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Massive Response As Fire Ravages River's End Motel



Anita Campbell County Reporter

fire completely destroyed River's End Motel located on Missouri Highway 83 on Wednesday, November 22. According to owner Jason Jones, the fire broke out in the utility room and quickly spread throughout the structure. At approximately 6:00 PM, a guest noticed smoke coming out of a vent in one of the rooms and reported it to the manager who was in the office. The Warsaw Fire Department was called but within an hour the structure was completely engulfed in flames.

Warsaw Fire Captain John Powell reported that three engines, six tankers, four brush trucks and a rescue truck were on the scene to combat the fire. There were 30 volunteer firefighters from Warsaw and Lincoln on the scene fighting the fire until 3:00 AM.

"The fire started at the center of the building so by the time we arrived the building was completely engulfed in flames," said Powell. "The structure was a total loss but there was no evidence of foul play."

"Thankfully, no one suffered any injuries," said "We are so sad Jones. about this. We remodeled the entire property just a



A GIANT INFERNO could be seen in the night sky as River's End Motel burned last Wednesday where the Warsaw Fire Department was on the scene.

few short months ago and to have this happen after all the hard work we've put in it is devastating. The property was completely destroyed in a matter of minutes due to an electrical issue inside the utility room that started the blaze. We do want to thank the Warsaw Fire Department and the Warsaw Police for keeping the property secure and anyone else that assisted in controlling the fire. Seriously, THANK YOU! We're not sure what the future looks like but we're grateful for everyone that's reached out and offered help, condolences and prayers. We love you all and thank you for the support."

"As you know my managers Sarah and Jeff Plaster and their daughter Ariel lived on the property so they didn't just lose their jobs, but they lost their home and everything in it," Jones added. "If you would like to donate to their family we've set up a GoFundMe page to assist them in starting over."

is living in Jones' home in Warsaw. They are staying there until they can find a permanent residence and jobs. On Tuesday, the Plaster family was in Springfield looking for a place to live.

Presently the Plaster family

"We can't find anything to rent in Warsaw so we are exploring other options," said Sarah Plaster.

Sarah moved to Warsaw from Texas five years ago and had been the manager of River's End Motel for

the past five years. She had previously worked for Steve and Dawn Squires who owned the motel

before Jones purchased it. "We were getting ready to watch a movie in the office when the lights went off," said Sarah Plaster. "My husband went to the utility room to check out the breaker box. He flipped the breaker but nothing happened. About that time, a guest called and reported that smoke was coming out

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Warsaw Awarded Another TAP Grant; **Update On RAISE**

The following information was submitted by Randy Pogue, City Administrator, City of Warsaw.

This article will address the north and south side of the Main Street Complete Street project. Additionally, an update on the near twenty-five million dollars RAISE project

North Side

The first phase of utility relocation is completed with the placement of the new water mains. The second and final phase of utility relocation will begin within the next two weeks. This phase will be underground burial of fiber optic owned by Brightspeed Internet. Brightspeed contractors will start placing their fiber underground and then removing the poles that the fiber is currently attached to. This project will mainly consist of underground boring and will have little disturbance above ground.

The roadway construction plans are nearing completion and will soon be submitted to the two funding sources for review.

It is the hope of the city to be able to advertise the project for contractor bids by the middle of 2024.

South Side

The City of Warsaw has received a \$500,000 grant through the Transportation Assistance Program (TAP) with a \$500,000 match. This will make the south side a total project of \$1,000,000. In 2022 the city received a TAP for the North Side, and now with the 2024 TAP award, the **WARSAW Page 3**

Benton County Full Of Magical Moments Th eason



Anita Campbell County Reporter

The Christmas season is among us here in Benton County and while there

have already been several is invited to step back in Christmas events, there are plenty more to come before December 25.

Kaysinger Christmas is scheduled for December 1 and 2 at the Truman Dam Visitor's Center and the Kaysinger Village. Everyone time with members of the Kaysinger Pioneer Heritage Association as they reenact Christmas from the 1800's on December 2 and December 3 from 3:00 PM until 9:00 PM. Come and be enchanted by luminary

lit paths, cozy hearths and warm cider. Dinner will be available at the food barn. Cost is \$3 for adults and \$2 for ages 6-12. There is no admission for those 5 and under. The purchased wristband is good for both

> Christkindlmarket will be held on December 1 from 5:00 PM until 9:00 PM in Cole Camp. There will be hot apple cider as well as food trucks available with lots of goodies. There will be opportunities for pictures with Santa and Mrs. Claus as well as carriage rides, carolers and living window

> displays. On December 3, there will be the 28th annual program of German Christmas music at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Cole Camp with carols being sung in German. The concert will feature the German Singers of **EVENTS Page 3**

Future Of Visitor Center Remains In State Of Flux



LOOKING FOR A WAY FORWARD, concerned citizens joined Congressman Mark Alford at the Harry S. Truman Visitor Center to discuss ways of keeping the facility operating.



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Benton County residents were excited to learn of the possibility of the Harry Truman Visitors' Center staying open all year at a meeting on November 22, with U.S. Representative Mark Alford and several members of the Truman Lake U.S. Army Corps of

Engineers staff. Completed in 1977, he Harry S. Truman Regional Visitor Center is one of only a handful of Class A visitors' centers in the United States. Sitting atop Kaysinger Bluff, the facility provides a spectacular view of Truman Dam and Reservoir. Exhibits within the Visitors' Center provide information about

the rich history of the

ALFORD Page 3



THE SOUND OF MUSIC is a big part of the Christmas season. JBMS music instructor Miss Lydia Schockmann conducted practices for upcoming holiday performances with her 6th grade class on Tuesday afternoon.



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DECEMBER 3, 2023: Hopewell Baptist Church Invites you to join us for our Annual Friends & Family Dinner featuring Hopewell Presents for live entertainment, Sunday, December 3 at 5:30 PM. Turkey & Ham will be provided, please feel free to bring your favorite side dish or dessert.

DECEMBER 5, 2023: Interested in and/or concerned about Benton County youth? Come join with the Benton County Youth Coalition for their December meeting on Tuesday, December 5, 2023, at 6:30 PM at the United Methodist Church, 154 W Washington, Warsaw.

DECEMBER 7, 2023: The next meeting of the Benton County Republican Central Committee will be on Thursday, December 7, 2023, at 6:00 PM in the meeting room of the Boonslick Regional Library in Warsaw. All are welcome to attend!

DECEMBER 9, 2023: The monthly meeting of the Benton County ARES from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM at 1201 Dogwood Ave., Warsaw (Faith Lutheran Church fellowship hall). This meeting date is also our annual potluck and white elephant gift exchange. Any questions contact Emergency Coordinator, Stephen Swerline at (417) 818-8129.

DECEMBER 12, 2023: Benton County Retired Teachers and Support Staff will have a breakfast meeting on Tuesday, December 12, 2023, at the German Table in Cole Camp at 8:30 AM. All Retired Teachers and Support Staff are encouraged to attend. For further information, please contact Judy Kinkead at (660) 438-5978.

FREE MEAL FOR ALL, 4:30 PM-5:30 PM, Thursdays at Warsaw Methodist Church. No one turned away. Bring your appetite and your neighbor.

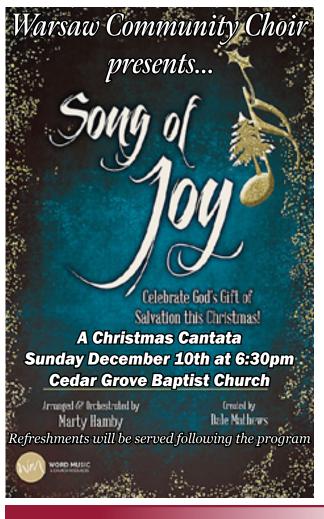
GLORY SINGERS invite men and women singers to join them Mondays at 10:30 AM. We joyfully sing hymns and other tunes at Warsaw Health and Rehab and Lincoln Community Care Center on alternating weeks. For information, contact Cynthia Bolinger at (660) 438-2774.

INTERESTED IN END TIME REVIVAL? Come join us, "The Benton County Prayer Warriors" for prayer and fasting for Souls for God's Kingdom. We meet at Shirley's Cafe every 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month at 5:00 PM in Lincoln, MO on Hwy 65. For more information, please call Betty at (660) 438-6466 or Donna at (660) 723-0356.

BROKEN VESSELS MINISTRIES is excited to let you know that "All I want for Christmas" is in its 5th season! This is a community effort. "All I want for Christmas" is granting wishes of those who are in skilled nursing or assisted living facilities here in Benton County. Last year we (the community) adopted 257 residents. If you would like to adopt a resident or residents, please call Pastor Larry Johnston at 207-266-2933. We also have a need for chocolate and hard candy to put in bags for the residents with their packages. Broken Vessel's Ministries lost a dear friend Virginia Sidwell and filled these bags, this was her project her granddaughter Amber will continue doing this. So, in memory of her and all those we lost to cancer you are not forgotten. We could use also word searches, 300-500-piece puzzle books, adult coloring books, colored pencils, devotionals thank you in advance. You can drop items off at Pastor Larry's place at the Blessing Box 18708 Braden Rd Warsaw, MO 65355. Cash donations are appreciated as well. Please write your tax-deductible checks to Broken Vessels Ministries and send them to the address above. We thank you so much!

Elks Hold Successful Fundraiser To Help Warsaw Police Officer







BENTON COUNTY ELKS LODGE #2783 held a Spaghetti Dinner/Auction Fundraiser on November 10 to benefit City of Warsaw Police Officer Ashley Taylor. Ashley was involved in an auto accident on her way to work. It was the lodge's privilege to present a check to Ashley at our November 22 meeting. Because of the generous donations of local residents and members, the Elks were able to raise more than their goal. A huge thanks goes to everyone who worked at the auction and Genia Townsend, John Carman and Fred Cole for all their work in the kitchen. Wendi Tremain, Kathy Rothwell, Stephanie Anderson and Bob Waters were the workers at the auction. Elks Care-Elks





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LAKE STAGES Truman Lake 705.14, 0.86 below normal pool. Lake of the Ozarks at Warsaw's Joe Dice Swinging Bridge: 656.30 3.70 feet below normal pool. Total discharge through spillway is 0 cfs. Surface water temperature of Truman Lake is approximately 55 degrees.

(Continued from Page 1) of one of vents in his room. In a matter of minutes, the fire had spread. We think the fire started in the attic of the utility room so my husband was lucky to get out of there when he did," said Plaster. "We called 911 and the Warsaw Fire Department was here in 17 minutes, but it was already too late. They worked until 3 in the morning but we lost everything; our home, our clothing and possessions and one of our cats."

River's End Motel had recently undergone an extensive remodel thanks to it's newest owner. Jones, who attended Warsaw High School in 1994-95 dropped out of high school, moved to Kansas City and began a career in sales.

Since then, Jones has bought numerous properties in Missouri and Kansas as well as an all-inclusive resort in Belize. Jones runs seven different companies in the hotel/motel/rental business as well as a rental boat in Osage Beach.

"When River's End was available, I decided this would be a way to give back to the community that made an impression on me so many years ago," said Jones.

completely remodeled River's End by investing over \$400,000 to upgrade and bring back the motel to the family-oriented establishment it had been.

Since reopening in March, River's End Motel had been booked every weekend.

Jones lives in Piper, Kansas, near the airport with his four children and girlfriend Trisha. They also have a house on Highway C near Warsaw where they visit on weekends.

By Tuesday morning, the GoFundMe campaign for the manager had raised more than \$5,500.

EVENTS

(Continued from Page 1) Cole Camp. Following the concert, refreshments will be served in the fellowship hall. There is no admission charge--it's all free for your enjoyment.

Dance Studio Conservatory in Sedalia will present the classic Christmas tale, "The Tale of the Nutcracker" December 2 and December 3 at the Heckart Performing Arts Center on the Smith Cotton High School campus. Curtain time is 5:30 PM on December 2 and 2:30 PM on December 3. Three Benton County girls will be performing in this well-known ballet. Brooklyn Taylor from Cole Camp and Amelia Roberts and Clara Adler from Warsaw will take the stage in this magical Christmas tale. Tickets can be purchased at the door or reserve seats at www. sadanceconservatory.com.

A Hallmark Christmas will be held in Warsaw on December 9. Activities include: breakfast with Santa from 8:00 AM until 10:00 AM and children's crafts in the Warsaw Community Building.

Downtown Christmas festivities begin at 11:00 AM on Main Street with food trucks and holiday shopping at all the downtown businesses.

From Noon until 3:00 PM there will be horse drawn carriage rides starting at Drake Harbor and a live Nativity scene from 5:00 PM until 6:00 PM.

The Warsaw Christmas parade is scheduled for 6:00 PM with floats and music coming down Main Street.

The Warsaw R-IX Music Department and ensembles will perform at many locations this holiday season, including: WHS caroling at Kaysinger Christmas on December 2 at 5:00 PM; South Elementary 2nd-3rd grade program on December 7 at 6:00 PM; the Warsaw Children's Chorus will

perform at the Hallmark Christmas on December 9 at 6:00 PM and caroling at Warsaw Health and Rehabilitation on December 13: the WHS Band will be at the Hallmark Christmas parade on December 9 at 6:00 PM, JBMS Winter concert on December 13 at 7:00 PM, WHS Winter concert on December 14 at 7:00 PM and WHS caroling at for Firehouse Kids on

December 21 at 6:00 PM. Lincoln annual Christmas Parade will be held on Saturday, December 9 at 11:00 AM on Main Street in Lincoln. Christmas craft vendors will be located in the Lincoln School little gym from 10:00 AM until 2:00 PM.

Pictures with Santa can be taken in the Lincoln little gym after the parade.

On December 10 a new event will be added to the Lincoln Christmas celebration with the Lincoln Holiday Homes Tour. Participants will be given a map and they can tour each home in any order.

Plenty of opportunities to share holiday cheer await in beautiful Benton County!

ALFORD

(Continued from Page 1)

Osage River Valley from pre-civilization to modern day. Waterfowl, bald eagles and turkey vultures can routinely be observed from the observation deck.

Clint Mason, Chief from the Kansas City District, addressed a group of concerned citizens at the meeting and offered some possible solutions to the problem of how to keep the Visitors' Center open throughout the year.

One solution was to remodel the Visitors' Center and construct 18 work stations so all of the Truman Dam staff could be together in the building. If this were to happen, the current administration building and the two houses behind the building would be abandoned and possibly demolished.

"We currently have offices Administration the Building across the lake from the Visitors' Center," "We also said Mason. are currently using the two houses behind the Administration Building for offices. These houses were built for living quarters for Corps employees, but they have been converted into office spaces. These houses were built in the 70's and are in need of repair. After a feasibility study in December, costing approximately \$270,000, Travis Rayfield, the District Kansas City Commander, will make the final decision on whether or not the three current buildings will be torn down and the Visitors' Center will become the main office for employees of Truman Dam and Reservoir."

If the plan is approved, the land where the present administration office sits could be used by the City of Warsaw for campgrounds or other recreational venues.

"We need to remember that the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is not the enemy," said Alford. "We need to work together to solve the problem of maintaining the Visitors' Center and keeping the cost of maintenance down."

One concerned citizen questioned why the electricity generated Truman Dam wasn't being used locally to operate the Visitors' Center.

"The Department Energy is in charge of distributing the energy generated by Truman Dam,' said Mason. "Currently that energy goes to Springfield utilities, southern Missouri and Oklahoma. Electricity for the Visitors' Center runs about \$2,000 a month."

Another Benton County resident questioned why the Corps of Engineers didn't charge a fee to tour the Visitors' Center to help with the cost of maintaining the Center.

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"We are not allowed by the U. S. government to charge a fee at the Visitors' Center," said Mason.

Mason went on to point out that the Truman Visitors' Center itself was in need of repair.

"We replaced the roof ten years ago and windows have been replaced several times," said Mason. "The carpet needs to be replaced but we are waiting to see how extensive the remodel will be. We don't want to replace the carpet and then tear it out for the remodel. There are also plans to update the theater room where we are sitting.'

If the Visitors' Center is remodeled, some of the exhibits will have to go because the work stations will take up some of the present exhibit space. The plan is to keep the viewing area available for the public and if this happens then visitors will be able to go into the center throughout the week as the staff will be working there.

Presently, the Visitors Center is only open Friday, Saturday, Sunday and on Mondays following a holiday from 9:00 AM until 4:00 PM from April until September. In addition to the regular summer operation of the Visitors' Center, the area is open during Heritage Days and the Kaysinger Christmas celebration.

For more information on the possibility of the remodel of the Truman Dam Visitors' Center remodel, citizens may contact U.S. Rep. Mark Alford at (816) 739-4097 or Bradly Wright, Lake Manager, at (417) 298-2015.

WARSAW

(Continued from Page 1) project will expand the current north side design to the south.

The city is awaiting a contract from MoDOT to be presented to the Board

Local Marine Corps League Donates To Christmas 4 Kids



WARSAW LEATHERNECKS Marine Corps League recently donated over \$4,600 to Benton County Christmas 4 Kids, a non-profit which helps local, needy families during the holidays. The Warsaw Leathernecks have also placed drop boxes around the area for donations of new, unwrapped toys. Above, Dawn Jelinek and Chanda Chiles with Benton County Christmas 4 Kids accepted a big check from the Warsaw Leathernecks Derek Casey and Eric KIrby.

of Alderman for approval. We have received approval to move forward with selection of engineers for the project. No schedule has yet been established by MoDOT, but most likely the south side project will not start until early 2025.

Project Design

The north and south side will start at Hackberry and end at the Highway 65 rightof-way. Both sides will have 5-foot sidewalks and bicycle lanes. To make this possible, stormwater pipes will be placed underground and with gutters diverting storm water into open inlets as completed previously in the downtown and Harrison Street improvements. Decorative lighting will be

placed with the ability to place banners and Christmas lights. A center turn lane will be placed for improved vehicle access.

RAISE Project

Earlier this year, the City of Warsaw has started biweekly meetings with the United States Department of Transportation (USDOT). The RAISE Complete Street project funds are exclusively for roadway improvements and nearly exact in design to the previously mentioned Main Street Complete Street project. Current discussion center around the contract with USDOT and how the city will procure the project for engineers and contractors.







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SPORTS

Thursday, November 30, 2023

Tireless Player And Coach, Henderson Finds Home With Cole Camp Bluebirds



A TRAVELIN' MAN, Derald Henderson and the Cole Camp School District believe that he has finally found his home with the Bluebirds. Henderson coached during a timeout last week in the Lady Bluebirds game versus Warsaw.



Derald Henderson knows sports and he definitely knows his way around a basketball court. While he played high school ball at Skyline on a 24-4 team, he never seemed to get tired running up and down the court. He used to say, "Players think they are tired, but they are really not."

Well, I had a chance to interview this tireless player and coach this week. Below is his story.

JL: Where have you coached?

Coach Henderson: From 2014-16, I coached Warsaw

High School JV/Assistant basketball coach under Jared Wallace and Jason

Then from 2016-20, I was the head coach at Stockton High School (57-48 in 4 seasons) and we appeared in 1 district championship game.

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While there I helped 3 players get to play basketball at the college level; Drew Wheeler, Concordia University in Seward, NE; he was the all-time leading scorer at Stockton High School. There was also Gannon Kenney who went to Fort Scott Community College in Fort Scott, KS and D.J. Bavs who went to Baptist Bible College. We set a team record for fewest defensive points allowed

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for a season twice; 2017-18, 2018-19.

From there, I coached from 2020-22 at SBU as the men's basketball graduate assistant.

under Worked Clark Sheehy and Aaron Niven at SBU. My Responsibilities included coaching guards, regional recruiting, scouting and game preparation, video film coordinator, observed and assisted basketball professional player workouts; Damian Prgomet (Australia), Quinn Nelson (Germany).

At SBU, in the 2021-22 season we went 21-6 and were the GLVC regular season champs.

After SBU, I came to Cole Camp. In 2022-23 I was the Cole Camp junior high girls basketball coach. We went 11-4 and now I am the 2023-24 varsity girls basketball coach.

JL: What is your favorite sport to coach? You have done almost everything.

Coach Henderson: I've tournament coming

coached baseball as an assistant for 3 seasons. I also played baseball in college at Lindenwood University. I've coached football as an assistant for 7 years. Basketball is my favorite sport to coach.

JL: You played ball at Skyline. What honors did you and your team receive? Coach Henderson: In 2008-09, we were 24-4. We won a district title under head coach Jackie Payne. (This reporter saw Jackie play. He is a legend at Skyline.) We won the Skyline Tournament as well. JL: What challenges are u facing rebuilding girls basketball at Cole Camp?

Coach Henderson: I think girls basketball at the high school level is seeing some issues with participation. Numbers of kids playing are lower than in the past and some teams are unable to field teams. I want to coach and teach girls basketball and allow athletes to have a positive experience.

JL: You have a longtime friendship with Cole Camp coach and administrator, Kevin Shearer. Can you comment?

Coach **Henderson:** Kevin coached (football and basketball) and was the principal at Skyline High School for me and my siblings. My family has always thought highly of him. He returned to Cole Camp when I was a middle school student. My wife and I both teach and were wanting to find a community we could work together in and settle in. Our relationship with Coach Shearer meant a lot in the process. We are blessed to work with great staff members at Cole Camp High School.

JL: What goals have you set for yourself?

Coach Henderson: Goal #1: Basketball is a great sport and it has impacted me in a lot of positive ways. I want to use basketball to teach girls how to compete and use the game to learn life lessons and develop high character people that will be successful in the real world. Goal #2: Improve development and implement the practices in the junior high and

elementary programs. JL: With the Warsaw what are your thoughts about the tournament and everything involved?

Coach Henderson: The tournament is Warsaw a solid tournament and has always signified the start of basketball season.

Tournaments are a great way to learn about your team early in the season and begin the learning process. I'm very excited to watch my team compete this week JL: Thanks coach, and good luck this season.

Basketball Season Officially Underway With Tip-Off Of Warsaw Tournament



Warsaw Invitational Basketball Tournament got underway on Monday night with the girls bracket. The event marks the 36th year for girls and the 91st year for the boys. On Monday night, Lincoln's Alyssa Mellen and Mackenzie Yearout fought Clinton's Skyte Wilson for a loose ball.

Round 1 results from the 36th Annual Warsaw Invitational Girls Basketball Tournament

(1) Skyline - 76

(8) Butler - 17

(4) Weaubleau - 50 (5) Cole Camp - 23

(2) Clinton - 58

(7) Lincoln - 8

(3) Knob Noster - 55

(6) Warsaw - 39

Many JBMS Wrestlers Show Well In Knob Noster

ByAdam Howe, Sports

It was another good night for the JBMS Wrestling team when they traveled to Knob Noster last Monday night to take on the Panthers, Clinton and Lafayette County.

As a team, the boys compiled a record of 31-23 while the girls turned in an overall record of 7-10.

Boys results for the meet are as follows:

(3-0): Easton Bagley, Isaac

Comer. (2-0): Julian Henriquez, Trenton Bender, David Gregory, Brecken Brewster, Caden Casteel, Richard

Seevers, Brett Howe. (2-1): Bostyn Wilson.

(1-1): Joseph Rempfer, Kaiman Reser, Carson Kirk, Johrdan Decker, Brodi Winfrey, Ryan Wolfe, Josh

Matchups for Wednesday night

4:30 - (7) Lincoln vs

(6) Warsaw

(2) Clinton vs (3) Knob Noster

(1) Skyline vs (4) Weaubleau

(8) Butler vs (5) Cole Camp

See complete tournament brackets on page 5.



(1-2): Boston Jackman, Johnny Webb. (0-1): Enrique Guevara.

(0-2): Isaac Daughenbaugh, Gavin Steenburgen, Chanse Osborne, Noah Kern, J.D.

Girls results for the meet are as follows:

(3-0): Emmersyn Miskell. (2-0): Bella Ramirez.

(1-1): Kaylee Jackson,

Faith Hartley. (0-1): Hannah Cobb, Chloe

Yoder. (0-2): Hailey Terry, Brook

(0-3): Brooklyn Murdock.

The girls were on the road at Butler on Tueday and the boys will travel to Warrensburg on Thurday night. Both squads will go to Jefferson City to compete in the Capital City Tournament on Saturday.



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91st Annual Warsaw Boys Tournament November 27th - December 2nd, 2023 (1) Weaubleau Tuesday 4:30 (8) Warsaw (4) Knob Noster Tuesday 6:00 (5) Lincoln (2) Cole Camp Tuesday 9:00 (7) Skyline (3) Butler Thursday 4:30 (6) Clinton Saturday 4:30

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4) Amigo

1) Certain chess piece

5) Calculating one, at times

6) Computer-running period

7) Coat inside a chimney

8) One billion years

9) Bit of residue 10) Goes up against

11) "Skyfall" singer

18) Sandler of films

12) Contemptuous look

13) Fedoras and pork pies

24) "What's gotten ___ you?"

19) When the Jewish Sabbath begins

2) Shout to a sailor

3) Mall occupants



The People Of **BENTON COUNTY**

NAME: James Dority **BIRTHPLACE:** Camdenton, MO YEARS IN BENTON **COUNTY:** 23 years FAMILY: Wife, Deanne THE BEST THING ABOUT **LIVING IN WARSAW IS:** The people and the

OCCUPATION: City of Warsaw Parks Dept. WHAT I WANTED TO BE WHEN I GREW UP: Rich FIRST JOB: Climax Springs schools **FAVORITE CHILDHOOD MEMORY: Spending** time with my grandparents THE BEST TIME OF MY LIFE WAS WHEN: I got

MOST EMBARRASSING

MOMENT: I don't really

married.



NEWS

Bv

Pat Arnett

Contributing Reporter

The weather was really

nice in the Fristoe area on

Thanksgiving Day, but

by Saturday night, Mr.

Winter arose to have some

say. Things started in the

northern counties but by late

Saturday night and early

Sunday morning the snow

everyone was talking about

had arrived even in Benton

County. Although the snow

did not stay in this area, the

temperature was really too

Here is hoping that

everyone had as great of

Thanksgiving as I did with

my family. Both of my

boys, Adam, Bridget, Laney

and Maddie from Fristoe

and Randy with Heather,

and Ryleigh and Heather's

Dad, Vernon from Kearney

spent the day and it was a

wonderful day. Randy and

his family headed back

to the city late Thursday

evening in order to get

Ryleigh back home as she

had to work on Friday. God

was good to us and we had a

Lighthouse Church shared

the facilities of the church

Thursday by putting their

dinners together and sharing

their food and good times.

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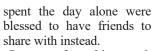
WHAT DO YOU **VALUE MOST IN YOUR FRIENDS:** Honesty MY GREATEST FEAR **IS:** Passing away too early.

I HOPE I NEVER HAVE **TO:** Speak in public. I'VE NEVER BEEN ABLE **TO:** Play any musical instrument.

IF I WON THE LOTTERY, I **WOULD:** Retire instantly. MY DREAM TRIP WOULD **BE TO:** Minnesota for a long fishing trip. **HOBBIES:** Fishing, woodworking with the

FAVORITE BAND OR MUSICIAN: Waylon

FAVORITE MOVIE: The **Beverly Hillbillies**



continue to be Lovely Henderson, Duncan (DoNut) Donna Nelson, Kathy First, Jeanne Wright, Lewis and Judy Retherford, Carolee Apperson, Gladys Harris, Easter Willis, Curtis Allen, and Mary Scarbrough. Always keep Gracie Yoder and her team in your prayers. They will be traveling to Thailand around the first of December. Another new experience will take place. Always hold her and her

Fristoe Lighthouse Church sends out a LOUD Happy Birthday shoutout to Pastor's wife, Brenda as she will celebrate her birthday on Friday, December 1.

Fristoe Lighthouse Church our environment. the Lord!

overcome evil with good!



share with instead. Prayers for this week

team up in prayers.

was down in numbers this PM, \$7.00 Sunday; some due to illness, some from being out of town. The Sunday School adults finished this quarter's unit with the lesson being on the responsibility God wants us to have toward Dobee and Br. Ken sang a beautiful special, as did Br. Dave Cunningham singing a special. The message Br. Smith brought was from Acts Chapter 2. Br. Smith challenges all of us to follow Acts Chapter 2's guidance in how to live and worship

Thought for the week: Be not overcome with evil, but Hope everyone reading the news sees something good and is uplifted!





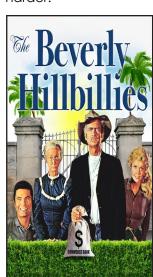
FAVORITE DRINK: Pepsi **FAVORITE SNACK:** Snack cakes **FAVORITE CANDY:** M&M's **FUTURE GOAL:** To retire early

WHICH PERSON DO YOU ADMIRE MOST: My wife

ADVICE YOU WOULD GIVE YOUR YOUNGER SELF: Learn as much

as you can, the earlier the better.

WORDS TO LIVE BY: Work hard, play harder.





Lodge #2783

Betty Mewszel Contributing Reporter

Mark your calendar for "Dining at the Lodge." -December 1, Steak Night (weather permitting), 6:15

PM-7:30 PM RSVP for Steak Night by November 28. If bad weather on Friday night, another meal will be

-December 6, Tenderloins Sandwich, 5:00 PM-7:00

available

-December 15, Fried Chicken Dinner, 5:00 PM-

6:30 PM -December 20, Tenderloin

Sandwich, 5:00 PM-7:00 PM, \$7.00

Christmas is in the air at the lodge. The lodge has adopted 9 families which include 32 children. The shopping lists are being made, food is being collected and the wrapping committee is formed. If you would like to volunteer for any jobs to help out with the Christmas For Families, please call the lodge or stop by and let someone know.

committee The been formed for our Veterans Christmas. Again, if you would like to volunteer to help out this committee, please call the lodge. The lodge recognizes

all veterans in residential care centers by giving them a special gift for their service and dedication to our country.

The Annual Elks Hoop Shoot for all Benton County children will be on Saturday, December 2. The Elks Hoop Shoot is a free throw contest for kids ages 8 to 13. The program is free to all contestants and provides youth an opportunity to compete, connect and succeed through hard work and healthy competition. The registration begins at 9:00 AM and the contest begins at 10:00 AM. The event will be held at John Boise Middle School in Warsaw. Participants do need their birth certificate to register. Our memorial service is set

for December 3 at 6:30 PM. This event honors all of our members who have passed away this past calendar year. Stephanie Anderson, ER, presented a check to Ashley Taylor at our meeting on November 20. The lodge had a very successful fundraiser on November 10 to benefit Ashley, a City of Warsaw police officer who was involved in an auto accident. The lodge raised more than their goal because of the generous people in Benton County and our lodge.

Members enjoy playing Shuffleboard on Tuesdays at 1:00 PM and Darts at 6:00 PM on Wednesdays in a non-smoking room.

winners **Shuffleboard** on November 21 were:

1st Place-Mary S/Steve Place-Herb/David.

1) Argentine grassland 42) Feminizing suffix

ACROSS

6) No longer new

10) 100-meter event 14) Out in front

15) Far from wealthy

(with "the")

21) Cut and splice

23) Distiller Walker

26) Yemen neighbor

32) African language

34) Continental cash

38) Extremely happy

35) "Tarzan" extra

DOWN TO EARTH

25) Not once, poetically

22) Con games

28) Procedures

20) Big Apple, briefly

16) "Giant" author Ferber

17) Greedy thing to wish for

- 43) Big game
- 44) Bedouin 45) Place to find many
- teahouses 48) Feel sorry for
- 49) Dele reversal 51) Angry
- 53) Carry with great effort
- 55) Meathead 56) A bad dancer might step on
- 59) Momentous and then some 62) Length x width, for a
- rectangle 63) Pseudonym of H.H. Munro

- 64) Desert plant

Ellington classic)

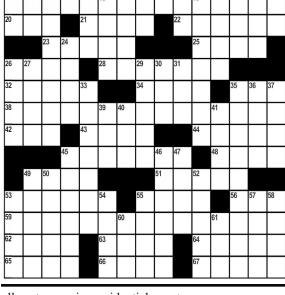
67) Stately horse

- 65) Caddie's bagful

By Timothy E. Parker

- 26) Reed instrument
- 27) Staffs 66) "Take ___ Train" (Duke 29) Prefix meaning "four"
 - 30) "Come again?
 - 31) Rock that needs refinement
 - 33) Modernized
 - 35) Military truce
 - 36) Builder's map
 - 37) Mini-whirlpool
 - 39) " the ramparts ..."
 - 40) Physician's charge

 - 41) "My mistake!"
 - 45) Guys 46) Nova
 - 47) Horse gait 49) Make a basket
 - 50) "... called for his fiddlers _ 52) Does what one's told
 - 53) Whack, as a baseball
 - 54) Whispered "yoo-hoo"
 - 55) Be a cake maker
 - 57) "___ bitten, twice shy"
 - 58) "Good grief!" 60) "A likely story!"
 - 61) Same old, same old



Winners at **Darts** November 22 were: 1st Place-Mary K/Mike M.

2nd Place-Stephanie/Patti Don't know how to play? Stop by and the members will be happy to teach you how to play!

On Thursdays, The Lodge Boys entertain in the nonsmoking meeting room. Listen to some good music and enjoy some great company!

If you are a Chiefs fan or just like football, stop by and enjoy watching in a smoke-free room. Bring a snack to share, wear your Chiefs attire and enjoy the game!

Planning a Holiday party? Check out our meeting room/kitchen/lounge and patio area. Contact our lodge at (660) 438-9498 for information.

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Week of Nov 30 - Dec 6

Thurs, Nov 30 Apple Pork Roast Yams Normandy Vegetables Wheat Roll Spiced Peaches or Pecan Pie Bar Fri, Dec 1 Fried Chicken Mashed Potatoes/Gravy Green Beans Wheat Roll Mixed Fruit or Cook's Feature Monday, Dec 4 Ham and Beans **Stewed Tomatoes** Cauliflower

Cornbread SF Jello w/Pears or Snickerdoodle Tues, Dec 5 Apple Pork Roast

Normandy Vegetables Wheat Roll Spiced Peaches or Pecan Pie Bar

Yams

Wed, Dec 6 Meatloaf Scalloped Potatoes Roasted Brussel Sprouts Wheat Roll Pears or

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Thompson, Victoria; City of Betrayal

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Galvan, Liz Marie; Create Your Own Cozy: 100 Practical Ways to Love Your Home and Life

Greger, Michael; How Not to Age: The Scientific Approach to Getting Healthier As You Get Older Marie, Holly Lambert, Cindy & Lambert, David; Finding Baby Holly: Lost to a Cult, Surviving My Parents' Murders, and Saved by Prayer

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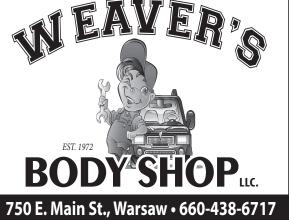
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KINZE 611 planter 6-split row Precision e-set corn & soybean meters w/Sensor 1 digital mon-

1996 Case IH 8465T round baler w/monitor, \$3,000 spent on parts, new bearings chains & sprockets etc. (net wrap able),

M&W V-rake 8 wheel w/hyds,

1950s Caterpillar D4,

John Deere 400bu. grain cart new gear box 1000 PTO w/tarp,

1086 International 1976 cabbed tractor new/ clutch, injection pump, AC fan & front tires, rebuilt front end dual hyd. All lights work, 1973 Ford 3000 gas tractor (1-owner),

1959 Farmall 560 narrow front w/loader, blade, bale spike & bucket,

Farmall 460 narrow front, new clutch, PTO drive, TA, gauges & seat,

1941 McCormic "B" Cultivision tractor,

1940s McCormic "B" Cultivision tractor,

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2021 3pt. 6' Bush Hog (like new),

Ford 3pt 16' rotary hoe, **Kewanee** chisel plow 3pt. 11 shank,

New Holland 273 Hayliner square baler, 3 - hay wagons factory running gears (needs floors),

Cub Cadet 1330 riding lawn mower, Cub Cadet Riding Mower,

King Kutter 3pt. 6' finish mower, bale mover

3pt or fast hitch, 3pt hyd. Post driver, New Idea side delivery hay rake, Side Wind-

er 15' batwing mower (splines stripped from one stump jumper),

White 273 winged disk 20', Allis Chalmers 1200 winged field cultivator 20', Case International 130PTO manurer

spreader, Case / International 3206 sickle

3pt hyd. Bale unroller,

EQUIPMENT & VEHICLES FOR PARTS & RESTORATION

1959 Ford F-100 pickup 223 6cyl. (has title), 1983 Ford pickup 6cyl. 3spd on column 2x4

200k+ miles, (has title), 1939 Oliver 90 restoration project (complete), 560 Farmall rear end & transmission, 1460 International Combine overhauled

engine under 500 hrs (hydro pulled) 303 International Combine engine stuck, Gleaner "Allis-Chalmers" CII combine (good

1960 Ford F-350 grain truck four speed 223ci

6 cyl., 1956 Ford F-600 grain truck 292ci 4+2, (has

1964 International 1 1/2 ton grain truck

model 1300 w/hoist & 5spd,.

1997 Ford F-150 extended cab short bed 4x4





200k+ miles (has Title),

1959 Farmall 460 most complete, Lot Misc. tractor & equipment parts, 3pt assembly for M or H Farmall, Farmall "M" complete, International 1190 haybine, Vermeer 605B round baler,

Oliver dump rake,

International 9' sickle bar mower model

Misc. spare tires & wheels, 5' pull type rotary 15' bumper hitch tandem axle trailer (no title),

er fold-up ramps, Dearborn 3pt two-bottom plow, International 416 3pt. four bottom plow, MM pull type

16' bumper hitch tandem axle homemade trail-

3pt 6' blade, 3pt bale spike,

Loader w/1850 Oliver mounts w/smooth bucket & bale spear, bale wagon hauls 8 with

3pt. Danuser & 2pt International posthole

3pt tumble bugs, pull type tumble bug, 3pt boom, 2 - sets pickup bed racks,

Tobb MFA 2-ton grain bin, 3pt disk 6', bumper hitch bale spike wagon, portable "A" frame,

King Kutter carry-all, Troy-Bilt "Pony" rear tine tiller, Troy-Bilt "mantis style" tiller,

Lawn-Scout front tine tiller, 2006 Eton Vector 250cc four-wheeler, small utility wagon, Wonderwood wood stove, 2 - wood stoves, Coleman 2500watt generator,

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Large lot local advertising pieces, Lg lot Tullis-Hall, MFA, Emma Creamery, Freeze & Rissler

Matching leather sofa & chair, blonde mirrored dresser & chest of drawers, blonde Lane cedar

2-spindle leg tables, corner cabinet, antique mirrored dresser, lg display cabinet, hospital bed, Queen size Serta adjustable bed, HD ele grinder

from Smithton grocery, lot milk bottles & tops, Hoosier cabinet, antique high back bed, bow front mirrored dresser, lot misc. floor & table

matching chest of drawers & mirrored dresser, Horizontal four drawer file cabinet, knee hole desk, Hay Budden 80# Anvil,

10gal "Blue Ribbon" crock, 5gal Western churn, lot misc. crocks, lot misc. iron implement

Well pump, misc. wooden ladders, lot sawmill

blades, CI rendering pot, meat band saw, commercial meat hand saw, misc. meat pro-

cessing items,

lg lot vintage glass all types Pink & Green depression, Milk, crystal, APG, lg set china, blue Moon & Stars, Pyrex, lot hand painted plates & glasses, 2 -

Miss Missouri State Fair Sedalia dolls (in boxes), retro aluminum canister set, lot glass blocks. Tandy leather tool set, Milk can collection 20+, Enterprise lard press, egg basket, galvanized manual washing machine,

3- Kayaks (Pelican, Ascend, Sundolphin), Flying "O" toy pedal tractor, lot old Tonka toys, Wash tub on stand, salesman sample "Loom", Large primitive loom from Germany.

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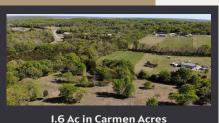
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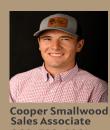
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Have I Got A Line For You!



By James Mahlon White

Ran across a program on religious intrigue last night and found that it has garnered a lot of protest. That's because it's about Jesus and Mary Magdalene and the belief by some that they were married and may even have had a child. It was titled, "Jesus, Mary and Da Vinci." This theory has been bouncing around for a long, long time, but kept quiet. If you'd like to know a fascinating, but wild story about secret places, hidden treasures, the Knights Templar, Columbus, Henry the Navigator, monarchs of Europe....get on the internet and check Cathars and Merovingian and see what was going on.

If the above isn't enough to rock our boats, how about the White House saying they lowered the cost of Thanksgiving dinner for everyone. What reality do they live in? Prices this year were higher than 2022! Only in D.C. is a decrease in the rate of increase a cut. There's more than this insanity though. In New York, two jailed Gambino mobsters were granted bond in time for the holidays by a Brooklyn judge. He said, "The current crop of mobsters aren't as violent as their predecessors." These New York courts are a scene right out of Tammany Hall with more corruption today than during the Boss Tweed days. There is no justice, no common sense, just a mess of deals and favors.

I see quotes from others, current and past, that I like to keep, and here are two that winged my way:

"Ronnie's long journey has finally taken him to a distant place where I can no longer reach him." -Nancy

WORD **STREET**

winter do you think we should expect?



'd say this one might be rough. -Mark Todd



I think a little more snow than usual. -Ryan Burks



I think we're due for a bad one. -Les Day

"It's a damn poor mind that can think of only one way to spell a word." -Andrew Jackson

"God always answers prayers. Sometimes it's 'yes'. Sometimes the answer is 'no'. Sometimes it's 'you gotta be kidding'." -Jimmy Carter

Read an article that some little towns in Missouri have the highest sales tax rates in the state. Clinton's sales tax sounds good compared to Saint Ann City. It's a small suburb of Saint Louis and the tax rate is 11.99%. Clinton's tax is 8.1%. In Warsaw, it's 9.1%. I remember years ago when voters approved a half-cent sales tax to pay for paved roads to Walmart. They apparently just couldn't afford the paving bill.

I've exhausted my supply of knowledge for the day and wish you well Old Buddy.

'Til Next Week:



If you're starting out in your career, you have many of the same financial needs as older workers — but you might be lacking some of their resources. How big of a concern is this?

It could be significant. While you have the advantage of time, you'll want to avoid falling into one or more of the "gaps" faced by people in your age group. Consider some of the findings of a study of 18-to-34-year-olds from Edward Jones and research groups NEXT360 Partners and MarketCast:

- Only 31% currently have a retirement account.
- Just 57% have health insurance.
- Less than a third have life
- insurance. • Just 12% go to a financial
- advisor to discuss their

These issues could cause problems in building the financial foundation you'll need to achieve your goals and enjoy the lifestyle you've envisioned. Let's look at each of these issues to see how they might affect you and what you can do to fill in the gaps.

• Retirement account -Depending on where you work, you may have access to a 401(k) or similar taxadvantaged retirement account. Early in your working life, you may only be able to contribute small amounts to your 401(k) or other plan, but gradually, as your salary rises, you can contribute more. In any case, try to contribute enough to earn your employer's matching contribution, if one is offered. If your employer offers a Roth 401(k), you may want to discuss this option with a financial professional. Even if you don't have a 401(k) available, you can still contribute to an IRA.

• Health insurance - It only takes a protracted illness or a hospital stay for medical bills to become overwhelming. If you're fortunate, you can get health insurance from your employer, but if it's not





offered, you may need to find your own. It can be expensive, but you might **SIPC** be able to get some help in choosing an affordable plan by visiting the healthcare. gov website. If your employer provides a high deductible health insurance plan, you might have access to a Health Savings Account

(HSA), which can be used during your working years and into retirement. • Life insurance – If you're single with no dependents

and no one in your family depends on your income for example, you're not helping support older relatives — you may not need life insurance. But that changes the minute you get married or otherwise maintain a long-term, stable relationship, and especially once you have children. If you have anyone depending on your income, you need life insurance. You might get some coverage from your employer, but if it's insufficient, you may need to

purchase private coverage. • Financial advice - You're still in the early stages of your working years, so you'll have many financial goals ahead of you, both short term (down payment on a house, travel, etc.) and longer term (college for your children), not to mention retirement. It can be challenging, but, when possible, it's a good idea to fund short- and longterm goals simultaneously. To achieve these goals, you'll need to follow the appropriate financial and investment strategies and you'll find it easier to do just that with the help of a qualified financial professional.

By filling in any gaps, from retirement savings to insurance to financial advice, you can help yourself feel more secure about where you are today — and where you'll be tomorrow.

This article was written by Edward Jones for use by your local Edward Jones

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BENTON COUNTY Sheriff's Report **ERIC**



KNOX **Benton** County Sheriff



Sheriff's Report 11/20/2023-11/26/23

Joseph Lynn Whittle of Independence, MO was arrested on 11-20-23 for Driving While Intoxicated-Narcotics, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, and Resist/Interfere with arrest. Subject was booked and

released with a court date Alec Edward Smith of Warsaw, MO was arrested on 11-23-23 for Shoplifting. Subject was booked and released with a court date. Jonathan

Dewayne Hamilton of Warsaw, MO was arrested on 11-25-23 on Benton County and Pettis County warrants for Receiving Stolen Property, Unlawful Use of a Weapon and Failure to Appear/ Harassment. Subject is being held on no Bond Mark S. Lomax of Warsaw,

MO was arrested on 11-26-23 on Benton County Warrants for Failure to Register Shoplifiting, Vehicle, Expired Drivers License and Stealing/Larceny/Theft. Bond is set at \$2,000.00 cash only. Subject is being held in the Benton County **Detention Center**

Donald Wayne Grove of Warsaw, MO was arrested on 11-26-23 on a 24 hold pending charges. Subject is being held in the Benton County Detention Center.





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REMEMBRANCE Thursday, November 30, 2023

Sharon Bybee



Sharon Bybee, 79, resident of Lenexa KS passed 11/14/23. She was born in Benton County, Missouri and a graduate of Warsaw High School. Short in stature, she stood tall in the hearts of everyone who knew her.

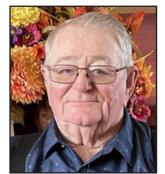
Family was the cornerstone of Sharon's life, and she leaves behind a legacy of love. Married for an impressive 61 years, she is survived by her devoted husband, two daughters, three grandsons, and two great-granddaughters. Sharon had an unwavering commitment to her large family.

Sharon and her husband, Fred, enjoyed a passion for cars and were proud members of the Corvair and Corvette clubs. A shared love of card games with neighbors was a particular joy for the couple.

Sharon Bybee was loved by everyone she met and her warm presence will be dearly missed by her family and friends. In celebrating her life, we reflect on the profound impact she made and the enduring memories leaves behind. A celebration of life ceremony is planned, date pending.



Edward R. Welborn



Edward R. Welborn, 79 of Warsaw, MO went to his final rest on Friday November 17th, 2023, and "I know that he shall rise again in the resurrection at the last day" (John 11:24). He and his wife Marva (Gould-Stowe-Welborn) were married in 1986. Ed was born in Texas and lived there until his graduation from Dalhart High School. He moved to Kansas City and married his first wife Saundra. They had four children, Roy, Theresa, Marie, and James Welborn. He married Marva who had four children, Tim, Danny (Terra), Julie (Brett) and James Patrick Stowe.

He worked for Allied Signal and retired after 30 vears.

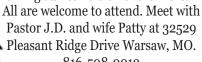
He was preceded in death by his parents Archie and Nellie, a sister, Patsy, and brother Archie, Jr. and exwife Saundra and granddaughter Amanda.

He is survived by his wife Marva, sister Debbie Austin, 17 grandchildren, Timothy, Kaylie, Gabriel, Michael, Taliah, Lailah, Jessica, Melina, Davidlee, Coby, Brandon, Jessy, Sophie, Jonathan, Alicia, Brittany, and Jacob and great-grandchildren, Ayshia, Nikolai, Mikayla, Evelyn, Madison, Milo,

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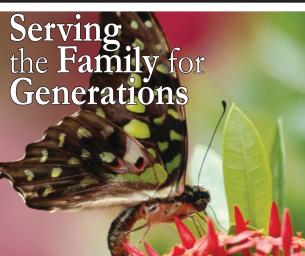
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No services are scheduled.

FROM THE **PASTOR'S DESK** JOHNIE J. LOGUE

The Book

I saw a man on the internet advertising a book for a \$100.00. I have a book worth much more than that. It has transformed my life.

I have hundreds of books in my library but none of the self-help books have ever helped me overcome temptations, pray better, read better, preach better, overcome grief or draw closer to God.

Commentaries, dictionaries, encyclopedias and history books have helped me no doubt. Sermons have helped me but no book ever has. I read books on prayer and devotions. They are nice and sometimes encouraging, but to say a book has helped me become a better Christian would be a stretch.

Sometimes a scripture in a book has blessed, but it was the scripture and not man's wisdom.

I am sure someone reading this would say books have helped them.

have drawn encouragement from good Christian people around me, no doubt. Don't get me wrong; I am forever in their debt for their compassion, prayers and faithfulness. I have learned so many things from other pastors in the ministry. Their prayers have helped sustain me.

However, when the chips are down, I draw my deepest inner strength, what little I have, from the Gospels, Proverbs, the Psalms, Acts, the Epistles and such.

Now people are flooding the market every day with new books. Testimonies are great and I am glad for them, and as inspirational as they might be, the Bible has been my encouragement these many years. Worth a \$100? No; much, much more. You've got to be kidding. There is no price.

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13:1-23 Matthew In Jesus shares the Parable of the Sower. A Parable is an earthly story with a Heavenly meaning. Imagine a farmer sowing seeds and the seeds go all over the place. Some on the path become bird seed; some on the rocky soil where nothing grows; others come up and the sun scorches them; some grow in the thorns and get choked out; and some fall on good ground, fertilized just enough to grow successfully. Jesus is talking to the Pharisees, Sadducees, and Teachers of the Law, and tells them, some people are going to hear, and will understand, some will hear, and not believe in anything. Some will hear who Jesus is and see what His grace looks like, and still will not believe. Some people will see, hear, and experience, and for a moment will believe, but they don't have faith, it never takes root. They never make faith a part of who they are. We must take our faith to heart.

Jesus goes on to say there are some people of good soil, like the disciples who left their jobs and everything to follow Him. The question wasn't whether the seed changed, but the hearts of man. The real question is,

will people take it to heart. God's imprint, beauty and grace are on every inch of everything we see. He tells us to go out and spread the seed. Some will return void and it changes nothing, we are to keep spreading. Jesus was so mad at the Pharisees, Sadducees, and Teachers of the Law because He had spent so much time with them, and He wanted them to get charged up and become good soil. He didn't give up on them. There are people we have a hard time with, who make it difficult,

and Jesus wants them too. Let's keep spreading seeds. Some will understand, some will not. Let's spend a little more time praying for the ones who drive us crazy. There is no time like now. His grace will never change, and it will never not be enough! Let's give our hearts and lives to Jesus! He is ready and listening!

Join us Sunday mornings for Sunday School at 10 a.m. with Worship at 11 a.m., and Sunday and Wednesday Bible Study at 6 p.m. Watch us live at 11 a.m. on Hopewell Baptist Church Facebook page.

AN EVENING OF **CHRISTMAS MUSIC**

The 28th annual program of German Christmas music will be presented on Sunday evening, December 3, at 7:00 PM, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Cole Camp

The concert will feature the German Singers of Cole

During the concert the audience will be given the opportunity to join with the performers in singing several familiar carols which will also include some verses in English. In celebration of our German heritage, several beautiful German carols which are seldom heard in America will be included in the program, as well as the familiar carols such as Stille Nacht and O du fröhliche. The German carols were sung each Christmas in our churches for many years.

Following the concert, refreshments will be served in the fellowship hall. The time spent in the fellowship hall, feasting on Christmas delicacies and goodies, has become very popular and the perfect ending to an evening of fellowship and great music. There is no admission charge--it's all free for your enjoyment.

The Cole Camp German Club, sponsor of this event, cordially invites the public to attend this Christmas celebration and join us for refreshments following the concert.

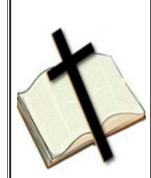
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Benton Co. including White Township) or Territory 3 (Middle section of Benton Co. including Lindsey and Cole townships), and meets the qualifications listed below, may be considered as a candidate in the election. You may submit your name for participation in the election by completing the self-nomination form and delivering it to the district by 5:00 P.M. on November 30th, 2023. The self-nomination form is available online at https:// mosoilandwater.land/ benton or in person at the district office at 535 N Hwy 65, Lincoln.

Supervisors of the district administer district policies and programs, district personnel, and cost-share funding made available by the one-tenth-of-onepercent parks, soils and water sales tax. During fiscal year 2023, the district provided \$93,000 of costshare funds to assist the landowners with installing agricultural erosion control and water quality practices.

The qualifications required to be a supervisor are:

Being a land representative from the district (10 CSR 70-4.010 (1) (I)). A land representative is defined as the owner or representative authorized by power of attorney of any farm lying within an area proposed to be established, and subsequently established, as a soil and water conservation district under Chapter 278, RSMo. Each farm is entitled to representation by a land representative: provided, however that the land representative is a taxpayer of the county within which the soil and water district is located.

Residing in, or owning a farm in, the area from which he/she is nominated where there is an expiring term.

Being a cooperator of the district, defined as, "a person who is actively engaged in farming and conservation practices related activities agriculture".

Being a current resident and tax-paying citizen of the county for at least two years preceding the election date.

Be eighteen (18) years of age or older by the election date. Benton County Soil and

Water Conservation District 535 N Hwy 65 Lincoln, MO 65338 (660) 547-2351 Ext. 3 tina.dulaban@swcd.mo.gov



PUBLIC NOTICE FILING NOTICE

The Deer Creek Fire Protection District, Benton County, MO, gives notice for: one (1) Director for a six (6) year term. Filing may be done between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Tuesday through Thursday, beginning Dec. 5, 2023 and ending Dec. 26, 2023 at the home of Secretary Mary Batson, 31340 Forthview Rd. Edwards, MO 65326. Phone is 573-345-4987. There is a \$10.00 filing fee to become a candidate.

Candidates are required to be a registered voter of Benton County, a resident of Deer Creek Fire Protection District, Benton County for at least two years prior to this election, a citizen of the United States and be at least

For

twenty-five (25) years of age. All candidates' names will appear on the ballot in order of the date filing. Done by the order of the Deer Creek Fire Protection District, Benton County,

Richard McBride Chairman of the Board

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IN THE CIRCUIT **COURT OF BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI** AT WARSAW

CASE NO. 23BE-CC00062

DRJ HOLDINGS, LLC, Missouri Limited Company, Liability Plaintiff,

Vs. **JESSICA** EDWARD, GREEN, LP, **SADIE** KILROY-**JUDY** L. WILLER, **FORBES** LAKE OF **OZARKS** PARK HOME OWNERS ASSOCIATION, Any spouses, unknown consorts, heirs, devisees, Alienees, donees. or immediate Mesne remote, voluntary or involuntary grantees of Said persons, and any other person or entity who claims Or may claim an interest in the property, Defendants.

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YOU ARE HEREBY **NOTIFIED** that an action been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Benton County, Missouri, to determine the right, title and interest to the following tracts and parcels of real estate:

Tract 1: Lot 2134, Unit FORBES LAKE THE **OZARKS** PARK, a subdivision in Benton County, Missouri, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Tract 2: Lots 2444 and 2445, Unit X-1, FORBES LAKE OF THE OZARKS PARK, a subdivision in Benton County, Missouri, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Tract 3: Lot 3980, Unit FORBES LAKE **OF OZARKS** THE PARK, a subdivision in Benton County, Missouri, according to the recorded plat thereof.

The names of all parties to said action are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for Plaintiff is: Gable B. Dull; Dull & Heany, LLC, 220 W. Main St./PO Box 1495; Warsaw, MO 65355-1495, Tel. No. 660-438-7102. You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against petition the aforesaid within forty-five (45) days after November 30, 2023, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court of Benton County, Missouri, this 22nd day of November, 2023.

/s/Mary Siercks, Deputy Clerk Shanda Schultz, Circuit Clerk

Date(s) of Publication: 11/30, 12/7, 12/14 & 12/21/2023

IN THE CIRCUIT **COURT OF BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI**

> Case No. 23BE-DR00083

In re the Matter of:

JOSEPH A. BYLER, A minor child, By His Next Friend, ELI J. BYLER, and ELI J. BYLER, Individually, Petitioners.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

To Whom It May Concern: You are hereby notified that by a judgment entered on the 21st day of November 2023, in the Circuit Court of Benton County, State of Missouri, the name of Joseph A. Byler was changed to Joseph E. Byler.

Shanda Schultz, Circuit Clerk

Date(s) of Publication: November 30 December 7 & 14, 2023

FILING NOTICE

Warsaw Fire Protection District, Benton County, Missouri, hereby gives notice that filing for:

Two (2) Directors for a six (6) year term may be done, starting December 5, 2023, and ending December 26, 2023, at the Warsaw Fire Protection District Office, 940 E. Main St., Warsaw, MO, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., excluding weekends, and also excluding Monday, December 25, 2023. Further information can be obtained by calling Fred Toomey at (660) 428-3111.

Candidates are required to be over the age of twentyfive years and shall be a voter of the District for at least two (2) years prior to the election.

Fred Toomey, Chairman Warsaw Fire Protection District

Date(s) of Publication: November 30, 2023, **December 7, 2023**

> **Iconium Fire Protection District**

Notice of Filing Period for April 2, 2024 election

Two directors of the Iconium Fire Protection District will be elected for six-year terms at the April 2, 2024, municipal election. The property tax-supported district covers a specific area in northeast St. Clair County southwest Benton County. To be qualified to serve as a director, a person shall be a voter of the district for at least one year and be over 24 years old before

election day. Anyone who desires to be a candidate should file a Declaration of Candidacy at Iconium Fire Station #1 at 12715 NE Highway C (corner of Highway C at Highway ZZ on north side of Iconium) with the board secretary of the district, Gene Hartley. To do so, contact him at (417) 860-3817 to set a mutually agreeable time (8 a.m. – 5 p.m., Mon. – Fri.) to meet at the fire station.

Opening time for filing is Tuesday, Dec. 5, 2021, at 8 a.m.; the closing time is Tuesday, Dec. 26, 2021, at 5 p.m.

Date(s) of Publication: November 30, 2023 and **December 14, 2023**

Notice of Date for Filing for Board of Directors of the

Warsaw- Lincoln **Ambulance District**

Notice is hereby given that eligible candidates for Board of Directors of the

Warsaw Lincoln Ambulance District may file at the office of the Warsaw Lincoln Ambulance District 1206 Medic Drive in Warsaw, MO.

The first day for filing is December 5, 2023 and the last day for filing is December 26, 2023

Office hours are Monday through Friday 8:00 am to

4:30 pm. Candidates must reside in

District 2 or District 5. One Director will be elected from District 2 and one from District 5 for a term of three years.

Date(s) of Publication: November 23 & November 30, 2023

Notice of Filing Procedure for the Climax Springs R-IV School District Annual Board Election

The Climax Springs R-IV School District will accept declarations of candidacy from any person interested in running for a position on the Climax Springs R-IV School Board in the April 2nd, 2024 election. Candidates must be citizens of the U.S., resident taxpayers of the district, reside in his/her school district for one year preceding their election or appointment, and be at least twenty-four years of age. Persons interested may file with the board secretary at Central Office located at 571 Climax Ave, Climax Springs, MO 65324. Filing will begin on December 5th, 2023, at 7:30 am and will continue during the district's regular business hours, which are Tuesday through Friday 7:30 am to 4:00 pm through December 20th. Filing will not occur on days the school district's offices are closed due to inclement weather or school holidays. The office will open at 7:30 am on December 26, 2023 and filing will end at 5:00 pm. There are two three-year term positions available.

Date(s) of Publication: November 23, 30 and **December 7, 2023**

SURPLUS PROPERTY NOTICE FOR BIDS

The Warsaw R-IX School District has declared the following as surplus property:

- (114) Dell Vostro 260
- Desktops
- Intel Core i5-2400 -4GB RAM
- -250 GB HDD
- (12) HP ProCurve 1800G Switches
- 24 port • (2) HP ProCurve 2650
- -48 port InFocus
- (1) Projector Bulb quality/life
- unknown (3) InFocus IN26+
- Projectors quality/life Bulb
- unknown • (2) Promethean PRM30
- **Projectors**
- quality/life Bulb unknown
- (4) Promethean PRM35 **Projectors**
- Bulb quality/life unknown
- (15) Promethean PRM40 Projectors
- quality/life Bulb unknown
- Miscellaneous VGA/S-
- Video/Composite cables
- Various length • (9) HP L1710 Monitors
- (1) Vizio E-series 32" TV
- (4) VHS Players - Various brands
- Functionality unknown
- (2) Linksys EF4124 switches
- 24 port • (1) Powermax Surge Protector
- Ethernet and NEMA-15
- CNET CNSH-3200 Switch
- − 32 Port • (2) HP Scanjet N6350
- (2) HP Scanjet G4010
- (17) 3.5" HDDs -80-250GB
- IDE/SATA
- (4) 2.5" HDDs -40-80GB
- IDE/SATA
- (18) CD Drives

Warsaw R-IX assumes no further responsibility for repairs or cosmetic damages; buyer assumes all responsibility. Buyer is responsible for removal of items from property. Bids may be submitted to the Superintendent's office located at 20363 Lane of Champions, Warsaw, MO 65355. All sealed bids

submitted must be received by December 13, 2023 by 1:00 pm to be considered. more information, please contact the Central Office at 660-438-7120.

Date(s) of Publication: November 23, 2023 and November 30, 2023

SURPLUS PROPERTY NOTICE FOR BIDS

The Warsaw R-IX School District has declared the following as surplus property:

HVAC filters (61) 16x24x2 HVAC filters (36) 14x30x1 HVAC filters (12) 14x22x1 HVAC filters (8) 16x16x1 Mini Blinds (25) size 45 1/4

Whirlpool Range built in electric oven ser. # xp3503604

Frigidaire washer and dryer ser. # xc22601067 (washer) and #xd22105890 (dryer)

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Date(s) of **Publication**: November 23, 2023 and November 30, 2023

> PUBLIC NOTICE OF FILING FOR TRUSTEES

STATE FAIR **COMMUNITY** COLLEGE

Voters of The Community College District of Mid Missouri of Sedalia, Missouri (State Fair Community College) will elect two trustees for a sixyear term of office on April 2, 2024.

Those wishing to file must complete the Declaration of Candidacy form in the Office of the President, 3201 W. 16th Street, Sedalia, Missouri, Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The opening date to file for the April 2, 2024, election is Tuesday, December 5, 2023, at 8:00 a.m. and filing continues through Tuesday, December 26, 2023, at 5:00 p.m. The college will be closed for winter break from December 20, 2023, at noon, through January 1, 2024, but the Office of the President will be open for the closing filing date on December 26, 2023, from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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Date(s) of Publication: November 23, 2023 and November 30, 2023

IN THE CIRCUIT **COURT OF BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI**

CIRCUIT DIVISION

Case No. 23BE-AC00416

THE MISSING WELL, INC., a Missouri non-profit organization,

RICHARD H. JONES and

Plaintiff,

RICHARD L. JONES; And ALL OF THE UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, ASSIGNS, GRANTEES, GRANTEES, DONEES, ALIENEES, LEGATEES, ADMINISTRATORS, EXECUTORS, GUARDIANS, MORTGAGEES, TRUSTEES, LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES, ALL OTHER PERSONS, CORPORATIONS, OR **SUCCESSORS** CLAIMING THROUGH, OR UNDER ANYONE OR MORE OF **THE AFOREMENTIONED** DEFENDANTS AND ALL OTHER PERSONS OR ENTITIES UNKNOWN, CLAIMING ANY RIGHT, TITLE, ESTATE, L I E N OR INTEREST IN THE REAL PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN THIS PETITION ("UNKNOWN DEFENDANTS"), Defendants.

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE MISSOURI **DEFENDANTS RICHARD** H. JONES, RICHARD L. JONES, ET AL:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Benton, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is: Petition to Quiet Title.

The names of all parties to said action are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for Petitioners is Cover & Hilton Law, LLC, Attorney Benjamin C. Bellamy, 137 West Franklin, Clinton, Missouri 64735.

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within 45 days after the 8th day of November, 2023, Judgment by default will be rendered against you. WITNESS my hand and seal of the Circuit Court this 31 day of October, 2023.

/s/ Shanda Schultz, Circuit Clerk By: /s/ Elizebeth Wilbanks

Deputy Circuit Clerk

Date(s) of Publication: November 8, November 15, 2023, 22, November 2023, November 29, 2023

IN THE CIRCUIT **COURT OF BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI**

Case No. 23BE-CC00059

STATES CENTRAL LAND, L.C., Plaintiff,

JESSICA M. PRICE, or if she be dead, then the unknown spouses, consorts, former consorts, heirs, devisees, donees, alienees, and immediate, mesne and remote, voluntary and involuntary, grantees, executors, administrators, assigns and successors of Defendant, whether or not included within the purview of the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act, Defendant.

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

The State of Missouri to the above-named Defendant:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Benton, State of Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to quiet title, and which affects the following described property:

Lot #8 of Benton Hills, a subdivision according to the plat recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for Benton County, Missouri.

The names of all of the parties to said suit are stated above in the caption hereof, and the name of the attorney for Plaintiffs is Kenneth O. McCutcheon, Jr., whose address is 110 N. Monroe, P.O. Box 5, Versailles, Missouri 65084.

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 9th day of November, 2023, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court this 2nd day of NOVEMBER, 2023.

/s/ Shanda Schultz Circuit Clerk By: /s/ Mary Siercks Deputy Clerk

Date(s) of Publicaton: 11/9/23, 11/16/23, 11/23/23, 11/30/23

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