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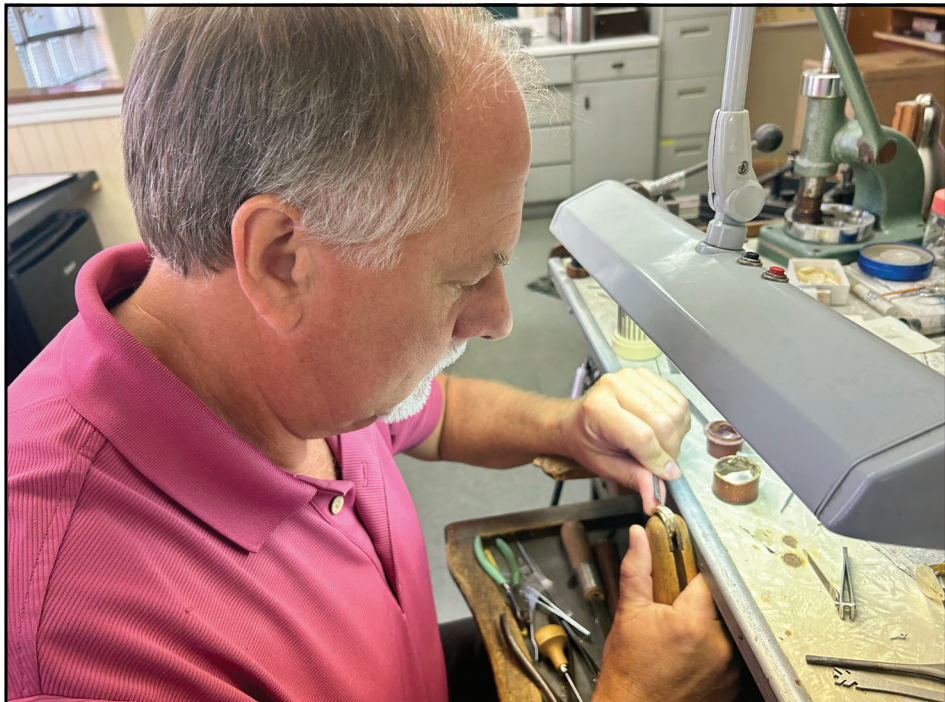
## Celebrations Afoot As Iconic Clinton Jewelry Store Turns 40

BY JUDY KRAMER  
Staff Reporter

Barry Glasscock worked in a jewelry store while in high school, and after college he decided to make the jewelry business his career. He bought his jewelry store from someone who was retiring in 1983 and is now celebrating 40 years of business at Glasscock Jewelry Corner located on 1005 Main Street in Clinton. In 1997 he opened a second store in Warrensburg at 321 E. Young Street and now has a total of 11 employees at the two stores.

"There has been a lot of change in the design of jewelry over the years and a lot of this has to do with the influence of movies and the times," said Glasscock. "The marriage of Lady Diana and Prince Charles inspired designs like her engagement ring which was Blue Sapphire with diamonds in a halo vintage motif. Tennis bracelets became popular after Chrissy Evert lost hers during a tennis match in 1978."

Glasscock said that First Lady Barbara Bush often wore pearls (being noticed particularly with her inaugural gown in 1989) which also created a great fashion demand.



MARKING A MAJOR MILESTONE, Glasscock Jewelry Corner in downtown Clinton is celebrating 40 years of business. Store Proprietor Barry Glasscock is well-known for both his successful retail career and volunteerism to civic endeavors.

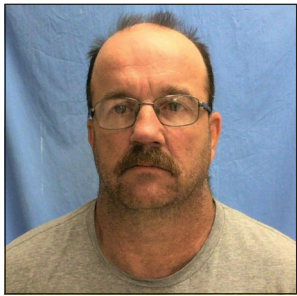
Glasscock gave more examples of jewelry trends in the 1990s up to 2021. The 1990s trends included marquis diamonds, bold yellow gold jewelry, herringbone chains, tris wedding sets, and solar watches. White gold became popular late in the decade and even more so in 2004. Beginning with 2000, Italian link bracelets, bead necklaces, past,

present, and future rings, princess cut diamonds, watches with blue dials and kinetic perpetual calendars became a trend. In 2011 Sterling silver, and chocolate diamonds appeared, with rose gold showing up in 2012. In the past four years yellow gold has made a comeback as well as bracelets. Glasscock noted that layered necklaces, oval diamonds, and automatic watches

are also currently favored. Glasscock used to repair jewelry in his store. He now has an in-house master jeweler who takes care of that end of the business. Each piece of jewelry in the Glasscock Jewelry Corner stores is hand-selected by Glasscock to ensure quality and value. He buys them at different markets around the country. "Jewelry trends are different," Glasscock said.

## Rural Henry County Man Sentenced To Two Life Sentences

Marion Bailey, 55, of rural Henry County, Missouri has been sentenced to two life sentences. He pled guilty to two counts of statutory sodomy in the first degree with a child under twelve. He was further found to be a predatory sex offender.



MARION BAILEY

Prosecuting Attorney, LaChrisha Gray, prosecuted the case on behalf of the State of Missouri.

In 2022, Bailey was discovered in bed with two females, one age 7 and one age 10. It was then discovered that sexual conduct

had been occurring for some time and on multiple occasions.

Upon being interviewed by a detective with the

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## Great Pumpkins Keep Family Tradition Alive



FALL FUN has long been associated with a trip to the pumpkin patch. Gwenna and her dad Stetson Shirky have seen their operation grow over the years and last June planted 2,500 seeds.

BY JENNIFER JACKSON  
Staff Reporter

Four years ago, Stetson Shirky bought a 54-acre farm southwest of Clinton, on SW Hwy. T, mainly for a hunting property. He moved to Henry County from Clifton City, a small town on the Katy Trail between Sedalia and Booneville.

His father, Peter Shirky, has a farm in Clifton City, where he grows a small patch of pumpkins every year to give away to friends and family for Halloween.

So his first year in Henry County, Stetson took half an acre of his farm and grew 100 pumpkins to share with friends. The next year, Stet-

son planted 10 to 15 varieties of pumpkins and gourds, and decided to sell some to recoup his investment.

Every year, the pumpkin patch keeps getting bigger, he said, in order to have some to give away. Last June, Stetson planted 2,500 seeds, spent a month replanting, and has about 2,000 plants consisting of 32 varieties of pumpkins and decorative gourds in a variety of shapes and colors. The large-leaved vines fill the two acres next to his house.

He tried to cut back on the varieties to keep things simple, he said.

"I keep getting carried away," Stetson said.

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## A Big Jump On Christmas! Angel Tree Spreads Wings To Cover Henry County

BY JENNIFER JACKSON  
Staff Reporter

Like Santa Claus, Amanda Johnson has a lot of lists. And in the months before Christmas, she checks them more than twice.

"We check everything multiple times," Amanda said.

Amanda is the person in charge of Angel Tree, a community program that in the past, provided children in Clinton with a gift to open on Christmas morning. This year, it has expanded to include children who live in Henry County.

"We went from Clinton to taking on the whole county," Amanda said.

Amanda, who works at Gary's Towing, started heading up Angel Tree in October of 2020. How it works: children from families whose budgets don't stretch to Christmas gifts fill out a form to receive gifts, both essentials and a toy specific to the child's age and interests. The child's information is put on an angel-shaped tag, which is put on Christmas trees in businesses around the area and on the Clinton Square. People choose



AN EXPANDING FORCE FOR GOOD, the Angel Tree organization lead by Amanda Johnson has increased their reach to help all of Henry County. Johnson displays a tag similar to the ones that are filled out and placed on Christmas trees around town and on The Square.

an angel, and "adopt" that child by buying gifts.

Last year, Amanda had 453 kids on her list, she said.

"The line of parents coming to pick up gifts went down the block and around the corner," she said.

Angel Tree has grown from a backroom at Integrity Flooring to its own warehouse, at 219 S. Main, where the volunteers can

store items people buy and donate throughout the year. It has also grown in terms of the community partners and businesses that help cover the need, Amanda said. Angel Tree partners with Christmas Cheer, Rotary, the Optimists and businesses, who mainly provide the essentials on wish lists — socks and underwear for school children, or diapers and

baby wipes for infants. Last year was hard, she said, because it was the first year that kids put food on their Christmas wish list. She still tears up when she thinks of it.

"I don't feel kids should have to ask for food for Christmas," she said.

But with more homeless teenagers in the county, food is what they ask for.

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Have I Got A Line For You!

By James Mahlon White



Several states and the District of Columbia are at it again with initiatives to allow illegal immigrants to vote in local elections and now the President wants to issue them a Federal ID. Hasn't there been a lot of fear about the influence of foreign governments in our elections? How do you safe guard against other countries sending groups of special interest parties here to vote? Maybe we should start letting dead people vote too. The same logic applies. They reside in the community and have an interest in local government matters, like not having the cemetery moved for a new commercial development. Amazing that we live in a country where we can be arrested for fishing without a license but not for entering illegal.

Read an article this morning that Dr. Fauci's wealth went way up during the pandemic. Nothing surprising here, just rewards for a lifetime of public service and filling your pockets with big pharma. Meanwhile, the good doctor still receives taxpayer funded security and car service. UNBELIEVABLE! Nothing will happen to him or anyone who profited off this disaster that upended the world. These Congressional hearings are nothing but theatre on both sides.

Speaking of Congress, there's lots of hullabaloo over the new dress code to accommodate Senator Fetterman. Wonder what the people of Pennsylvania think about Uncle Fester now? With the new dress code some of the older Senators can wear their hospital gowns on the Senate floor. Where has professionalism gone? All you have to do is look at the leadership of the

Senate. There is none. As for the people working there, they're still required to wear a suit and tie. Tells you everything you need to know, doesn't it? \*\*\*\*

Times have changed. Ran across this item in the Enterprise from November 1899. "James Martin and Ida Whitney are not married, but they ought to be." The Constable arrested them yesterday for "Maintaining scandalous relations prohibited by the statutes of Missouri and an important commandment." The next week this appeared: "James Martin and Ida Whitney plead guilty in court to lewd conduct and were given 20 days in jail." If they jailed everybody in Benton County today who...well, never mind.... but Sheriff Knox would be putting prisoners in trailers and the County Commission would be screaming about the the food bill."

With that happy prospect, I take my leave. Take care Old Buddy. \*\*\*\*

Til Next Week: J.M.W.



"DON'T YOU JUST HATE WHEN THEY PUSH SEASONAL ATTIRE TOO EARLY?"

Get to Know Clinton, MO.

NAME: Sydney Claiborne. BIRTHPLACE: Ulrich, MO. YEARS IN CLINTON: Ulrich, my whole life. FAMILY: I have a dad, mom, step-mom, and 7 siblings. THE BEST THING ABOUT LIVING IN CLINTON IS: I don't live here, but I love how the community helps each other. OCCUPATION: A teacher at Moreland Daycare. WHAT I WANTED TO BE WHEN I GREW UP: A teach-

er. FIRST JOB: Waitress. FAVORITE CHILDHOOD MEMORY: My dad and I riding horses. THE BEST TIME OF MY LIFE WAS WHEN: I met my boyfriend and moved in with my dad. WHAT DO YOU VALUE MOST IN YOUR FRIENDS: Their honesty. YOUR GREATEST FEAR IS: Spiders. I HOPE I NEVER HAVE TO: Pay debt. I'VE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO: See out of both eyes. IF I WON THE LOTTERY, I WOULD: Give it to my parents so they can build their dream house. MY DREAM TRIP WOULD BE TO: France. HOBBIES: Singing and dancing. FAVORITE BAND OR MUSICIAN: Luke Bryan and Little Big Town. FAVORITE MOVIES: 'Ever



After'. FAVORITE DRINK: Pink Lady at Sonic. FAVORITE SNACK: Chex-mix. FAVORITE CANDY: Twizzlers. FUTURE GOAL: To become a teacher. WHICH PERSON DO YOU ADMIRE MOST: My Sister. ADVICE YOU WOULD GIVE YOUR YOUNGER SELF: Don't let everyone walk over you. WORDS TO LIVE BY: Always be yourself, everyone else is taken.



The Chamber and our Ambassadors Committee celebrated Faith & Grace Salon's one-year anniversary on Thursday morning. Congrats to them and keep watching our Facebook page for information on their big celebration coming up Oct. 7th! The Chamber is also partnering with various CHS groups to get them involved with some of our activities and when you go to the Chamber's Facebook page, you can see we had some students with us on Thursday.

Click the link below to see our new directory. Hard copies should be at the Chamber before the end of this month.

https://emflipbooks.com/flipbooks/GCACOC/Directory/2023

This month, we started something new on the Chamber's Facebook page. We are now taking text and images from our member's websites, Facebook pages, Google searches, etc. and combining them into posts on our Facebook page. "Featured with the GCACC". It gives the viewer a "one-stop shopping experience" for each of our Chamber members. We have a lot of Chamber members so getting every business on our page will take quite a while, but we think it's well worth it! It's just another service from YOUR Chamber of Commerce. New this week, we "Featured" Anstine Realty and Auction...Westbridge Inn...West-Central Independent Living Solutions...Applebee's of Clinton...Austin Construction and Concrete...West-Central MO Comm. Action Agency...Warsaw Adventures...Baker Law Firm and W & S Door.

Bailey Horlander and Courtney Wille from ServPro of Harrisonville/Belton/Raymore are now on our Facebook page telling us what this company specializes in and yes, this ServPro is the one that comes to the Clinton area! Be sure to head to our page and watch this video. The Clinton FFA Chapter is excited to announce the Ribbon Cutting Ceremo-

ny for their school-based farm on Friday, September 29, 2023 at 4:00pm. At this event, FFA members would like to formally thank their many donors and announce the name of the newly established farm at Clinton High School.

The CHS Alumni Assoc. Homecoming Tailgate will be Sept. 29th at 6pm at Cardinal Stadium under the tent next to the fieldhouse. It's free to the first 75 CHS Alumni Assoc. members. First come, first served and no RSVP required. Meal provided by Huey's Deluxe Catering. Free admission to the Clinton vs. Versailles football game at 7pm. Hear from coaches, administrators, cheerleaders and band. All sponsored by OakStar Bank. If you would like to join the Clinton High School Alumni Association, stop by C Squared on the east side of the Clinton Square and talk to Cindy or call 660-885-2447 or email sales@csquaredclinton.com. It's only \$20 for a lifetime membership.

If you would like to get involved with the Assoc., contact Cindy, or David at the Clinton Chamber of

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Heartland Community Theatre Casting Call/Winter Production



Heartland Community Theatre is pleased to announce an upcoming casting call, as we will be hosting auditions for our Winter / Christmas Production, "Scrooged Up", a play by Dan Roberts, being directed by Rob Hills. Auditions will be held on Thursday, September 28th and Friday, September 29th, at the Heartland Community Theatre, 108 North Washington, Clinton, beginning at 6:00 p.m. on both evenings.

Heartland is looking for actors to perform on stage or anyone who is willing to help behind the scenes in various capacities or as stagehands.

Dates for this production have already been set. They are Friday, December 8th and Saturday, December 9th, both at 7:00 p.m., Sunday, December 10th at 2:00 p.m., and an Encore presentation on Saturday, December 16th at 7:00 p.m.

Don't miss out on this opportunity! Please call (660) 351-0362 with any questions.

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Word on the Street

Where would you most like to visit?



"Finland." -Ian McCue



"Ireland." - Ashley Muller



"New Zealand." - Mike Muller

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Clinton Airport Runway Gets Joints Fixed,  
Terminal Cleared For Take-Off

BY JENNIFER JACKSON  
Staff Reporter

It's not something the public sees, but a smooth runway is the number-one priority of every airport manager, Joel Long said.

"Grinding and sealing a runway isn't very exciting, but it's important," Joel said.

Joel, the manager of the Clinton Regional Airport, said Frahrner Asphalt, which serves the Midwest, started working on Runway 18/36 on Sept. 10. They completed the rehabilitation work in nine days, during which time the main runway was closed.

"It has expansion joints every six feet," Joel said of the runway, which is 5,000 feet long, 100 feet wide. "They were ground smooth by machine. Then the joints were sealed with silicone, and all the runway markers and numbers were repainted."

The bill was \$453,000, of which \$408,000 was funded by federal grants. The remaining \$45,000 came from the city, but the city has the option to use monies granted to it from the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA). Block grants come to Missouri airports through the Missouri Department of Transportation, Joel said, and are funded by aviation fuel taxes and passenger facility charges — that's the \$4.95 on your airline ticket.

When you factor in that the work crew stayed at local motels, ate at local restaurants, and rented some of the machinery locally, he said, and you get a like-new runway plus money pumped into area businesses.

To people who say the airport as a drain on the local



AN AERIAL VIEW of the grind-and-seal work being done on the expansion joints of Runway 18/36, the main runway at Clinton Regional Airport, which will make for smoother landings.

economy, Joel replies: "It's not," he said. "It's a benefit."

Other airport news: funding for a terminal building was approved on Tuesday, Sept. 19. The project is estimated to cost \$1.6 million, Joel said, of which state and federal grants cover 95 percent of the cost.

"The economic benefit to the city of Clinton is more than the few cents on the dollar it cost the city to improve the facility," Joel said.

City administrator Cristy Maggi is still working out the final agreements with the contractor, Joel said, but they hope to start construction in the next 60 days. The City of Clinton owns the airport property, the runways and the navigational aids. Decisions are made by the city and a board of six citizens, the Clinton Airport Association. Wallace White, the former airport manager, and Maggi put a lot of work into the project, Joel said. They chose the engineer that designed the Rolla, Mo., airport terminal, because they liked that design. One change was adding floor-length windows, so people would have a good view of planes coming in to land.

Folks flying into the Clinton Regional Airport in the last three months included auctioneers working at the Cook farm equipment sales. Some planes used the smaller crosswind runway while work was

being done on the longer one, he said.

As airport manager, Joel informed pilots that Runway 18/36 was closed by adding a voice message on AWOS, the Automatic Weather Observing System, which provides continuous, real-time information to pilots landing at an airport that doesn't have a tower.

Joel was also required to post the runway closure on the FAA's NOTAM, which used to stand for "Notices to Airmen," but has been changed

to "Notices to Air Missions." During the runway upgrade, a 40-foot wide bright yellow "X" was put on the ground at the ends of the runway, so it was visible from the air. The "X" was removed when the project was completed on Sept. 20.

Joel, who is from Pickwick Lake, Tenn., has a degree in aerospace management. He replaced Wallace White, who retired, as airport manager last June. Joel hopes to offer fresh-baked chocolate-chip cookies at the new terminal, an amenity offered at some regional airports, he said. The terminal will be completed sometime in 2024, he said.

In other airport news: when the large hangar that was used by the sky-diving company becomes available, it will be an attractive draw to a company that needs a hangar large enough for a corporate aircraft, he said.

The condition of the airport is one of two major factors in a business' decision to locate to a town, he said, the other being how close it is to the interstate. In addition to corporate business activity, Clinton Regional Airport serves aerial agricultural sprayers, the armed forces, medical facilities, and search and rescue operations. It also offers recreational flying and flight training opportunities.

Runway 18/36 should be good for another 10 to 20 years, Joel said.

"The next time a pilot asks the condition of Runway 36," he said, "my reply will be 'perfect.'"

Theatre And Dance Presents  
Mainstage Play 'Everybody'

Get ready for innovative and entertaining stage performances as University of Central Missouri (UCM) Theatre and Dance presents the mainstage play, "Everybody," by Branden Jacobs-Jenkins at the James L. Highlander Theatre. The play takes place at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 28-30; and at 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 30 and Sunday, Oct. 1.

A show that deals with mature themes and adult language, "Everybody" is a contemporary take on the

15th-century play "Everyman" that explores the universal experience of mortality. "Everybody" delves into the unknown in a way never before seen on the Highlander stage. Each night, five of the 10 actors will walk on stage oblivious of their role in the show. Early in the play, the role of Everybody, an individual character, will be decided by lottery, thus making each night different than the one before, and representing how death comes for every man. The story follows Everybody as they journey through the greatest mystery — the meaning of life. While facing this daunting fact, the performers also will wrestle with Death, a physical persona of it, that is, and face the fear of their looming demise. Filled with humor, wit and profound insights, the modern play delves into existential questions about life, death and the choices we make along the way. "Everybody" appeals to something in, well, everybody.

When asked about the production, Jenise Cook, the play's director, stated: "You will want to join us for every performance. The show utilizes a lottery system so there are many different outcomes for our show. Each night will have a different spin on Everybody and showcase a totally different show."

During the matinee on Sunday, Oct. 1, UCM Theatre and Dance will present its Pay-What-You-Can performance. Audiences may choose to pay any amount, \$1 or above, for a ticket. Additionally, for the Thursday evening performance, ASL interpreters will be provided. New this year, all tickets for UCM Theatre and Dance productions are free for UCM students upon showing their UCM student ID. Tickets are also free for active military, veterans, and military families upon purchasing at the Theatre and Dance Box



Office with a military ID.

The cast includes: Jen White, Riley Given, Caleb Klaus, Raegan Weber and Paige Showen as the "Somebodies", Grace'e Carr as Death, Rosalyn Schuster as Usher/God/Understanding, Madison Keep as Friendship/Love, Alannah Trigg as Kinship/Time, Austin Cecil as Cousin/Evil, Molly Jones as Stuff, and Sophie Heathcock as Girl.

The production team includes: Director, Jenise Cook; Assistant Director, Stephanie Heathcock; Stage Manager, Emily Meehan; Assistant Stage Manager, Joe Devero; Lighting and Sound Design, Aleksandra Combs; Assistant Lighting Design, Braeden Sholes; Scenic Design/Technical Direction, Spencer Musser; Costume, Hair and Makeup Designer, Cassie Kay Hoppas; Property Design, Wes Freeman, Light Board Operation, McKenna Sanford; Sound Board Operation, Samuel Fischer; Sound Crew, Raegan Medlock; Publicity/Marketing Director, Dr. Aaron Scully; Social Media Marketing Specialist, Shanna Sinow; Graduate Shop Assistant, Dalima Kapten; Box Office Managers: Finn Juliano and Keyvon Lewis; Office Professional, Lars Jepsen; Office Student Assistants, Shanna Sinow and Grace Clark.

Free parking to attend the performance in the Highlander Theatre is available in the parking lot on Clark Street directly south of the theatre. Individuals who have questions about the production are asked to please contact Dr. Aaron Scully at [ascully@ucmo.edu](mailto:ascully@ucmo.edu) or call the UCM Theatre and Dance main office at 660-543-4020.

Tickets are available at the UCM Theatre and Dance office in Martin 113 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday, by calling 660-543-8811 or online at <https://ucmboxoffice.universitytickets.com>. Anyone who has questions about tickets should please call 660-543-8811 or email [boxoffice@ucmo.edu](mailto:boxoffice@ucmo.edu).

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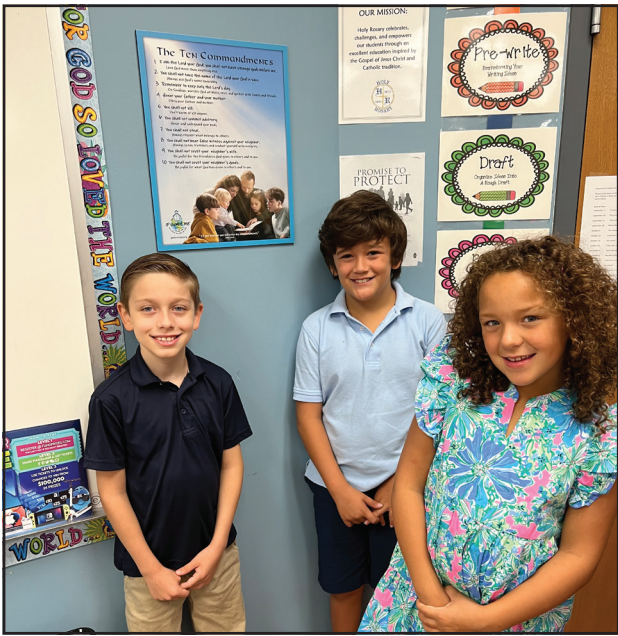
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## 'If U Love Me' Program At Holy Rosary



LEVI, XAVIER AND ELLE show off the Ten Commandments plaque displayed in Holy Rosary School.

Holy Rosary School is participating in the 'If U Love Me' program. It is designed to reteach the Ten Commandments to help students and families learn them and live by them. Each student received a family kit which included a family activity and booklet to help them learn the commandments. They also have access to the If U Love website where they can

use the resources provided. Ten Commandment plaques were placed in the school entrance and in each classroom. Teachers will focus on one or two commandments per month throughout the school year. We started with the first commandment "I am the Lord your God; you shall not have strange gods before me."

## Holy Rosary School Receives Grant

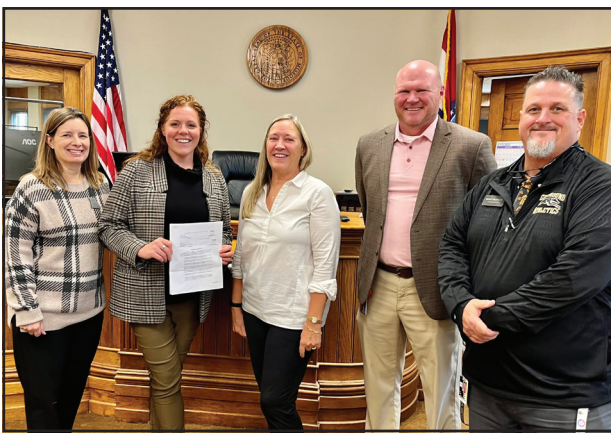


XAVIER, REED, AND LUKE learning from the new Wonders Reading Series which was purchased with grant money from the Truman Lake Community Foundation.

Holy Rosary School received a grant of \$5000 from the Truman Lake Community Foundation in the August 2022 grant cycle. The grant money was used to purchase a new Reading Series for third and fourth grades. We

received the books over the summer and began using them this fall. We are very excited to have the Wonders Reading Series. It uses the latest research based strategies for teaching reading and writing.

## Money Seized In Drug Case To Henry County Schools



CIRCUIT COURT CLERK Wendi McGhee, left, with Prosecuting Attorney LaChrisha Gray, Henry County Treasurer Ann Julian, Clinton School Superintendent Brian Wishard, and Windsor School Superintendent Brad Hunter were all on hand for presentation of monies to each school.

The Henry County Prosecuting Attorney's Office announces that \$3015.47 has been collected for the Capital School Fund of Henry County. Circuit Court Clerk Wendi McGhee, Henry County Treasurer Ann Julian, Prosecuting Attorney LaChrisha Gray, Clinton School Superintendent Brian Wishard, and Windsor School Superintendent Brad Hunter attended the transfer of money.

In 2017, a trooper with the Missouri State Highway Patrol seized \$2,840 from Tyler Dumm after Dumm was found to be in possession of several bags of different controlled substances and the large sum of cash. In 2021, Dumm pled guilty to his charge associated with that arrest and was sentenced to seven years in the Missouri Department of Corrections. Subsequently, in 2022, the

Circuit Court ordered that the cash money seized be forfeited and the proceeds be distributed to the Capital School Fund, which is dispersed to all the school districts of Henry County.

Thereafter, the Missouri State Highway Patrol, in 2023, provided those funds and the interest it had earned back to Henry County.

## All Council Members Present For Two Personal Appearances

BY LUKE EDWARDS  
Staff Reporter

The Clinton City Council met in open session September 19, at city hall. All members of the council were present; Mayor Carla Moberly presided. Following roll call and the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance, the previous meeting's minutes were accepted. There were two personal appearances:

Joanne Ray spoke first to the council – she spoke about concerns that the ditch in front of her home was not able to be maintained (by her) and asked for city assistance in the matter. She told the council that she and her husband had significant health issues and the erosion of the ditch over time has made it dangerous for her



DAIN SISK (Henry County Coroner) spoke to the council to raise awareness for the rise in pedestrian accidents in town – especially around the North Junction.

to keep trimmed. In addition to the road-side ditch issue, she also reported problems with a water leak  
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## JIM FALK MOTORS IS HIRING PART TIME DRIVERS!

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**ROBERT LENNIE  
"BOB" EASTON**

Robert Lennie "Bob" Easton, 77, of Clinton, Missouri passed away Saturday, September 16, 2023 at the St. Luke's Medical Center in Kansas City, Mo. He was born October 7, 1945 in Haverhill, New Hampshire, the son of Charles Henry Easton, Jr., and Doris Irene (Dumais) Easton.

Bob married Linda June McMillian in Branson, Mo., on May 23, 1968. She survives of the home.

He was a veteran of the United States Navy, having served in Vietnam as a combat medic, and spent 20 years as a United States Navy Hospital Corpsman, retiring in June, 1985. Following his retirement from the Navy, he was the Emergency Management Director for Henry County, Mo., for 25 years, receiving multiple certifications in Emergency Management. Bob was a member of the Catholic faith, meeting John Paul, II on Guam, when Bob would bring patients to be blessed when the Pope visited Guam. Bob and Linda's two sons were also blessed. He was a lifetime member and quartermaster with the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post 1894, Clinton; the American Red Cross and was a volunteer fireman. He enjoyed model building and collecting, house renovating, photography, volunteering and helping wherever needed, and a variety of music.

In addition to his wife, surviving are two sons, Aaron Wayne Easton, Columbia, Mo., and Devin Shaun Easton, Clinton, Mo.; two grandchildren, Zoey Marie Easton and Allie Nichole Easton; one brother, Charles H. Easton, III; two sisters, Donna (Easton) Sharkey Moyer and Linda (Easton) Vitale; sister-in-law, Sharon Kay Verburgt, many loving members of his extended family, special friend Sam Gibbons and members of the VFW, Post 1894, Clinton.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Funeral services will be at 11:00 a.m. Monday, September 25, 2023 at the Bradley & Hadley Funeral Home, Clinton. The family will receive friends from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m., just prior to the funeral service. Mr. Easton will lie in state Sunday from noon to 6:00 p.m. at the funeral home. Interment will be in the Englewood Cemetery. Military services will be at the grave under the direction of the Clinton Veterans of Foreign Wars, Post 1894. Memorial contributions or condolences may be left with the Bradley & Hadley Funeral Home, www.bradleyhadley.com..

**Death  
Notices**

**Steven Robert Jensen** died Tues, Sept. 19, 2023. A Celebration of Life was held Sat, Sept. 23, 2023 at the Clinton Ward Church (297 NW 40th Rd Clinton, MO) from 11am-2pm. A short service took place at 1:30pm. Inurnment was in Wellsville, Utah after a Celebration of Life was held there with the family. Arrangements have been entrusted with Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

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**Thomas Malloy, 51,** died Wed, Sept. 20, 2023. There are no services scheduled at this time. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

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**George Perry, 82,** Columbia, IL., died Mon., Sept. 18, 2023. Funeral Service was 11am Sept. 23, 2023

Hill & Son Funeral Home, Appleton City, MO. Visitation was 9:30-11am Sept. 23, 2023, preceding service. Burial was at Appleton City Cem, Appleton City, MO.

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**Carrol Kay Rotert, 80,** died Thur, Sept. 21, 2023. The Rosary: 7pm Thur, Sept. 28, 2023 at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Montrose, MO with visitation following until 8:30pm. Funeral Mass: 10:30am Fri, Sept. 29, 2023 also at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church. Burial to follow in Englewood Cemetery in Clinton, MO. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

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**Jason Burwell, 42,** died Mon, Sept. 25, 2023. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO and are pending at this time.

**Calhoun UMC**

Welcome to the Good News from Calhoun Methodist. Our church family gathers at 9:30 a.m. for pre-church food and fellowship. We use this special time for visiting one with another, welcoming Guests as they arrive for Worship, and signing cards for our card ministry. We ring the church bell at 9:45 to proclaim that all God's children are welcome to join us for worship at 10:00 a.m.

We lift up friends, neighbors, and relatives in need of prayer Rev. Jackson Short and wife Sondra, Patty Dump, Jean Dittmer, and Millie Redding. 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 Calhoun Community Church on the square in Calhoun, Mo. Joys to celebrate: We are thankful for cooler weather, and the 3+ inches of rain received the end of last week. Barbara Colwell was pleased to announce successful cataract surgery this past week and looking forward to having the other eye done in Oct. We are pleased to note that Sondra Short is adjusting well to her new surroundings. Each week we are one step closer to bring Calhoun Community Church into reality for our small group. Guest this morning was Tonya and Wes Conner. We are sponsoring a Gospel

Sing September 30th at 6:00 p.m. on the City Hall yard, bring your lawn chairs and join us for this event. Check face book for more details.

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.

**First Baptist**

On Sunday, Pastor Pat Findley delivered the 2nd message of his fall sermon series, Weakness is Greater than Strength, titled 'Whispers in the Winepress'. Pastor Pat described how the angel of God spoke to Gideon in Judges 6:11-16, and how Gideon questioned how God saw him and his ability to accomplish what God was asking of him. When this angel visited Gideon, he was in hiding, in a winepress, terrified of the Midianites. Then the angel greeted him, saying "The Lord is with you, mighty warrior." Gideon did not label himself a warrior, and this story reminds us of how we live in a world that labels ourselves and others. Sometimes the most difficult labels we face are those we've given ourselves. In order to come out of hiding, we must deny the lies that arise from inside. What are we telling ourselves? As we process things in our minds, are we being honest with ourselves? God doesn't intend to call us to do something that He doesn't intend to help us with. When we realize our weakness,

God's strength allows us to accomplish the things He's asked us to do. If He calls us, we must walk in faith, trusting Him to help us. The Bible teaches us to take ev-

ery thought captive. When we renew our minds, we may begin to hear God's voice more clearly. Let God's voice be the loudest voice in your life!

Beginning October 1st, Sunday worship service times will change to 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. and Sunday School will then be offered in 2 times slots: 8:15 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. Youth and Children's Ministries will align with these times. Celebrate Recovery is on Tuesday evenings, beginning at 5:30 p.m., for anyone with hurts, habits and hangups. On Thursdays at 6 pm, GriefShare provides help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member, or friend. For more information and upcoming events, please visit www.firstbaptistclinton.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**

Praise the name of God in whose image you and I were made. God is merciful. He listens, forgives, and gives love and peace to us. Begin each morning grateful for your blessings and show compassion to others. Dr. David Maggi brought the message on Sunday. Using Luke 15: 11 - 32 as his text he delivered a sermon titled What Did You Expect?. Gay Smith displayed her musical talent playing "Anthem of Fellowship" by Althouse.

The results of the "Cut & Tie" work day are hanging in the foyer. Brightly colored fleece throws numbering 12 were created for the Festival of Sharing "Blankets of Love" project. In addition, donations of prescription glasses, garden seeds, Best Choice labels and school supplies continue to collect. This yearly mission project ends September 30th and will be delivered to their destination soon.

Tai Chi classes meet here each Monday and Wednesday at 10:00 am. Tai Chi helps strengthen your core and improve balance. There is room for you.

Are you looking for a church home? We would love to have you. A friendly group of people will welcome you and make you feel at home. If unable to attend in person our broadcasts are also available online at our website: fpccolintonmo.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.

**Friendly Pentecostal Church  
"YAHOO, FOR ME?"**

Jesus came for us! He left Heaven behind, temporarily, for you & I. He prepares a place for us! Jesus invested Himself for us! Where He is, we will be also!

Jesus has something for us! He is mindful of each one of us. He prepares a place for us. He is coming again, after us! Just for us!! There will be no more aches, pain, or tears!

Our quality of life is not just for us but for the people around us. If we have a relationship with Jesus, we are going to a place especially prepared for us!

Papa God, we believe because Your Word tells us that You have a place especially prepared just for us!!

Read ... John chapter 17, John 1:1, John 14:2-3

These truths should pulverize anything we have to suffer here on earth. Jesus has something for us! He is mindful of each one of us. He prepares a place for us. He is coming again, after us! Just for us!! There will be no more aches, pain, or tears! He is Lord!

1 Corinthians 2:9.

Jesus has something for us! He is mindful of each one of us. He prepares a place for us. He is coming again, after us! Just for us!! Revelation 21 :4 says, "He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away."

Be a friend of God & be encouraged today, for anything is possible with God! Matthew 19:26."

Romans 10:9-10.

If you do not have a place of worship, Pastor Jim & Brenda want to invite you to Friendly Pentecostal Church Sundays at 10:30 am. Have a blessed week!!

**Mt. Calvary  
Apostolic Pentecostal  
"YOU JUDAS"**

Scriptures: Luke 22:1-6, 2 Samuel 11:14-17, Luke 22:21-23, Luke 22:54-57, John 12:6

Betray: to deliver or expose to an enemy by treachery or disloyalty

Regarding people who betray; King David was not loyal to his subject, Urriah, he seduced Urriah's wife and got her pregnant.

He tried to cover up this betrayal by having Urriah spend time with his wife, which Urriah refused to do. Urriah was very loyal to David. David had Uriah killed to further cover his deceit. Urriah had no idea the letter he carried to one of the officers was a kill order for him.

Peter denied Knowing Jesus. It says in Luke 22:54-57

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Luke 22:54-57.

There was a question as to why Judas wasn't forgiven for his betrayal of Jesus.

While the others were forgiven.

The difference is this. David and Peter asked for forgiveness. Judas, like the others, had every opportunity to ask for forgiveness. He took the coins back, though they would not take them back, he left them there.

Judas, though he was a disciple, was stealing money from Christ's purse. His heart was far from the Lord. He was a thief before he became a disciple.

John 12:6.

Judas's love for money made it easy for Satan to enter. He had a choice, he did not have to betray Jesus. If he had refused to do it, the others still would have found a reason to kill Jesus.

Judas's death was a part of God's plan. When the men would not take the blood money back, he left it there and went and hanged himself. ( Matthew 27:5)

In trying to hang himself, The rope did not hang him. Instead, his body fell and he was disemboweled. God disembowed those who were disobedient to him.

Peter, David, and Paul acknowledged their wrong and asked God to forgive them. Judas had every opportunity to ask for forgiveness but did not.

There is no reason for us to miss heaven. God gave us the Holy Spirit to lead, guide, and perfect us because we cannot do it on our own.

We must check our heart posture; what is our motivation, attitude, and behavior? Do we have an attitude of reverence for God? Or do we have an attitude of pride? Whatever our heart posture is dictates our lives.

God is quick to forgive us when we ask for it and repent. To repent is to turn away from that thing that goes against God. He sanctifies us which makes us pure and righteous. We need to discern everything through the spirit. The question is are you going to be faithful to God or will you betray him?

God Bless.

**Trinity  
Lutheran**

Some Lutherans may be a little hesitant to invite a friend to church. Why? Because in today's plugged-in world, the Divine Service is not what most people are expecting to find. The traditional liturgy can be confusing at first for those who are unfamiliar with it. It's designed for worship, not to entertain. It is worship, not a music concert. The Divine Service is different, but in a good way!

Sure, visitors might feel a little lost at first. Why is the pastor dressed like that? The liturgy? What's that? Organ music? Where's the praise band? Where are the electric guitars and drum sets? Why is there so much emphasis on confession of sins and the need for God's forgiveness? What a downer! I don't want to attend a church that makes me feel bad! Where is the worship leader? How come I haven't heard any of these songs on the radio? Doesn't the altar, baptismal font and the Christ candle at the front of church get in the way of all the musical instruments and religious dancers?

The truth is, the historic, traditional Lutheran liturgy is the best kind of evangelism. During Divine Service, we learn that God loves us. The liturgy reminds us that we sin much daily, and about our need for God's forgiveness. In the ancient creeds we learn and confess that Jesus was born of

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**CHURCH cont.**.....  
the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried, but He rose from the dead and now sits at the right hand of the Father, and He will come again one day to judge both the living and the dead. Those who believe in Him and are baptized will be saved. Law and gospel. It's a beautiful story proclaimed every Sunday. Come and join us this Sunday and experience for yourself the power and joy of Lutheran worship and the Divine Service. The Holy Spirit will meet you there to create and strengthen your faith unto life everlasting. Amen.

## Urich Baptist

It was a nice autumn day to worship the Lord. Clint Keeney rang the church bell. Mrs. Julia Klinefelter led in the congregational singing with Mrs. Dixie Collins playing piano. Randy Vogt and Clint Keeney collected the offering. The scripture passage from interim Pastor Steve Sowell was from John 16:16-24. In this passage Jesus was telling the Disciples what was going to happen to him, but they were confused. He told them they would mourn and then have joy when they understood. (verse 24- "Until now you have not asked for anything in my name. Ask and you will receive, and your joy will be complete.") Believe in Jesus and be blessed, have joy, and eternal life.

## Valley Center United

For the Lord is good and his love endures forever, his faithfulness continues through all generations. Where ever you are in life, our doors are open and affirming for all to come join us for worship on Sunday morning at 9 am.

Much work and planning for annual Oktoberfest on October 14th is underway! Serving begins at 3 pm. There is always delicious food and wonderful fellowship to enjoy!! We hope to see you all there!

Congratulations to our minister, Rev. Dane Sommer, for his 45th anniversary of his Ordination into the ministry. We have been blessed to have him as our teacher, preacher and friend for 35 years here at the Valley Center Church.

We send our prayers to Steve and Kim Meszaros for the passing of Steve's sister from Cancer. We send prayers to Bob Neuenschwander who is facing surgery soon and to all those facing health issues. We pray for peace, love and understanding everywhere.

The lesson from the parable about the workers in a vineyard tells us that we should not feel slighted or entitled. The workers in the story felt like that they were being slighted and deserved more pay even when they each received equally what they had bargained for.

In God's eyes, we all are equal. We are all born with a certain similarity, but at times we see people do things that are harmful and chosen to be something they shouldn't. The good news is that we do not need to address any of that, God will take care of it! Do not be distracted by others! The joy comes when we focus on what we are to do and on how we live our lives. Our responsibility lies in what we do.

A good question to ask ourselves is, if we judge others, are we questioning God and what his plans are for them? Are we looking so hard at other's choices that we forget to follow our own path? Our loving Father gives each of us the opportunity to follow his plan that he has laid out for each of us and to become good stewards.

Prayer of invocation:

O great and gracious god, we give thanks for the opportunity to proclaim a bold and confident faith. Send your holy spirit to us that we might remove all doubt of thought and hesitation of act as we provide service to all who are in need and proclaim the good gospel to all corners of our world.

IN JESUS' NAME WE PRAY, AMEN.

## THE LITTLE APPLE

SEPTEMBER 20, 2023

The annual Community Block Party, sponsored by Ellett Memorial Hospital and A.C. Clinic, will be 9:00 - 2:00 Saturday, September 30, 2023.

Did you know that the EMH Community Block Party offers affordable yearly lab work? Lab tests available include: BMP/TSH, BMP/Lipid Panel/TSH, Hemoglobin A1C, and PSA. Prices range from \$15-\$30 per test. In addition, several healthcare vendors will have booths at the Block Party. Vendors include: AC Manor, St. Clair Co Health Center, ProMedica Heartland Hospice, Compass Health, Compass Dental, Life Flight Eagle, Butler Rehab and Healthcare Center, West Central, Good Shepherd Hospice, Hospice Compassus, Physician's Medical, Golden Valley Home Health/Hospice, On My Own, St. Croix Hospice, and Clayton's Heartfelt In-Home Healthcare. Follow on Facebook for more info at EMHCommunityBlockParty

A Pulled Pork Fund Raising meal for the Rockville Cemetery will be held at the Rockville Methodist Church Fellowship Hall starting at 5:00 p.m. on September 30. Free will donations will be accepted. All proceeds go to the Rockville Cemetery Association. There will be a raffle for either a quilt or a gift certificate for a gun shop. Raffle tickets are \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00. The drawing will be at 7:00 p.m. You do not have to be there to win. For more information, please call 660-679-1809.

The AC FBLA will host Pink Night this year at the Volleyball Game on October 5, the Football Game on October 6, and the Basketball Game TBD. The theme this year is: "Beat Out Cancer, Keep the Music Going". The theme

for their Community Service Project was chosen to honor Jeanette Hill who has given many years of service to the school and community. All proceeds this year will be going to her to assist with expenses as she continues her treatment against this disease. If you wish to order a t-shirt or hoodie please place your order by September 22 by contacting Mrs. Freemyer at pfreemyer@appletoncity.k12.mo.us. FBLA is also putting together a picture tribute board to honor Jeanette and they welcome any pictures that you would like displayed. Please e-mail pictures to pfreemyer@appletoncity.k12.mo.us no later than September 30. Thank you for your support in the fight against cancer.

Living Waters Ranch, Osceola, Missouri, will have a FREE Annual Fall Festival, October 7, 11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. rain or shine. Come out for a full day of family friendly fun, including pumpkins, Balloon Lady (noon-4:00 p.m.), hayride, Zip Line off the bluff, special music, archery, outdoor games, giant slide, barrel train, BB guns with the Sheriff's Dept., photo ops, and more! No outside food or drinks, please. Concessions will be available for purchase. Food, T-shirts, and novelties are also available for purchase. Contact Joyce Brown for more information and to RSVP. If you would like to make a donation, that would be very helpful in LWR meeting their needs for this fall and winter. All donations are tax deductible, as LWR is a 501c3 nonprofit organization. You can contact Joyce Brown, Founder/Director, at 660.924.6890, email: livingwatersranch@gmail.com, or mail donations to Living Waters Ranch, 4520 SE 450 Road, Osceola, Missouri 64776. Living Waters Ranch

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sept 26-28 Appleton City residential fall cleanup  
Sept 30 Ellett Memorial Hospital Block Party 9:00 - 2:00  
Sept 30 Pulled Pork Fund Raising meal for the Rockville Cemetery at the Rockville Methodist Church Fellowship Hall

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| Steers, Med, & Lg. Frame #                               | Heifers, Med, & Lg. Frame #1                           |
|----------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| 300-400 lbs. \$330 - 357.50                              | 300-400 lbs. \$260 - 298                               |
| 400-500 lbs. \$320 - 328                                 | 400-500 lbs. \$258 - 280                               |
| 500-600 lbs. \$300 - 321                                 | 500-600 lbs. \$245 - 276                               |
| 600-700 lbs. \$270 - 294                                 | 600-700 lbs. \$237 - 264                               |
| 700-800 lbs. \$258 - 271                                 | 700-800 lbs. \$228 - 250                               |
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## Municipal Court

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9/12/2023  
Arraignments

Adrianna Nicole Arreola, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$191.55; Operate Motor Vehicle In Careless And Imprudent Manner, Suspended Imposition of Sent.; Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

Jason Jay Bernal, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50 and Court Cost

Steven F Brady, Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

Theron Maddox Castle, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

Kathlyn Nichole Cornett, Fail To Obey Traffic Control Devices, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$60.50

Eliseo Perez Cortez, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$166.50; Operate Vehicle On Highway Without Valid Or No License, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

Jonah Lee Hagelin, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (6-10 Mph Over), Defendant sentenced to Fine \$60.50 and Court Cost

Helen Haggard, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

Brayden Keith Isabell, Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$191.50

Claudia Jaeger, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (6-10 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$60.50

Eloy Marroquin Hinojosa, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

John David Mead, Defective Equipment, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$191.50

Autumn Storm Wilcox, Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50; Failure To Produce License On Demand, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

Susan Diane Witherpoon, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

James Conrad Workman, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

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9/19/2023

Arraignments

James Christopher Adams, Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

Kimberly Dawn Bicknell, Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

Bryan C Blankenship, Failure To Produce License On Demand, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

Bryan Blankenship, Failed To Register Vehicle, Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50 and Court Cost

Terry Jon Carter, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (11-15 Mph Over), Defendant sentenced to Fine \$70.50 and Court Cost

Albert Jacob Davis, Defective Equipment, Defendant sentenced to Fine \$191.50 and Court Cost; Defective Equipment, Defendant sentenced to Fine \$191.50 and Court Cost

Alexah Dawn Demoure, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50 and Court Cost; Failed To Register Vehicle, Defendant sentenced to

Fine \$50.50 and Court Cost

Harish Gogineni, Operate Motor Vehicle In Careless And Imprudent Manner, Defendant sentenced to Fine \$166.50 and Court Cost; Failed To Register Vehicle, Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50 and Court Cost

Paul L. Goerlich Jr, Failed To Register Vehicle, Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50 and Court Cost

Cameron David Harrison, 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

Michael J. Jurdan, Fail To Yield To Approaching Veh When Entering/ Crossing Hwy From Alley/Driveway, Defendant sentenced to Fine \$60.50 and Court Cost

Waqar Khurshid, Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$66.50

Zayne Wallis Koth, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

James Edward Landis, Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Defendant sentenced to Fine \$191.50 and Court Cost

Emma Cheyenne Macwilliam, Peace Disturbance, Defendant sentenced to Fine \$166.50 and Court Cost

Olivia Joy Parker, Defective Equipment, Defendant sentenced to Fine \$191.50 and Court Cost

Sarai Jasmine Reyes, Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50; Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (11-15 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$70.50

Derric Michael Sheek, Fail To Obey Traffic Control Devices, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$60.50

Brett Wiley Stegall, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

Jaime Lynn Walker, 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; No Headlights When Required, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

Sarai Jasmine Reyes, Failed To Register Vehicle, Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50; Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Count 1 - Defendant sentenced to Fine \$50.50

## Highway Patrol

**Warrensburg, Missouri, Man Arrested For Possession Of Child Pornography And Sexual Exploitation Of A Child**

The Missouri State Highway Patrol's Division of Drug and Crime Control announces the arrest of John P. Skelly, 47, of Warrensburg, Missouri. Skelly was arrested on September 20, 2023, for one count of promoting child pornography, three counts of possession of child pornography, and one count of sexual exploitation of a child, following an investigation by the Division of Drug and Crime Control's Digital Forensics Investigations Unit.

On Wednesday, September 20, 2023, investigators executed a search warrant at Skelly's residence in Warrensburg, Missouri. During the execution of the search warrant, investigators discovered child pornography on Skelly's cellular telephone and computer. Skelly was interviewed and admitted to having downloaded and shared child pornography, using his electronic devices. Following the interview, Skelly was placed under arrest and transported to the Johnson County jail where he was held, pending the filing of formal charges. On September 21, 2023, the Johnson County Prosecuting Attorney's Office formally charged Skelly with one count of promoting

child pornography, three counts of possession of child pornography, and one count of sexual exploitation of a child. Skelly is currently being held in the Johnson County Jail on a \$50,000 cash only bond. The Warrensburg (Missouri) Police Department assisted in the investigation.

The Division of Drug and Crime Control encourages internet users to promptly report to the Patrol or local law enforcement anyone who attempts to engage in unwanted, inappropriate, or sexualized communications with children.

The above charges are mere accusation and are not evidence of guilt. Evidence in support of these charges must be presented before a court of competent jurisdiction whose duty is to determine guilt or innocence.

## Property Transfers

GAIL A. PERRYMANN  
9/1/2023

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/01/2023 Between Coker, Melinda Gay & Coker, Howard Harlen Jr, Grantor, And Moark Partners LLC, Grantee, Lots 17, 18 Weden Majors Survey To Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/01/2023 Between Complete Projects LLC, Grantor, And Grubb, Shannon , Grantee, Lot 3 Phoenix Square Addition Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/01/2023 Between Brown, David Michael, Gansell, Elisa, Brown, Daniel Richard, Howerton, Debra A & Howerton, Jim , Grantor, And Howerton, Debra Ann & Howerton, Jim, Grantee, 15-43-26

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/01/2023 Between Wolf, Robert G, Grantor, And Frydenlumd, Monique, Grantee, 17-42-27

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/01/2023 Between RLA Land LLC, Grantor, And Zollicker Oil Co., Inc. , Grantee, Lots 1, 2 Block 8 Railroad Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/01/2023 Between Kilean Investments LLC, Grantor, And Tightwad 2020 LLC, Grantee, Lot 15, 16 Salmon And Owens Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/01/2023 Between Wolf, Robert G, Grantor, And Gridiron Construction LLC, Grantee, 17-42-27

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/01/2023 Between Jackson, Anna L (Trust), Grantor, And Taylor, Logan S & Taylor, Sheila A , Grantee, Lots 7, 8 Block 29 Ot Montrose

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/05/2023 Between Strothmann, Wayne P & Strothmann, Denise A, Grantor, And Brzuchalski, Gary & Brzuchalski, Kristina, Grantee, Lot 2 Shadow Hill At Deer Creek Second Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/05/2023 Between Pennymac Loan Services, LLC, Grantor, And Secretary Of Veterans Affairs, Grantee, Lot 4 Block D Sunrise Addition To Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/06/2023 Between Evans, Clinton L, Grantor, And Long, Jill, Grantee, Lot 24 Fairground Addition Clinton

9/8/2023

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/08/2023 Between Olson, Jaye & Olson, Marcia L, Grantor, And Olson, Jaye & Olson, Marcia L, Grantee, 16-42-25, Lot 28 Weavers Addition Clinton, Lot 5 Priceland Addition No 1 Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/08/2023 Between Klocke, Kenneth R, Grantor, And Dirlam, Michael P & Dirlam, Brooke M, Grantee, Lots 1, 2, 5, 6 Hickory Hollow First Addition

Warranty Deed Entered

Into On 09/11/2023 Between O'neal, Bill & O'neal, Aleta, Grantor, And Lewellen Sally K (Trust), Grantee, Lot 7 L.w. Seamans Half Acre And Acre Addition To Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/11/2023 Between Johnson, Tracy & Johnson, Todd , Grantor, And Johnson Living Trust, Grantee, 15-40-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/11/2023 Between Johnson, Tracy Lynn & Johnson, Todd Allen, Grantor, And Johnson Living Trust, Grantee, 16-41-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/12/2023 Between C22, LLC, Grantor, And Smith, Melissa Renee, Grantee, 22-41-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/12/2023 Between Ricketts, Pamela & Ricketts, Michael, Grantor, And Gibson, Nicholas & Gibson, Kyla, Grantee, Block 11 Ot Ulrich

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/14/2023 Between Willett, William L & Willett, Melba J , Grantor, And Michael, Melissa R & Willett, David Alan, Grantee, Lot 19 Dillon Creek Sub

9/15/2023

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/15/2023 Between Little, Jeremy & Little, Ashley, Grantor, And Briggs, Kelly S & Albin, Sherri L, Grantee, 6-41-26

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/15/2023 Between Strophe, Marlyn (Trust), Grantor, And FFF Farms LLC, Grantee, 6-40-28

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/15/2023 Between Strophe, James L (Trust), Grantor, And Fajen, Sherly L & Bogue, Kimberly, Grantee, 6-40-28, 8-40-28

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/15/2023 Between Aylor, Quintin E, Grantor, And Hannah, Samantha N, Grantee, 3-42-28

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/15/2023 Between Martinez, Brandon & Martinez, Kathrine, Grantor, And Atwood, Debbie Ann Atwood, Mitchell Scott, Grantee, Lot 15 Harris Sub Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/15/2023 Between Schussler, Keith V & Schussler, Mary Lou, Grantor, And Westhusing, Jared & Westhusing, Amanda, Grantee, Lots 1-4, 39-46, 61-64 Germantown

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/15/2023 Between Berney, Travis & Berney, Jessica, Grantor, And Parth, Frank R (Trust), Grantee, 23-43-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/15/2023 Between Hills, Robert Duane & Hill, Suzette, Grantor, And Martinez, Katherine & Martinez, Brandon, Grantee, 12-42-27

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/15/2023 Between Strukel, John H & Strukel, Elizabeth Mae, Grantor, And Smith, Duane K & Smith, Stephanie K, Grantee, Lot 7-1 Meadows V Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/18/2023 Between Knifong, Janet K., Grantor, And Shumate, Grace E & Gibson, Michael W, Grantee, Lot 42 Glendale Second Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/18/2023 Between Clearfork Holdings, LLC, Grantor, And Gudenkauf, Judith C (Trust), Grantee, 3-43-28

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/18/2023 Between Clinton Man Cave LLC, Grantor, And Drunken Sailor LLC The, Grantee, Lot 46 Ot Clinton, Lots 56, 61 Ot Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/18/2023 Between Mills, James Kenneth & Mills, Diane, Grantor, And Mills, James K (Trust) & Mills, Diane (Trust), Grantee, 3-42-24, 8-42-24, 9-42-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/19/2023 Between Webb-Drummond, Kelly A & Kempke, Roger L, Grantor, And Bregg, Jeffrey C, Grantee, Lot 7 Block A

Sunrise Addition To Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/19/2023 Between Gould, Dana M, Gould, William D, Butterwick, Patrick & Butterwick, Brandy E, Grantor, And Forrest, Michael, Grantee, Lot 7 Allen And Cisels First Sub Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/19/2023 Between 23 Commission LLC The, Grantor, And Bailey, Mark E & Smith, Alea R, Grantee, 7-40-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/20/2023 Between Haskin, David L & Haskin, Kristy, Grantor, And Haskin, David L (Trust) & Haskin, Kristy K (Trust), Grantee, Lot 26, 27 First Revision Southview Second Addition Sub Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/20/2023 Between Porter, Charles Clayton & Porter, Melissa Boucher, Grantor, And Davis, Stuart C & Davis, Pamela B, Grantee, Lot 9 Ridge View Sub

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/20/2023 Between Holt, Keith L, Grantor, And Evans, Joseph B & Evans, Angele B, Grantee, Lot 7 Oakwood Sub

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/20/2023 Between Entrop, Harold F, Grantor, And Homan, Crystallynn, Grantee, Lot 12 Glendale Addition To Clinton, Lot 12 Glendale Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/20/2023 Between JMI Properties, LLC, Grantor, And Kozlova, Ekaterina, Grantee, Lots 2, 3 Block 1 Averys Addition To Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/21/2023 Between Huskie, Summer, Grantor, And Moloski, Alvyssa, Grantee, Lots 13, 14 Block 2 Fifth Addition Sky Village, 1-40-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/21/2023 Between Pyle, Rick (Trust), Grantor, And Elm Street Rentals, Llc, Grantee, Lot 12 Boyers First Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/21/2023 Between Wisner, Tonya Lynn & Wisner, Christopher, Grantor, And C&C Exterior Solutions LLC, Grantee, Lot 23 Averys Second Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/21/2023 Between C&C Exterior Solutions LLC, Grantor, And 231 South Main Street Owner I LLC, Grantee, Lot 23 Averys Second Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/21/2023 Between Aldridge, John, Grantor, And Spotten, Jesse Jaron, Grantee, Lot 11 Martis Fourth Addition Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/21/2023 Between Clearfork Holdings, LLC, Grantor, And Woodward, Quade Alan, Grantee, 3-43-28

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/21/2023 Between Wilkinson, Vernon C, Grantor, And Hunziker, Bradford & Hunziker, Sarah S, Grantee, 32-40-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/21/2023 Between Doak, Timothy A. & Doak, Pamela J, Grantor, And TPD Family Trust, Grantee, 9-41-24

## Marriage Licenses

GAIL A. PERRYMANN  
9/1/2023

09/01/2023, Poling, Matthew Joseph, 21, Leeton, And Lewis, Abigail Danielle, 21, Clinton

09/06/2023, Wray, Tanner Patrick, 21, Clinton, And Briggs, Molly Elizabeth, 20, Clinton

09/07/2023, Crusha, Wyatt James, 23, Clinton, And Thompson, Kiera Jo, 23, Clinton

9/8/2023

09/08/2023, Linthicum, Nicholas Andrew, 22, Clinton, And Payment, Jessica Hope Lynn, 19, Clinton

09/13/2023, Wainer,

Gregory William, 31, Clinton, And Pinkston, Nissa Ellen, 34, Clinton

09/14/2023, Carrow, Jacob Robert, 22, Rogersville, And Morris, Kayla Rose, 22, Springfield

9/15/2023

09/15/2023, Charles, Dustin Brian, 43, Clinton, And Schmitt, Jessica Elizabeth, 40, Clinton

09/15/2023, Ridenour, Patrick James, 36, Windsor, And Owens, Jenna Danielle, 34, Windsor

09/20/2023, Anstine, Alex Joseph, 30, Warrensburg, And Mckeehan, Madison Kathleen, 24, Warrensburg

## Clinton Police Dept.

9/1/2023 - ARRESTS

Reynolds, Macie Jolyn, 21, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Domestic Assault 3rd Deg -Aggr Asslt -Family -Weapon; Armed Criminal Action - Possession Of Weapon

9/2/2023 - ARRESTS

Travis, Daryl Dewayne, 54, Raytown, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Clinton

9/4/2023 - ARRESTS

Petry, Amanda Lea, 41, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest -Other Jurisdiction -Felony 2; Warrant Arrest -Other Jurisdiction -Misd.; Warrant Arrest -Clinton

9/5/2023 - ARRESTS

Pebbley, Chrisanna Marie, 45, Garden City, Summoned/Cited, Stealing -Shoplifting

Bejarano, Monica Marie, 49, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest -Clinton

9/6/2023 - ARRESTS

Portman, Jeremiah A, 43, Clinton, Citation, Proof Of Financial Responsibility Required, Improper Registration; Unlawful Possession Of A Firearm, Possession Of Weapon

Flor, Veronica Brianne, 32, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Felony; Warrant Arrest - Clinton; Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd.

9/7/2023 - ARRESTS

Sanchez, Harrison Kade, 18, Lowry City, Citation, Assault Marlin, Julian Elijah, Blue, 30, Clinton, Citation, Trespassing

9/8/2023 - ARRESTS

Brock, Rachell Marie, 40, Blairstown, Taken Into Custody, Misusing "911" - Obstruct Police

Johnson, Dustin Eugene, 40, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Clintonx2

Wendegatz, Cheyenneleigh, 31, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Fail To Yield To Emergency Vehicle; Fail To Obey, Obstruct. Resist

9/9/2023 - ARRESTS

Gegner, Melva Sue, 57, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Fail To Register As A Sex Offender Pursuant To 589.400-425 - Fail To Register; Sex Offender Physically Present/Loiter W/In 500 Ft Of A Prk W/ Playground/Pool - 1st Offense -

Supernaw, Kyle Aaron, 35, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Stealing - Motor Vehicle/Watercraft/Aircraft - Stolen Vehicle; Knowingly Burning Or Exploding - Arson

Isabell, Brayden Keith, 22, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Clinton; Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd. X2

9/12/2023 - ARRESTS

Lysinger, James Edgar Jr, 22, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, False Reports

9/13/2023 - ARRESTS

Hughes, Aero Dakota Don, 29, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Clinton

## City of Montrose

SEPTEMBER 11, 2023

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Westhusing at 7:30 P.M.

Members Present: John Engeman, Kent Schussler, Russell Bracher, Amber Volmer and Andy Westhusing. Staff Present: Donald Lamb, Sgt. Logan-Sheriff's Office and Sherri Richter. Dale Bailey was absent. A motion was made by Kent Schussler, 2nd by Russell Bracher to approve the agenda as presented. Ayes: 4 Noes: 0 A motion was made by

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Amber Volmer, 2nd by Kent Schussler to approve the minutes of the meeting held on August 14, 2023.

Ayes: 4 Noes: 0  
A motion was made by John Engeman, 2nd by Russell Bracher to approve the minutes of the Tax Levy hearing held on August 14, 2023.

Ayes: 4 Noes: 0  
A motion was made by John Engeman, 2nd by Kent Schussler to approve the Financial Statement for August 2023.

Ayes: 4 Noes: 0  
Communications: Mayor Westhusing and Kent Schussler are working on the application for the USDA grant.

Old Business: Montrose R-14 water meter project

The city has received 2 bids for parts to set the water meter pit at the Montrose R-14 public school. The bid from Core & Main was \$654.64 and the bid from Consolidated Pipe was \$1270.00.

A motion was made by John Engeman, 2nd by Kent Schussler to approve the bid from Core & Main.

Ayes: 4 Noes: 0  
New business: None  
Public Forum: None  
Staff Reports:

Sheriff's Office: Sgt Logan reported that total patrol for August was 66 hours and 15 minutes with 20 contacts, 1 report taken, 2 traffic stops/violations with 1 warning, 0 arrests and 1 citation.

Dale Bailey: Mr. Bailey was absent. No report given.

Water & Sewer Operations: Water: Mayor Westhusing advised that D & R Bobcat has fixed water leaks at 5th & Indiana, 8th Street, 2nd street and Kansas, North side of 52 Hwy and 2 leaks by the school.

Sewer: Mayor Westhusing stated that Mr. Brownsberger has been clearing out duck week at the lagoon.

Donald Lamb: Mr. Lamb advised that he has been putting in new water meters, mowing and other normal duties. He advised he put the stop sign back up at 7th and Indiana. He stated that the leak at 115 W. 2nd was fixed on September 6, 2023.

Mr. Lamb and Mr. Brownsberger have been doing some work on the streets.

Sherri Richter: None  
Mayor Westhusing advised the next regular council meeting will be on October 9, 2023 at 7:30 P.M.

A motion was made by Amber Volmer, 2nd by Russell Bracher to adjourn at 8:02 P.M.

Ayes: 4 Noes: 0

## City of Osceola

SEPTEMBER 18, 2023

Mayor Gibbs called the board meeting to order. Roll call was taken. Those in attendance were Alderpersons Terry, Hudson, Dailey and Watson. Also present were Lila Foster and Devin Schumaker.

Alderson Watson made the motion to approve the consent agenda, Alderson Dailey seconded her motion; roll call vote was taken with all members voting yes.

Citizen Input - Dave Gover, representing Optimist Club, awarded Mayor Gibbs with the "Friends of Osceola Optimists" for his contributions to the community and youth.

Margaret Hogan representing the Chamber of Commerce reported on the annual Labor Day Rodeo Daze festivities in Osceola.

NEW BUSINESS - Bill #2023-06 Amend Traffic Code -- Mayor Gibbs presented Bil #2023-06 Alderson Watson read Bill #2023-06 by title only; with Alderson Dailey seconding the reading as a motion, motion carried. Alderson Dailey then read Bill #2023-06 by title only for its second and final reading; Alderson Watson seconded, and roll call

vote followed with members voting yes.

Motion carried.  
Note - This ordinance allows police officers to write tickets if driver is using an electronic communication device while vehicle is in operation—and driver is violation of other offenses and is consistent with RSMo Section 204.822.

Resolution-- Mayor Gibbs asked the board to approve the continuing resolution for 2023 Budget.

Alderson Dailey made a motion to approve the resolution, Alderson Hudson seconded his motion and roll call vote followed with all members voting yes.

UPDATES - None

Mayor Comments— none  
Board of Aldermen Comments: Alderson Hudson - voiced her appreciation for Warsaw/Dewey stop sign clean up. She also mentioned that Gardner Family Properties had approached her regarding expansion of their property.

Alderson Watson - none  
Alderson Dailey - none  
Alderson Terry - thanked staff for their attention to the "The Old Dam Site Monument".

St. Clair Co Economic Developer - Reported she was attending the Connecting Entrepreneurial Communities later this week.

- Would be attending the Eco Conference next week

- Osage Hills Connection Bike Ride October 7th and Osceola will be the mid-point of the event. Music and food will be on the square.

- Trunk or Treat was scheduled for October 28th

Staff - Lila Foster reported police cars were paid off. She reported that Eric Collins was interested in working with the board on the establishment of a tax district.

RV Park Stats - From July 17 to September 17 - revenue was \$6,573.25 with 213 adults and 42 children staying in the park.

Devin Schumaker gave the police report for August 2023 - Reports- 26: Arrests - 20, Citations - 106, Felony Drugs-- 6 (2) were fentanyl and (4) meth, DWI's - 2, Assist other agency -- 2

He also noted the police department had a new FACEBOOK page Osceola MO Police Department

Citizen Input - none  
Adjournment - Alderson Dailey moved to adjourn; Alderson Watson seconded his motion and motion carried unanimously.

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in her area. She reported the problem area has been marked for a long time, but nothing seems to have been done about it. The mayor and administrator obtained her contact information so as to be able to discuss solutions to the matter in a less formal setting.

Dain Sisk, Henry County Coroner, also addressed the council. He brought up the recent pedestrian death at the North Junction and noted the grizzly nature of the scene. Moreover, he asked the council to, perhaps, look into making these larger intersection crossings more safe. He specifically noted the lack of crosswalks and/or assisted traffic lights at the north intersection and the rise in pedestrian accidents in general. "The tragic event was certainly avoidable," he told the council, speaking about the most recent fatality there. He pointed out that two of the major health-care related facilities are located on the opposite side of the junction and that in itself increases foot-traffic to that area. Coroner Sisk did say he was not trying to cast blame, but hoped that he could generate interest in finding a solution - and put the matter in "the right hands." City Administrator Christy Maggi spoke about the "Safe Streets" grant which could potentially generate studies (and therefore money for improvements) to intersections such as the

North Junction.

The second readings of Bills Nos. 2023 - 27, 28, 29, and 30 were held and approved. Respectively: the specific drug and alcohol policy for ATS, the city establishment of the city fees for the fiscal year, pay plans for the fiscal year, the city's budget with amended fire fighter and Clinton PD pay in specific assignments, and the amended ordinance with regards to changes at the Transfer Station.

Councilman Cameron Jackson gave the Public Works report. He reported that bids were due for the Hillcrest Drive Project, but there was no new information on those yet. He also reported the improvements at Hurt Park were still being achieved and the materials for the boiler building were delivered and work is proceeding there, too. The Artesian Pool is near completion barring the completion of the "punch-list" by Westport Construction; also, donations in the amount of \$310 were collected to update the outdoor pickleball courts. Staffing continues to be an issue for the pool and there is talk of using an outside managing agency to help alleviate those issues. It was noted at council that Clinton is not the only community having staffing problems and a meeting was held earlier in the day with an agency interested in, perhaps, filling that void.

At Waste Water the SCADA system was repaired, although it was noted it was out of date and will need replaced at some point. Also one of the clarifiers is not responding to the computer system. Manhole inspections will be completed soon and camera inspections for specific lines are complete: a quote from Ace Pipe is being prepared. The plant is waiting on the installation of the sampler.

Some discussion was generated (mainly by Councilman Daniel Wilson) about the Resolution to renew the agreement between the city and Alliance Water Resources regarding operation of the Waste Water Plant. Councilman Wilson's chief complaint was that it had been requested that the numbers for the yearly contractual arrangement be presented during the budget meetings, and he reports they had not. He also thought the raises for the cost of living were high - at least higher than what city employees were given. The Resolution did pass, Councilman Wilson being the only "nay" vote.

The Public Safety report was given by Councilman Gene Henry. He reported that Kaysinger Basin is facilitating a Hazard Mitigation Plan - this is a plan that the city needs to have in place for FEMA assistance. City Administrator Christy Maggi said the city does have a plan in place already and that it is renewed every five years.

The Clinton Fire Department will be upgrading their records management system (much like Clinton Police Department's system, it is out of date). The program will cost about \$10,000 per year through First Due and remove many redundancies and extra work when keeping data and data reporting records. The Clinton Fire Department will also be participating in an online platform that shares records local and state platforms.

A letter of resignation was regretfully accepted from fireman Matthew Yaggy. The fireman will, however, still be available for part time work. Lastly, it was reported the spectrometer ordered for use by the Clinton Police Department arrived - training on its use will be implemented soon.

The Finance Committee report was given by Councilman Daniel Wilson. The sole item on the agenda was Bill No. 2023-32 (grant agreement for the Airport

Apron Reconstruction Project). The rules were suspended and both readings held so that the money for the project could be put to use.

The Mayor shared her concerns regarding the employment problems concerning the Clinton Pool (and Aquatic Center). Aside from options explored earlier in the council meeting, it was proposed to "hire someone to train" as well.

The City Administrator reported she and City Clerk Wendee Seaton attended the Missouri Municipal League Conference. As in years past, the information at the conference was informative and useful. She also reported that the formal approval of the Airport Terminal Project should be next week. In the meantime, the runway rehab is underway and striping of the runway started. It was hoped the runway would be open by Thursday (September 21).

New business: the council approved the request for the Homecoming Parade Route.

The Clinton City Council adjourned to executive session at 6:46 p.m.

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Commerce (200 S. Main, 660-885-8166, david@clintonmo.com.)

The first annual Batting for HOPE Tournament will take place on September 30, 2023 in Clinton, Missouri! This softball tournament is in honor of raising money for two organizations Families for HoPE and Circle of Hope Foundation. For more information on how to sign up for a team, donate, volunteer, or order a t-shirt follow the link below and visit their Facebook or Instagram account, Batting For Hope <https://facebook.com/batting-for-hope/> #thepediatricplacellc #battingforhope #familiesforHoPE #circleofhopefoundation

Do you have a car and an hour? We could really use volunteer drivers at the Clinton Senior Center delivering meals to seniors. Whether you're an individual or a business volunteering an employee for an hour, it would be greatly appreciated by us and the many relying on those deliveries. Commit to once a week, one week every three months, on call as needed, or whatever your availability and generosity allows, help us help them. Call Kathy at 660-885-3482.

Here's a note to our Chamber Members and anyone and everyone looking for employment; The Chamber of Commerce continues to receive calls... people come in...and email us about jobs that might be available in and around Clinton. When we see our Chamber Members post information about job openings, we do share that to our Facebook page. However, we're pretty sure we don't catch all of those job opening posts. Please remember that YOUR Chamber is here for YOU. If you (a Clinton Chamber of Commerce Member) have any job openings that you are posting or if you want us to post it for you on our page, just let us know. Let us help you find employees! Send your job openings to: david@clintonmo.com or joyce@clintonmo.com. If you are not a Chamber member, we can still post your openings on our Facebook page for \$25.00. If you have any questions at all, email us or call 660-885-8166.

The First Annual "It's For The Kids" Motorcycle Rally will be Sept. 29th-Oct. 1st with gates opening at 10am. Old Skool Band, biker games, poker run, vendors, beer garden and more. Registration can be made at Boats N' Hose General Store, aka Snyder's Corner, 874 SE Hwy

Z, Deepwater. There will be admission and a portion of the proceeds will be donated to Guardians of the Children. For details, 417-644-7307 or <https://www.facebook.com/BoatsandHoseGeneralStore>

The Henry County Library will be hosting local author Curtis Urness on October 7th at 3pm for a book signing and artist talk.

We are also raffling off 3 copies of his new book, Stars & Crosses. Stop by the library to enter your name into the drawing.

Tickets for this year's wine stroll (October 14th) are now on sale. VIP tickets will be sold only online. There is a limited number of tickets, so purchase as soon as possible. These tickets are \$40 and give you an extra hour (1-2pm) to stroll before the rest of the crowd gets there. Regular tickets will be sold online AND in person at the Clinton Chamber of Commerce (200 S. Main St.). These tickets are \$20 and allow you to stroll from 2-5pm. Regular tickets will also be available to purchase at the door on the day of for \$25.

Cruisin' to Clinton will take place for the final time this season on Oct. 21st from 4 till 7pm. Kids are invited to come in costume for the candy drop! All rides are welcome, there will be giveaways, vendors and more. For details, go to Clinton Cruise Night on Facebook.

September has arrived! That means it is time to start planning your baby chick. Clinton was, at one time, the baby chick capital of the world. Hatcheries in the area raised chicks to send throughout the country. The Gallery Three celebrates this piece of local history with a Peepfest. We are asking area artists to create a baby chick. This year 'Anything Goes'. Chicks may be painted, sculpted, sketched, photographed, made from clay, paper, wire...let the imagination run with it. The only limitation is the size, no chicks over 3x3 feet or under 3x3 inches. All chicks need to be turned in to the Gallery Three at 137 S. Washington by Saturday

September 30th. They will then be displayed around the square for voting. The 'People's Choice' will select two winners, one for school age & one for adults. There is no fee for entering.

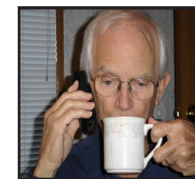
CHART (Community Health Assessment Resource Team) is hosting a Pickleball Tournament Oct. 28th at the Artesian Park Tennis Courts (if raining, Clinton High School). Men's, Women's and Mixed Doubles. Pool play followed by bracket style. \$80 per team with t-shirt included. Cash prizes for first and second. Proceeds go to support Henry Co. Christmas Angel Tree and Christmas Cheer Foundation. Call Tyler at 660-223-3210 or [tyler.pulcini@lpha.mo.gov](mailto:tyler.pulcini@lpha.mo.gov) for questions, to enter or to sponsor.

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KDK FM, Clinton Main Street, and Guardians of the Children presents "ScareFair" on the Square" Community Trunk or Treat Sat., Oct. 28th from 4 till 6pm.

The 2023 Community Thanksgiving Dinner is on schedule this year for Thanksgiving Day, November 23. We are starting to make plans for this annual community event. Be watching for upcoming announcement, we will be asking for donations of Turkeys & Pies (Pumpkin or Apple) once again and volunteers to help with serving, delivering, and assisting. The Meal Reservations will not start until November 1st.

Big MO Productions presents: Kornfield County's Merry Mirth. Nov. 16th and 17th at 7pm and Nov. 18th at 2pm. Delozier Building, 201 West Franklin St., Clinton. All proceeds go to renovating backstage facilities at the Delozier Building. Tickets at the Henry Co. Museum, Chamber of Commerce and The Barbary Center.



## The Shepherd Calls by Dr. H. Wade Paris

### WHO MADE THIS MESS?

For as long as I can remember, I have been a follower of Jesus Christ. Still, especially during my later teens and early twenties (my college days), I wrestled with my faith. When in doubt, I would always come back to the first four words of the Bible, "In the beginning God . . ." (Genesis 1:1) As a pastor, whenever I was asked how the world began, I would answer, "I don't know how, but I know who. God did it."

More than fifty years later, my heart leaped with joy upon learning more about how "God did it." In his book, The Language of God, the world-famous astrophysicist Francis Collins wrote, "Physicists are in agreement the world began as an infinitely dense dimensionless point of pure energy" (the big bang). Collins went on to quote another equally qualified astrophysicist Robert Jastrow, "The astronomical evidence leads to a biblical view of the origin of the world. The details differ . . . , but the essential elements are the same."

That is what I said, "God did it."

Some would disagree with the words, "In the beginning God." But few will disagree with the words, "This world is in a mess." Humankind has made a mess of God's beautiful universe. Allow me to quote my "neatnik" mother, "Whoever made this mess better clean it up." As a person of faith, I believe with God's help we can and should clean up our mess.

The first step in cleaning it up is to learn to love one another. Need help? Here is an example. During World War II, a soldier on the front lines asked permission to enter "no man's land" to find his buddy. His superior warned, "He's probably dead already. You will likely be wounded or killed." Still, the soldier pleaded and was allowed to go. He found his mortally wounded friend. Throwing him over his shoulder, he headed back to base and was wounded himself. Arriving back at camp, his buddy was dead. His officer announced, "See, he is dead, and you are wounded. It was worthless."

"No," the young soldier disagreed. "It was not worthless. When I got there, he was still alive and said, 'Jim, I knew you would come.'"

Our world is in a mess. Love one another, please.

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THURSDAY • SEPTEMBER 28, 2023 Evening

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SATURDAY • SEPTEMBER 30, 2023 Evening

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SUNDAY • OCTOBER 1, 2023 Evening

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MONDAY • OCTOBER 2, 2023 Evening

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TUESDAY • OCTOBER 3, 2023 Evening

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WEDNESDAY • OCTOBER 4, 2023 Evening

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Word search puzzle titled 'THERE, THERE' by Timothy E. Parker. The grid contains words like SPOT, PAPA, ERAS, CALM, AUNT, PLANET, SARI, STEADY, TEAR, RAPT, ASKEW, STILL, IOWA, DOIT, ELSE, SAPOR, PLUTO, LILTS, DISPOSITION, NINNY, OVULE, FRIEND, COCO, BREWER, COLIC, PHOTOGRAPH, AORTA, EURO, NONET, ARID, SPURS, MAGS.

WEEK OF OCTOBER 2 WEEKLY HOROSCOPE

Horoscope text for the week of October 2. Includes sections for Libra 9/23-10/22, Scorpio 10/23-11/21, Sagittarius 11/22-12/21, Capricorn 12/22-1/19, Aquarius 1/20-2/18, Pisces 2/19-3/20, Aries 3/21-4/19, Taurus 4/20-5/20, Gemini 5/21-6/20, Cancer 6/21-7/22, Leo 7/23-8/22, and Virgo 8/23-9/22.

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# Cardinals Come Up Short, On To Homecoming Week



**MAKING HIS MOVE**, Clinton senior Cameron Mertz juiced Panthers defenders on a kickoff return to setup the Cardinals offense in good field position on Friday night. Oak Grove prevailed, 49-6 to send Clinton's record to 1-4.

The Cardinals played a tight first half and kept themselves in the game, but Oak Grove eventually pulled away in the second half of play to defeat Clinton at home last Friday night, 49-6.

Cards head coach Todd Mowery continues to see signs of improvement in his squad, has put week 5 be-

hind him and has his sights set on this week's homecoming matchup when Clinton hosts the Versailles Tigers.

We caught up with Coach Mowery after the game and he had this to say:

"Started off pretty good. We played really well on both sides of the ball in the first half. We moved the

ball great offensively in the first half and really slowed down their run game. We knew we wouldn't be able to shut their offense down, they are really good at what they do. We went into halftime trailing 14-6. We were confident in what we were doing until Oak Grove hit another score and that pretty well let the air out of

us. We have to learn to finish when things get tough. We knew we would have to counter every score they made in order to keep the game close and we did not do that. We're looking forward to Homecoming week and getting back into the win column against Versailles."

# Lady Cards Still Picking Up Wins Down Final Stretch



**HUSTLING DOWN THE LINE**, the Lady Cardinals Ava Potter stretches for the bag in Clinton's 8-5 win over Harrisonville last Thursday evening. It was also "Pink Out" at the field.

## CHS Softball Stymied By Odessa Bulldogs

CHS softball couldn't keep up with the Odessa Lady Bulldogs and fell 13-0 on Tuesday.

A walk by Maddie Lockhart put Odessa on the board in the top of the third.

The Lady Bulldogs scored six runs on five hits in the top of the fifth inning. Jadyne Brewster singled, scoring one run, Jordyn Loehr singled, scoring one run, Jordyn Beal singled, scoring one run, an error scored two runs, and an error scored one run.

Brena Rider earned the win for Odessa.

They allowed three hits and zero runs over six innings, striking out four and walking six.

Briley Wishard took the loss for CHS. The righty went four and one-third innings, surrendering six runs (four earned) on seven hits, striking out one and walking four.

Wishard, Corynn Sowers, and Kennison Crispi each collected one hit for CHS. Kayla McCanles paced CHS Softball with two walks.

Overall, the team had patience at the plate, accumulating six walks for the game.

The Lady Bulldogs collected 12 hits in the game. Brooklyn Wade, Keely Byrd, Loehr, and Brenna Westerhold each collected two hits for Odessa. Kiley

Thomas and Byrd were a one-two punch in the line-up, as each drove in two runs for the Lady Bulldogs. Odessa worked the count all day, amassing five walks.

Odessa turned one double play in the game. The Lady Bulldogs were sure-handed in the field and didn't commit a single error. Byrd had the most chances in the field with six.

## Lady Cards Secure Win Against Harrisonville

Clinton ousted the Lady Wildcats 8-5 on Thursday.

A ground out by Olivia Quick put Harrisonville on the board in the top of the first. CHS jumped back into the lead in the bottom of the third inning after Corynn Sowers doubled, Briley Wishard doubled, and Harrisonville committed an error, each scoring one run.

Clinton scored five runs on four hits in the bottom of the fourth inning. Sowers singled, scoring one run, Kennison Crispi doubled, scoring three runs, and Kenadie Austin doubled, scoring one run.

Wishard earned the win for CHS softball. The starting pitcher gave up seven hits and five runs (three earned) over seven innings, striking out seven and walking three.

Ann O'Reilly stepped in the circle first for Harrisonville. The righty surrendered seven hits and two hits for Odessa. Kiley

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**ROYALTY WILL BE CROWNED** this week during festivities for Homecoming 2023 and these students are among the nominees, front row: Natalie Golder, Kennison Crispi, Alexa Phillips (princess candidates), Mia Bagley, Allie Goucher, and Briley Wishard (queen candidates); Back row: Cody Mitchell, Jack English, Billy Gortmaker (prince candidates), Nathan Lankford, Cameron Mertz, and James Peoples (king candidates). Coronation will take place during halftime of the Homecoming football game on Friday, September 29.

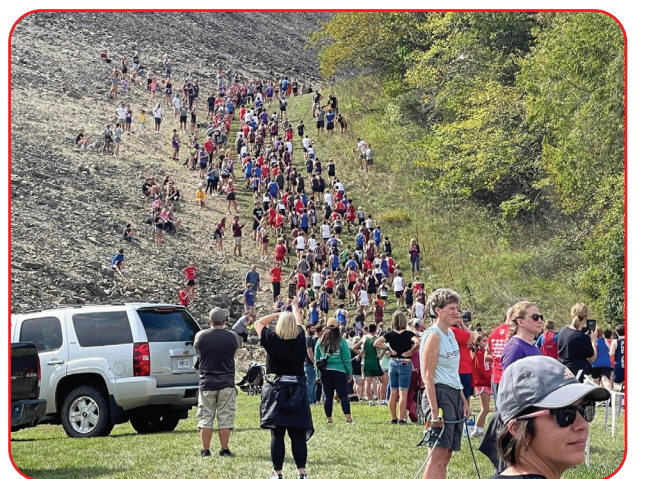
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# Clinton Cross Country Runs At Pomme de Terre Dam



**HIGH SCHOOL** and Middle School teams raced in Hermitage at Pomme de Terre Dam on Saturday! As of late, the team has gotten some strong races from their runners. VARSITY GIRLS 28th - Vyla Brown - 24:02 41st - Sarah Mendenhall - 25:18 45th - Alexa McCartney - 25:59 59th - Leah Kenney - 27:20 63rd - Kat Cole - 28:37 TEAM - 206 Points - 9th Place VARSITY BOYS 22nd - Brock Gray - 18:55 62nd - Colton Ross-Varner - 21:00 86th - Ethan Johns - 22:41 87th - Kole Johnson - 22:45 90th - Gage Ross - 22:55 93rd - Austin Johnson - 23:37 100th - Noah Murphy - 26:50 TEAM - 343 Points - 14th Place MS BOYS 66th - Andrew Harp - 16:41 83rd - Trevor Fields - 17:36 89th - Charlie Fields - 18:10 90th - Payton Pulcini - 18:16 94th - Braiden Molder - 19:06 TEAM - 301 Points - 11th Place MS GIRLS 60th - Jessica Molder - 17:55



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# Lady Cardinals Celebrate Senior Night, Rolling Towards Districts



**CLINTON TENNIS** celebrated Senior Night last Tuesday when they hosted Warrensburg. The Class of 2024 Lady Cardinals includes players (L to R): Brooklyn Mullins, Mia Bagley, Makenna Beasley, Emily Barnes, Carley Combs and Taryn Gilbert.

At the Smith-Cotton Invitational last Friday, the team of Makenna Beasley and Emily Barnes partnered up in B-Flight Doubles and went to the championship round, coming out with a second place finish! Clinton coaches were proud of their ability to cover the court as a team, both with aggressive net play and deep, well-placed shots!

All other entries came out with 7th place finishes against tough opponents.

Carley Combs and Brooklyn Mullins entered as a Doubles Team in A-Flight and lost to state ranked Lees Summit North, a tough Jeff City team, and winning in the final round against a different Lee Summit North team, 6-2.

Isabella Griffey entered in Singles A flight and lost to Jeff City and Smith-Cotton, but won in her final round against Warrensburg, 6-0.

Katie Schaffer entered in Singles B Flight and lost to

Capital City tough singles player. Schaffer was consistent with her shots but Capital City was an advanced player that was aggressive on the court. Although she lost in the 2nd round to a Lee Summit North team, Schaffer played well at the end of the day and won 6-2 against Smith-Cotton in the final round earning 7th place.

"It was a great opportunity to play against competition that is at this level,"

Coach Combs said. Teams at this Tournament included Lee Summit North, Hickman, Jeff City, Capital City, Sedalia Smith-Cotton and Warrensburg!

Clinton plays Wednesday at the Conference Tournament in Odessa at 8:30 AM. Districts play will start on Saturday in Bolivar at 8:30 AM.



**SOFTBALL cont.**

eight runs (six earned) over three and one-third innings, striking out two and walking two.

Sowers and Crispi each collected two hits for CHS. Crispi provided pop in the middle of the lineup, and led the Lady Cards with three runs batted in. The right-handed hitter went 2-for-4 on the day. Paige Cribbs led Harrisonville with two hits in two at bats from the leadoff position. Elizabeth Osterberg, Cribbs, Jaeda Hasam, and Quick each drove in one run for Harrisonville. The Lady Wildcats turned one double play in the game.

**Clinton Breezes Past Lady Panthers**

Knob Noster came to Optimist Park on Monday night making great fun of the Clinton Cardinals, marking their music choice and mocking the name pronunciation of the announcer. This stab to the Lady Cards did not last long

as they blew past the Lady Panthers,, run ruling the visitors with a 15-0 final.

CHS jumped out to the lead in the bottom of the first inning after Kenadie Austin singled, scoring three runs, Lyn Brauer doubled, scoring two runs, and Addison Markham singled, scoring one run.

Briley Wishard homered to center field, scoring two runs in the bottom of the second for the Lady Cards.

Clinton scored seven runs on seven hits in the bottom of the third inning. Corynn Sowers singled, scoring two runs, Kennison Crispi singled, scoring one run, Carmen Bohannon doubled, scoring three runs, and Ava Potter doubled, scoring one run.

Wishard earned the win for CHS. The starting pitcher gave up one hit and zero runs over three innings, striking out three and walking one.

Kylie Miller started in the circle for Knob Noster. The right-handed pitcher surrendered 14 hits and 15 runs (12 earned) over two

and two-thirds innings, striking out two and walking three.

CHS amassed 14 hits in the game. Number nine hitter, Markham, showed the depth of Clinton's lineup, by leading them with three hits in three at bats. Wishard, Brauer, Sowers, Austin, and Bohannon each drove in two runs for CHS. Crispi collected two hits for

Clinton in three at bats. Markham stole two bases. CHS ran wild on the base paths, accumulating five stolen bases for the game.

The Lady Cards were sure-handed and didn't commit a single error. Wishard made the most plays with three.

Miller led Knob Noster with one hit in two at bats.

## UCM Celebrates Construction Launch For New Randall and Kelly Harbert Collegiate Golf Center

With site preparation already underway, the University of Central Missouri on Sept. 22 celebrated the beginning of construction for the new Randall and Kelly Harbert Collegiate Golf Center at Mules National Golf Club. The official launch of the university's newest construction project took place near the patio area of Traditions, located adjacent to the new facility in the university-owned Pertle Springs.

The university's Board of Governors in June 2023

approved the naming of the golf center in honor of UCM alumni and lead donors Randall, '85 and Kelly Harbert, '86. Board members authorized a contract with Reasbeck Construction, Warrensburg, to provide all labor, materials and provisions to build the new facility, which is made

possible via substantial donor support and university funds.

The ceremony featured remarks from representatives of university Intercollegiate Athletics, the UCM Alumni Foundation, University President Roger Best and Randall Harbert. To symbolize moving forward on the project, after hearing several speakers' remarks, the gathering moved to a makeshift golf green where they watched Harbert successfully nail a ceremonial golf putt.

In his remarks, Harbert recalled how the vision for this project grew out of a conversation he had previously with Mules Golf Coach Tim Poe, a 40-year friend and former golf teammate at the university. Months before this ceremony, the Harberts donated a Mercedes-Benz Sprinter van for use by the Mules golf team. Following acquisition of the van, Harbert asked Poe, "So what's next?" That's when the seasoned golf coach shared his dream for a new facility that would serve both men's and women's golf teams.

"This vision really belongs to Tim," Harbert said. He stressed that although it was "a nudge" from Poe that led to his involvement in the project, it was also the efforts of individuals within the UCM the Foundation, Office of the President, Board of Governors, Intercollegiate Athletics and many other donors who were vital to the decision-making and funding processes that are making the new facility possible.

"We are delighted to be part of it, and are so excited to see it come to fruition. We will look forward to seeing you when we open the doors," Harbert told the gathering.

He also commended both Poe and Jennies Golf Coach Chris Port for the strong programs they have created.

"There's a reason why they get great kids (for their teams). There's a reason why kids come here to play their hearts out, and

that's because they are leaders," Harbert said. "I cannot say enough about them."

Accommodating Mules and Jennies golf team members, the new 2,100-square-foot, single-story building is expected to be at the top of all such facilities in Division II collegiate golf programs. The facility will be completed in spring 2024, and will include amenities such as lounge space for both the men's and women's golf teams, offices, restrooms, a recruit lounge/meeting room and a laundry room.

In addition to serving students, this project provides a small economic boost for the community.

Dr. Matt Howdeshell, vice president for intercollegiate athletics, said the project is putting more than 50 people to work in the Warrensburg and Johnson County area.

He noted that in his role at the university, he has three priorities: 1) ensure that UCM's student athletes have the resources they need to maximize their athletic and academic potential; 2) foster a strong focus on the community and engagement with alumni and donors and the UCM campus; and 3) focus on excellence, "being best in class in all that we do athletically, academically, and operating with integrity."

"This facility is the culmination of all three of those priorities," Howdeshell said, while speaking before a group that included members of Mules and Jennies current golf teams and more than 30 alumni who are former team members. "This project is made possible by the generous support we have received from our alumni and donors who support our student athletes who want to provide them with best-in-class resources."

Courtney Goddard, vice president for university advancement and executive director of the UCM Alumni Foundation, expressed her gratitude to the Harberts. She also acknowledged the financial support by alumni that included Jim Pollard, Matt and Julie Roberts, Randy Russell, Chip Gentry and many more individuals, some anonymous, who committed gifts for the facility.

"This facility is for all of you," she told UCM past and present golf team members. "Without the enduring support of a very large group of people who are here today, this facility would not be possible."

Mules Golf Coach Tim Poe said the celebration

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was taking place on the same day as the 31st annual fundraising tournament to benefit UCM golf programs. He praised the contributions of three individuals who were influential in the golf programs over the years, including Jerry Hughes, who passed away in January 2023 while serving as Vice President for Intercollegiate Athletics, and former golf coaches, Norm Short and Earl Keth. He also recognized how valuable donor support was for this project.

"In my wildest dreams, I never thought we'd be here today. We had a lot of talks about this and what my next dreams were, and they made one of them come true."

Jennies Golf Head Coach Chris Port recalled that when the women's program launched 12 years

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ago, he gave each member a t-shirt with a phrase printed on it, "The Tradition Starts Now."

"As a former Mule and a coach of the Jennies, I can tell you without question, one of the biggest traditions of these two programs is our donors. They are fantastic," Port said.

Wrapping up the ceremony, President Best pointed to a strong tradition of producing excellent competitors on the golf course, who were exceptional in many other ways. As he put it, "Let us be very clear, today is really built on the legacy of successful programs over a long period of time. That success falls predominantly to the men and women who are on our golf teams and who have put in many, many hours of hard work to be successful. You were successful on the course. You were successful in your classes. You were successful

## LEGAL NOTICES

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

In the Estate of ROBERT W GRUBB, Deceased.  
Case No.: 23HE-PR00105

Notice of Letters of Administration Granted  
(Supervised Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of ROBERT W GRUBB,, Decedent:

On SEPTEMBER 5, 2023, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of ROBERT W GRUBB, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri.

The personal representative's business address is: MICHAEL DALE GRUBB, 11148 NW HWY N, BLAIRSTOWN, MO 64726

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is: JAMES RACE LEIBER, PO BOX 565, OSCEOLA, MO 64776, 417-646-8125

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or if a copy of this notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the personal representative, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after Decedent's death, as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, 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: 10-JUL-2023  
Date of first publication: SEPTEMBER 14, 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. s14x4c

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

In the Estate of RICHARD W YOUNG, Deceased.  
Case No.: 23HE-PR00099

Notice of Letters Testamentary Granted  
(Supervised Administration - Non-Resident Fiduciary)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of RICHARD W YOUNG, Decedent:

On August 28, 2023, the last will of Decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed personal representative of the estate of RICHARD W YOUNG, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of HENRY COUNTY, Missouri. The name, business address of the personal representative is:

JOHN A. YOUNG, 154 STONEY CREEK DR, FLORENCE, AL-ABAMA 35633

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address, and phone number is: KEVIN ADAM SOMMER, 206 N HOLDEN, WARRENSBURG, MO 64093, 660-747-8131

The personal representative's designated agent's name, business address, and phone number is DOUGLAS B. HARRIS, 206 N HOLDEN ST, WARRENSBURG, MO 64093, 660-747-8131.

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ful in your professions, and you have been successful in your communities. All of that helps us build this tradition that we know as Mules and Jennies Golf." UCM has invested in golf since 1964, when the original nine-hole golf course opened. Designed by Earl Keth, the first UCM basketball player to become an All-American, the course expanded to 18 holes in his honor. Improvements were made over the next three decades that included cart paths, an automatic irrigation system, and even a designation as an Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary for preserving the ecology of its wildlife setting. During the last decade, the course received a multimillion-dollar renovation and was renamed Mules National Golf Club, and a new Clubhouse was added that houses Traditions restaurant and meeting facility.

Bids for Two Rocks Reclamation Project, Henry County, Project No. Y2302-01 will be received by FMDC, State of MO, UNTIL 1:30 PM, 10/24/23. For specific project information and ordering plans, go to: <http://oa.mo.gov/facilities>

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF DONLY DEHN

TO: All persons interested in the estate of Donly Dehn, Decedent. The undersigned is acting as Trustee under a trust the terms of which provide that the debts of the decedent may be paid by the Trustee upon receipt of proper proof thereof. The address of the Trustee is 3397 SW Highway P, Montrose, Mo. 64770. All creditors of the decedent are notified to present their claims to the undersigned within six (6) months from the date of the first publication of this notice or be forever barred.

Deborah Wilson, Trustee

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF DARRELL J. DEHN

TO: All persons interested in the estate of Darrell J. Dehn, Decedent. The undersigned is acting as Trustee under a trust the terms of which provide that the debts of the decedent may be paid by the Trustee upon receipt of proper proof thereof. The address of the Trustee is 3397 SW Highway P, Montrose, Mo. 64770. All creditors of the decedent are notified to present their claims to the undersigned within six (6) months from the date of the first publication of this notice or be forever barred.

Deborah Wilson, Trustee

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

IN RE: Truman Thomas Carroll And Michaela M Carroll, husband and wife Trustee's Sale:

For default in payment of debt and performance of obligation secured by Deed of Trust executed by Truman Thomas Carroll And Michaela M Carroll, husband and wife dated January 26, 2006 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Henry County, Missouri in Book 672, Page 684 the undersigned Successor Trustee, at the request of the legal holder of said Note will on Friday, October 13, 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:

THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 AND THE EAST 1/2 OF THE EAST 1/2 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 25, TOWNSHIP 42, RANGE 28, HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI EXCEPT:

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THE EAST 660 FEET OF THE NORTH HALF OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 25, TOWNSHIP 42, RANGE 28, IN HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI. to satisfy said debt and cost.

MILLSAP & SINGER, P.C., Successor Trustee 612 Spirit Drive St. Louis, MO 63005 (636) 537-0110

File No: 216144.101323.434009 FC

NOTICE

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

IN RE THE ADOPTION OF: ) ARAYA SHYLOH BEAL ) Date of birth October 29, 2015 ) ) GDK ) Petitioner ) vs. ) Case No. 23HE-JU00044 ) JOHN DOE ) Unknown Natural Father ) Respondents )

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF MISSOURI TO RESPONDENT: JOHN DOE, Unknown Natural Father.

You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to secure a Decree of Adoption for your child and to change her name.

The names of all the parties to said action are stated above and the name and address of the attorney for petitioners is:

JAMES A. WAITS, 401 West 89th Street, Kansas City, MO 64114.

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 September 14, 2023, the date of first publication of this notice, judgment by default will be taken against you. You may be entitled to have an attorney appointed to represent you at no cost to you and you should contact the court if you desire to seek an appointed attorney.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in THE CLINTON DAILY DEMOCRAT, a newspaper of general circulation published in Henry County, Missouri.

To be published on the following dates: 9/14/2023, 9/21/2023, 9/28,2023, and 10/5/2023.

Wendi McGhee by SLR Circuit Clerk of Henry County, Missouri

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

IN RE: Paul Taylor, a married person and Carol Taylor Trustee's Sale:

For default in payment of debt and performance of obligation secured by Deed of Trust executed by Paul Taylor, a married person and Carol Taylor dated July 5, 2017 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Henry County, Missouri as Book 717, Page 520 and modified by Final Judgment entered in Case No. 22HE-CC00081 recorded April 7, 2023 in Book 2023, Page 1025 the undersigned Successor Trustee, at the request of the legal holder of said Note will on Friday, October 13, 2023 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., (at the specific time of 9:00 AM), at the North Front Door of the Court House, City of Clinton, County of Henry, State of Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, described in said Deed of Trust, and situated in Henry County, State of Missouri, to wit:

ALL OF THE NORTH ONE-HALF OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PART OF LOT 25, GLENDALE SECOND ADDITION TO THE CITY OF CLINTON LYING WEST OF A LINE DESCRIBED AS BEGINNING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 25, THENCE RUNNING DUE NORTH TO THE INTERSECTION OF SAID LINE WITH THE NORTH LINE OF SAID LOT 25, ALL IN HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI, ALSO KNOWN AS LOT 25A, A RESUBDIVISION OF LOT 25 OF GLENDALE SECOND ADDITION TO THE CITY OF CLINTON, HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI.

to satisfy said debt and cost.

MILLSAP & SINGER, P.C., Successor Trustee 612 Spirit Drive St. Louis, MO 63005 (636) 537-0110

File No: 200479.101323.434442 FC

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

IN RE THE ADOPTION OF: ) EVAN LEE GRAY ) Date of birth March 9, 2012 ) ) MLM and WCM ) Petitioner ) vs. ) Case No. 23HE-JU00043 ) JOHN DOE ) Unknown Natural Father ) Respondents )

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF MISSOURI TO RESPONDENT: JOHN DOE, Unknown Natural Father.

You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to secure a Decree of Adoption for your child and to change his name.

The names of all the parties to said action are stated above and the name and address of the attorney for petitioners is:

JAMES A. WAITS, 401 West 89th Street, Kansas City, MO 64114.

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Wendi McGhee by SLR Circuit Clerk of Henry County, Missouri

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

IN RE THE ADOPTION OF: ) ABIGAYLE JAYDE BEAL ) Date of birth March 1, 2017 ) ) GDK ) Petitioner ) vs. ) Case No. 23HE-JU00045 ) JOHN DOE ) Unknown Natural Father ) Respondents )

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF MISSOURI TO RESPONDENT: JOHN DOE, Unknown Natural Father.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI

IN RE THE ADOPTION OF: ) NEVAEH GLENNA BEAL ) Date of birth December 20, 2013 ) ) GDK ) Petitioner ) vs. ) Case No. 23HE-JU00046 ) JOHN DOE ) Unknown Natural Father ) Respondents )

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

STATE OF MISSOURI TO RESPONDENT: JOHN DOE, Unknown Natural Father.

You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to secure a Decree of Adoption for your child and to change her name.

The names of all the parties to said action are stated above and the name and address of the attorney for petitioners is:

JAMES A. WAITS, 401 West 89th Street, Kansas City, MO 64114.

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 September 14, 2023, the date of first publication of this notice, judgment by default will be taken against you. You may be entitled to have an attorney appointed to represent you at no cost to you and you should contact the court if you desire to seek an appointed attorney.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in THE CLINTON DAILY DEMOCRAT, a newspaper of general circulation published in Henry County, Missouri.

To be published on the following dates: 9/14/2023, 9/21/2023, 9/28,2023, and 10/5/2023.

Wendi McGhee by SLR Circuit Clerk of Henry County, Missouri

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI JUVENILE COURT DIVISION

IN THE INTEREST OF: ) J.N. ) Case No.: 23HE-JU00021 ) Female, DOB: ) March 29, 2014 ) Minor Child )

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF MISSOURI TO: JONATHAN BOYER AND ALL INTERESTED PARTIES:

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

The names of the parties to said action are stated above in the caption hereof. The name and address of the attorney for Missouri Department of Social Services, Henry County Children's Division is Ryan F. Kaiser, Kaiser Law Office, LLC, 606 West 39th Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64111.

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

You are further notified that unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within forty five (45) days after the 14th day of September, 2023, a judgment by default will be rendered against you.

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

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and seal of the Court this 1st day of September, 2023.

Wendi McGhee by SLR Circuit Court Clerk

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