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MO Mutton: MU Extension Specialist Brings Extensive Knowledge To State

BY JENNIFER JACKSON
Staff Reporter

Researching nutrition in ewe's milk for his master's thesis at the University of Ibadan, Nigeria, David Brown had to milk the ewes and deliver the milk to the lab for analysis.

He had the hands-on skills needed, as he grew up raising sheep and goats on his grandparents' farm in Nigeria, including helping with feeding, lambing and kidding.

His interest in small ruminant nutrition took him from the farm in Nigeria to the University of Limpopo in South Africa, where he earned his doctorate on nutrition of dwarf goats.

Five years ago, he and his family moved to the United States, where he did post-doctoral research in low-input small ruminant production at the Virginia State University Cooperative Extension Program. His first post-doctoral research project was funded by a grant from the National Research Association, and he also did research in conjunction with the Flemish Interuniversity Council.

On June 1, he started his job as the first-ever sheep and goat specialist for the University of Missouri Extension Service. His goal:



ON A MISSION, Dr. Brown is the only small ruminant specialist with the Extension Service in Missouri. Brown works out of an office in Osceola, serving sheep and goat producers in 17 counties.

to put Missouri mutton on the map.

"I want to create a strong awareness of sheep and goat production in this state," he said.

His first two months have been busy. He spoke at a meeting of the Cattlemen's Association in Deepwater, and was pleased with the positive response he received.

He also participated in a seminar on strategies to build sustainable forage and livestock operations in Missouri. Held in Appleton City, it drew 17 farmers, six of them women, he said. This week, he is speaking to the Osceola Chamber of Commerce. "I want people to know that there is someone in

Missouri who specializes in sheep and goats," he said.

Everywhere he's gone he's received a welcome that is second to none, he said, even compared to that he received when he and his family lived in Baltimore. Before taking the job with the University of Missouri Extension, a col-

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Prescribed Burn Online Course & Demonstration Field Day

The Missouri Department of Conservation and The Nature Conservancy are holding a free Prescribed Burn Demonstration Field Day at Wah'Kon-Tah Prairie, 3860 E 02 Road, near El Dorado Springs, Saturday, September 23rd from 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM. Upon registration, participants are given a link to the virtual/online portion of the prescribed burn course. The online course is a mandatory prerequisite and there is a \$25 charge to a third-party host (not MDC). The online course can be completed in approximately 2 - 4 hours. Please bring your certificate of **Workshop Page 3**

Patriot Day Puts Historic 9/11 Memorial In Spotlight



A PART OF HISTORY, the 9/11 Memorial located on the southwest corner of the Clinton Square contains a piece of the World Trade Center. Beth Ross was instrumental in the creation of the monument.

BY LUKE EDWARDS
Staff Reporter

The community is invited to help recognize Patriot Day on September 11, at 7

am, on the southwest corner of the Clinton Square. As in years past, there will be a guest speaker and **Patriot Day Page 3**

Keeping It On The Sunnyside: Sunflower Patch Reflects Love Of Family Patriarch

BY JENNIFER JACKSON
Staff Reporter

Last year, in a field where Chuck Hinton once planted soybeans, the ground was plowed and sunflower seeds broadcast. In the next weeks, rain and the warmth of the sun reached down through the soil to the gray striped seeds, causing the husks to split open and green shoots to emerge.

By mid-August, the field was a fiesta of sunflowers, their yellow faces turned to the sun.

The cycle has been repeated this year on the Hinton Family Farm, where the Second Annual Sunflower Patch opened to visitors on August 11. It will be open on weekends, like last year, but with one difference: the patriarch of the family, Chuck Hinton, passed away on April 17 at the age of 84.

The sunflower patch reflects Chuck's passion for dogs, wild birds and farming. Chuck walked dogs at the animal shelter and was a member of the board of the Clinton Animal Rescue Endeavor (C.A.R.E.), which



A FAMILY AFFAIR, The Hinton Family Farm Sunflower Patch opened on August 11. Marking the occasion was Carol Hinton who held a photograph of her late husband Chuck as she was joined by her daughter Jennifer Hinton and granddaughter Sarah Smidt who held her grandfather's hat.

runs the shelter. When he couldn't walk dogs anymore, Chuck liked to watch the birds. Growing sunflowers was a way to produce a supply of seeds for the birds.

The Hintons opened the sunflower field last year to the public at no charge, but put up a donation box for C.A.R.E. on the entry gate.

They raised more than \$700 for the shelter, Jennifer Hinton said.

"That's what makes this year special," said Sarah Smidt, Chuck's granddaughter. "We can continue to support the animal shelter. And supporting something Poppy loved is nice to do."

Last year, a neighbor

sowed the seeds, but this year, Brant Hinton, Chuck and Carol's son, broadcast the seed. Jennifer said they used half a bag of Pioneer sunflower seeds, and added two more bags of black-oil sunflower seed from Miller Seed.

On its opening day, the sunflower field drew more **Sunflower 3**

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By James Mahlon White



Lots going on. The 31 year old "Crypto King" charged with swindling billions from investors had is bail revoked. Sam Bankman-Fried wasn't jailed for the crime he committed, but a love letter to his ex-girlfriend.

The whole world is upside down. He never should have been under house arrest anyway, even though he paid for the privilege with big political contributions ahead of time.

The wildfires in Maui have been a devastating thing to watch. More than 100 people dead and many in shelters. Oprah tried to visit one of them with a camera crew. A local official prevented this from happening. I'm surprised she didn't do a TV interview on a sofa amongst the burned out rubble. At least someone had the good sense to tell her no. Last thing I'd want is a celebrity traipsing around after losing everything and asking how I am with a camera in my face.

Well, Attorney General Merrick Garland appointed the man who's already in charge of investigating Hunter Biden to be an "Independent Counsel" in charge of investigating Hunter Biden. Not sure how that makes him independent. David Weiss was the prosecutor that wanted to let Hunter off on Federal charges. We all know where this movie is going to end. A predetermined happy ending for the Biden Crime Family, that's where.

Since Hunter made the news another indictment of The Donald was sure to follow and it did. This one in Fulton County Georgia which is about as corrupt as Cook County Illinois. Before the Grand Jury

could finish deliberating, the Prosecutor put the indictment on the website.....then retracted it saying she, "Had no idea how that happened." Hours later the same indictment was re-posted. UNBELIEVABLE!

Funny what pops in your mind from time to time. In the backyard of the Enterprise Building there used to be heavy metal box attached to the top of a fairly tall stump. It contained portulaca (moss rose) and next to it big peonies that grew just in time for Memorial Day. My Grandmother would take them to decorate graves. The cemetery would be full of visitors paying respects and stopping at family headstones.

Though maybe, at one grave, somebody would look at the stone and remark, "That's old so and so".....not too audibly, of course.

Til Next Week: J.M.W.



Get to Know Clinton, MO

NAME: Amber VanWinkle.
BIRTHPLACE: Kansas City, MO.
YEARS IN CLINTON: 22.
FAMILY: I am the daughter of Johnny and Sally VanWinkle and I have two older brothers.

THE BEST THING ABOUT LIVING IN CLINTON IS: The fact that it is such a tight knit community where everybody looks out for everybody.
OCCUPATION: Ben Franklin's Bistro Waitress.
WHAT I WANTED TO BE WHEN I grew up: A doctor.
FIRST JOB: McDonalds.
FAVORITE CHILDHOOD MEMORY: Going down to my grandparents house and spending time out there.
THE BEST TIME OF MY LIFE WAS WHEN: I got to road-trip halfway across the country to see the ocean.
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Falling on the stage during a school assembly.
WHAT DO YOU VALUE MOST IN YOUR FRIENDS: Good communication and humor.
YOUR GREATEST FEAR IS: Crabs and lobsters.
I'VE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO: Skydive.
IF I WON THE LOTTERY, I WOULD : Travel the world.
MY DREAM TRIP WOULD BE TO: Switzerland.



HOBBIES: Baking, hiking, hanging out with friends.
FAVORITE BAND OR MUSICIAN: Taylor Swift.
FAVORITE MOVIE: Twilight.
FAVORITE DRINK: Dr. Pepper.
FAVORITE SNACK: Cheez-its.
FAVORITE CANDY: Reeces.
FUTURE GOAL: Travel to all 50 states.
WHICH PERSON DO YOU ADMIRE MOST: My mom.
ADVICE YOU WOULD GIVE YOUR YOUNGER SELF: Don't be afraid to be yourself no matter what.
WORDS TO LIVE BY: "Life isn't how to survive the storm, it's about how to dance in the rain" -Taylor Swift

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Roberts Honored At International Saddlebred HOF Ceremony In Mexico



FAMED LOCAL HORSEMAN, Howard Roberts, 1952, up on Easter Vanity.



STOICALLY PRESERVED, historic 135 year old Simmons' Stable on the Boulevard.



MYRA (ROBERTS) FINKS, Lorraine (Roberts) Jacobs, Connie (Roberts) Blue, Gayle (Roberts) Johnson, Keva Johnson (wearing Gayle's riding suit coat Dorothy made out of Howards wedding suit), Master of Ceremonies, Paulette Schroder. Roberts Stable induction in Saddle Horse Hall of Fame, Mexico, MO. July 11, 2022.

Famed local horseman, Howard Roberts (1916-2006) and his family, were honored at the International Saddlebred Hall of Fame Ceremony in Mexico, Missouri on June 11, 2022. Many of the Roberts' family (21 in all) drove and flew from multiple states away to be honored at the 6th annual hall of fame ceremony. Starting at 5pm in the evening, attendees were ushered into the stocically preserved, historic 135 year old Simmons' Stable on the Boulevard. The interior of the stable is covered in thousands of little lights that wrap the rafters and upper beams that bring the eye upward to view the massive restoration and integrity of the barn. Both ends of the huge barn were opened to let in the evenings' breeze and fans installed in the hay loft, hummed and circulated sire to cool guests. Ears were met by harpists (Melissa Purvis) as she softly played throughout the evening. Stepping into Simmons, Stable is a step back into history and a bygone saddle horse driven era. Attendees mingled, drank cocktails, greeted old friends and were introduced to new ones. Large TV's played a powerpoint photo show of this years' inductees and their histories in the equine industry. A lovely catered meal of prime rib and chicken (Buckys Sit or Get) was served. Co-president Bobette Balsler Wilson welcomed all attendees to the barn. Mayor of Mexico



FRONT: BARBARA JOHNSON, Connie (Roberts) Blue, Myra (Roberts) Finks, Joyce Stewart Jones, Lorraine (Roberts) Jacobs, Gayle (Roberts) Johnson, Keva Johnson, Sara Johnson. Back: Eric Finks, Scott Johnson, Sherrie Johnson, Jerry Finks, Mike Dowell, Don Johnson, Sherrie Dowell. Roberts family at Mexico, MO. July 11, 2022.

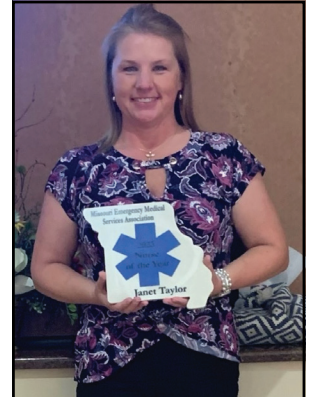
(Chris Miller) and VP of the Mexico Chamber of Commerce (Todd Geeson) then we're introduced and spoke to guests. The event invocation was given by stable Co- President, Mary White Littrell. Paulette Schroeder (Master of Ceremonies) then took the mic to began the induction ceremony. Howard Robertson was posthumously honored and his family awarded a Tom Bass Bit trophy as he was inducted into the International Saddlebred Hall of Fame on Saturday evening, June 11th 2022. Howard was born in 1916 in the Delmar Community of Henry County, MO. Howard's father, George, started Roberts stable when he became involved with racing miles and then purchased saddle horses. He bought the stallion Arlethas Easter Cloud from Longview Farm and began the successful business of breeding, training, and showing saddlebreds which Howard continued. Howard began showing horses at the age of 13. In the early thirties, Howard broke a mare and she won the five gaited junior class. He sold the mare for \$1000 and bought a new Chevrolet car and had \$140 left over. By now, the stallion, Arlethas Easter Cloud,

was siring champions, Easter Vanity being one that Howard showed and won many championships. With the sale of Easter Sernade, George was able to build the stable and training barn on the home farm. For over 80 years, with the assistance of his wife, Dorothy, Howard was nationally known for the training, breeding, and showing of American Saddlebred horses. At one time Howard and his wife owned 54 head of horses in addition to customers horses that were being boarded and trained. Howard attended his first Missouri State Fair horse show at the age of eight. His family rode and drove their show horses from home to a rail siding on the MK&T railroad where they loaded the train and rode to Sedalia. The family camped on the grounds, showed their stock, and then returned home by train. Howard attended every Missouri State Fair horse show for 81 years. The Roberts Family were a mainstay at the fair and at one time had 24 head of horses in stalls at the fair. In 1994, the Missouri State Fair honored Howard for seventy years of participation. Along with showing horses, Howard judged

horse shows in Missouri and neighboring states. Despite his busy schedule, Howard always found time to share his knowledge and experience with those just starting in the horse business. Clinton, Missouri and the rest of the horse world lost a treasured horseman as Howard Ellis Roberts, 89, passed away on August 9, 2009. A brass plaque with his engraved name is proudly displayed inside the 135yr old historic stable in Mexico Missouri for guests to view.



2023 Nurse of the Year Award



JANET TAYLOR

Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare (GVMH) is proud to announce that Janet Taylor, EMS Operation Supervisor was awarded the Missouri Emergency Medical Services Association (MEMSA) 2023 Nurse of the Year Award.

The MEMSA 2023 Nurse of the Year Award recognizes an individual who notably contributes to high quality EMS care and whose actions have resulted in better patient outcomes in the prehospital, emergency department or transportation phase of emergency care. Awards are presented each year at MEMSA's annual membership meeting during the MO EMS Conference and Expo.

"Janet brings a wealth of nursing knowledge to our Ambulance Service department," said Amy Guynn, Ambulance Director. "She exhibits a passion for patient care and staff education. We are blessed to have her as part of our team."

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Many school children across the United States rely on school lunch programs to get a nutritious meal every day. However, some families struggle to pay for these lunches, resulting in negative lunch balances. These balances can quickly add up and put a financial burden on schools.

To help relieve this burden, Henry County CHART is starting to set up lunch balance donation programs. These programs allow parents and members of the community to donate money to help pay for negative lunch balances. This helps ensure that every child can receive a healthy meal without worrying about being turned away due to unpaid balances. If interested please reach out to Tyler Pulcini at 660-223-3210 or tyler.pulcini@lpha.mo.gov

In addition to providing financial support, these tournaments will also help promote a sense of community and compassion. They show children that people care about their well-being and want to help them succeed. They also help teach children the importance of giving back and being kind to others, even when they don't know them personally.

Overall, lunch balance donation programs are a great

way to help support schools, families, and children in need. By working together, we can ensure that every child has access to healthy food and a bright future.

We look forward to next years event to continue to be able to provide support for our local schools and families.

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From the generosity of various organizations and community members, the Truman Lake Community Foundation has ballooned to manage more than twelve million dollars in assets.

Generally, TLCF uses interest earnings on some of its funds to facilitate the grants and give back to the community. Since TLCF's founding, it has

granted out over \$600,000.

For any questions, contact Bryan Himes at bryan.himes@sherwoodk12.net or call 660-499-2239.

I.U. Of The P.E.O. Sisters Answered To The Roll Call

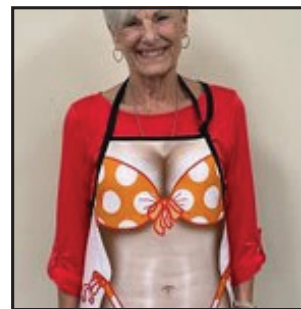


CO-HOSTESSES for the P.E.O. Chapter I.U. business meeting held August 10th were Treva Jones and Janet Akers.

Chapter I.U. of the P.E.O. Sisterhood met for their regular business meeting on August 10th. Nineteen sisters answered to the roll call at the meeting held in the Rotary Building. Janet Akers and Treva Jones served as co-hostesses, and Susan Scott gave the program about Water Aerobics complete with props!!! It was a short meeting which left more time for the sisters to socialize and enjoy the wonderful snacks.

The next meeting is September 14th at the Rotary Building with Debbie Sieger and Eunice Wright serving

as co-hostesses. Margaret Barr will give the program about Cottey College and the Memorial Scholarship.



SUSAN SCOTT showing off some props for her Water Aerobics program at the P.E.O. Chapter I.U. meeting on August 10th.



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CHRISTOPHER DALLAS WOOD



Christopher Dallas Wood, age 41, of Jefferson City, Mo., passed away Friday, July 28, 2023.

Chris was born on January 4, 1982, in Jefferson City, Mo., the son of Larry and Diane (Wolf) Wood.

He was married on August 16, 2003, in Clinton, Mo. to his soulmate, Jill Suzette Howerton. Throughout their almost 20 years of marriage, Jill has consistently been Chris' best friend, staunchest supporter, and confidante.

A lifelong resident of the central Missouri area, Chris was a 2000 graduate of South Callaway R-II High School in Mokane, Mo. During his younger years, he was a Boy Scout and proudly earned the rank of Eagle Scout.

After high school Chris went on to nobly serve his country in the United States Army, where he was an honors graduate of Ranger School. Chris was deployed during Operation Enduring Freedom with the 82nd Airborne Infantry Division where he planned and led many combat missions. He was honorably discharged in 2003 as a Corporal after being awarded many accolades for his service. Chris went on to earn a Bachelor of Science from Columbia College in 2008 with a double major in management and finance.

Chris began his career in banking in 2003 as a loan officer with Luebbering Mortgage. He was recruited by Jefferson Bank in 2005, where he became the Vice President of Residential Lending, under the guidance of his mentor, Sharon LePage. One of his many strong attributes was his loyalty to others. Chris truly loved his team and offered inspirational notes, favorite treats, and heartfelt appreciation to encourage and motivate them. In August 2021, Chris transitioned to the Senior Vice President of Mortgage Loans for Central Bank.

Chris was a member at

Solid Rock Family Church, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post 1003, and the American Legion, Roscoe Enloe Post 5. He has served as a member of the Governing Body through the United Way of Central Missouri, served as a chair for their Fund Allocation Committee and currently enjoyed his involvement as co-chair of their Strategic Funding Committee. He was a member of the Historic City of Jefferson Foundation, the Home Builders Association, the Jefferson City Area Board of Realtors, and was active with JC Youth Wrestling. Chris was a member of the Jefferson City Area Chamber of Commerce and was a 2007 graduate of Leadership Jefferson City. He was a recipient of the Honorary Highway Patrolman Award for his heroism in 2004 when he jumped into a moving car to get it stopped after the driver had a seizure on Highway 50.

While Chris had a successful career and was active in his community, he was most proud of his family. He valued time cheering for Ty on the football field, watching Maddie in one of her many dance competitions, and coaching Brody on the wrestling mat. There are many memories of Chris and Jill attending Mizzou football games, hosting friends around the fire pit and many hours of his favorite pastime, karaoke. He looked forward to celebrating his half birthday on July the 4th each year, complete with loads of fireworks and a big party. Life was always an adventure with Chris and to know him was to love him.

Survivors include: his loving wife, Jill Wood; three children, Ty Michael Wood, Madelyn Faith Wood, and Brody Ranger Wood, all of the home; his mother, Diane Luebbering (Dennis) of New Bloomfield, Mo.; three siblings, Nathan Wood of Fulton, Mo., Brooks Luebbering (Ash-Lee) of New Bloomfield, Mo., and Adeena Almond (Jerin) of Kansas City, Mo.; paternal grandfather, Vincel Wood of Eldon, Mo.; several nieces and nephews; his parents-in-law, Phil and Janice Howerton of Chilhowee, Mo.; and brothers-in-law, Nick Howerton and Colonel Paul Howerton (Emily).

Chris was preceded in death by his father, Larry Wood; maternal grandparents, Elmer and Esther Wolf; paternal grandmother, Velda Wood; and step-grandparents, Jerome and Lucy Luebbering.

Visitation was held at First Baptist Church from 3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Thursday, August 3, 2023.

Funeral services were

conducted on Friday, August 4, 2023, at First Baptist Church with the Reverend Melissa Hatfield and the Reverend Joe Skiles officiating. Graveside services and interment with military honors was held at Riverview Cemetery with the Reverend Dr. Monte Shinkle officiating.

A recording of Chris' service can be viewed by going to First Baptist Church's Facebook page, First Baptist Church's YouTube Channel or by going to his memorial page on Freeman Mortuary's website.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions are suggested to the Wood Children Educational Fund, which will be used to assist with the educational needs of his children. Memorial contributions may be mailed to P.O. Box 95, Jefferson City, Mo. 65102.

Funeral arrangements are under the care of Freeman Mortuary. www.freeman-mortuary.com.

RONALD LEE ALLEE



Ronald Lee Allee, 70, of Creighton, MO, died Saturday, July 8, 2023 at his farm near Creighton. He was born on June 4, 1953, in Sedalia, MO, the son of Vernon Lee Allee and Marjorie Lorene (Finley) Allee.

Ron attended Otterville Public School and graduated from Otterville High School in 1971. He earned his Bachelor of Science degree in agriculture business in 1975 at UCM in Warrensburg, MO.

On December 4, 1976, in Creighton, MO he married Julie Ann Meyer. They met in college when Ron was a senior and Julie was a freshman.

They made their first home in Tarkio, MO, where Ron was employed by Evans Grain Co. He was later transferred to Imperial, NE and Horton, KS where he continued working for Evans Grain Co. He next worked at the grain elevator company in Drexel, MO for two years. After moving to Creighton, Ron worked as a dispatcher for B&H Freight Line in Harrisonville, MO, followed by selling real estate for Consolidated Realtors in Harrisonville.

When he became a USPS city carrier in Clinton, MO, he was able to combine two of his passions, being outdoors and socializing. He retired in 2016 after nearly 25 years.

Ron made many friends as a mail carrier, as a member of the Clinton Elks Lodge, and as a golfer at Meadow Lake Country Club. He also enjoyed his "breakfast club" at Reynolds Cafe in Garden City, MO. In his spare time, he loved to deer hunt and check his trail cameras for wildlife

pictures. He spent a lot of time in the woods cutting firewood. He was known for selling 10-15 cords per year which helped put all three kids through college loan-free. He was currently in the process of having a lake built in the woods, which was one of his dreams.

The grandkids loved taking Ranger rides on the trails that Papa Ron cleared in the woods behind the house and putting corn out for the deer with him. He enjoyed watching the grandkids play sports and seeing them in school events. His priceless advice: "Drive like you got some sense" and "Watch out for deer while driving back home" and last but not least, "Stop fiddlefarting around."

Ron is survived by his wife Julie of the home, two daughters, Sara Tignor of Olathe, KS and Hillary (Jacob) VanSlyke of Pleasant Hill, MO and one son, Drew (Jisun) Allee of Korea, four grandchildren, Lilly (12) and Violet (7) Tignor and Carter (10) and Allee (7) VanSlyke; one sister Sandy (Ron) Otten of Sedalia, MO and a brother Tim (Lisa) Allee of Sedalia, MO; nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends.

DOUGLAS DYER



Douglas Dyer, age 75, passed away on Sunday, July 30, 2023 at his home in Deepwater, Missouri. Funeral services were held at 2:00 PM on Thursday, August 3, 2023 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton, Missouri with visitation from 1:00-2:00PM prior to the service. Burial followed in the Parks Chapel Cemetery in Clinton, Missouri. Memorial contributions may be made to the GVMH Cancer Treatment Center and can be left in care of the funeral home. Fond memories and condolences can be left online at www.vansant-mills-funeralhome.com.

Doug was born on June 29th 1948 in Holden, Missouri to Nolan and Lois Dyer. He graduated from Holden High School in 1966, and was a carpet layer for 25 years.

He was preceded in death by his parents Nolan and Lois Dyer, Brother Darrell Dyer

Survivors include his Wife Debbie Dyer, his sons Derek Dyer of Warrensburg, MO, Stepson Vince Rouse of Denver, CO., his sister Brenda and Husband Jerry Atkinson of Kingsville, MO., his brother Delbert Dyer and wife Kim of Centerview, MO., his sister Anita Lamb of Kingsville, MO., his sister Wanda Antrim of Lee's Summit, MO., his brother David Dyer of Centerview, MO.,

his sister-in-law Kim and husband Shannon Hills of Clinton, MO., sister-in-law Barbie and husband Steven Austin of Chilhowee, MO., brother-in-law Adam and Tamara Mergener of Midlothian, TX., brother-in-law David and wife Shelley Mergener of Columbia, MO., sister-in-law Diana and husband Kenny Duffield of Georgia, sister-in-law Vanessa and husband Jerry Whitney of Georgia, sister-in-law Christina and Jack Early of Georgia, and many nieces and nephews.

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

LILA JUNE

MCQUITTY

Lila June McQuitty, 93, formerly of Clinton and Lee's Summit, Mo., passed away in Mountain Grove, Mo., on Sunday afternoon, August 6, 2023. She was born in Tightwad, Mo., the daughter of Otto McCurley and Lydia Jane (Lawler) McCurley.

Lila June was a mother and caregiver first and foremost. Her birthday doll cakes and wedding cakes were stunning. She could have sewn professionally had she wished, but she lovingly showered her creations on her daughters.

Harold, her husband, was the love of her life. She has missed him sorely. Her daughters take comfort in imagining them strolling the streets of heaven, hand in hand. God is truly good.

Her grandchildren and great-grandchildren always felt "seen" and cared for. Each one was an individual to her.

She will be missed by her two daughters and their husbands; five grandchildren and their spouses; thirteen great-grandchildren; and scores of family and friends.

Funeral services will be at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, August

19, 2023 at the Bradley & Hadley Funeral Home, Clinton. The family will receive friends from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m., just prior to the funeral service. Mrs. McQuitty will lie in state from 1:00 to 8:00 p.m. Friday, August 18, 2023 at the funeral home. Interment will be in the Englewood Cemetery. The family suggests memorial contributions to the Parkinson's Foundation, and these donations may be left in care of the funeral home.

Death Notices

Catherine Willcockson, age 90, died August 7, 2023. Graveside service was held at 1pm on Saturday, August 12, 2023 at Englewood Cemetery in Clinton, MO. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri. ***

Kerry Bryon Klobnak, age 52, died August 5, 2023. Kerry's wishes were to be cremated. A memorial service will be held in Albia, Iowa at a later date. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO. ***

Bette J. Engeman, 91, MO died August 8, 2023. Services were Fri., August 11, 2023 at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Montrose, MO at 11am. Visitation, 10-10:40am, Rosary, 10:40-11am before service. Memorial, St. Mary's Catholic Church. ***

Vicki Renee Hale, age 62, died Wednesday, August 9, 2023. Memorial services will be held at 2pm on Saturday, August 19, 2023 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton, MO. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO. ***

Calhoun UMC

Welcome to the Good News from Calhoun United Methodist. We ring the church bell at 9:45 to call the "flock" to 10:00 Worship. Contrary to rumors we are alive and well on the Southeast corner of the Calhoun square. We are a smaller group dedicated to being the hands and feet of Jesus in our community.

We extend our sympathy and christen love to the family and friends of Gary Mc Keawn who passed into the arms of Jesus this week. Please remember those on our prayer list Patty Dump, Jean Dittmer, Mary George and sons, Robert Bond & wife, Lou Young, Iris Pinkston, Nancy Mountain, Peggy Eshelman, Sonya Short, Millie Redding, Alma White, Carolina Lane and David Burson. We continue to pray for our military men and women and their families, as well as others in service jobs that we depend upon daily. We pray for guidance as we continue forward as a Christian fellowship on the square in Calhoun, Mo.

Joys to celebrate: Rev. Jackson Short was our speaker today. Special music this morning was "I Know Who Holds Tomorrow," by Ms. Verna. The tree that fell on Hwy 52 last week near AC totaled two vehicles before traffic could be stopped, by the grace of God no one was injured. Praise for the much needed rain. Harvesters Food Drop was well attended Friday serving around 150 families.

Should you be looking for a new place to grow your faith come by for a visit. Coffee and a snack at 9:30 in the Welcome Room with worship at 10:00; 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 should 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

In today's world of ups and downs, heartaches and disappointments how are we doing about calling on Jesus? About asking him to take away all that holds us back. Pastor Margie's message talked of how Jesus is always with us and we have but to be in conversation with him.

Jesus fed the 5,000 with two fish and one loaf of bread and then later came to the Disciples who were caught up in a storm where they saw our Lord walk on water. Pastor Margie reminded us that Jesus came to the rescue of all those who were hungry and to save his Disciples who were in peril. He sees us and knows our hearts and troubles. With the whisper of a prayer, He will hear our pleas and cover us with his love.

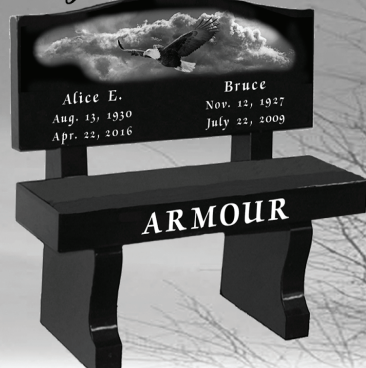
We had many prayer requests today. We know Jesus knew of their needs long before we asked and will continue to lift those friends and family up in prayer.

We are excited to be planning a special event on September 10th • That Sunday is Grandparent's Day and we will be celebrating by bringing our grandchildren to church. We have lots of proud grandparents anxious to show off their grandkids. We are looking forward to a fun day of worship. Whether you have grandchildren or just want to spoil someone else's we hope you will join us.

The rainy days of summer will soon be in the rearview mirror. We are looking forward to a beautiful fall. We

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First Baptist

On Sunday, Kristy Bateman recognized David Stocking (4 years), Kevin Griffey (22 years) and Kathy Wilson (23 years) for their faithful service at FBC Clinton. Then, following a powerful time of worship, Pastor Pat Findley delivered his tenth message of the summer sermon 'Ears to Hear' titled 'Parable of the Resourceful Rascal'. Pastor Pat used Luke 16:1-15 to describe how we manage our stuff makes or breaks our Kingdom effectiveness in this life. In the parable from this passage, a rich man, a master, learns of the mishandling of his resources by the manager he has hired, the steward. Pastor Pat reminded us that God owns all things and that we are stewards of His blessings. After being told to account of his behavior, the steward in the parable called in all his master's debtors and reduced the amounts they owed, in order to make friends before becoming unemployed. The master actually commended him for acting shrewdly and securing his future. Jesus reminds us to not look at those in the world with their handling of resources, but to look within at our own handling of resources. This parable has four applications:

1) Invest Generously in Eternity: We give to help people and we won't know the true rewards until we are in Heaven.

2) Faithfulness with What You Have Shows You Can Be Trusted With More: We must even be faithful in the little things.

3) Stingy Stewardship Stunts Spiritual Growth: Faith leads to spiritual growth.

4) Your Spending Reveals What or Who You Worship: Jesus says 'you cannot serve both God & money'.

The world says to walk by sight, but Jesus says to walk by faith. We are not saved by works, but only by faith. We must be good stewards of His blessings!

Celebrate Recovery is on Tuesday evenings, beginning at 5:30 p.m., for anyone with hurts, habits and hangups. GriefShare will resume on August 17th to provide help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member, or friend. Worship services are held on Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. For more information and upcoming events, please visit www.firstbaptist-clinton.church or find us on Facebook at 'First Baptist Church - Clinton, MO'.

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

First Presbyterian

As children of God, blessings have been poured out in abundance to us so that we may use them to help others. God will walk with us and guide our steps as we reach out in compassion, mercy and justice to others in need. We are called to focus our lives on living as God would have us live so step out in faith. Look around and see where God wants you to work. The summer series "Faith on Films" continued with the message this week Wizard of Oz. Rev. Nancy Gillard used Psalm 90:1 as her scripture text. Our anthem was "Be Known to Us in Breaking Bread".

Core Values, a youth bible study, began Sunday, August 6th and will run a total of 5 weeks. Youth ages 4th - 7th grades are invited to come. The fruits of the spirit are being studied and activities, dinner and songs will be included each week. For more information contact the church office at 660-885-5181.

A new mission project has started sponsored by the Presbyterian Women. We will be collecting items for the Missouri Reading & Writing Packs. Items included are school supplies which will be distributed to students later in the school year. Now is a great time to make your purchases. Toss a few into your shopping cart and make your contribution to this mission effort. A display is available for viewing in the foyer along with a list of needed items.

Tai Chi classes meet each Monday and Wednesday at 10:00 am. Tai Chi helps strengthen your core and improve balance. Consider joining.

Summer is slipping by quickly and it will soon be time for the kids to be back in school. It may be getting too late for family vacations but it is never too late to come worship with us. You will find a friendly group of people waiting to make you feel welcome. If in person worship is not an option watch the broadcasts available online at our website: fpccClintonmo.net or Facebook First Presbyterian Clinton MO. Stay updated on the happenings at First Presbyterian by visiting our website. Our monthly newsletter, pictures and other interesting items about the church can be found there.

Mt. Calvary

Apostolic Pentecostal "TO AVOID THE WRATH OF GOD"

People tend to take advantage of God. When you know what God can do you have more faith in him. There is more to it than that. In Verse 6 of Joshua chapter 7, Joshua went into prayer because they went out to battle but were defeated.

We have to be careful when we talk to sinners about God's mercy. We can't include sinners with Christians. Sinners do not follow the word of God or his commandments. They will just go back and continue in the sin they are in.

Joshua was following the commandments of God, but others in the camp weren't. Jos 7:8, Jos 7:10.

We cannot straddle the fence. How can God do something for sinners when they aren't following God?

God let Joshua know that someone had sinned in the camp.

Jos 7:12-13. Jos 7:20.

The Lord had Achan and all his household stoned. (Joshua 7:19-26)

When Moses trespassed against the people he did not sanctify God. He did something God told him not to do. Deu 32:51-52.

When we do things that upset God it will bring his wrath and that is not good.

In Numbers 16:49 God was going to destroy the congregation.

Korah and some men stood against Moses and Aaron. Moses told them that he was sent by God. But if the ground would open her mouth, then they would know.

Num 16:31-33. Num 16:35.

After the people saw what happened to Korah and the others, they spike against Moses.

Num 16:41.

Moses told Aaron to quickly go and make atonement for the people before the wrath of God came down upon

then. God is not to be played with. (Num 16:45-46)

It says in Rom 10:13, For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.

Rom 10:14.

If people go on their own without hearing God's word, they are preaching their own words instead of God's word. We have to be careful with God that we do not feel his wrath. God Bless.

Mt. Zion UMC

Trinity, Rockville, and Mt. Zion United Methodist Churches had messages this week entitled 'Reaching For Jesus', that flowed from scriptures relating to Christ walking on the water.

Specifically, we learned about the importance of never taking our eyes off Jesus in the midst of life's storms, in Matthew 14:22-33. Jesus had labored all day and went into the mountains to pray alone. He sent his apostles out onto the Sea of Galilee. Then suddenly a great storm arose, causing much fear among the men. Christ came down from his time of respite and walked out upon the water. Terrified, the apostles called out to him, and Simon Peter asked to walk out to meet Christ. As he walked upon the water, fear overcame him upon seeing the great waves. He sank down into the sea, but stretching out his hand and crying to Jesus for help, Christ came to his rescue.

This scripture teaches us an invaluable lesson. When we are in the midst of terrible storms that life brings upon us, never take our eyes off Jesus. And, if we find ourselves sinking down into the turbulent waters of fear, despair, or grief, call out to Jesus, he will rescue us from the any storm of life. Jesus meets us where we are in any situation. We hope that you will come and worship with us! See you soon!

Trinity Lutheran

Jesus said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age." Mathew 28:18.

"No Creed but Jesus." This is a common expression among millions of Christians today. It is meant to promote the idea that churches don't matter. Doctrines don't matter. Everyone can believe whatever they want to believe. Just believe in Jesus. That's enough. Someone doesn't believe in original sin or baptismal regeneration? No problem. Someone believes a person cooperates in their salvation, rather than it being God's work alone? No problem. The list goes on and on and on...

Lutherans all accept the doctrines of the Lutheran Church. They are specific and written down for all to see and understand. There is no ambiguity. They are not optional. All Lutherans believe all human beings are born sinful and separated from God. All Lutherans believe God alone works through Word and Sacrament to create and sustain faith in everyone who believes

Where are these gifts of God most commonly found? In churches where the Word of God is proclaimed, the Law and Gospel are preached, and the Sacraments of Baptism and The Lord's Supper are celebrated.

Come to church this Sunday. God the Holy Spirit has promised to meet you there in spirit and truth and teach all who hear, as Jesus commanded us to do.

Divine Service: 1 pm; Church phone 660-885-4728.

Valley Center United

All I have needed, your hand has provided, Great is thy faithfulness! We are an open and affirming church that welcomes all to come and worship with us on Sunday morning.

We send Happy 16th Birthday wishes to our dear Emily Neuenschwander! Happy 53rd Anniversary to Ted and Cindy McDaniel.

We send our prayers to the people of Maui Hawaii after the devastating fires which destroyed homes and caused many deaths. Many of our United Church of Christ sister Churches on the island were also lost.

We pray for this nation, our world and all of the people. We pray for unity, fairness and justice for all. We pray for several members of our church who are having many health issues.

Jesus is an amazing presence in our lives and a reflection of courage, wisdom and everything that is beautiful. We get a sense of his perfection with our own Salvation and being made whole.

The Bible tells us that Simon Peter witnessed Jesus walking on water. But when Simon Peter began walking on the water towards Jesus, the wind came up and fear set in; he began to sink. He cried to be saved. Jesus said, "You of little faith, why did you doubt?". Jesus walked out to save him.

Many times we fall short of what we expect of ourselves. We often endure sorrow and pain. We let our fear stop us from being who God wants us to be and to live a life of faith. Too often we do not listen and believe in Jesus' powerful promises.

But the good news is that Jesus knows and understands that we are not perfect. Just as he did for Simon Peter, Jesus walks to us with open arms and offers his unconditional love, salvation and forgiveness to us.

He came to save us all.



The Shepherd Calls

by
Dr. H. Wade Paris

WHO IS SICK HERE

In his book, Search the Scriptures - A Physician Examines Medicine in the Bible, Dr. Robert B. Greenblatt, a respected endocrinologist, says we have given Esau a "bum rap." Greenblatt believes Esau was suffering from hypoglycemia, low blood sugar.

Do you remember the story? Esau came in from a hunt hungry, weak, and faint. Jacob was brewing a pot of potage, and Esau asked for some. Jacob said he would feed his brother if Esau would give him his birthright. Esau reasoned, "I'm dying, what good is a birthright?" (Genesis 25ff) Thus, a one-sided deal was struck. Ever since, people everywhere have spoken shamefully of Esau selling his birthright for a "bowl of soup."

Greenblatt notes Esau had all the symptoms of hypoglycemia---hunger, craving sweets, fatigue. We assume Esau's claim to be "at the point of death" is an exaggeration. However, Greenblatt insists it could have been literally true. Furthermore, he maintains Jacob's protein rich pottage would have been an excellent antidote.

If Greenblatt's diagnosis is correct, that adds a whole new dimension to this story. Not only did Jacob scam his brother, but he also unknowingly took advantage of a brother who was ill. It likely would not have changed anything for Jacob to know his brother was sick. Jacob, lived up to his name, "supplanter." He took advantage of everyone he could---his brother, his mother, his father, his uncle, his wives, everyone. One could easily conclude both brothers were ill. Esau was physically sick. Jacob was mentally and spiritually ill.

Greenblatt's new dimension to the story is interesting and may add to our disdain for Jacob, but historically it means nothing. Jacob went on to become Israel and the father of the Hebrew nation.

However, there is a note in this ugly story we must not miss. Years later, Jacob, who had misused his brother and family, suffered similarly at the hands of his own children. Ten of Jacob's twelve sons kidnapped Jacob's favorite child, Joseph, and sold him into Egyptian slavery. They told their father a wild animal had killed him. Perhaps they learned their chicanery from their father Jacob. Today, we would say, "What goes around comes around." The Bible says it like this, "Be sure your sins will find you out." (Numbers 32:23)

Municipal Court

GARY COVER ARRAIGNMENTS

Jose Luis Acosta Castillo, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (20-25 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50

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

Eric Andrew Bradbury, Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$66.50

Sherryl Colvert, Nuisance Violation, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$166.50

Hallie Le-An Copple, Fail To Obey Traffic Control Devices, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$60.50

Ricadonna Dell Crowell, Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Jacob Ethan Decker, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50

Ruben Antonio Escalante, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$166.50

Hannah Lynn Fisher, Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50; Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$66.50

Thomas Ernest Foster, Trespass, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution Of Sentence), Count 1 - Defen-

dant Sentenced To 2 Days Jail, Ses, 2 Years Probation, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$300.50; Resisting Arrest, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution Of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To 2 Days Jail, Ses, 2 Years Of Probation

Alfred Flaton, Operate Motor Vehicle In Careless And Imprudent Manner, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$166.50

Richard Joseph Garcia, Possess Drug Paraphernalia, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution Of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To 90 Days Jail, Ses, 2 Years Probation, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$300.00

Ernie Joe Garrett, Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$66.50

Harley-Dean Lewis Gerholdt, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Tyler Leroy Hilbert, Operate Vehicle On Highway Without Valid Or No License, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$66.50; No Headlights When Required, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50

Daniel J Hoggatt, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50

Jordan Andrew Johnson, Fail To Obey Traffic Control Devices, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$60.50

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Venkata Maddala, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50
Axel Jose, Andres Monroy, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (6-10 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$60.50
Brittany Peterson, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (11-15 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$70.50 And Court Cost
Jeremiah Abraham Portman, Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50
Timmy L Rhoades, Driving While Revoked Or Suspended, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution Of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$316.50; Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50; Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50
Brock A Roweton, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50
Janel N Selvy, Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$166.50
Rory Jay Shelby, Parking Violation, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$66.50
Christina Lynn Stranghoener, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost
Loral Grace Stock, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost
Abdulla Wardell Taylor, Fail To Obey Traffic Control Devices, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$60.50
Luis Fernando Tribaldo, Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50
Shawn Dale Wilson, De-

fective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50
Brooke Leeann Zabriskie, Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50; Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$66.50; Driver Fail To Secure Child 80 Pounds Or More Or Over 4 Feet 9 Inches In Booster Seat Or Safety Belt, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$83.00 And Court Cost.
TRIALS
Christian Dawn Stoneking, Driving While Revoked Or Suspended, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution Of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To 90 Days Jail, Ses, 2 Years Probation, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$316.50
Clinton Police Dept.
8/7/2023 - ARRESTS
Swisher, John Michael, 25, Clinton, Citation, Assault
8/8/2023 - ARRESTS
Thurman, Ashly Dawn, 35, Warsaw, Taken Into Custody, Possession Of Contr Subst Except 35 Grams / Less Of Marijuana/Synthetic Cannabinoid-Amphetamine; Unlawful Possession Of Drug Paraphernalia - Amphetamine /Methamphetamine - Dangerous Drugs; Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Felony
Smith, Legina Marie, 52, Richmond, Citation, Stealing - Theft Of Motor Vehicle Parts / Accessories
Selfridge, William Eldon, 37, Deepwater, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd.
8/9/2023 - ARRESTS
Maynard, Kendra Kay, 49, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd.
Plumlee, Kelly Yvette, 59, Clinton, Type, Use Of Language To Incite Violence
8/10/2023 - ARRESTS
Metcalfe, Dana Sue, 36, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd.

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8/7/2023 - ARRESTS
Swisher, John Michael, 25, Clinton, Citation, Assault
8/8/2023 - ARRESTS
Thurman, Ashly Dawn, 35, Warsaw, Taken Into Custody, Possession Of Contr Subst Except 35 Grams / Less Of Marijuana/Synthetic Cannabinoid-Amphetamine; Unlawful Possession Of Drug Paraphernalia - Amphetamine /Methamphetamine - Dangerous Drugs; Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Felony
Smith, Legina Marie, 52, Richmond, Citation, Stealing - Theft Of Motor Vehicle Parts / Accessories
Selfridge, William Eldon, 37, Deepwater, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd.
8/9/2023 - ARRESTS
Maynard, Kendra Kay, 49, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd.
Plumlee, Kelly Yvette, 59, Clinton, Type, Use Of Language To Incite Violence
8/10/2023 - ARRESTS
Metcalfe, Dana Sue, 36, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd.

City of Osceola

AUGUST 7, 2023
Mayor Gibbs called the board meeting to order at approximately 5:00 p.m.

Following the pledge of allegiance, roll call was taken. Those in attendance were Alderpersons Terry, Hudson, Dailey and Watson. Also present was Lila Foster and Police Chief Shumaker.
Alderperson Watson made the motion to approve the consent agenda and financial reports, Alderperson Hudson seconded her motion; roll call vote was taken with all members voting yes.
Citizen Input— None
Grant Updates— Aspen representing Great River Engineering reported on the status of the grants currently in the process.
CDBG Demolition Grant – waiting on the environmental approval.
Sewer I & I Study -- Smoke testing completed last week.
CDBG Street Repaving – the notice to proceed has been received but still needs environmental completed and approved. Clearance has been received from the Corps of Engineers. Preliminary design and site survey completed last week. Believes this project will start in the spring of 2024.
TAP Sidewalk Grant -- Based on the area's terrain the sidewalk will probably be placed next to the road. Anticipate beginning the project in March or April 2024 and completion in the summer.
Citizens Input -- Teresa Heckenlively thanked the city crew for prompt response to power outages. Discussion followed regarding the potential SEMA funds to assist in the unexpected costs (approximately \$26,000) Mayor Gibbs stated he had put 23 hours in assisting in downed lines and troubleshooting.
NEW BUSINESS--
ST. Clair County Food Banc -- Gene Hartley, Director and Joyce Frankel, Board Chairperson requested assistance with storm damaged roof. They also inquired if the city would be willing to sell the building to the food banc. Discussion followed. No action taken at this time.
UPDATES— none
Mayor Comments— none
Board of Aldermen –
Alderperson Hudson – none
Alderperson Watson – none
Alderperson Dailey --

none
Alderperson Terry – none
St. Clair Co Economic Developer— Reported St. Clair County had been funded for a Business Continuity Grant. There is a new business opening in Osceola soon and she was working with a local business to become government contract certified. She also reported Lowry City would no longer participate in the program and Appleton City had cut back to half-time.
Staff— Lila Foster reminded the board the yearly tax hearing needed to be held in August. However, she was waiting on paperwork from the county clerk. She also gave a status report on the RV Park – from April 10 through July 19th; receipts were \$13,656.00 with 470 adults and 67 children staying there.
Police Chief Shumaker gave a report on recent police activity:
Reports - 23
Arrests – 6
Felony Drug Arrests – 1
Citations – 106
Search Warrant – 0
Domestic Violence - 1
He noted Pettus County Sheriff's Office had donated 4 tasers, 6 holsters and 50 cartridges for the tasers.
Citizen Input— The Osceola Chamber of Commerce reported the following—
•New Activity at Rodeo Daze -- Stick Horse Racing
•Street Dance August 31st
•Music on the Square continues in September with the evenings of the 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th
•Osage Hills Connection Bike Ride October 7th and Osceola will be the midpoint of the event. Music and food will be on the square.
Adjournment- Alderperson Dailey moved to adjourn; Alderperson Terry seconded his motion and motion carried unanimously.
Lakeland School Dist.
The annual Tax Rate Hearing shall be held August 17, 2023 at 6:55 p.m. in the Board of Education Room of the Lakeland R-III School District.
The regular monthly meeting of the Lakeland R-III School Board shall be held on August 17, 2023, at 7:00 pm in the Board of

Education Room of the Lakeland R-III School District. Following is the agenda, including a closed session, record, and vote as authorized by Chapter 610.021 R.S.Mo. (3 & 13) Personnel
AGENDA
I. Call to Order
A. Roll Call
B. Recognition of Visitors and Guests
II. Consent Items
A. Approve Agenda
B. Approve Minutes: June 22, 2023 Regular Board Meeting
C. Approve Bills for the Month of August 2023 and July 2023
D. Substitute List
III. Correspondence
IV. Administrative Reports

A. Superintendent
B. Elementary
C. High School
V. Old Business
A. COVID-19 Guidance and Protocols
VI. New Business
A. Set Tax Rates
B. Conflict of Interest Ordinance
C. District Contact Personnel
D. Approve Bus Routes
E. ASBR 2022-23
F. Local Compliance Plan – Special Education
G. Teacher Plan Period Pay
H. Vo-Tech Transportation
IX. Closed Session
X. Adjournment
Next Scheduled Meeting: September 21, 2023, 7:00 p.m.

THE LITTLE APPLE

AUGUST 9, 2023
The Appleton City Fair will be August 19. Events include the Baby Show, toddler swimsuit contest, kids games, pitch tournament, cornhole tournament, petting zoo, face painting, dunk tank, street dance, bounce houses, gellyball course and the parade at 5:00 p.m. Food options include biscuit & gravy breakfast, funnel cakes, kettle corn and Rockville reubens. Overload Band will be performing. Anyone wanting vendor registration forms or any other information can email appletoncityfair@gmail.com
After such a good response last month, the Appleton City Ministerial Alliance is excited to offer another Singpiration, hosted by the Christian Church in Appleton City at 6:00 p.m. Sunday August 20. Everyone is welcome. Please come to enjoy traditional gospel, hymns, and contemporary worship in a comfortable setting. Please bring songs and instruments and share as the Lord leads. The ACMA plans Third Sunday Fellowship meetings throughout the spring, summer, and fall months for area churches to gather and fellowship with one another
August 20 will be final day for the 2023 season at the AC Pool.
The AC Public Library is conducting their Friends of the Library Program until September 20, 2023. The program's purpose is to fund the purchase of new hardback books for the library. You can become a friend by either choosing a book from the list or requesting another book you have wanted to read and then donating \$20.00 for said book. The perks of being a Friend to the library are that you will be the first person to check the book out, and you will be honored by having your name placed on a special nameplate in the front of each of the Library Friend books. Library hours are currently Monday, Tuesday and Thursdays, 8:30-5:00 p.m. The books included on the summer list are: Imaginary Friend by Stephen Chbosky, Brides of Maracoor by Gregory Macguire, Kingdom of Bones by James Rollins, The Therapist by B.A. Paris, False Witness by Karen Slaughter, Obsessed by James Patterson, The Searcher by Tana French, The Wager by David Grann, and three children's books for upcoming Story Hours.
The Appleton City Fall City Wide Garage Sale dates will be September 22 and 23. More details will be posted at a later date.
The AC Fair Committee is having an AC Fair 2023 fundraiser drawing for 1/2 hog with processing. 2 winners will be drawn on August 19 at the Fair. Tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20. The winners will receive 1/2 hog with basic processing. Delivery to Heatherington's in Clinton is provided. Winners will need to make arrangements to pick up processed meat once it is done. For tickets, contact Fair Committee members: Becky Hill (660-492-2203), Lyndsi Rivera (660-464-2575), Katie Hearting (60-492-3571) or Nicki Munsterman (6600-492-2464).

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600-700 lbs. \$260-294
700-800 lbs. \$235-265
800-900 lbs. \$---
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Weigh Cows Bulk 109 - 121
High Dressing 119 - 136
Heifers, Med. & Lg. Frame #1
300-400 lbs. \$270 - 285
400-500 lbs. \$260-315
500-600 lbs. \$254-290
600-700 lbs. \$245-269.50
700-800 lbs. \$210-259.25
800-900 lbs. \$---
Small frame or fleshy heifers 400-700 lbs. \$180 - 215
Low Dressing 81 Back
Bulls Bulk 127 - 148.50
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Pkg blk str 704 265
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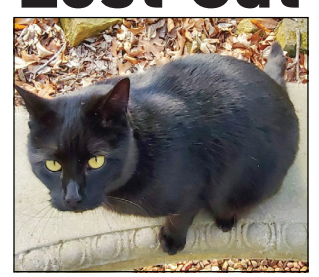
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Yard Sale: 2001 Alfresco, Sat. Aug 19 at 7 am. Sports/clothes and tools! au16x1p

Family Garage Sale - 2101 N Gaines Dr. Sat, Aug. 19th, 7am-2pm. Clothes, Home decor, Household items, Games, Toys, Children's books. au16x1p

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Lost Cat


LEO

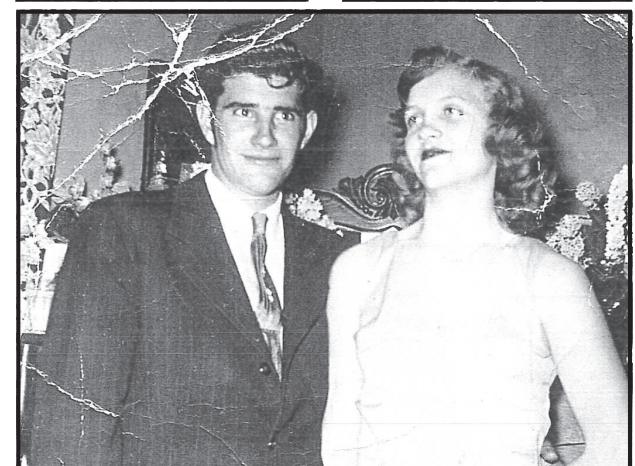
Leo is a large adult, solid black cat with yellow eyes who slipped into a vehicle in Deepwater for a ride to Clinton approx. a month ago. He jumped out of the vehicle near 2nd and Calvird Dr. He is approximately 15 lbs., neutered, micro-chipped and friendly. If found please call (303) 868-2272.

MISSING



Last seen on old T Hwy across from lake. Maddie is a black lab with white hair below front jaw line, wearing a pink collar. Her home, some know as the old Glasscock place. Answers to her name & is very friendly. Maddie's baby and family are very lost without her. Please call 660-223-8617

Clinton Healthcare Spotlight Resident of the Month John & Winnie Grable



John Grable was born July 7, 1935, in Macon Missouri. John was one of four children. Winnifred "Winnie" Mahaffey was born May 13, 1938, in Shelbyville Missouri. Winnie was one of thirteen children. John is Cherokee Indian and worked for John Deere and worked in a concrete factory. He also worked in maintenance. Winnie is German and worked for Marley Manufacturing for many years. She also worked in a concrete factory and maintenance. Winnie loved basketball, wrestling, and climbing the water tower in Shelbyville. John and Winnie married June 15, 1957, when John was 21 and Winnie was 19. Together they had three children, Clara Grable, Michael Grable, Randal Grable. Seven grandchildren Brandy, KK, Heather, Amy, Marlena, Becca, and Dakota and numerous great grandchildren. After, John's health took a turn for the worst Winnie continued to work a lot of long night hours and she worked around all men. She never got intimidated by this and was a very strong independent woman and could out work most of the men around her. Winnie also sold Avon to help support her family. She was a penny pincher and her own

stash of mad money. She loves everything Native American. Granddaughter Brandy describes Winnie as "One of the strongest women I know." Winnie was a night owl and was hard working and dedicated to her family and firmly believed in helping others and paying it forward. John was the early bird to rise in the morning. After dealing with some heart issues, he may have stopped working for Uncle Sam, but he continued to make money by wheelin' and dealin' and tradin'. John loved to fish and had huge family fish fries. John and Winnie in later years became snowbirds and took off to Texas every winter. They absolutely loved to travel together. John and Winnie just celebrated their 66th wedding anniversary. Winnie still loves music, and you can always hear it coming from her room. John loves to travel the halls and can often be found watching the birds out the windows. Family is still very important the John and Winnie. What a blessing it is to see them together at the table for every meal. We are honored to have John and Winnie Grable at Clinton Healthcare and Rehabilitation. Sixty-six years and counting and we get to count them together.

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FRIDAY • AUGUST 18, 2023 Evening

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SATURDAY • AUGUST 19, 2023 Evening

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MONDAY • AUGUST 21, 2023 Evening

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TUESDAY • AUGUST 22, 2023 Evening

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WEDNESDAY • AUGUST 23, 2023 Evening

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By Timothy E. Parker

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WEEK OF AUGUST 21



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Leo 7/23-8/22: It's wonderful to be loyal, but there's a difference between being loyal and being clingy... Virgo 8/23-9/22: It's far more generous of you to offer what you would do if you were in you-know-who's shoes... Libra 9/23-10/22: Enough with the standard fare; you need something fresh and new... Scorpio 10/23-11/21: A radical change is on the horizon on your home life... Sagittarius 11/22-12/21: Connections come easily to you on Monday... Capricorn 12/22-1/19: Your routine's starting to blend and become sort of dull to you... Aquarius 1/20-2/18: It's amazing when you notice (when you can really see) the effect you have on other people... Pisces 2/19-3/20: The pressure of everyone else's problems weighs on you on Monday... Aries 3/21-4/19: Hard to know how the great pioneers of the modern world felt after they accomplished something great... Taurus 4/20-5/20: Nothing makes sense on Monday... Gemini 5/21-6/20: Strong as your opinions are, you're smart enough to be receptive to new ideas... Cancer 6/21-7/22: If you were running the lemonade stand all by yourself, you could set all the prices...

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LOOKING BACK

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Will Pickleball Kill Tennis?

The quick answer is clearly, No! Think of this: Did MMA kill Boxing? No. Did the growth of Soccer kill American Football? No. Did Cornhole kill Horseshoes? No. Did Television kill Radio? No. Did 'Streaming' kill Movie Theaters? No. Did 'Digital' kill Print? No. Yet, there are many people still wondering what will become of this Pickleball explosion.

The thing that is not fully understood is that Pickleball (PB) can not replace Tennis. Why? Because they are two very different games. Yes, they both use a ball and play on similar courts, but after that, they are not even close. PB uses a fiber paddle, tennis a stringed racket. The two games have two distinct natures and skill sets. PB uses a plastic ball which slows the game down, which most people like. Tennis is an endurance, long-stroke game. PB is about hand quickness and is a short-stroke game. Tennis is a baseline game with some net play. PB is the opposite, it has some baseline, but mainly net play at the kitchen. The kitchen is a 7-foot rectangle in front of the net that is a non-volley zone. PB has a flatter learning curve. It's harder to become good at tennis. PB is more affordable, and requires less court time. An average game may last 7-10 minutes (most games are played to 11 points). In tennis, the serving team has a significant advantage, not true in PB. Other differences: Tennis shows well on TV, PB not so much (my opinion). Although both are lifetime sports, PB draws a wider age range. Often in PB there is no age advantage between a 30-year-old vs a 70-year-old. Of course, I like that. Plus, most agree PB is more social. PB is generally a doubles game and it brings folks together that are open to the social nature of the game. Games rotate so quickly there is often time to chat. Tennis has

its roots in country clubs, while PB has become a common man's game. Tennis has deep roots, molded in the 1870s from ancient games, while PB is the new kid put together in 1965 from four existing games.

Surely 10 years from now most of us will still be able to name the top tennis players of the day, but will PB pros have the same size fandom? I doubt it. Yes, tennis will continue to do well, but it will obviously have to share the stage with the new kid on the block. Things are changing, thousands of PB courts are being built and some tennis courts will be converted or adapted for both. In fact, the tennis courts at our own Artesian Park were recently adapted to handle both. The number of courts, PB vs Tennis will soon find its balance. Some active tennis players have taken up the sport, but most new PB players are not coming from tennis backgrounds. My wife and I are good examples, sure we have tried to play tennis (poorly by the way) but PB fits us better. In summary, tennis has taken a hit, but it will not be knocked out. As I said, they are very different games. Tennis is such a classic sport with tremendously deep roots and has a ton of money and history flowing through it.

Both sports have serves and drop shots, but PB has the kitchen and dinks. Both games have lobs and passing shots, but PB has Berts and Ernes. (Funny, right?) Well, I hope I have answered the basic question about the survival of tennis in the face of the growing popularity of PB. How can you not like tennis, after all it has 'Love' in its scoring and the unmatched 'regalness' of Wimbledon. By the way, the PPA (Professional Pickleball Association) tour will be in KC, Aug. 24-27. Many celebrities have purchased PB teams. Yes, Patrick Mahomes is one of them. Be it old or new, keep playing your game out there. Until next time.

Lady Cardinals Softball Adds Two New Assistant Coaches

The Clinton School District is excited to welcome Kelly DeHaan to the Clinton High School team where she will be a business teacher, a co-FBLA advisor, as well as an assistant softball coach.

Mrs. DeHaan has a B.S. in Sports Management with Marketing and an M.A.Ed from Union University in Jackson, TN. Prior to joining the CSD, she taught for six years at Lincoln High School.

Kelly and her husband, Ryan, have been married for 3 1/2 years and have a 2 year old son, Brooks. The family moved to Clinton in March 2022, and are excited to delve deeper into the Clinton community.

"I have heard awesome things about the administration and community in Clinton. With my husband and I now working in town, we are looking to become active community members.....that starts with me working here! Ever since getting hired, I get more excited every day to be part of the Clinton High School

team of admin and staff."

Help us say "welcome" to Adalia Sewell who will be a first grade teacher at Henry Elementary School and a CHS assistant softball coach this year.

Adalia, originally from Kearney, MO, earned her Bachelors Degree in Elementary Education from Central Methodist University, where she also played softball and was a member of Delta Pi Omega.

Ms. Sewell enjoys spending quality time with friends and family, traveling, and gardening.

"I am excited to work in the Clinton School District because I believe as a first year teacher, Clinton will be a great district to start my career in. I can already tell Henry Elementary is full of great opportunities and supportive staff! I am looking forward to this upcoming year and seeing what the girls will accomplish on the field, as well as my first graders in the classroom!"

Welcome to our Cardinal Team!!

Kelly DeHaan
Business Teacher
Clinton High School

Welcome to our Cardinal Team!!

Adalia Sewell
1st Grade Teacher
Henry Elementary School



Clinton Softball Hits The Field For First Official Day Of Practices



BUSY GEARING UP for another successful season, the Lady Cardinals took advantage of perfect weather and field conditions throughout last week. Girls worked many fundamentals, along with many individual and team drills. Monday marked the first official day of practices for fall sports following the required dead week period per MSH-SAA. Lady Cardinals softball will look to improve on a 12-15 record from a year ago. Their season will get underway on Saturday, August 26 with the Lady Pirate Leadoff Classic. Their first home contest will be on the following Monday, August 28, when Clinton hosts Lexington.

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CLINTON CARDINALS CROSS COUNTRY 2023

August 26	September 2	September 9	September 16	September 23	September 30	October 7	October 12	October 18	October 21	October 28	November 4
Clinton	SWCCA	Raymore-Peculiar	Sedalia-Smith-Cotton	Hermitage	Camdenton	Butler	Warrensburg (MO)	MRVC	MS State	Districts	State

HOME AWAY



Owen Scoles
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Twilight Garden Club 'Yard Of The Month'



TWILIGHT GARDEN CLUB is pleased to announce the August "Yard of the Month" has been presented to Allen and Sylvia Smith, 1205 East Green Street. The first thing you notice are the amazing baskets of bubblegum pink Supertunias. Boston ferns grace the front porch and yew shrubs are at the base. Knock Out roses and Stella D'oro daylilies also compliment the front of the house. A fountain filled with a assortment of blooming Vincas and a Bradford Pear tree surrounded by multi colored Impatiens finishes the yard scape. Congratulations, Smith Family.

Nancy Calvird Shoe, Inc. Seeks Donations



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Nancy Calvird Shoe, Inc. Seeks Donations
The original fund was started in Chillicothe, Missouri as a memorial to Nancy Calvird, a victim of multiple sclerosis, who died in 1969 at the age of 27 after a long illness. Nancy had been a diabetic since she was 11 years old but she went through college and became a speech therapist and hearing consultant.

Despite both diabetes and multiple sclerosis, she taught in public schools in Clinton, Missouri and Iowa until she became blind. She then moved to Chillicothe, where her mother, Jeanette Calvird, was the Director of the Livingston County Welfare Office. Jeanette and Nancy were members of P.E.O. Chapter JW and her sisters knew of her concern for children.

When Nancy passed away, Chapter JW asked for contributions to a shoe fund instead of flowers. This was done and the fund was established in January, 1970. Jeanette retired in 1975 and returned to Clinton and demitted to P.E.O. Chapter EN. In the early 1980's, Jeanette established another Nancy Calvird Memorial Shoe Fund, which Mary

Robbins and Esther Tardino (a cousin of Jeanette) maintained the fund. Due to health issues, Mary has requested that Chapter EN now maintain the fund. The fund is maintained by donations from various organizations and individuals and will be used for the purchase of shoes for children in need attending the Clinton schools. Grades eligible will be pre-school through 12th grade. Requests for shoes for children should be made by contacting the

social worker or counselor at the school where the child attends. Shoes are also given out at the Back to School Fair where in the last nine years we have given out more than 1,200 pairs of shoes. The look on the face of a child who has received their new pair of shoes is priceless. Nancy Calvird Shoe Fund, Inc., has been designated a 501(C)3 corporation which may make your donation tax deductible. If you wish to make a

donation to the fund or in honor or memory of a loved one, please mail your check to the Treasurer, Kristi Kenney, at the address below. All contributions will be appreciated and used for our local children. Board members of the fund are P.E.O. Chapter EN members:
President – Linda Griffith
Secretary – Jean Graham
Treasurer – Kristi Kenney, 2302 N. Antioch Street, Clinton, MO 64735

ARPA Funds Used to Install Emergency Generator



REPRESENTATIVES from the City of Clinton, Henry County Water Company (HCWC) and Alliance Water Resources (AWR) gathered to view the new 500kW emergency back-up generator that was recently installed at the HCWC treatment plant.

The \$198,200 generator project was accomplished using American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds, which were authorized by the U.S. Department of Treasury. Every municipality and county in the United States received ARPA fund-

ing. The City of Clinton and Henry County each contributed \$99,100 of their ARPA funds to the project. "We are extremely grateful to the City of Clinton and the Henry County Commissioners for allocating a portion of their ARPA

funds to acquire and install a backup generator at our Water Treatment Facility," stated Randy Taylor, HCWC Board President. "This on site back-up generator will provide assurance that we can continue to produce safe drinking water for our customers in the event of prolonged power outages." Clinton Mayor Carla Moberly added, "The Clinton City Council has been thoughtful and careful with delegating the ARPA funds we received. The addition of the 500kW generator at the HCWC Treatment Facility was a high priority. Cost sharing with Henry County helped make this possible." Approximately 16,650 individuals in Clinton, PWSD #3, PWSD #4, Calhoun PWS, Ulrich PWS and Blairstown PWS will benefit from the project.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI JUVENILE DIVISION

In Re The Adoption Of:)
KAYANA GRACE-ROSE BOYD)
Birthdate: December 8, 2017)
SHERRY JANE BOYLE, and)
DONALD JOSEPH BOYLE)
Petitioner)
vs.)
TIMMERE LEIGH MCDONALD,)
and JOHN D. BOYD)
Respondents)

ORDER OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE

The State of Missouri to Respondents Timmere Leigh McDonald and John D. Boyd:
You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced in the Circuit Court for the Court of Henry County, State of Missouri, the object of which is the adoption of Kayana GraceRose Boyd.

The names of all the parties to this action are stated in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for Petitioner is Zachariah A. Maggi, 129 S. Washington St., Clinton, Missouri 64735. 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 the 27th day of July, 2023, the Court will proceed with a hearing on the Petition for Adoption.

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

A true copy from the record.
WITNESS my hand and seal of the Circuit Court this 30th day of June, 2023.

Wendi McGhee by SLR
Circuit Clerk of Henry County, Missouri

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI JUVENILE DIVISION

In Re The Adoption Of:)
KION DEAN JAMES BOYD)
Birthdate: January 4, 2019)
Minor)
SHERRY JANE BOYLE, and)
DONALD JOSEPH BOYLE)
Petitioner)
vs.)
TIMMERE LEIGH MCDONALD,)
and JOHN D. BOYD)
Respondents)

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

IN RE: Homer D. Brown and Mary Jane Brown, as Husband and Wife Trustee's Sale:

For default in payment of debt and performance of obligation secured by Deed of Trust executed by Homer D. Brown and Mary Jane Brown, as Husband and Wife dated October 28, 2004 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Henry County, Missouri in Book 666, Page 74 the undersigned Successor Trustee, at the request of the legal holder of said Note will on Friday, August 18, 2023 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., (at the specific time of 9:00 AM), at the North Front Door of the Court House, City of Clinton, County of Henry, State of Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, described in said Deed of Trust, and situated in Henry County, State of Missouri, to wit:

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

IN RE: The Change of Name of)
) Case No.: 23HE-AC00376
Julie May Vanderlinden,)
Petitioner)

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME

You are hereby notified that the name of Julie May Vanderlinden has been changed to Julie May Lower by Judgment of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri which was entered on the 4th day of August, 2023.

Julie May Lower

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

In the Estate of BARBARA CHENEY, Deceased.
Case No.: 23HE-PR00051

Notice of Letters of Administration Granted

(Independent Administration - Non-Resident Fiduciary)
To All Persons Interested in the Estate of BARBARA CHENEY, Decedent:

On JUNE 9, 2023, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of BARBARA CHENEY, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The personal representative may administer the estate independently without adjudication, order, or direction of the Probate Division of the Circuit Court, unless a petition for supervised administration is made to and granted by the court.

The personal representative's business address is: ELIZABETH CHENEY-BROWN, 3187 OLD TUNNEL RD, LA-FAYETTE, CA 94549

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

CYNTHIA WARNER, 1708 N COMMERCIAL ST, STE A, HARRISONVILLE, MO 64701, 816-591-9875

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

CYNTHIA WARNER, 1708 N COMMERCIAL ST, STE A, HARRISONVILLE, MO 64701, 816-591-9875

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: 27-FEB-2023
Date of first publication: AUGUST 10, 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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IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT, HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI PROBATE DIVISION

In the Estate of COLLEEN FERN WISNER, Deceased.
Case Number: 23HE-PR00089

Notice of Letters of Administration Granted

(Independent Administration)
To All Persons Interested in the Estate of COLLEEN FERN WISNER, Decedent:

On AUGUST 4, 2023, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of COLLEEN FERN WISNER, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of HENRY COUNTY, Missouri.

The personal representative's business address is: DANIEL CURTIS WISNER, 6445 NE 50TH RD, OSCEOLA, MO 64776

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

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

JEFFERY T ADAMS, 206 SOUTH BAIRD- PO BOX 226, CLINTON, MO 64735-2221

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

Date of the decedent's death: 02-APR-2023
Date of first publication: AUGUST 17, 2023

Crissy Johnston
Probate Clerk

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The City of Clinton is accepting bids for Fiscal Year 2023/2024 services: Road Salt, Trash Hauling & Mats/Mops/Towels. Contact Deborah Nelson (City Hall, 105 E. Ohio, Clinton, MO 64735 - 660.885.6121 - dnelson@cityofclintonmo.com) for bid specifications or to submit a bid. Bids are due no later than Thursday, August 24th at 10:00am. The City of Clinton reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids and make allowances for any irregularities in the bid process.

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

In The Estate Of SHAWN K COLGAN, Deceased.
Case No.: 23HE-PR00086

Notice To Creditors (Small Estate)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of SHAWN K COLGAN, Decedent.

On MARCH 31, 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 SHAWN K COLGAN, who died on 04-JAN-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 AUGUST 17, 2023.

Crissy Johnston
Probate Clerk

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

In the Estate of GREGORY S SAVAGE, Deceased.
Case Number: 23HE-PR00031

Notice of Letters of Administration Granted

(Independent Administration - Non-Resident Fiduciary)
To All Persons Interested in the Estate of GREGORY S SAVAGE, Decedent:

On July 17, 2023, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of GREGORY S SAVAGE, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of HENRY COUNTY, Missouri. The personal representative may administer the estate independently without adjudication, order, or direction of the Probate Division of the Circuit Court, unless a petition for supervised administration is made to and granted by the court.

The personal representative's business address is:

TENA M SAVAGE, 1501 CYNTHIA ST, EDINBURG, TX 78539

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

KENT MINTON, 501 WEST LEXINGTON AVENUE, INDEPENDENCE, MO 64050, 816 833-1800.

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: 14-MAR-2022
Date of first publication: AUGUST 17, 2023

Crissy Johnston
Probate Clerk

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NOTICE OF SALE

For default of payment, all items from the following storage units will be sold at auction on Monday, August 21, 2023. Registration begins at 4pm inside the RE/MAX building 5 NE 91 Rd.

The sale, sold as whole unit lot(s), will commence at 5 NE 91 Rd, Clinton, MO at 5PM and progress to other locations.

Unit(s) located at Remax: #8, #9, #77, #92

Unit(s) located on Swisher Drive: #215, #528, #611

Unit(s) located on Water St Ext: #258

Unit(s) located on Washington St: #3, #30, #43

Call 660-885-2201 with questions.

STORE-N-MOOR, Clinton, MO

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI
CIRCUIT DIVISION

IN RE THE MARRIAGE OF:)
KELLY MARIE HARRIS)
Petitioner,)
) Case No.: 23HE-DR00053
Vs.)
)
KENT FARON BRUNER)
Respondent.)

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

The State of Missouri to Respondent:
KENT FARON BRUNER
You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Henry, State of Missouri, the object and general nature of which is: a Petition for a Dissolution of Marriage.


The names of all parties to said action are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for Petitioner Kelly Marie Harris is Audara L. Lutjen, 608 East Ohio Street, Clinton, MO 64735 and her phone number is (660) 885-2234.

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 3RD day of AUGUST 2023, judgment by default will be rendered.

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 the County of Henry, State of Missouri. A true copy from the record. WITNESS my hand and seal of the Circuit Court this 25TH day of JULY 2023.

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

Dates of publication: August 3rd; August 10th; August 17th and August 24th
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Ellett Memorial Hospital

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held at 5:00 P.M. on Wednesday, August 23, 2023, in the Ellett Memorial Hospital Conference Room. At that time, citizens may be heard on the proposed property tax rates to be set by the Ellett Memorial Hospital Board of Directors, for the purpose of producing the revenues which are required to operate the Ellett Memorial Hospital during the 2023-2024 fiscal years.

	2023	Proposed
Tax Levy	.4616	.50

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

IN RE: The Change of Name of)
) Case No.: 23HE-AC00387
GLENDA IRENE CRAWFORD,)
Petitioner)

JUDGMENT UPON PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE

On this 4th day of August, 2023, the Petition of Glenda Irene Crawford, for Change of Name comes on to be heard, and after fully examining said Petitioner, as to the reason for said desired name change, it is found that said name change is proper and that it will not be detrimental to the interest of any persons.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED, that the name of Glenda Irene Crawford, be changed to that of Irene Crawford.

Harold L Dump
Judge

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

In the Estate of ROBERT E RICHTER SR, Deceased.
Case No.: 23HE-PR00076

NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
(Independent Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of ROBERT E RICHTER SR, Decedent:

On JULY 31, 2023, the last will of Decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of ROBERT E RICHTER SR, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of HENRY COUNTY Missouri. The personal representative may administer the estate independently without adjudication, order, or direction of the Probate Division of the Circuit Court, unless a petition for supervised administration is made to and granted by the court.

The name, business address and phone number of the personal representative is:

MICHAEL X. EDGETT, 608 E. OHIO STREET, CLINTON, MO 64735, 660-885-2234

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

MICHAEL X. EDGETT, 608 E. OHIO STREET, 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 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: 21-JAN-2023
Date of first publication: AUGUST 10, 2023

Crissy Johnston
Probate Clerk

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Clinton School District Tax Rate Hearing Notice

A hearing will be held at the Middle School Media Center, located at 600 East Clinton Street, Clinton on Monday, August 28, 2023 at 6:00 PM, at which time citizens may be heard on the property tax rates proposed to be set by the Clinton School District, a political subdivision.

The tax rates are set to produce the revenues from the property tax required by the budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2023. Each tax rate is determined by dividing the amount of revenue needed by the current assessed valuation. The result is multiplied by 100 so the tax rate will be expressed in cents per \$100 valuation.

Assessed Valuation (AV) (by categories)	Estimated Current Tax Year 2023	Prior Tax Year 2022		
Real Estate	\$205,409,180	\$180,852,990		
Personal Property	\$58,256,335	\$54,205,431		
Combined Real Estate & Personal Property	\$263,665,515	\$235,058,421		
Adjusted Assessed Valuation on Which Tax Revenue is Received	\$263,665,515	\$235,058,421		
New Construction & Improvements (Included in AV Total above)	13,229,174.00			
	Amount of Property Tax Revenues Budgeted (assumes 100% collection)	Proposed Property Tax Rate (per \$100)	Amount of Calculated Property Tax Revenue From Prior Year	Property Tax Rate (per \$100)
The following Tax Rates are Proposed by Fund:				
Incidental	\$8,044,650	3.0511	\$7,248,261	\$3.0836
Teacher	\$0	0.0000	\$0	\$0.0000
Debt Service	\$2,179,986	0.8268	\$1,943,463	\$0.8268
Capital Projects	\$0	0.0000	\$0	\$0.0000
Total	\$10,224,637	\$3.8779	\$9,191,724	\$3.9104

Total New Revenue:	\$796,389
New Revenue from New Construction and Improvements:	\$403,633
New Revenue from Reassessment:	\$392,756
Percentage of New Revenue from Reassessment:	5.4186%

Board of Education
Clinton
School District
Archie Goucher, President
Brian Wishard, Superintendent

**Estimates reflect the most accurate information provided by the County Clerks at the time of this posting. These figures are based on information available as of Friday, August 4, 2023. It is possible the estimate may change by the Tax Rate Hearing or that the Board of Education may make changes until September 1, 2023.*

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Sherwood Cass R-VIII School District Tax Rate Hearing Notice

A hearing will be held in the Media Center, located at 33300 South Sherwood Drive, Creighton on Wednesday, August 23, 2023 at 6:00 PM, at which time citizens may be heard on the property tax rates proposed to be set by the Sherwood Cass R-VIII School District, a political subdivision.

The tax rates are set to produce the revenues from the property tax required by the budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2023. Each tax rate is determined by dividing the amount of revenue needed by the current assessed valuation. The result is multiplied by 100 so the tax rate will be expressed in cents per \$100 valuation.

Assessed Valuation (AV) (by categories)	Estimated Current Tax Year 2023	Prior Tax Year 2022		
Real Estate	63,021,892	55,841,426		
Personal Property	21,517,147	18,603,278		
Combined Real Estate & Personal Property	84,539,039	74,444,704		
Adjusted Assessed Valuation on Which Tax Revenue is Received	84,539,039	74,444,704		
New Construction & Improvements (Included in AV Total above)	4,158,234			
	Amount of Property Tax Revenues Budgeted (assumes 100% collection)	Proposed Property Tax Rate (per \$100)	Amount of Calculated Property Tax Revenue From Prior Year	Property Tax Rate (per \$100)
The following Tax Rates are Proposed by Fund:				
Incidental	3,486,136.35	4.1237	2,980,542.61	4.0037
Teacher	-	-	-	-
Debt Service	621,361.94	0.7350	636,502.22	0.8550
Capital Projects	-	-	-	-
Total	4,107,498.29	4.8587	3,617,044.83	4.8587

Total New Revenue:	505,593.74
New Revenue from New Construction and Improvements:	171,473.10
New Revenue from Reassessment:	237,663.68
Percentage of New Revenue from Reassessment:	7.9738%

Board of Education
Sherwood Cass R-VIII
School District
Ben Jones, President
Phil Rogers, Superintendent

**Estimates reflect the most accurate information provided by the County Clerks at the time of this posting. These figures are based on information available as of Friday, August 11, 2023. It is possible the estimate may change by the Tax Rate Hearing or that the Board of Education may make changes until September 1, 2023.*

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

In the Estate of f NORMAN WAYNE CHURCH, Deceased.
Case No.: 23HE-PR00032

Notice of Letters Testamentary Granted
(Independent Administration - Non-Resident Fiduciary)
To All Persons Interested in the Estate of NORMAN WAYNE CHURCH, Decedent:

On June 9, 2023, the last will of the decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of NORMAN WAYNE CHURCH, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The personal representative may administer the estate independently without adjudication, order, or direction of the Probate Division of the Circuit Court, unless a petition for supervised administration is made to and granted by the court. The name, business address is:

DONNA S WITMAN, 2926 HEATHGATE RD, CHARLOTTE, NC 28226

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

MOLLY NAIL, 800 NE VANDERBILT LANE, LEE'S SUMMIT, MO 64064, (816) 525-2050

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

ANDREW S FELKER, 1136 SW SUMMIT HILL DR, LEE'S SUMMIT, MO 64081, 816-525-2050.

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 sixmonth 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: 13-JUL-2022
Date of first publication: JULY 27, 2023

Crissy Johnston
Probate Clerk

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

In the Estate of f EMILY IRENE CHURCH, Deceased.
Case No.: 23HE-PR00033

Notice of Letters Testamentary Granted
(Independent Administration - Non-Resident Fiduciary)
To All Persons Interested in the Estate of EMILY IRENE CHURCH, Decedent:

On June 16, 2023, the last will of the decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of EMILY IRENE CHURCH, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The personal representative may administer the estate independently without adjudication, order, or direction of the Probate Division of the Circuit Court, unless a petition for supervised administration is made to and granted by the court. The name, business address is:

DONNA S WITMAN, 2926 HEATHGATE RD, CHARLOTTE, NC 28226

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

MOLLY NAIL, 800 NE VANDERBILT LANE, LEE'S SUMMIT, MO 64064, (816) 525-2050

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

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Date of the decedent's death: 19-OCT-2022
Date of first publication: JULY 27, 2023

Crissy Johnston
Probate Clerk

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