a subject you've long considered yourself an expert in. Ideas...exciting! On Thursday and Friday, you are misfiring right and left, conversationally speaking, but quality time with quality people over the weekend fixes that. On Sunday, take initiative in a group setting.

Cancer 6/21-7/22: The Monday blahs have a hold on you at the start of the week. If you don't feel like going out, well, find a way to stay indoors. You have a million projects to occupy yourself with. The last thing you need to grapple with right now is, you know, other people. On Tuesday and Wednesday, watch out for stubborn people (and be extra conservative about money issues). Thursday and Friday see you finally warming up and in the mood to be social, although daydreaming for hours on end could seem equally appealing. This weekend, after an essentially quiet week, your emotions will be easily aroused.

Leo 7/23-8/22: Making a good impression is a key concern of yours on Monday, but so is not coming across as arrogant. It's a delicate balance. One way to strike that balance is to do something for someone else. Help out a friend. Force your ego to the sidelines for as long as you can, because it may explode to the fore by Wednesday. Ego clashes aren't pretty, so do what you can to avoid them. Be patient. And on Thursday and Friday, be in listening mode. Pretend you're sick of your own voice. This weekend, everything goes your way, even as someone challenges your opinion. But it feels good to be challenged sometimes!

Virgo 8/23-9/22: A lovely weekend leads to a romantic Monday. If you're single, that might change. You may even meet someone through work. The fun you have on Monday leads to a desire to organize your life on Tuesday. While you're enjoying yourself, you also want to have a clean house! Notice the way your routine changes subtly when you're in good spirits, as you will be on Wednesday. On Thursday and Friday, relationship issues figure strongly. Don't be too critical of others, and don't get frustrated if people move at a different pace than you do. You enter the weekend with a true sense of purpose.

Libra 9/23-10/22: There are limits to what you'll be able to accomplish on Monday, because a sentimental mood has you feeling oddly unbalanced. But by Tuesday, this weirdness dissolves in a headlong rush of romance and goodwill. On Wednesday, you understand the people around you better than you have in a while, and Thursday has you so busy that the hours fly by. On Friday, you'll have the opportunity to help others appreciate beauty and harmony. In fact, you're still stuck on that beauty kick as Saturday pitches you back into the romantic realm. It's a roller coaster of a week, but a fun ride nonetheless.

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Sagittarius 11/22-12/21: The way you look at things is startling and unique. And the way you communicate on Monday is startling as well...and plenty direct! On Tuesday and Wednesday, perfect strangers are carrying on fascinating conversations with you wherever you go. Actually, you're carrying the conversations, but who's keeping score? You just have a talent for these things. Sadly, none of your talents are of much use to you on Thurs-

day and Friday, when a drain in your energy has you losing sight of (as well as literally losing) things. This weekend will be a load of fun, however. Games figure strongly. And children. And (hooray!) energy. Capricorn 12/22-1/19: The week begins on a great note. Your plans are working, and everyone you see smiles big in response to your own huge grin. You're rather impressive these days! Financial issues may affect your mood slightly midweek. It's not that you don't have cash, it's just that you're indecisive about what to do with it. But by Friday, when a creative scenario reminds you how psychically worthless it is to worry about money

you're in great spirits again. As a matter of fact, you're on top of the world. Still, be good about your responsibilities this weekend. Aquarius 1/20-2/18: Monday is one of those days when you have to trick yourself into staying on task. Reward yourself throughout the day for your discipline. At the end of the workday, you might return home tired, but

that's only because your body is gearing up to glow extra bright on Tuesday and Wednesday. You spend the middle of the week inspiring your friends and instigating exciting changes, all while spending as little as possible. You might be misled by your bank account on Thursday or Friday, so watch out for that. This weekend, your wallet thin, you go into bohemian mode. Which is fun, in a way!

Pisces 2/19-3/20: A friend in a high place pulls strings for you at the beginning of the week, and you can't believe your luck. Life is good. But you feel a bit like the star of a movie that doesn't have a director. In the absence of strong leadership, then, turn your efforts toward helping others midweek. It will be totally rewarding. But if you find yourself deeply involved in volunteer activities this week, take some time on Thursday or Friday to goof off by yourself. It's important to recharge those batteries. This weekend, life is a game and you don't know the rules. Explore!

Aries 3/21-4/19: As you near the finish line on Monday, thrust your neck forward so that you're ahead when the picture snaps. Whatever it takes. That's your motto. Spend Tuesday basking in the sweet glow of success. The risks you assume in any situation (work, romantic, whatever) are totally worth it in the end. People regard you as a leader and a pioneer on Wednesday, but the next day you find yourself crippled by frustration and doubt. It's amazing how quickly the feeling of accomplishment can disappear, but try not to let it. This weekend, strike out into the world with confidence and good things will happen.

Taurus 4/20-5/20: It's funny, the way you stand says a lot about how you're feeling. You're standing tall on Monday, feeling grounded, steady, and particularly connected to the earth. This is a good place to be in. Poise is important this week, especially on Tuesday and Wednesday, when a weird conflict with a friend or authority figure unexpectedly presents itself. On Thursday and Friday, spend time around people you don't have to explain yourself to. If you go shopping over the weekend, don't rush around. Take your time. Stroll.