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Farming Out An Education: CHS Students Take Pride & Learn Skills Raising Livestock

BY JENNIFER JACKSON
Staff Reporter

A red ribbon draped across the gate to the Clinton High School farm was cut Friday by Caroline Wagoner, a senior who is president of the CHS chapter of FFA, to officially open the farm.

Caroline also announced its official name — the Cardinal Pride Farm and Educational Facility — which reflects the educational purpose of the farm, to provide students with hands-on experience raising livestock.

Tom Smith, who donated his bobcat and fencing expertise to enclose the pastures around the farm's red barn, said that plans at first called for the farm to be fenced with barbed wire. When he saw that the farm was adjacent to the school's front parking lot, he called Brett Williams in Kansas City and told him they were going to need something stronger.

Brett is in charge of construction projects for Burns and McDonnell engineering firm, which had pledged funds to pay for the barbed wire. Brett immediately agreed to pay for the heavier, more expensive sucker rod, Tom said.



ENTHUSIASM WAS ABUNDANT at the ribbon cutting held for the newly developed Cardinal Pride Farm. Caleb George presented Caroline Wagoner with a check for \$1,000 to help with the new facility with Mason Ray Thomas in attendance. Wagoner is a CHS Senior and President of the FFA Chapter.

Wagoner also welcomed the three dozen students, family members and school staff who gathered for the ribbon-cutting on behalf of Jessie Rager Miller, the agriculture science teacher, who had lost her voice leading a group in

the CHS Homecoming parade earlier that day.

Superintendent Brian Wishard and Assistant Superintendent Christian Meier attended the brief ceremony. Afterwards, Caleb George presented a check for \$1,000 to Caroline for the FFA and the farm on behalf of Clinton

Masonic Lodge #548.

Caroline said future farm projects in need of funding include installing electricity and putting in an automatic watering system in the first pasture to keep the cattle watered.

Building the barn, fencing the corrals and putting

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Kathi Austin Nominated For Major Award



KATHI AUSTIN

The Henry County Unit of Retired Teachers and Retired School Personnel, a part of the state organization of MRTA (Missouri Retired Teachers Association and Public Retired School Personnel), is pleased to announce Kathi Austin, Clinton, as the candidate for the 2023 Distinguished Retiree Award representing Region 6.

MRTA, organized in 1960, is an association of over 30,000 retired educators whose purpose is to promote

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Rack'em Up! Couple Brings Billiard & Ale House To Town



HOPING TO HIT THE ULTIMATE SHOT, Jay and Tabetha Jamsek along with their children Virginia, Paytyn and Trinity are set to open a family billiards hall in Clinton.

BY JENNIFER JACKSON
Staff Reporter

Jay Jamsek has been playing pool since he was 10 years old.

"My dad would take my sisters and me down to the pool hall in Nevada," Jay

said.

Jay grew up in Osceola, and now lives on a farm east of Lincoln, Mo., with spouse Tabetha Jamsek and their younger children. Two weeks ago, the Jamseks bought a 5,400-square-foot

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When The Cane Breaks: Seat Caner Keeps Frontier ALIVE

BY JENNIFER JACKSON
Staff Reporter

When people watch Diana Clark demonstrate her craft at heritage festivals, they have two questions.

"The first question is always 'How long does it take you to do that?'" she said. "The next is, 'How much do you charge to do it?'"

What Diana does is replace broken cane seats on chairs and stools by re-caning them in the traditional way, weaving thin strips of rattan into a pattern. It's very meticulous work, and very time consuming.

"And it's not cheap," she adds.

Diana was demonstrating seat caning in the dog-trot cabin at the Henry County Museum's Old Settler's Day on Sept. 23 in Clinton. She will be at Pioneer Heritage Days at the Truman Visitor Center in Warsaw on Oct. 21.

Because she lives in rural Missouri, Diana doesn't charge as much as a seat caner might charge in an urban area, she said. She always has chairs waiting for her attention in her home workshop in Glasgow, Mo. Customers come to her



CONTINUING AN ANCIENT CRAFT, Diana Clark demonstrated seat caning on small stools in the kitchen of the dog-trot cabin at Old Settler's Day.

through referral or by picking up one of her business cards when she demonstrates seat caning at heritage festivals.

"It's a dying craft," she said.

Originally from Pennsylvania, Diana got into seat caning in 1975, she said, after she was cleaning out her grandmother's house after her grandmother passed away. In the attic, Diana found old chairs that she thought looked neat. The

only problem: they didn't have any seats. So she signed up for class at the local community college in seat caning, and replaced the seats herself.

Seat caning is the craft of weaving rattan cane or rattan peel on a piece of furniture, to make a back or seat. Rattan is a material made from a fibrous tropical plant, similar to bamboo, is lightweight, durable and flexible, and has a structure similar to human

bones, so can be made into artificial bones.

Diana buys the material cut ready to use, she said, pre-soaks it and works with the cane wet. As it dries, it tightens, which means she doesn't have to pull it tight, so it's not hard on her hands.

Diana said not many places teach seat caning anymore. She used to teach it at craft camps in northern Missouri, she said, but her

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Have I Got A Line For You!

By James Mahlon White



Well, well, well. You may have missed the breaking news about the \$260,000 wire transfer from China to the Biden Operations. Senator Bob's "I just needed to hide money at home in case" story wasn't enough to cover this little gem up so it was back to indicting The Donald. A New York judge ruled against him, saying he, "Overvalued his real estate holdings" and The Donald may lose his businesses. A registered Democrat Justice ruled against President Trump. Who could see that coming? The phrase, "Bring me the man and I'll show you the crime" comes to mind. Who is the injured party in this case? Who lost money? What a sad thing we've turned into. Freedom of speech is hanging by a thread and private property being potentially seized from a private citizen and candidate for President. The DA said The Donald has been overstating his wealth for years. If this has been going on for years, why is the case being brought now? The government going after political opponents is a classic Soviet maneuver. Wonder who the police state will perceive as their next threat? Meanwhile, we all plod along with little control over what comes next.

the fire alarm for a door handle. UNBELIEVABLE! He's a former school principal and trained in fire drills. Didn't some folks go to jail for "Obstructing official proceedings" on January 6? Sounds like an act of insurrection to me. Or does it not work that way for Socialists? *****

Proclamation from the Missouri State Senate recognizing the Enterprise for 144 years of continues operation in Warsaw was a nice thing to get. In Clinton we've been in business since 1868 which probably makes us the oldest business in town, with Mills & Sons nipping closely at our heels. Six generations have worked on the Enterprise and Democrat, probably all crazy. I'm genetically damned as far as this business goes. It comes in from four branches of the family tree. One, the Cromwell's started the Saturday Evening Post. The White's started their writing career in Colorado and later had newspapers in Mississippi and Arkansas as well as Missouri. The Callows had Pennsylvania papers and the Purviances were printers of the first Continental money and later had a daily paper in Washington, PA. Don't know why I'm telling you all this, but these ancestral genes dart at me from all directions. My favorite editor was Great-Great Uncle Joe White who had a newspaper in Jackson, Mississippi. After a night on the town, he traded it for an interest in a prize fighter. So much for that. Onward and upward! *****

There is other news though. In D.C. Congressman Jamaal Bowman pulled the fire alarm to help his party delay a vote to keep the government running. Jamaal says he mistook

Word on the Street

What's the last helpful thing someone said to you?



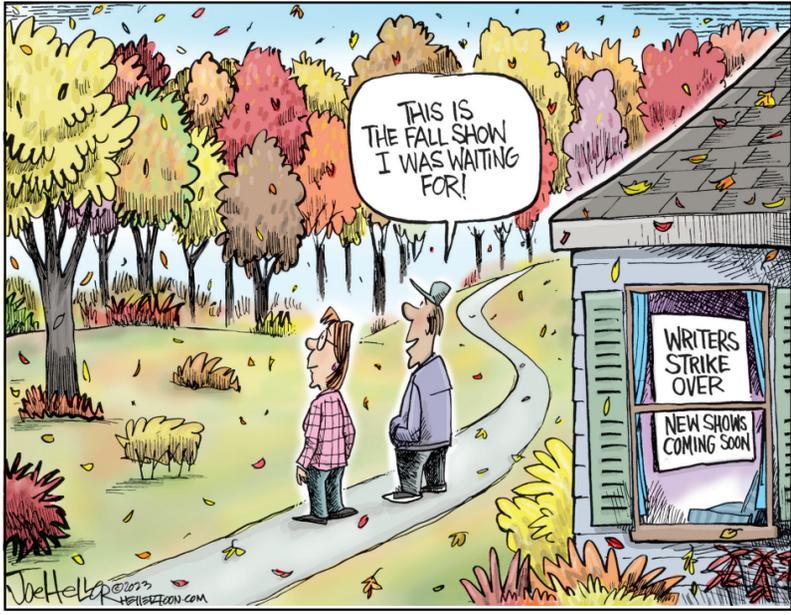
"You have something in your teeth." -Kylie Williamson



"Don't get dessert because you will feel bad." -Sabrina Meloy



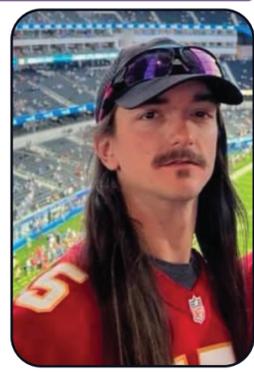
"When you ride a bike, wear shoes not flip-flops." -Lana Monard



Get to Know Clinton, MO.

NAME: Matthew John. BIRTHPLACE: Florida. YEARS IN CLINTON: 3. FAMILY: Wife and 2 children. THE BEST THING ABOUT LIVING IN CLINTON IS: Friendly community. OCCUPATION: Healthcare. WHAT I WANTED TO BE WHEN I GREW UP: What I'm doing now, which is helping people. FIRST JOB: Pumping gas. FAVORITE CHILDHOOD MEMORY: Being an airline brat traveling with my mom. WHAT DO YOU VALUE MOST IN YOUR FRIENDS: Honesty. YOUR GREATEST FEAR IS: Heights. MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: Right now. I HOPE I NEVER HAVE TO: Live without my wife. I'VE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO: Bake. IF I WON THE LOTTERY, I WOULD: Help friends and family, donate some and happily retire. MY DREAM TRIP WOULD BE TO: Croatia. HOBBIES: Dirt bike riding, golfing and boating. FAVORITE BAND OR MUSICIAN: The Beatles. FAVORITE MOVIES: any spaghetti western.

FAVORITE DRINK: Coke. FAVORITE SNACK: Cashews or sunflower seeds. FAVORITE CANDY: Swedish fish. FUTURE GOAL: Traveling with my wife. WHICH PERSON DO YOU ADMIRE MOST: My dad. ADVICE YOU WOULD GIVE YOUR YOUNGER SELF: Everything worthwhile takes work. WORDS TO LIVE BY: Be true to yourself.



Advertisement for Bradley Chadley Funeral Home, featuring a group photo and contact information.

Clinton Chamber of Commerce

Welcome New Chamber Member: D&C on Center Street. Their Grand Opening WAS (9/28-10/1). 207 South Center Street (formerly Center Street Pub and Grill). Newly renovated bar and grill, located off the Downtown Square in Clinton. Now Hiring! All positions: cooks, servers, and bartenders! The Clinton Chamber and our Ambassadors group celebrated a Grand Opening with Rejuvv Luxury Spa today. 1415 North Water Street in Clinton. (660) 238-7572. Beauty, cosmetic & personal care - Weight Loss Center - Skin Care Service. Whether you are looking for some help in the fine line and wrinkle department, or a dramatic change in plumping your lips, you are in the right place! Skin rejuvenation, weight loss injections, vitamin injections, iv infusions, and hormone replacement therapy are only a few of the things Rejuvv has to offer you. Medical grade skincare is a huge part of what we do at Rejuvv Med. The Clinton Tourism Assoc. is happy to announce our Discover Clinton App is now available. https://one-link.to/discoverclinton 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. 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. Clinton Schools COATS FOR KIDS Yes, we know it's winter and still feels like

summer, but winter will be here soon. Angel Tree Inc. will be beginning their annual coat distribution early this year, on October 4th. If your child will be in need of a coat this winter, please call 660-885-8229 (between the hours of 9am-4pm Monday-Friday) to schedule an appointment to receive a coat. 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. Seeds of Faith Preschool Kawasaki 400cc Raffle. \$10/ticket or 6 for \$50. Drawing on Oct. 7th at 6:30pm(do not have to be present to win). Tickets available from parents, board members, at the school, Price Cutter, Jim Raysik's, NAPA in Urich an Farmer's Elevator in Clinton. MURDER AND THE MASQUERADE BALL-Dinner Theatre Henry County Museum - Larissa Culaard, the Wife of Vladimir Culaard, an overworked bio-tech executive, has organized a masquerade ball. In reality, this business party is really going to be an intervention designed to confront Vladimir with his workaholic ways and their impact on his family. Some eccentric relatives from the old country arrive and the event backfires when someone does something unthinkable. October 7th. Call Now while Tickets Last. \$50 per Ticket. 5pm. 660-885-8414. 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. We have an upcoming Military Support Event at our local VFW Post 1894, Clinton MO OPEN TO THE PUBLIC! This is an opportunity to show support to veteran owned businesses and for those who have services to offer veterans. If you are a veteran and have a business (Scentsy, crafts included) OR a business that offers veterans discounts or something specifically aimed at veterans we would love to hear from you! We've had a food truck and a couple vendors with indoor tables that have not confirmed so we would love to have a couple more who are available Oct 21st 9am-1 pm contact us! You can message us or text/call/email Jennifer at 669-525-0470 jennnum68@gmail.com Red Star Intertribal Gourd Dance Society's 18th ANNUAL ANCESTORS MEMORIAL GOURD DANCE and POW WOW OCT. 21ST BENSON CONVENTION AND EXPOSITION CENTER IN CLINTON, MO 12:30pm-1:30pm--Gourd Dancing Chamber 9

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Renowned KC Artist Harold Smith Exhibition Comes to UCM Oct. 2-31

The University of Central Missouri Gallery of Art and Design is pleased to announce the opening of "We Just Be," an exhibition of paintings by renowned Kansas City artist Harold Smith that will fill the walls of all three galleries at the UCM Art Center, Oct. 2-31. A lecture by the artist on Oct. 9 provides an opportunity for all who are interested to learn more about Smith and his work.

Smith is a prolific artist, educator, and writer. In addition to painting, he works in collage, mixed media, performance, video, sound, and assemblage. His work has been exhibited widely, both nationally and internationally including recent exhibitions at the University of Omaha, Nebraska and at the Nelson Atkins Museum of Art in Kansas City. Smith's films, called, "Abstractumenataries," have been screened throughout Kansas City including at the Kemper Museum of Art, and his work has been the subject of multiple magazine articles and books. In addition to his work as an artist, Smith writes for "KC Studio Magazine."

Smith's work focuses on the complexity of black masculinity in America by exploring and expressing the simultaneously complementary and contradictory internal and external narratives that black men in America must navigate in order to survive and flourish.



According to Gallery Director, Jamie Platt, "We Just Be," is an immersive experience. She noted that in his exhibition, large scale, colorful, expressively painted figurative paintings line the galleries' walls, each one carrying emblems of humanity.

"The paintings stick with you," Platt said. "Harold's brushwork is layered frequently with text, sometimes glittering bits of ephemera, and occasionally actual glitter. For all their bombast of scale and material, the paintings have a quiet gravity, pulling one in. Text embedded in many of the paintings evoke cultural references, adding layers of meaning, sometimes the text asks questions directly."

"We Just Be" can be viewed at the UCM Art Center Galleries from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, and noon to 4 p.m. Saturdays. On Thursdays, the galleries are open until 8 p.m.

Smith will give a talk

about his work as a Kleppe Visiting Artist Lecturer, beginning at 4 p.m. Monday, Oct. 9 in Wood 100. Admission is free and all are welcome. The lecture will also be available to watch online. Free Zoom registration is required. <https://tinyurl.com/yc2keycx>. Immediately following the

lecture there will be a meet the artist reception in the Gallery of Art and Design from 5-7 p.m. Admission is free and all are welcome. Refreshments will be served.

For more information contact, Platt by phone at 660-543-4498 or by email to jlplatt@ucmo.edu.

Digital Media Production Student Receives National Recognition for Work at KMOS PBS



UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL MISSOURI student producer at KMOS-TV, Leilani Craig, a junior Digital Media Production major from Blue Springs, Missouri, was recently honored with a Telly Award.

KMOS-TV, the PBS station licensed to the University of Central Missouri, recently received four Telly Awards honoring excellence in local television programming. One of these awards was presented to KMOS student producer Leilani Craig who competed against established producers in professional categories with her production of "K-Pop Rising: Kansas City Arirang Festival 2022."

"Once again, our students demonstrated that the ex-

perience they receive from their time at UCM is preparing them for a special future," said Josh Tomlinson, director of broadcasting services and general manager of KMOS-TV. "I think it is tremendous that Leilani's work is being recognized alongside such organizations as Comcast Creative Services and the Hollywood Critics Association."

Leilani Craig is a junior from Blue Springs, Missouri, who is majoring in Digital Media Production at UCM. She is a member of the KMOS PBS student production team who, beyond making their own short documentaries and online studio programs, also assist the station's full-time production team with all aspects of both field and studio production.

KMOS also received three Telly Awards for its flagship program, "Making," for the segments featuring Assumption Abbey Fruitcakes in the Missouri Ozarks, Dale Hollow Winery in Stover, Missouri, and the Missouri Meer-schaum Company in Washington, Missouri.

About KMOS
KMOS is a PBS member television station licensed to the University of Central Missouri.

Since 1979 KMOS has broadcast high-quality engaging, educational and entertaining programs to central Missouri. From one original channel broadcast 18 hours a day to four channels broadcast 24/7, KMOS is supported in the community through individual memberships and corporate support, by UCM as well as underlying support from all viewers.

About UCM
The University of Central Missouri transforms students into lifelong learners, dedicated to service, with the knowledge, skills and confidence to succeed and lead in the region, state, nation and world. The university's 150-acre main campus is located in Warrensburg, with our extended campus, UCM-Lee's Summit, located at the Missouri Innovation Campus in Lee's Summit, Mo. UCM offers 150 programs of baccalaureate and master's degree study with outstanding, experienced faculty, and opportunity for study around the world.

About the Telly Awards
The Telly Awards program was founded in 1979 to honor excellence in local, regional and cable television commercials, but added with non-broadcast video and television programming added soon after. The Telly Awards annually showcases the best work created within television and across video, for all screens. Receiving over 12,000 entries from all 50 states and five continents, Telly Award winners represent work from some of the most respected advertising agencies, television stations, production companies and publishers from around the world.

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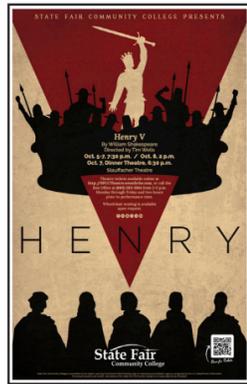
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS at Clinton Christian Academy enjoy having lunch outside every day when the weather is nice! With our growing numbers of enrollment, our four picnic tables were getting really crowded. Special thanks goes out to the CCA Parent Organization for their generous purchase of a fifth picnic table this year! High School students really appreciate your support!

SFCC Theatre Arts to present 'Henry V'

The State Fair Community College Theatre Arts program will present a modern language adaptation of William Shakespeare's, "Henry V" at 7:30 p.m. Oct. 5-7 and 2 p.m. Oct. 8 in the Stauffacher Theatre on the Sedalia campus. A dinner theatre will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Oct. 7. The play is directed by Tim Wells, SFCC Theatre Instructor & Technical Director. This production restricts children ages 5 and younger from attending the performances.

The play takes place in tumultuous fifteenth-century England, newly crowned King Henry V grapples with a restless nation scarred by brutal civil wars. Seeking the respect of his people, he must overcome his wild past. His invasion of France strains his relationships, leading to heart-wrenching choices for those close to him. The epic Battle of Agincourt, where the outnumbered English triumph against the French, transforms the fate of nations. Henry's poignant night among his soldiers brings clarity, emphasizing the weight of his royal duties. In an unexpected turn, English victory compels the proud French to surrender. The ensuing peace negotiations, lead to Henry's marriage to the French king's daughter, uniting the kingdoms under their son's rule.

Tickets are \$5 each and can be purchased at SFCCTheatre.Eventbrite.com or by calling the Box Office at (660) 530-5814 from 2-5 p.m. Monday-Friday. SFCC students and employees may reserve tickets for performances at no cost in the Box Office. Dinner theatre tickets for Saturday, Oct. 7 cost \$13 per person. Wheelchair seating is available upon request. For special accommodations, email Kristen at khenning@sfccmo.edu.



STATE FAIR COMMUNITY COLLEGE Theatre Arts presents "Henry V"

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CAST
 Bedford, English Soldier: Alex Knudsen, Branson Canterbury, Gloucester: Analyce Hayley, Las Vegas, NV/Edwards, MO Messenger, Constable of France: Ashton Gerhart, Knob Noster Pistol, English Soldier: Ivory Nail, Lexington Westmoreland, John Bates: Ellie Siegfried, Centerview Dauphin: Emma Miller, Union Hostess, Governor, Orleans, Williams, Queen Isabel: Gianna Ortiz, Windsor Chorus, French Messenger: Kaitlyn Mehl, Higginsville Henry V: Payton Lawrence, Norborne French King, Erpingham, French Soldier: Ross Owen, Moberly Nym, Duke of Bourbon, French Soldier: Stephanie Carr, Windsor Montjoy, French Soldier,

Cambridge, Princess Katherine: Taylor Joronen, Windsor Bardolph, Captain Fluellen, English Soldier, Salisbury: Walker Beaman, Lincoln

CREW
 Director: Tim Wells, SFCC Theatre Arts Technical Director Assistant Director/Stage Manager: Dylan Young, Blue Springs/Lee's Summit Assistant Stage Manager: Gabe Sokolowski, Sedalia Light Board Operator: Erika Freeman, Warrensburg Costume Designer: Ellie Siegfried, Centerview Costume Construction & Crew: Emily Mayhew, Knob Noster; Dylan Young, Blue Springs/Lee's Summit Props Master: Max Kleinschmidt, Trenton Run Crew: Alaina Ayers, Sedalia; Natalee Dillon, Higginsville Composer & Sound Designer: James Hyde III, Blue Eye Sound Board Operator: Sara Hensel, Provencal, Louisiana Scenery Construction: Payton Lawrence, Norborne; Walker Beaman, Lincoln Fight Captains: Matthew Womble, Sedalia; Ethan Alexander, Marshall

CCA Classes Serve Community



ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH, members of the CCA Junior and Senior classes traveled to the Benson Center to help serve in our community.

The Golden Valley Door of Hope Annual banquet took place that night. The upperclassmen set out tables and chairs, and helped put decorations on the tables to help prepare for the event.

The Door of Hope's mission is to provide compassionate support by empowering those at risk or impacted by unplanned pregnancy. They serve

many women and men in need in Henry county. Door of Hope offers these free services: pregnancy test, ultrasounds, pregnancy counseling, maternal assistance, community assistance referrals, prenatal classes, adoption referrals, parental training, among others.

This speaker for this year's Door of Hope Annual Banquet was Kathy

Sparks Lesnoff, who is the President/CEO of Mosaic Pregnancy & Health Centers in Granite City and Belleville, Illinois.

—Kennedy Vaughn

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DELBERT VOGEL



Delbert Vogel, age 81 of Prairie du Sac, Wisconsin died Wednesday, September 13, 2023 at Wisconsin Dells Health Services in Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin.

Delbert was born October 01, 1941, in Montrose, Missouri the son of Nicholas and Genevieve (Goth) Vogel. He worked at Kansas City Power & Light as a mechanic for nearly 30 years. He had a knack for building and fixing things, he enjoyed fishing and traveling. His favorite place to fish was Canada, where he traveled each year with friends and family.

He is survived by his sons Dale Vogel and David (Tara) Vogel. His grandchildren, Mechelle Ogborn, Robyn Campbell, Brayden Birkett and Cameron Birkett; his 6 great-grandchildren; Kody, Tyler, Kaitlin, Travis, Eric and Chase and brothers Roger and Roy Vogel. He is also survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. He is preceded in death by his parents and brother Ken Vogel.

A celebration of life will be held on November 4, 2023 from 4:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. at Vansant-Mills Funeral Home, 314 W. Jefferson St., Clinton, MO 64735.

The Picha Funeral Home and Crematory of Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin assisted the family with arrangements. For On-Line condolences and information, go to www.pichafuneralhome.com.

ROBERT HARRISON

Robert Harrison, age 67, of Clinton, Missouri passed away on Thursday, August 24, 2023 at Lee's Summit Medical Center in Lee's Summit, Missouri.

Robbie was born to Robert Harrison, who preceded him in death, and Darlene White Harrison on September 7, 1955. He graduated from Clinton High School with the Class of 1973.

Faded pictures that we found show him when he was young and proud. He ran hard and loud. He was a man to be reckoned with. He played ball, wrestled, fished, and drove his cars hard. He worked jobs that weren't for the faint of heart; roofing, working on oil rigs, and iron working. The softer side of Robbie was not seen by many, but the love he had

for his mother revealed it. He took care of her, and they had a bond that death can't break.

Robbie is survived by his mother, Darlene White Harrison, two sisters, Jill Harrison Barnhart, and Jana Harrison Collins, his nieces, Cristin Berg, Irellynn Collins, and nephews, Chance Barnhart and Jack Collins.

Graveside services and inurnment were held in Englewood Cemetery, Clinton, MO with Larry White officiating.

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

PHYLLIS RICHEY

Phyllis Richey, age 77, of Clinton, Missouri passed away on Saturday, September 2, 2023 at Clinton Healthcare and Rehab Center in Clinton, Missouri. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, September 9

Phyllis Jean Jacobs Richey was born on March 23, 1946 in Creighton, Missouri, the youngest daughter of Orva Claude and Margie Lee Yates Jacobs. Phyllis lived her entire life within a short distance of her birthplace where she was known and loved by family and friends. She lived the majority of her life in the Ulrich and Clinton area.

At a young age she was baptized in a Christian church in Pleasant Hill, Missouri. Phyllis was an honest hard-working individual who strived to do her best for those she worked with at Golden Valley Memorial Hospital where she spent 30 years in Dietary. Long lasting bonds of friendship were formed with co-workers. She retired in 2011 to be with her longtime companion Jackie Fuller in his last illness.

On April 11, 1966, Phyllis married James Kenneth Buckley in K.C., Missouri. To this union one daughter was born, Alice May in 1967. They divorced in 1979. Phyllis then devoted herself to Alice, encouraging her to become all she could be.

In 1982 Phyllis married Maurice Richey, for a short duration.

In 1986 Phyllis was reunited with her high school sweetheart, Jackie Fuller, they had 25 happy years together before his illness took him away. They enjoyed short vacations spending time in various casinos and just being in one another's company.

Phyllis was preceded in death by both parents; a sister Donita Embree; and a baby brother Jerry Jacobs.

She is survived by her two daughters: Alice May (Buckley) Trager and hus-

band Cliff of Parkville, Missouri, grandchildren Jordan, Mallory and Caitlyn of K.C., Missouri, Cindy Lee (Wilson) Gregory and husband Zeke of Inverness, Florida and grandson Dylan Wilson of K.C., Missouri, along with one great granddaughter and one great grandson, one sister Frances Schmidli of Windsor, Missouri, six nieces and one nephew and their families. Phyllis leaves these family members and many friends who will miss her happy spirit.

Funeral services were held Sat. Sept. 9, 2023 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel, Clinton, MO with Rev. David Mills officiating. Special music included "Old Rugged Cross, Amazing Grace and Jesus Loves Me." Interment followed in Mullin Cemetery, Ulrich, MO.

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

CYNTHIA ANN RHOADES

Cynthia Ann Rhoades age 66, of Montrose, Missouri, passed away, Saturday, August 19, 2023 at her home, with her family by her side.

Cynthia Ann Rhoades was born on August 29, 1956 in Clinton, Missouri to Clayton and Shirley Landes.

Cindy worked in upholstery at Tracker Marine and in the fitting department at Wal-Mart in Clinton and Topeka. She enjoyed crocheting, playing cards, drinking diet coke and reading. She loved investigation shows on TV, but most of all she loved her grandkids.

Cindy is preceded in death by her husband C.L. Rhoades, her parents Clayton and Shirley Landes, and grandson Jason Caldwell.

Survivors include her children Carmen (David) Bristow of Clinton, Missouri, Michael (Angelia) Buce of Topeka, Kansas, Amy (Randy) White of Clinton, Missouri, Jerry Dale (Jeanne) Martin of Montrose, Missouri, and Sara Beth Martin of Montrose, Missouri, her sister Deborah (Jimmy) Greenwell of Deepwater, Missouri, 2 brothers Jr (Kate) Landes of Deepwater, Missouri, and Kevin (Carla) Foster of Deepwater, Missouri, 19 grandchildren, and 7 great grandchildren, and many other family and friends.

The family would like to thank ProMedica Hospice for all their care and compassion.

Memorial services were held August 31, 2023 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel, Clinton with Pastor Kenny Batson officiating. Special music included "Dancing In the Sky, Unchained Melody and How Can I Help You Say Goodbye." Inurnment was in Teays Chapel Cemetery, Montrose, MO.

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

CARROL KAY ROTERT

Carrol Kay Rotert, age 80 of Montrose, Missouri passed away on Thursday, September 21, 2023 at Research Medical Center in Kansas City, Missouri.

Carrol Kay was born on June 5, 1943 in Clinton, Missouri to Kenneth and Virginia (Green) Meadows. She graduated from Clinton High School. She married Arthur Rotert on September 1, 1962. They farmed in Henry County. Carrol was a homemaker and helped on the farm. She attended church in Montrose, Missouri.

Carrol was the "Grandparent" she didn't have to be to Clayton Farmer (great nephew). She spoiled him his whole life. Her and Art took him to the lake or on vacation, made sure he learned the farm life. She loved Clayton and his friends.

Carrol is survived by 4 sister-in-law's, Carol A Rotert, Rose Wainscott, Lorene

Horn and Margie Jennings (Gary), her nieces and nephews, Mike Rottinghaus, Sheila (Scott) Munk, Gina (Bob) Saunders, Lisa (Brandon) Voges, Ricky (Misty) Wainscott, Tim Wainscott, Tina Simmons, Lori Wainscott, Theresa (Stephen) Mesa, Mike (Dawn) Horn, Sarah (Jeff) Bartley, Tom (Bhavi) Horn, Wendy Hunt, John (Honey) Jennings, David (Sam) Roberts, Chris (Kelly) Apsher, Sherri (Mike) Farmer.

Carrol was preceded in death by her husband Arthur, her parents Kenneth and Virginia, her sister Linda Meadows.

She will be greatly missed by her fur baby IV Rose.

Funeral mass was held September 29, 2023 at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Montrose, MO with Father Jason Koch officiating. Special music included "You Are Mine, Abba Father, We Will Rise Again and How Great Thou Art," with Sandra Wagner as organist. The pallbearers were Clayton Farmer, Alex Admiree, Caleb Nepple, Jackie Coutts, Mike Horn, Rick Wainscott and Tim Wainscott. Interment followed in Englewood Cemetery, Clinton, MO.

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

GEORGE CURTIS THAYER

George Curtis Thayer, 72, of Clinton, MO went to be with his Savior on September 26, 2023 after a short battle with cancer.

The youngest of four siblings, George was born on August 1, 1951 to Webster Aldrich Thayer and Agnes Maxine Sargent. He grew up in South Newfane, VT.

At age 21, he married Blanche Edna Sumner of Halifax, VT. The Lord gave George and Blanche 50 loving years together before he passed away. They lived in Vermont for most of their lives and were blessed with two daughters: Leah Betsey and Courtney Rebecca.

God created George to fix things, and he began working as an auto mechanic early in his life. George owned and operated a successful automotive repair business, Rocky Ledge Auto Repair, for 30 years in Halifax, VT. His customers will remember him as a skilled, honest, and compassionate man.

When George was in his 20s, he placed his trust in Jesus Christ to forgive his sins and make him right with God. This was a turning point for him. He spent the rest of his life growing in faith and love. He was active in church and cared deeply about people.

In 2021, George and Blanche moved to Clinton, MO to be close to their family. At that time, George became very involved in the Celebrate Recovery ministry at his church. He told everyone he met about CR, because he saw firsthand how it helps people recover from all sorts of "hurts, habits, and hang-ups."

His family will remember him for his gentle heart, sense of humor, and love of ice cream. They will remember him taking them boating on the lake and giving them rides in his Ford Model A. Most of all, they will remember him as a hero of the faith. When he learned he had terminal cancer, he never stopped saying, "It's okay." He quoted Romans 8:28 often throughout his illness: "And we know that God causes all things to work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to His purpose."

George loved his family. He is survived by his wife, his two daughters, his sons-in-law Josh Pritchard and Justin Wallhoff, and his seven grandchildren: Knox, Violet, Noah, Malcolm,

Lucie, Lillian, and soon-to-be grandbaby, Webster. He is also survived by his brother, Bill Thayer; his sister, Mary Towne; and many nieces and nephews and their children. He was preceded in death by both of his parents and his sister, Betsey Wetherbee. George will be missed by many lifelong friends in Southern Vermont.

A Celebration of Life service honoring George will be held on October 13, 2023, at 10:00 AM at the First Baptist Church Worship Center in Clinton, MO, with a luncheon following. For those who cannot attend, the service will be live-streamed at firstbaptistclinton.church/georgethayer and on the church's Facebook page. The family would love to hear your memories of George; you can share them online at www.bradleyhadley.com.

The family suggests that memorial contributions be given to Celebrate Recovery. Checks can be made to "First Baptist Church of Clinton" with a designation for "Celebrate Recovery" and mailed to First Baptist Church, 209 E. Jefferson St., Clinton, MO, 64735.

CAROLINE SUE SULLINS

Caroline Sue Brown was born on April 15, 1943 in Talladega Alabama to Roland Earnest Brown and Carrie Mae (Ford) Brown. Caroline was the 11th of 12 children. Caroline's mother Carrie passed away when she was 3 or 4 years old, followed by the loss of her father Roland at age 11. She was then raised by her older sister Jake after a short period in an orphanage. The family moved around often, but most of her childhood was spent in Arizona. They were poor and times were hard, but Caroline always had a sunny disposition and good humor. When Caroline was 15, she met her future husband, Thurman, who was stationed in Arizona with the Navy. When Caroline was 18, she left home and traveled to Kansas City to marry Thurman. They were wed on January 11, 1962.

Caroline worked hard all her life. She worked for the shoe factory in Warrensburg, Missouri for several years doing decorative sewing. She was very proud of the fact that she made good money since she was a fast sewer. After the shoe factory moved to Sedalia, she then started working at Chilhowee School as a cook. She had several different jobs over the years, but always loved cooking at school the best. When she got the chance, she started cooking at Shawnee Mound School and remained there until she retired. She loved interacting with the children, and long after retirement would often meet some of her "school kids" who were grown adults who still remembered her and always got a hug from "Mrs. Sullins." Caroline attended the Chilhowee Baptist Church in her younger adult life, where she sometimes taught Sunday School or Vacation Bible School. She liked to volunteer at the annual Chilhowee Fair in the school display so that she could see all the kids come through and be so proud of their ribbons and prizes. For several years, Caroline served on the Chilhowee Cemetery board.

Caroline always maintained her sunny disposition. She never met a stranger. If she did, they didn't remain strangers for long! Caroline loved family and children. She and Thurman hosted many family holidays, dinners and get-togethers at their house on the farm. Everyone was welcome, and there was always plenty of food, games, stories and laughter. Every kid in the family will have memories of sleepovers, parties,

cookie decorating, etc., at Caroline's house.

Caroline was preceded in death by her husband Thurman; her parents Roland and Carrie; six sisters, Beatrice (Beattie), Odelia, Jessie Bell (Jake), Dorothy, Betty Katherine and Louise, four brothers: Cecil, Billy, Claud, and James.

She is survived by one sister, Jeanie, of Arizona; three children, Robert (Susan) Sullins of Leeton, Missouri, Lynn (John) DePriest of Leeton Missouri, Vance (Jenny) Sullins of Garden City, Missouri; eight grandchildren, TJ (Megan) Sullins, Casey (Danny) Ditty, Jake (Beth) Sullins, Shiane (Ryan) Schmick, Sierra Sullins, Maddie Sullins, Clint Sullins, Tori Sullins; eight great grandchildren, Mason and Mila Sullins, Leena and Lillianne Sullins, Brylea Baker, Lilyandra Schmick, Lawson and Weston Ditty; and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, October 7, 2023 at the Bradley & Hadley Funeral Home, Clinton. The family will receive friends Friday evening, October 6, 2023 at the funeral home. Interment will be in the Chilhowee Cemetery, Chilhowee, MO. The family suggests memorial contributions to the Chilhowee Cemetery, and these donations may be left in care of the funeral home. Condolences may be left online at www.bradleyhadley.com.

FRANCIS LEROY BROWN

Francis Leroy Brown, age 80, of Raymore, Missouri passed away on Friday, September 15, 2023 in Raymore, Missouri.

Francis was born on October 7, 1942 in Humansville, Missouri to Edgar and Lela (Bullinton) Brown. He worked in construction in the late 60's and early 70's. Then raised cattle, raced quarter horses and owned a horse farm in Vian, Oklahoma. Later He owned a painting business for many years starting in the mid 80's.

Francis is preceded in death by his parents Edgar Amos Brown and Lela Marie (Bullinton) Brown, two brothers Clarence Brown and Eugene Brown.

Survivors include his 4 children; Larry Brown, Leroy Brown, Twila Murphy, and Amy Courson Peltier King, 4 grandchildren; Ian Murphy, Savannah Murphy, Siera Murphy and Austin Peltier, 4 great grandchildren; Adalynn Murphy, Piper Murphy, Penelope Murphy and Trey Murphy, one brother Gerald Brown along with a host of friends.

A Celebration of Life was held September 21, 2023 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel, Clinton with Rev. Bob Fenwick officiating. Special music included "Circle Be Unbroken, Wheel In the Sky and Against the Wind."

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

Death Notices

Bryan J. Schroder, 97, died Tues, Sept. 26, 2023. Graveside service was 2pm Fri, Sept. 29, 2023 at Hickory Grove Cemetery in Ulrich, MO. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri. ***

Bert Rosebrough, 84, died Wed, Sept. 27, 2023. Memorial services and military honors were held 2p.m., Sat, Sept. 30, 2023, at the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor, with Pastor Mike Brown officiating. The family received friends before the service from 12:30-2 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial will take place in the Laurel Oak Cemetery, Windsor, at a later date. ***

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Calhoun UMC

Welcome to the Good News from Calhoun Community Church (formerly Calhoun UMC) 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 of encouragement 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: Our Lord provided a most beautiful evening for the Gospel Fest held on the City Hall lawn, Saturday evening. The event sponsored by Calhoun Community Church & Mt. Moriah Church was a huge success. We actually had to turn folks away who wanted to perform. Around 75 people brought their lawn chairs, and enjoyed an evening of inspirational musical entertainment provided by Larry and Judy Terry from Soul's Harbor, Tightwad, Linda and Sam Gibbons from Northeast Baptist, Clinton, Tanner Wiley and Scott Brooks from Grace Fellowship, Cole Camp, The Praise Group, from Soul's Harbor, Calhoun Baptist Church, and Mt. Moriah Church. Concessions were provided by Calhoun Community Church. An impromptu love offering was taken by the Calhoun Baptist Group and presented to the new kids on the block-Calhoun Community Church as we start anew. Our Thanks and Appreciation extended to Pastor Mark Abney and those who gave so generously.

Our next event will be a Movie Nite on the Square, Sat. October 21 nd, at 6:30 p.m. Many of us at Calhoun Community Church remember movies shown on a sheet hanging from the wall of the City Hall building in our youth. We want to pass that experience on to another generation of Calhoun Youth. The Event will be free of charge; start with a cartoon and then the movie "Hocus Pocus"; don't forget lawn chairs or a blanket. (In the event of bad weather the event will be moved inside.) Soft drinks and other refreshments will be available for sale.

We are also reviving the Fifth Sunday Singspiration Event, Calhoun area Churches enjoyed before. Calhoun Community Church is hosting the first of hopefully, many future Singspiration Events. Please come and enjoy a chili / soup fundraiser 4:00 to 5:30 prior to the service (free will donation accepted). All are welcome for what is promised to be uplifting and spiritual performances by area churches.

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 Nondenominational church should you find yourself in need of prayer we encourage you to join us any Sunday morning. We will be blessed by your presents.

Drakes Chapel UMC

Today we celebrated World Wide Communion Sunday. Pastor Margie told of her experience of receiving communion in Africa while serving the Lord on a mission trip years ago.

Perhaps we take for granted our experience when we take of the Lord's Supper. Margie's story was how all the village people cherished the time when they could partake of communion. Drums would sound and voices would be raised to Heaven. The believers coming from miles around.

The morning message reminded us of how important it is to let God guide us every day. To listen for his words and then do the things He would lead us to do. To say yes. Our gifts are many and our abilities as well, but we should stand ready. Following God's lead just might be an unexpected blessing to someone else. The Lord gives us free will, but he also gives us hearts full of love and compassion. Will we be complacent or will we say YES!

Our fall calendar is looking busy at Drake's. On October 15th, we will be welcoming Rev. Melissa Dodd, our Conference District Superintendent from Columbia, Mo. She will bring us the morning message and guide on ways to do the business of the Lord in a simplified method.

On October 22nd, we will hear from women of the Hope Project in Clinton. This is a wonderful program that we at Drake's Chapel UMC avidly support. Please join us to hear of the good things that happen when we, with the help of Jesus, give others a hand up.

We look forward to doing many things for the Lord in the weeks and months to come. It would be our blessing to have you join us any Sunday in person at 9:00, 5 miles E of Clinton on Hwy 52 then left on 281 Rd. Church on the left about a mile down the road. On line worship is at the same time on Pastor Margie's Facebook page.

First Baptist

On Sunday, Pastor Pat Findley delivered the 3rd message of his fall sermon series, "Weakness is Greater than Strength", titled "The Promise of God's Presence". Pastor Pat continued describing how the angel of God spoke to Gideon in Judges 6:17-24. When God commands Gideon to go and to strike down the Midianites, who have been wreaking havoc for 7 years, God assures Gideon that He will be with him. Gideon asks for assurance and for time to prepare an offering. The angel of the Lord agrees to wait for him. Although God has no need to prove Himself, He does when the angel of the Lord touches the offering and it is suddenly consumed by fire. Shocked and fearful, Gideon is assured by God's presence. He begins to worship, building an altar named 'The Lord is Peace'. This story helps us to know that we don't have to understand the 'how', but to simply trust in Him. While Gideon's circumstances haven't changed, he experiences God's peace. We, too, can find peace with God, even when the world around us is not at peace. How do we accept His peace over our worry or anxiety? We must pray to, trust in, and know Christ. Where are you in getting to know Jesus Christ? God has the power to transform us, and to assure us of our salvation. God says, "I will be with you". Rest assured, knowing the promise of His presence!

Worship service times are 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. and Sunday School is offered at 8:15 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. Youth and Children's Ministries also 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

From the beginning of creation, God's word was love. He has lavished that love on you and me, not because we did anything to earn it, but because it is a great gift to us. Let that love bring peace to you and give it away to others. We observed World Communion Sunday joining with God's people around the world. From Despair to Hope was the message brought by Rev. Nancy Gillard. Matthew 13: 1 - 17 was the scriptural basis for this sermon. Linda Wilson played the beautiful old hymn "Whispering Hope" on the piano as our anthem.

The recent "Cut & Tie" work day was a resounding success. Hanging in the foyer are 12 brightly colored blankets created for the Festival of Sharing "Blankets of Love" project. The blankets are available to young children in the area who are in need.

Overflowing is the word to describe our foyer shelves filled with school supplies for the Reading and Writing Packs. These supplies will be delivered to Tipton October 14. The Presbyterian Women appreciate the generosity of the congregation concerning this mission project.

Interested in Tai Chi? Classes meet here each Monday and Wednesday at 10:00 am. Tai Chi helps strengthen your core and improve balance. Come and be a part of this dynamic group.

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: fpccantonmo.net or Facebook First Presbyterian Clinton MO. Stay updated on the happenings at First Presbyterian by visiting our website. Our monthly newsletter, pictures and other interesting items about the church can be found there.

Mt. Calvary Apostolic Pentecostal "Go and Sin No More"

John 8:10-11. (KJV) The men bringing accusations against this woman could have stoned her without coming to Jesus. However, they wanted to come to Jesus so they could question him.

John 8:5-7. I have learned that related to the bible, I go with few words. Waiting on God to give more so the devil can't turn my words around.

People have their ideas of what Jesus was writing in the dirt, and why the accusers walked away, but the bible does not tell us what he wrote. It does tell us in John 8:9.

Those who heard it were convicted by what he said. The woman who anointed Jesus's feet with oil and cleaned them with her hair. came to him because he knew she was a sinner.

We as Christians can always do something, even if it is praying. This woman, though a sinner was more attentive to Jesus than the host.

(Luke 8:40-50) The Bible speaks of Mary Magdalene. She became a disciple of Christ following him along with the disciples. She witnessed him at the cross, prepared his body with spices, and was one of the first to see him when he was resurrected. He delivered her from devils and told her to go and sin no more and that is what she did.

Luk 8:27-28. Devils know who Jesus Christ is. When you have Jesus Christ in you, the devils will see it.

The people of the town were afraid of the man with the demons. Once he was delivered from them, they were still afraid. They wanted Jesus to leave.

(Luke 8:29-35) The man who was delivered of the demons wanted to follow Jesus. Jesus told him to stay telling him.

Luke 8:39. If he had followed Jesus, there would have been no one there as a witness to what Jesus had done for him. We are more valuable when we preach to people about God.

When Jesus returned, the people were ready to see him and were waiting for him.

God has clothed us in our right mind and we should be getting people ready for the return of Jesus. It is our job to continue the work of the apostles.

After Jesus healed the man at the pool, it says in John 5:14.

If you obey God's commandments he is merciful but if you are disobedient, he is dangerous. God Bless.

Urich Baptist

The faithful gathered on this beautiful 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 16:25-33. In this passage the Disciples finally understood that Jesus would be killed and then resurrected. Jesus told them these things so that they would have peace. He would give them strength through life's tribulations. We too must abide in Jesus through prayer.

Each of us will go through tribulations, but in our faith and trust in Jesus He gives us the strength to endure. Have a blessed week.

Valley Center United

Valley Center is an open and affirming church and welcomes all to come and worship with us on Sunday morning at 9 am.

We send everyone an invitation to come to our annual Oktoberfest, which is on October 14th, with serving beginning at 3 pm. It promises to be a delicious evening!

We remember Christ's death, we celebrate Christ's resurrection and await Christ's coming again. Today we joined other believers on this World Communion Day, in Holy Communion.

We send our love and prayers to Brent Billings and his family after the loss of his dear mother. We pray for Theresa Mahan's nephew who was involved in an accident. We continue prayers for John Gover who is facing health issues. We pray for peace for all people. We continue to pray for the people of the Ukraine as they fight for all democracy.

Today's message is one of love and grace. God stands in front of us to show us the way. He never goes back on his promises for you.

Unlike God, we make promises that we don't keep. We all do things we don't want to do and don't do the things that we should. We wonder, why did we do or say that? Did we let others speak for us? Our reactions are often not as God would want them to be. We think like people, not allowing our minds to be changed by God.

The message is, when the Holy Spirit comes to us, we change; our attitudes, responses and especially our hearts. We hold ourselves and others accountable and not be idol or silent on important things. These bold changes will make things clearer and help us do what needs to be done.

DEATHS cont.....

Linda Kennedy, 74, died Tues., Sept. 26, 2023. Funeral Service was 1pm Sept. 30, 2023 Trinity Lutheran Church, Appleton City, MO. Visitation was 12-1pm Sept. 30, 2023, preceding service. Burial Appleton City Cem, Appleton City, MO.

Jason Burwell, 42, died Mon, Sept. 25, 2023. A memorial service was held at 3pm on Tues, Oct. 3, 2023 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton, MO with visitation from 2-3pm prior to the service. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

Clinton Healthcare Spotlight Resident of the Month Juanita McCuiston



Juanita was born to Raymond and Alice Bentley on July 6, 1932. She is the second oldest of five siblings. The family was always moving around and never stayed to long in one place. Juanita married Richard Sutton her Senior year and while he finished his term in the Air Force, while she finished up her last year in High school. Unfortunately, being married excluded her from many of the parties and trips and fun that comes with your Senior year.

This marriage didn't last long due to being young and dumb. It wasn't long until she met Charles McCuiston while rock climbing in Oklahoma. They were married on October 6, 1959. Charles was a carpenter when they met. It wasn't long before they were in Bunch, Oklahoma where they pastored their first church.

After two years they decided to go into Pioneer Missions. Next, to Lovell, Wyoming in 1980 upon request of an area missionary. Charles had lots of carpenter work lined up. Charles then started a radio program and once the Mormons found out the carpenter was a Baptist preacher, all work was canceled. From 1973-1998 they moved all over the United States spreading the word of God and trusting that He would supply

all their needs.

During this time Juanita gave birth to two sons Charlie and Tracy Mccuiston. In Port Angeles they made a good salary and was able to save enough money to retire. In 1999 they bought a six-acre farm with a trailer in Blairstown, Mo. They became members at Northeast Baptist Church. Juanita lost both of her sons due to smoking cigarettes and Charles passed August 13, 2022. Shortly thereafter, Juanita became a resident of Clinton Healthcare and Rehabilitation. She has two grandsons and a granddaughter. Her grandson Josh is always calling to check in on her and makes the long drive from Texas to see her.

Juanita has deep and unwavering faith in Jesus Christ. She says that He has gotten her through the hardest parts of her life.

She goes on to say that God has been so good to her throughout her life. Her advise to the younger generation is to "Hold tight to your family and put God first. Trust in the Lord with all your heart." Juanita is such an uplifting and jolly soul to be around. In February 2023 she won Valentine's Day Queen. She will continue to hold that title. We are blessed to have you at Clinton Healthcare and Rehabilitation.

Samaritan Center

1317 S 2nd Street,
Clinton, MO 64735

HOURS: MON-FRI 9-5, SAT 9-2

Municipal Court

GARY COVER
Arraignments

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

James Arnold Daffron Jr, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (11-15 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$70.50 And Court Cost

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

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

Tabitha Sue Martin, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (20-25 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$155.50 And Court Cost

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

Crystal M Richards, Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$66.50 And Court Cost

Jill Nicole Schmedding, Shoplifting, Defendant Sentenced To 30 Jail, Ses And Court Cost, 2 Years Probation, Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$200.00

Michael James Wal Ton, Failed To Register Vehicle, Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost

Joseph Edward Wilson, Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$66.50 And Court Cost

Trials

Abigail Roxanna Riggs, Shoplifting, Incarceration Jail (Suspended Execution Of Sentence), Count 1 - Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$200.00

Nicole Ann Schmedding, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (20-25 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$155.50 And Court Cost

Highway Patrol

Driver Examination

Stations Close For Holiday

The Missouri State Highway Patrol would like to remind the public that driver examination stations throughout the state will be closed on the following date:

Monday, October 9, 2023, in observance of Columbus Day. Normal operations will resume on Tuesday, October 10, 2023.

Too many people die in traffic crashes each year in Missouri. The choices you make when you're behind the wheel matter. Make good choices, so you'll never have to say, "If I could just go back ..."

For more news, follow the Missouri State Highway Patrol on Twitter @MSHP-TrooperGHQ

Property Transfers

GAIL A. PERRYMAN

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/22/2023 Between Mcguire, Bradley W & Mcguire, Andrea K, Grantor, And Eager, Richard W & Eager, Marlene R, Grantee, Lots 1, 2, 3 Block 2 Railroad Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/22/2023 Between Collins, Darrell R, Grantor, And Benthusen Family Revocable Trust, Grantee, Lots 17, 18 Block 2 5th Addition Sky Village, 1-40-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/22/2023 Between Toddy, Stephanie Toddy, & Kristin E, Grantor, And Lee, Christian, Grantee, Lot 31 Harman Gaines Second Sub Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/22/2023 Between Severson, Larry E & Severson, Karen Z, Grantor, And Reavis, James D, Grantee, Lot 39 Allen And Cisels

Second Addition Windsor Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/22/2023 Between Lewis, Kelsey P, Grantor, And Daugherty, Jack William, Grantee, Lot 25 Jr Chappel And Others Addition Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/22/2023 Between Warren, Michael L, Grantor, And Sammons, Austin & Sammons, Abigail, Grantee, 19-43-25

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/25/2023 Between Viouthoukas, John A, Grantor, And Viouthoukas, Mary John, Grantee, 12-43-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/25/2023 Between Hutcherson, Scott L & Hutcherson, Brittany N, Grantor, And Dills, Derick Douglas Lynn, Grantee, Lot 92, 94 Brock Revised Addition To Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/25/2023 Between RAZ Investmtdents, LLC, Grantor, And Roberts, Kathleen M & Roberts, Charles M, Grantee, 27-40-24, 22-40-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/25/2023 Between RAZ Investments, LLC, Grantor, And Despaign, Katherine B & Despaign, Billy C, Grantee, 27-40-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/25/2023 Between Williams, Ronald David & Williams, Linda L & Williams, Richard James & Williams, Sheila S, Grantor, And Williams, Ronald David & Williams, Lind Al & Williams, Richard James & Williams, Sheila S, Grantee, Lot 1, 2 Catherine Mcbeth And Others Addition To Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/25/2023 Between Arthur, Christopher J (Trust) & Arthur, Joy L (Trust), Grantor, And Arthur, Christopher J & Arthur, Joy L, Grantee, 33-44-28

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/25/2023 Between Kidwiler, Michael W, Grantor, And Munsterman, Christopher & Munsterman, Tara, Grantee, 5-41-27

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/26/2023 Between Sarver, Richard Wayne & Sarver, Scherryll Lynn, Grantor, And Howard, Larry G & Howard, Sheryl A, Grantee, 14-41-24

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/26/2023 Between Barlow, Taylor & Barlow, Mary, Grantor, And Heindl, Zebulon & Trudell, James H, Grantee, Block 6 Fosters Second Addition Tow Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/26/2023 Between Truist Bank, Grantor, And Secretary Of Veterans Affairs, Grantee, Lot 14 Lynden Lake Sub Windsor

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/26/2023 Between Smith, Roy Alan (Trust), Grantor, And Koch, Kimberly L & Wilson, Joey Melinda, Grantee, 15-42-26

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/26/2023 Between Koch, Kimberly L & Koch, Charles S, Grantor, And Wilson, Joey M, Grantee, 15-42-26

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/27/2023 Between Two Brothers Golfing, LLC, Grantor, And Johns, Franklin D, Grantee, Lot 46 Averys Second Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/27/2023 Between Fix Pads Holdings, LLC, Grantor, And Macdougall, Robert William III, Grantee, Lots 14, 15, 16, 17 Ot Blairstown

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/27/2023 Between Winkler, Alvin (Trust) & Winkler, Pamela (Trust), Grantor, And Haining, Norman J, Grantee, Lot 5 Block H Sunrise Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/27/2023 Between Larson, Rebecca Lynn & Larson, Roger, Grantor, And Haining, Norman J, Grantee, Lot 5 Block H Sunrise Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/27/2023 Between Winkler, Larry Dale & Winkler, Linda, Grantor, And Haining, Norman J, Grant-

ee, Lot 5 Block H Sunrise Addition Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/28/2023 Between Arechiga Uribe, Cristian I & Arechiga Uribe, Elizabeth A, Grantor, And Taolson, Nicholas S, Grantee, Lot 27 Harman Gaines Sub To Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/28/2023 Between DO-DA Properties, LLC, Grantor, And Ward, Steven R, Grantee, Lot 81 Ot Clinton

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 09/28/2023 Between Ward, Steven R, Grantor, And Spotted Poppy Properties LLC, Grantee, Lot 81 Ot Clinton

Marriage Licenses

GAIL A. PERRYMAN

09/22/2023, Gatzemeyer, Grady Hart, 27, Garden City, And Hays, Camryn Joyce, 27, Garden City

09/25/2023, Brewington, Ryan Matthew, 20, Raytown, And Schilling, Makayla Marie Ashley, 21, Raytown

09/26/2023, Worth, Denzel Glen, 84, Deepwater, And Spencer, Charlotte Mae, 77, Deepwater

09/27/2023, Downey, Michael Shane, 54, Deepwater, And Powers, Cheryl Kay, 50, Deepwater

09/27/2023, Girardin, David Jeffrey, 43, Clinton, And Harris, Kelly Marie, 38, Clinton

Clinton

Police Dept.

9/15/2023 - ARRESTS

Heyboer, Harry Edward, 68, Clinton, Summoned/Cited, Assault

9/16/2023 - ARRESTS

Parratt, Micheal Frank, 43, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Clinton

Cummins, Scott Michael, 55, Clinton, Summoned/Cited, Stealing - Bicycles

9/17/2023 - ARRESTS

Johnson, Charles Wayne, 31, Warsaw, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd.

Duley, Robert Allen, 41, Deepwater, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Clinton

Ribby, Thomas Allen, 70, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Murder 2nd Deg - Homicide - Willfull Kill - Family - Gun

9/18/2023 - ARRESTS

Taylor, Amy Beth, 61, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Felony

Wilson, Steven Wesley, 43, Clinton, Citation, Assault

9/21/2023 - ARRESTS

Griffitt, Donald W Jr, 51, Clinton, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Clinton

9/22/2023 - ARRESTS

Thomas, Christiana Dawn, 44, Clinton, Citation, Stealing - Shoplifting

9/23/2023 - ARRESTS

Thomas, Christina Dawn, 44, Clinton, Citation, Stealing - Shoplifting

9/24/2023 - ARRESTS

Kennedy, Keaton Cale, 26, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Fail To Obey, Obstruct. Resist

9/25/2023 - ARRESTS

Toole, Bradley J, 41, Holden, Warrant, Warrant Arrest - Other Jurisdiction - Misd.

9/27/2023 - ARRESTS

Grandstaff, Kyle Matthew, 33, Clinton, On View, Statutory Sodomy/Attempted Stat Sodomy-Deviate Sexual Intercourse-Person Less Than 12 Yoa - Sex Asslt; Furnishing Pornographic Material /Attempt To Furnish To Minor -Obscene Material

9/28/2023 - ARRESTS

Sutcliffe, Nina Faylene, 46, Clinton, Taken Into Custody, Unlawful Possession Of Drug Paraphernalia - Amphetamine /Methamphetamine - Dangerous Drugs; Unlawful Possession Of Drug Paraphernalia - Amphetamine /Methamphetamine - Narcotic Equipment - Possess

Lakeland

School Dist.

SEPTEMBER 21, 2023

REGULAR MEETING -

LAKELAND R-III SCHOOL

BOARD ROOM

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mat Meeker - President, Emily Baker, Christl Brownlee, Matt Hughes, Jackson Ketterman

STAFF: Mr. Mitch Towne, Superintendent, Mrs. Lawanna Salmon, Secretary, Mrs. Trish Bauer, Elementary Principal

MEMBERS ABSENT: Jim Neuenschwander - Vice-President, Renee Baker - Treasurer

I. CALL TO ORDER

A. Call to Order - President Mat Meeker called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Notice of meeting having notified the local newspapers, and posted at the school building.

B. Roll Call - Absent: Renee Baker, and Jim Neuenschwander

C. Recognition of Visitors and Guests - Bonnie Smith, Addy Batschelett, Emily Meeker, Melinda Harper, Canaan Bellis, and Sarah Vincent.

II. CONSENT ITEMS

A. Agenda

B. Minutes - August 17, 2023 Regular Board Meeting

C. Bills for the Month of September 2023 - \$860,435.81

D. Substitute List

Christl Brownlee made a motion; Emily Baker seconded it, to approve the agenda as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes -5, No - 0. Motion carried.

Matt Hughes made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to approve the August 17, 2023 Regular Meeting Minutes as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes -5, No - 0. Motion carried.

Matt Hughes made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to approve the September bills except #036056 and #036041as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes-5, No -0. Motion carried.

Matt Hughes made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to approve the September bill #036056 as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes-4, No -1-Mat Meeker. Motion carried.

Christl Brownlee made a motion; Emily Baker seconded it, to approve the September bill #036041 as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes-4, No -1-Matt Hughes. Motion carried.

Christl Brownlee made a motion; Jackson Ketterman seconded it, to approve the Lakeland and EPCO Substitute Teacher List as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes -5, No -0. Motion carried.

III. CORRESPONDENCE

None

IV. NEW TEACHER INTRODUCTIONS

The New Teachers in attendance introduced themselves to the board: Emily Meeker - Jr High Social Studies, Addison Batschelett - Third Grade, Bonnie Smith - First Grade, Melinda Harper - Second Grade, Canaan Bellis - Preschool Assistant, and Sarah Vincent - FACS.

V. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

A. Superintendent Report - None

B. Elementary Report -

- Current Enrollment: 202
- Preschool Enrollment: 16

- Class Breakdown: K = 28 (15 M 13 F)
1 = 31 (16 M 15 F)
2 = 29 (16 M 13 F)
3 = 29 (19 M 10 F)
4 = 28 (14 M 14 F)
5 = 28 (13 M 15 F)
6 = 29 (15 M 14 F)

- New Enrollments 2
- Dropped 15

The PTSO carnival is back again this year! Only the PreK through 6th grades will be having candidates for King and Queen. High school organizations can still participate with booths!

We will have our picnic with the principal Wednesday, September 27th. We have 22 kids who participated with reading every day this summer.

DATES:

Sept. 27: Reading Picnic

Sept. 29: Fall Pictures
Oct. 3-6: Book Fair
Oct. 6: Corn maze for MAP achievement (grades 4-7)
Oct. 9: Teacher workday
Oct. 10: Compass Dental Bus

Oct. 18: End of 1st quarter
Oct. 23: No School Parent/Teacher conference
C. High School Report -

Enrollments:

- Total Enrollment: Currently 182 --down 13 from last year at this time
- Males—84 / Females—98
- 7th-27 Total (14 M /13 F)
- 8th-29 Total (9 M /20 F)
- 9th-31 Total (15 M /16 F)
- 10th-33 Total (14 M /19 F)
- 11th-33 Total (16 M /17 F)
- 12th-29 Total (16 M /13 F)

Attendance:

- All students at any time:
 - o Students with 90% attendance or better: 76.8 %
 - o Overall attendance rate: 91.9%
- Current Students:
 - o Students with 90% attendance or better: 78 %
 - o Overall attendance rate: 92.15%
- 7th Grade top at 96.5%

Happenings in High School:

- o K-12 Student Health Fair was 9/6—Thank you to Nurse Amber for putting this together
- o 1st Quarter Mid-term was 9/15—grades went home 9/19
- o FTA Cadet Teaching was 9/20
- o Juniors are taking the ASVAB on 9/22
- o School Picture Day is 9/29

Upcoming Events--Home dates in bold

Baseball: **9/22, 9/28, 10/2, 10/7—Alumni Game**
HS Volleyball: **9/21, 9/25, 9/27, 9/28, 10/2, 10/3, 10/5, 10/7** (Sherwood Tournament), 10/10, **10/12, 10/14**(Clinton Tournament), 10/17-10/23 (District Tournament)

JH Volleyball: 9/23 (Rich Hill Tournament), 9/26, **9/28, 10/2, 10/7** (WEMO Tournament)

Cross Country: 9/23, 9/27, 10/7, 10/14, 10/18

Marching Band: 10/7

VI. OLD BUSINESS

A. Board Policy Updates

Matt Hughes made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to approve the Board Policy Updates as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes - 5, no - 0. Motion carried.

B. Surplus Bus Bids
No Action Taken.

VII. NEW BUSINESS

A. Drinking Water Testing and Analysis Plan

Christl Brownlee made a motion; Emily Baker sec-

onded it, to approve the Drinking Water Testing and Analysis Plan as presented. Voice vote taken: Yes-5, no -0. Motion carried.

B. Bond Issue Planning
No Action Taken.

VIII. CLOSED SESSION

Christl Brownlee made a motion; Jackson Ketterman seconded it, to move to closed session. Roll call vote taken: Yes- 5, No -0. Motion carried.

Emily Baker - Yes
Matt Hughes - Yes
Christl Brownlee -Yes
Mat Meeker - Yes
Renee Baker - Absent
Jackson Ketterman - Yes
Jim Neuenschwander - Absent

Matt Hughes made a motion; Emily Baker seconded it, to approve the minutes of August 17, 2023 as corrected. Roll Call vote taken: Yes- 5, No -0. Motion carried.

Emily Baker - Yes
Matt Hughes - Yes
Christl Brownlee -Yes
Mat Meeker - Yes
Renee Baker - Absent
Jackson Ketterman - Yes
Jim Neuenschwander - Absent

Matt Meeker left the meeting at 7:26 p.m.

Christl Brownlee made a motion; Emily Baker seconded it, to hire Emily Meeker as STUCO Sponsor for the 2023-24 school year. Voice vote taken: Yes- 4, No -0. Motion carried.

Emily Baker - Yes
Matt Hughes - Yes
Christl Brownlee -Yes
Mat Meeker - Absent
Renee Baker - Absent
Jackson Ketterman - Yes
Jim Neuenschwander - Absent

Matt Meeker returned to the meeting at 7:27 p.m.

Matt Hughes made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to go out of closed session, record, and vote, and to close any and all personnel and student records which may have been opened. Roll call vote taken: Yes- 5, No -0. Motion carried.

Emily Baker - Yes
Matt Hughes - Yes
Christl Brownlee - Yes
Mat Meeker - Yes
Renee Baker - Absent
Jackson Ketterman - Yes
Jim Neuenschwander - Absent

IX. ADJOURN

Jackson Ketterman made a motion; Christl Brownlee seconded it, to adjourn. Voice vote taken: Yes- 5, No -0. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:49 p.m.

Next Scheduled Regular Meeting: October 19, 2023, 7:00 p.m.



The Shepherd Calls

by
Dr. H. Wade Paris

THE REST OF ETERNITY

When faithful Christians age, they not only know more about God, but they get to know God Himself better. When that is true, we rue the fact that we did not come to know God better sooner. We think or say, "Why did I not know or learn these truths earlier in my Christian life? I could have enjoyed them longer and shared Him more with others." In my years of ministry, I heard this complaint often.

I call this the "thief on the cross syndrome." Here is an imaginative story that can help us face this syndrome. The thief on the cross arrives in Paradise filled with joyous wonder at his new-found faith in Jesus. "Oh, my, he thinks this is magnificent. Why did I not come to know Jesus sooner? Think of all the good years I missed. I could have shared this joy with my family and friends. Instead, I wasted my life making myself and those I love miserable."

When at last he is able to meet the risen Lord, he plans to apologize to Jesus for his errant lifestyle. Before a word comes out of his mouth, Jesus knowing his thoughts exclaims, "Not to worry, friend. We will enjoy the rest of eternity together."

You may be struggling with my thief on the cross story. You are thinking, "Why would you concoct a story like that?" Here is why. We have lost our sense of the spiritual. The majority of our Christian service caters to the things of this world. Are you aware the New Testament speaks directly or indirectly on almost every page about the spirit within us. Who you are is not what one sees; that is just a body. The body is temporary. Who we are is within us i.e., what you cannot see.

J.B. Phillips had it right when he said we have become humanists with a tinge of piety. The Christians of the first century were driven by a sense of the spiritual, "One day, maybe sooner than you think, we will go to be with the Lord in heaven."

To the unbeliever, heaven is a fantasy. It is difficult to communicate. We have no words adequate to describe it. It involves concepts difficult for us--spiritual bodies, living forever, walking with Jesus. But make no mistake, who we are is the spirit (the soul) within us and the proof is in the resurrection of Jesus.

THE LITTLE APPLE

SEPTEMBER 27, 2023

On Saturday, October 14, Valley Center Church will host their annual Oktoberfest. It promises to be a most delicious evening with serving a German home cooked meal from 3:00-8:00 p.m. There is also a country store and musical entertainment from 5:00-7:00 p.m. Adults eat for \$15. Children ages 6-12 eat for \$3.00. Their address is 930 NE 1126 RD. Deepwater MO. The church is located 3 miles North of Lowry City or 12 miles South of Clinton off of 13 HWY. Bring non-perishable food items and receive \$1 off of an adult meal and help support local food pantries.

Ellett Memorial Hospital will have their 6th Annual Breast Cancer Wellness & Awareness Day 11:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Saturday, October 21. Come receive your pre-registered annual 3-D mammogram by Diagnostic Imaging Center Mobile Coach and receive a special gift. Walk-ins will be worked in as time allows. Appointments can be made at 913-344-9989. There will be door prizes awarded, fellowship, stories from survivors, caregivers and support will be shared. A light lunch served and treats to indulge! Vendors will be set up for your guilty pleasures and essential information available. Stay connected to our Girls Day Out Facebook event to receive more updates. Uninsured women 40-49 that meet the guidelines can apply for funding of a mammogram through our "Show Me Healthy Women Program". Call EMH 476-5216 for info or help scheduling a mammogram.

St. Clair County Cattlemen will meet 6:30 p.m. October 10 at the Osceola School District. Meal by Osceola FFA. Sponsored by Heiman Inc.

FarmHouse Kitchen and Sumo's Pub will close temporarily on September 29 and re-open as soon as possible.

MU St. Clair County Extension Council is hosting their last Barn Quilt class of 2023 on October 26 from 9:00 to 3:00 p.m. at the Optimist Building in Osceola. Cost is \$45.00 for 2ft x 2ft or \$25 for 1ft x 1ft. The cost includes all necessary supplies to make a Barn Quilt. The 1ft x 1ft board is intended for indoor hanging and is not durable enough for outdoors. There are limited 1 x 1 boards available, so register early to reserve your board! To register call the St. Clair County Extension office at 417-646-2419 or email mcsperitt@missouri.edu.

The AC FBLA will host Pink Night this year at the Volleyball Game on October 6, 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 go 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.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Oct 3 St. Clair County Democrats meet at the county courthouse on the Osceola square at 6p.m.

Oct 4 Hudson R-IX students will sing in the Gym at 7p.m.

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2:00pm-Grand Entry
2:00pm-5:00pm--Inter-tribal

5:00pm-6:00pm--Dinner Break

6:00pm-7:00pm--Gourd Dancing

7:00pm-Grand Entry
7:00pm-10:00pm--Inter-tribal

Concessions open at 11:30am

All Drums Welcome FREE ADMISSION! Located Indoors Midway between Kansas City and Springfield at the junction of 7&13 and 52 highway 1008 E. Sedalia Avenue, Clinton MO 64735 No drugs, alcohol, pets, or firearms allowed!! Not responsible for accidents, lost, or stolen articles. Vendors Welcome! Contact Bob LaRoussa (816)331-2824 see WWW.REDSTAR-GOURD.COM for updated information.

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.

CEMETERY WALK AT ENGLEWOOD CEMETERY- Come experience some folks who lived here and at one point in their life, experienced deprivation from the war, or even people who help raise a chicken or two. In this walk you will not only hear about those who lived long ago but those who lived and died most recently. Oct. 22nd, 2 to 4pm. Live Music-TLC Dulcimer Band. 1804 East Ohio Street-Englewood Cemetery. Come hear about William Harrison, John Angle, George McQueen, J.C. Smith, Mildred Church, Elmer Lindstrom

and McLane Chapel.

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 for questions, to enter or to sponsor.

Heritage Tractor Halloween Howl. Trick-or-Tractor! Calling all zombies, dinos & princesses: visit your local Heritage Tractor in costume on Saturday, Oct. 28 from 8am till Noon for sweet treats & a free John Deere toy tractor! *While supplies last.

KDKD 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 Mother and Son Dance will be Oct. 28th from 6 till 9pm in the CHS Commons area. Dancing, games, refreshments, CHS Jazz Band Performance, photos, costumes welcomed. Tickets are \$30 for mother and son, \$5 for additional child. Purchase tickets at the Chamber of Commerce (cash or check

only). Recommended ages for preschool to elementary. It's a fundraiser to benefit CHS Band. For details, chsbandaids@gmail.com.

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. Director Marty Morgan and cast member Ann Pugh invite you to "Kornfield County's-Merry Mirth" Nov. 16th, 17th and 18th in Clinton. Watch this video on the Chamber's Facebook page.

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.

Truman Lake Fishing Expo-We're casting off again with the 2024 Truman Lake Fishing Expo February 9th & 10th, 2024!!! www.trumanlakefishingexpo.com



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LOOKING FOR HIS MAN DOWNFIELD, Clinton quarterback Kanden Lafarge rolled to his left and connected with Payton Sales for a good gain during the Cardinals 27-22 win over Versailles on Homecoming last Friday night.

The Clinton Cardinals didn't disappoint a nice Homecoming crowd last Friday night when they hosted the Versailles Tigers and treated the fans to a 27-22 win, improving their season record to 2-4. After the game, we caught up with Cardinals head coach Todd Mowery.

OS: How did the guys perform as a team?
TM: This game said a lot about us as a team and how our culture is growing. We didn't start well and had to fight our way back.

They very easily could have just laid down in the 4th quarter, but they didn't. They earned it.

OS: What outcome were you expecting before the game?
TM: I knew we were the better team. However, we did not start out that way. I think there was a little too much confidence going in. I was expecting us to be more dominant in the first half.

OS: How was the boy's attitude going into the game?
TM: Attitudes were great

all week long. We had a great week of practice and it was a very positive environment even when things weren't going our way. Ultimately, that's what won us the game.

OS: How was the HOCO crowd?
TM: The crowd was the best I've ever seen in Clinton. The energy was high and the stands were packed. It was awesome to see the support. Big props to the community and student body on making it a very memorable home-

coming

OS: Anything else coach?
TM: The attitudes of our kids from June until now have completely flipped. This culture is changing. Although we don't always get the outcomes we want in regards to the score, we are getting to a new place within this team and that's going to start changing the outcomes in the future. It's not going to be overnight, but it's on its way.



Goucher, Crispi Crowned At Homecoming



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Lady Cardinals Down To Final Week, Districts Coming Up

Clinton softball played Harrisonville on Tuesday night and has a date with Warrensburg on Thursday to wrap up their 2023 campaign with only the Class 3 District 7 tournament remaining. That event will get underway on October 12.

But first things first, as the Lady Cardinals dropped two games to Pleasant Hill and Oak Grove last week before picking up a solid 7-5 home win over Mar-

CHS Softball Cannot Hold Onto Lead Versus Pleasant Hill Varsity Chicks

CHS Softball lost to Pleasant Hill Varsity Chicks 17-7 on Thursday even though they once led by four runs. CHS Softball got on the board in the bottom of the second inning after Lexi Barnhart singled, and Lyn Brauer grounded out, each scoring one run. CHS Softball added to their early lead in the bottom of the



IN PERHAPS HER FINAL GAME on her home dirt, Briley Wishard delivered a pitch in the Lady Cardinals 7-5 win over Marshall on Monday night.

shall on Monday night.

CHS Softball With Tough Game Against Oak Grove Varsity Panthers

CHS Softball couldn't keep up with Oak Grove Varsity Panthers and fell 18-5 on Tuesday. Oak Grove Varsity Panthers got on the board in the bottom of the second inning after A Smith hit a sacrifice fly, Kayla Kemple grounded out, and Morgan Clubb singled, each scoring one run. Oak Grove Varsity Panthers scored eight runs on five hits in the bottom of the third inning. An error scored one run, an error scored two runs, Clubb singled, scoring two runs, Brianna Craig tripled, scoring two runs, and Molly Munson doubled, scoring one run. Oak Grove Varsity Panthers scored seven runs on five hits in the bottom of the fourth inning. Tomi Hill singled, scoring two runs, Clubb tripled, scoring one run, Riley Beard homered to left field, scoring two runs, and Mackenley Munson singled, scoring two runs. Clubb earned the win for Oak Grove Varsity Panthers. They gave up three hits and two runs (one earned) over three innings, striking out three and walking two. Kenadie Austin took the loss for CHS Softball. The righty went three and one-third innings, surrendering 16 runs (seven earned) on 15 hits, striking out one and walking one. Lexi Barnhart, CHS Softball's number nine hitter, led the team with two hits in two at-bats. Kennison Crispi led CHS Softball with two runs batted in. They went 1-for-3 on the day. Oak Grove Varsity Panthers tallied 16 hits in the game. Clubb set the tone at the top of the lineup, leading Oak Grove Varsity Panthers with four hits in four at bats. Hill, Munson, and Craig each collected multiple hits for Oak Grove Varsity Panthers.

third inning after Briley Wishard doubled, Kenadie Austin grounded out, and Barnhart laid down a sacrifice bunt, each scoring one run. Pleasant Hill Varsity Chicks flipped the game on its head in the top of the sixth, scoring seven runs on four hits to take a 11-5 lead. The biggest blow in the inning was a double by Addison Meeks that drove in three. Pleasant Hill Varsity Chicks scored six runs on two hits in the top of the seventh inning. Natalie Hamilton drew a walk, scoring one run, an error scored one run, Sophia Shipp was struck by a pitch, driving in a run, Devyn Younce singled, scoring two runs, and Laney McDaniel singled, scoring one run. Younce earned the win for Pleasant Hill Varsity Chicks. They allowed 10 hits and seven runs over seven innings, striking out five and walking three. Wishard took the loss for CHS Softball. They went seven innings, giving up 17 runs (nine earned) on 12 hits, striking out three and walking eight. CHS Softball piled up 10 hits in the game. Kayla McCanles, Corynn Sowers, and Austin each collected two hits for CHS Softball. Austin drove the middle of the lineup, leading CHS Softball with three runs batted in. The first baseman went 2-for-4 on the day.

Pleasant Hill Varsity Chicks tallied 12 hits in the game. Caroline Kim, Pleasant Hill Varsity Chicks's number eight hitter, led the team with three hits in four at-bats. Meeks provided pop in the middle of the lineup, and led Pleasant Hill Varsity Chicks with three runs batted in. The right-handed hitter went 1-for-2 on the day. Younce, McDaniel, and Tanna Kreisel each collected multiple hits for Pleasant Hill Varsity Chicks. The Chicks had a strong eye at the plate, piling up eight

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walks for the game. Kori Graves and Hamilton led the team with two bases on balls each.

Briley Wishard A Difficult Out As CHS Softball Defeat Marshall Owls

Briley Wishard collected three hits in four at bats, as CHS Softball defeated Marshall Owls 7-5 on Monday. Wishard singled in the first inning, singled in the sixth inning, and singled in the fifth inning. CHS Softball got on the board in the bottom of the first inning after Marshall Owls committed an error, Wishard singled, and Kenadie Austin singled, each scoring one run. A single by Austin extended the CHS Softball lead to 4-0 in the bottom of the third inning. Brooklynn Davenport homered to left field, scoring three runs in the top of the fourth for the Marshall Owls. Marshall Owls tied the game up in the top of the fifth thanks to two errors. Marshall Owls tied the game at five on an error.

A sacrifice fly by Carmen Bohannon gave CHS Softball the lead, 6-5, in the bottom of the fifth. Wishard earned the win for CHS Softball. The righty allowed four hits and five runs (three earned) over seven innings, striking out seven and walking three. Aidyn Wilcoxson took the loss for Marshall Owls. The starting pitcher went six innings, surrendering seven runs (four earned) on nine hits, striking out none and walking none. Austin provided pop in the middle of the lineup, and led CHS Softball with two runs batted in. They went 3-for-3 on the day. Wishard and Austin each collected three hits for CHS Softball. Ava Potter collected two hits for CHS Softball in four at bats. Davenport drove the middle of the lineup, leading Marshall Owls with three runs batted in. The center fielder went 1-for-3 on the day. McKenna Pawli, Davenport, Riley Wilkinson, and Ainsley McCracken each collected one hit for Marshall Owls.

Clinton Cross Country Sets Several PR's At Camdenton



RESULTS FROM CAMDENTON 9/30, on the very flat course (yes, flat compared the rest of the Lake's geography) we saw a big improvement from last week! Several PRs and 4 total medals brought home (top 25 medal). Next Saturday we head to Butler along with our middle school teams back in action. VARSITY GIRLS 9th - Vyla Brown - 22:10 19th - Sarah Mendenhall - 23:50 25th - Alexa McCartney - 24:39 28th - Leah Kenney - 25:03 32nd - Kat Cole - 25:33 TEAM - 99 points - 4th Place VARSITY BOYS 24th - Gage Ross - 19:56 34th - Colton Toss-Varner - 21:02 35th - Ethan Johns - 21:24 44th - Noah Murphy - 22:50 50th - Brandon Travis - 26:47 TEAM - 177 points - 8th Place

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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 s14x4c

The Henry County Salary Commission, consisting of the Presiding Commissioner, South District Commissioner, North District Commissioner, County Clerk, Recorder of Deeds, Sheriff, Assessor, Collector – Treasurer, Coroner, Public Administrator, and Prosecuting Attorney, as created and empowered by Missouri Revised Statute 50.333, shall meet on Tuesday, October 17th, 2023 at 8:00 am, in the Commissioner’s Courtroom, in the basement of the Henry County Courthouse, Clinton, Missouri.

At said meeting, the Salary Commission shall elect a Chairman, to preside over said meeting, consider the County Clerk’s report on the financial condition of the County, determine the annual salary to be paid certain County Officials holding office on January 1, 2024, and transact any other business which comes before it.

Wendi McGhee Circuit Clerk Temporary Chairman o5x1c

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.

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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)

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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:)
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.

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.

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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 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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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.

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: 11-FEB-2023

Date of first publication: SEPTEMBER 14, 2023

Crissy Johnston Probate Clerk

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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 s28x2

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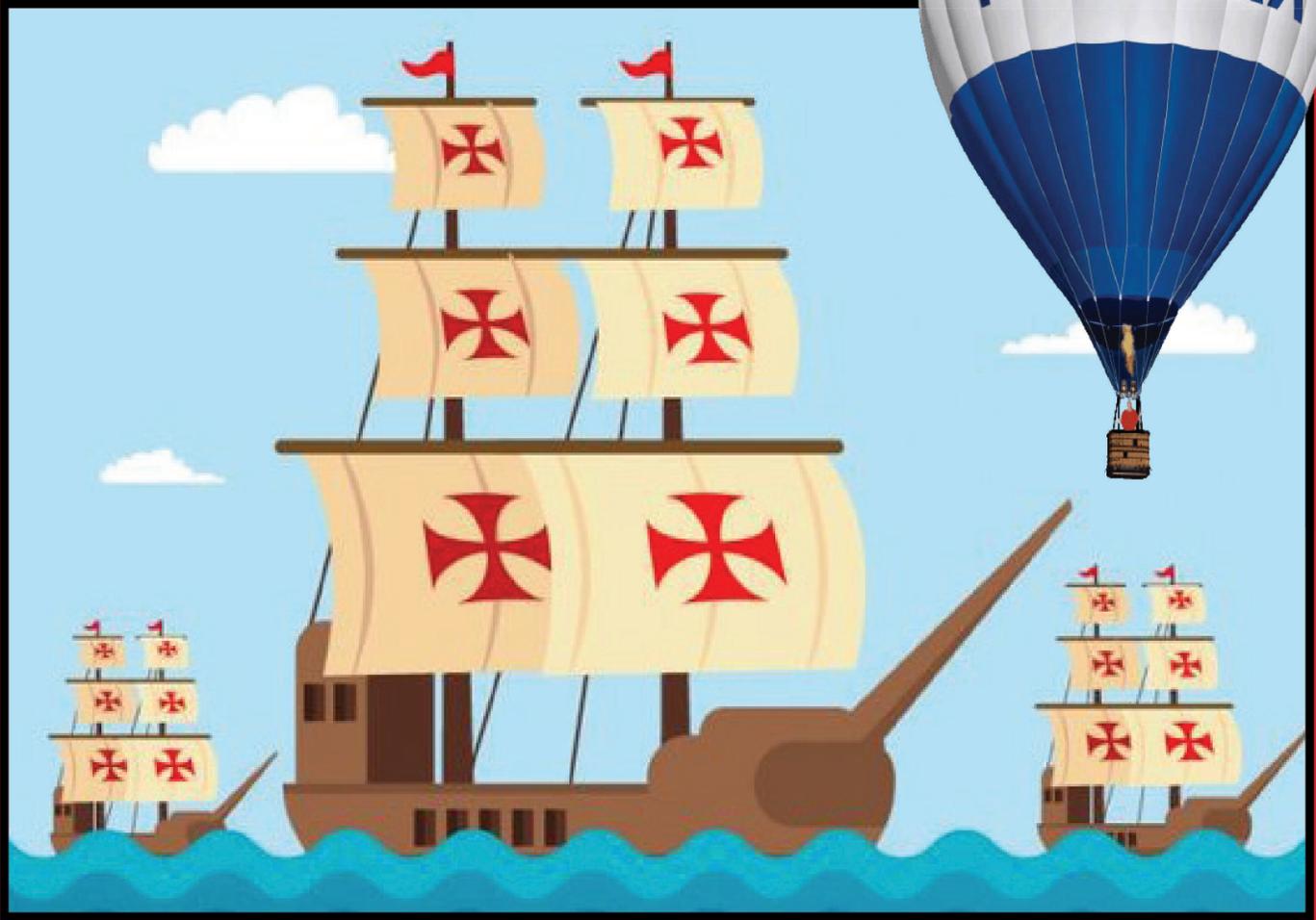
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