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Appleton City Fire Department Celebrates A Century Of Service!



City Council Met With Jam Packed Agenda

BY NATHANIEL RODGERS
Staff Reporter

The City Council meeting on June 4, 2024, was packed with important updates and decisions for the community, highlighting various improvements and plans.

One of the standout announcements was the opening of a new ice cream shop in downtown Clinton. This new addition promises to bring a sweet treat for both residents and visitors, enhancing the downtown area's appeal.

In the realm of public works, the Street Department received approval to close streets for the upcoming Old Glory Days parade and the inner circle of the square for the associated carnival. This decision is expected to facilitate smooth and safe celebrations.

Due to ongoing repairs on a pump, the summer pool season will commence at the indoor pool. This temporary measure ensures that residents can still enjoy swimming activities despite the delays.

The Artisan Park parking lot has undergone necessary repairs and, with striping pending, is now ready for use. Significant efforts are also being directed toward major repairs at the Deer Creek pump station, with a focus on relocating the elevator safety controls to a more accessible location for better safety and maintenance.

Street repairs on Allen Street have been completed, contributing to improved infrastructure. The council also approved bids for manhole repairs, indicating continued attention to the city's maintenance needs. Additionally, the cemetery building is set to be replaced with a new metal structure by June 13, marking a significant upgrade for the facility.

In other news, Jan House was reappointed to the Clinton Housing Authority, ensuring experienced leadership in this vital area. Upcoming budget meetings were announced, with dates set for June 13, July 10, and August 7, providing critical opportunities for discussing the city's financial planning and priorities.

This meeting underscored the council's commitment to enhancing community facilities and services. Residents are encouraged to attend City Council Page 3

BY JENNIFER JACKSON
Staff Reporter

In 1924, W. F. Stroup organized a volunteer fire department for Appleton City at the request of the local Chamber of Commerce. Stroup recruited a dozen young men and was named captain.

According to an article in the Appleton City Journal, the recruits didn't have a truck, but were given permission to use the hand-operated fire extinguishers that businesses had purchased.

This summer, Appleton City is celebrating the 100th anniversary of the founding of the city's volunteer fire department, which now has 15 members and seven trucks. The oldest dates from 1959. Firefighters were washing the trucks last Thursday in anticipation of driving them in the Appleton City Fair's parade on Saturday, June 8.

As part of the 100th anniversary celebration, they are also planning to participate in the 20th annual Appleton City Car Show on July 13.

For that event, Doug Snodgrass has been trying to locate old fire trucks for display at the show, which



MARKING A MAJOR MILESTONE, the Appleton City Fire Department is marking 100 years. Members of the department include Aaron Johnson, Doug Snodgrass, Jayme Kepley, Bryan Wade, Daniel Garver, Nathan Wade, Carl Garrett, Brandon Snodgrass, Caitlin Wade, Bob Grubb, Mason Johnson and Wayne Wood.

takes place at Forest Park on 4th Street. So far, he has about 20 lined up, he said, from Montrose, Rich Hill, Fairgrove, Joplin, Kansas City and Ottawa, Kansas, but would like more.

"My goal is 50," Doug said.

Doug is the former fire chief and historian of the ACFD, having been a member the longest of the current crew. Now in his mid-60s, he joined the ACFD in 1985 when he was 28.

"I chased the trucks quite a bit before that," he said.

"Then the chief asked me to join."

The chief was Gene Niemann, Doug said. Back then, the volunteers were called out by the fire phone, Doug said, a system operated by the telephone

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FRIDAY

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SATURDAY

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SUNDAY

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TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY

HIGH 91
LOW 72

A Change In Plans: Clinton Grocery Store On The Move

BY KEITH JACKSON
Staff Reporter

If you've noticed a lot of heavy equipment, noise and activity on Pawnee Street behind Walgreen's, there is a reason. Aldi is building something across the street from its current store.

It really shouldn't be a surprise to long-time Aldi shoppers as two years ago rumors had it that the company was planning to remodel the store on Pawnee. But that is not the case. The plan now is to build a completely new store, and construction has started.

Completion is expected this fall. Currently, site preparation is underway, and the site itself is fenced off.

A company spokesman said that the new store will be approximately 12,000 square feet of retail space, "making it easier to navigate than traditional grocery stores." It follows the Aldi mantra: "Get In, Get Out and Get Home."

The idea is to make the new store easier and faster for shoppers to find and buy what they need and do



SHARING A SHOPPING EXPERIENCE, Shaun, Hannah and Kiera Green were at Aldi in Clinton on Tuesday morning. A new store is currently under construction and will be located across the street.

so more quickly than larger, more traditional grocery stores.

"The new Clinton store will provide an improved layout and ample refrigeration to accommodate and expand the fresh and convenient food selection," said Skyler Jones, Olathe Division vice president.

The design of the new store is similar to the latest Aldi additions. It will feature open ceilings and natural

lighting. The emphasis in construction is to use environmentally friendly materials.

The design will feature a new layout and a streamlined design to make shopping easier. Parking will be easier, too, as the new parking lot will have 95 spaces and should be able to handle boat trailers and RVs.

Aldi's history dates back to 1913 when Anna Albrecht started a grocery store in

the town of Essen in western Germany. In 1945, her two sons took over the store and started to expand, opening another retail outlet nearby. By 1950, the brothers owned 13 stores in Germany. Ten years later, the chain had 300 stores in the country.

However, the brothers had a disagreement about whether or not the chain should sell cigarettes, and

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Have I Got A Line For You!
By James Mahlon White



One of the things I remember from my childhood was my Grandfather White telling about a group of young Warsaw businessmen and their friendship. Back in 1934 the town was saddened when Dr. Harry Newkirk froze to death in the pasture during a heavy snow storm while checking on cattle. He was only 31. Harry Newkirk was an athlete, both in basketball and baseball. When he went to Western Dental College he was on their basketball team. For several years he played for the Lakers, an independent club at Warsaw. My grandfather played with this team, so did the late Buel Orchard of Clinton. Harry was also a short-stop for the Warsaw Indians. Anyway, I'm winding around to this: When Dr. Newkirk died, my grandfather wrote the following for the Enterprise. These lines hold true for many lifelong friends in many towns.

the law" standard? I would say 35,000 felony counts for destruction of public records and failure to comply with a subpoena would be in order. One thing is certain though, she was a wizard at trading cattle futures.

INTERNATIONAL NEWS! Archaeologists may have discovered how the Great Pyramids were built. Geophysical surveys and sediment cores confirm the presence of a river near the giant structures. This means they were easily accessible from a branch of the Nile. The pyramids are a marvel no matter how or when they were built. Can you imagine our government trying to design and build them today? As advanced as we are, we still have no idea what life was really like thousands of years ago and what technology may have been lost or destroyed. With the precision the pyramids were built, I bet it wasn't a man pulling rocks on a rope.

This column is tottering along today, but if I told all I knew, I'd have to leave town and never be seen again. That happens once in a while. Let's speed on to a pure and useful day! Take care of yourself Old Buddy.

"Doc"
"Another one of the boys is gone. Their ranks somehow have thinned rapidly in recent years. Not old men they are, but youths in their prime. This time an athlete--A lead off player--A professional man--Square shooter always--But most of all "One of The boys." They hang together these hometown fellows. Closer are their ties of loyalty than the lodge or fraternal organization. Faults they all have, but they know and understand each other. When one of "The Boys" is gone, that place is never filled. Time means but little. There are "The Boys" in each generation. They remain as such 'til the end. And "Up there," when they are playing ball (if they don't play, Doc wouldn't want to stay), "The Boys" here in Warsaw will be pulling for their leadoff man to crash through with another base hit."

Hillary is back again. This time she's comparing the war against Nazi Germany to voting against The Donald in November. She said he is a "Threat to democracy!" Every time I hear someone crow about "Democracy" I think about how East Germany called itself a Democracy and West Germany called itself a Republic. Our country is still a Constitutional Republic, at least for the time being. A Republic government guarantees the rights of the individual, where these Democracies have leaders that rule over the individuals. Just ask anyone in Ukraine where President Zelensky has suspended elections indefinitely. Wonder how Hillary would fare based on the new "No one is above

Til Next Week:
J.M.W.

Setting it Straight

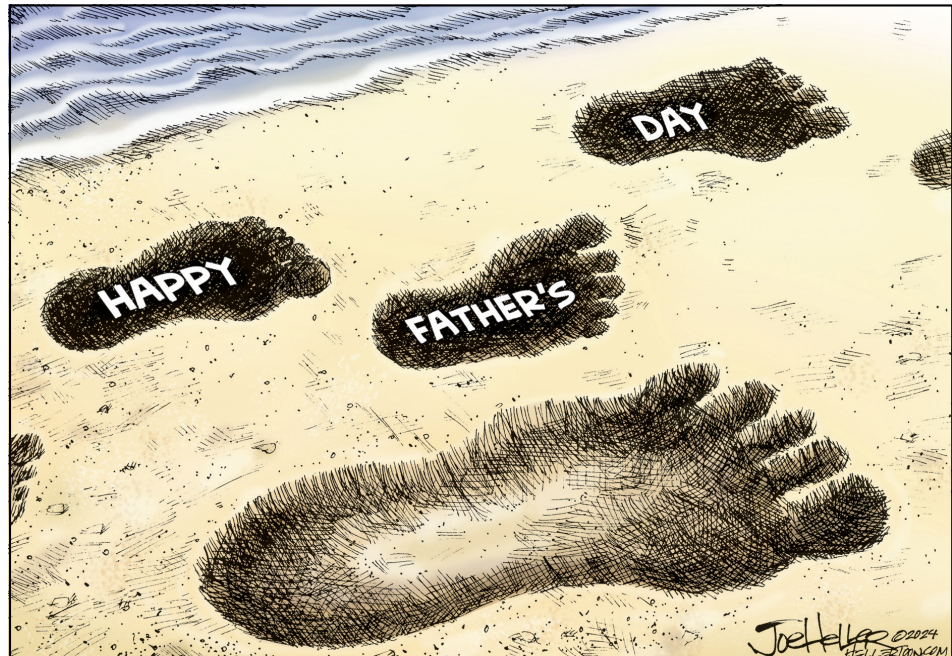
In last week's 6/6 edition of the Clinton Daily Democrat, the email address at the end of the 'Letter to the Editor' from Gary Mount should have been: garymount@cityofclintonmo.com without a hyphen.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.



Meeting Reminder

The Disabled American Veterans (DAV) Chapter #67 Service Officer will be at the Bates County Museum on Elks Drive Butler, Missouri Wednesday June 19, 2024 to assist veterans in applying for their benefits. The Disabled American Veterans (DAV) Chapter #67 Butler, Missouri invites all Disabled Veterans to attend our monthly meeting. The chapter meets the third Wednesday at 1 PM in the Bates County Museum on Elks Drive. Our next regular meeting is June 19, 2024 at 1:00 PM.



Get to Know Clinton, Mo.

NAME: Xavier Mason
BIRTHPLACE: Clinton, Missouri.
YEARS IN CLINTON: 17
FAMILY: Sarah Mason.
THE BEST THING ABOUT LIVING IN CLINTON IS: The lakes.
OCCUPATION: Wendy's Crew Member.
WHAT I WANTED TO BE WHEN I GREW UP: A zoo-keeper.
FIRST JOB: Wendy's Crew Member.
FAVORITE CHILDHOOD MEMORY: Going on vacation to the black hills.
THE BEST TIME OF MY LIFE WAS WHEN: I visited the University of Chicago for a leadership program.
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: When I lost my bag and went looking for it on the side of the road and

someone called the police because they thought I was passed out.
WHAT DO YOU VALUE MOST IN YOUR FRIENDS: Their reliability.
YOUR GREATEST FEAR IS: Not succeed.
I HOPE I NEVER HAVE TO: Settle for less than I deserve.
I'VE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO: Enjoy tomatoes.
IF I WON THE LOTTERY, I WOULD: Travel the world.
MY DREAM TRIP WOULD BE TO: Travel across Europe.
HOBBIES: Singing and swimming.
FAVORITE BAND OR MUSICIAN: SZA
FAVORITE MOVIE: *The Half of It*
FAVORITE DRINK: Lemonade.



FAVORITE SNACK: Cheez-Its.
FAVORITE CANDY: Nerds Clusters.
FUTURE GOAL: Move to California.
WHICH PERSON DO YOU ADMIRE MOST: My Mom.
ADVICE YOU WOULD GIVE YOUR YOUNGER SELF: Be patient.
WORDS TO LIVE BY: You only live once.

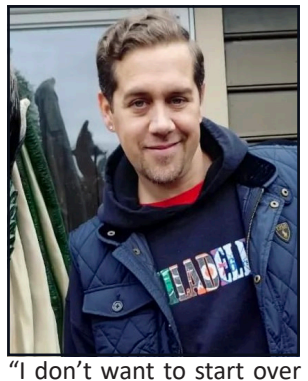


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Word on the Street
Besides pay, why do you stay at your job?



"I actually enjoy my job."
- Sheri Peats



"I don't want to start over somewhere new."
- Jackson Smith



"I worked hard to get where I am, I'm not willing to give that all up."
- James Monroe

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erpro.com
Be sure to like https://www.facebook.com/oldglorydays and you'll know exactly what's going on when we get to the first of July this year. How would you like to be a vendor during Olde Glory Days? Lots of people do it. Businesses, churches, food, drinks, crafters, non-profits...the list is long right now and getting longer! We do have room for you, however. Our cutoff date to accept vendors is June Chamber 12

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company, to which all the volunteers' home phones were connected.

Before Doug's time, the signal was a bell in a tower, he said. One ding, followed by a pause, then repeated, meant the fire was in ward one of town, two dings for ward two through four dings for ward four.

"If the fire was at night, you see the glow," he said. "It wasn't as evident during the day."

The fire bell, which is now in Forest Park, was replaced by a siren on top of city hall for tornado warnings. The firefighters now carry beepers.

The ACFD responds to all requests for aid, Doug said, and members are reimbursed for their expenses per emergency call, he said. In 2023, they responded to 241 calls, 170 of which were medical.

The number of structure fires has decreased every year since the ACFD started fire safety days at the local schools, Doug said. In addition to fire prevention, young students are taught the importance of having a smoke alarm, an escape plan, and knowing the complete address of their house, including the town, as the dispatch service covers more than one community.

Doug worked at Zink Motor Company, so didn't have far to go when a call came in. The new fire station is on Chestnut Street, right around the corner from Zink, but the original station was attached to city hall, Doug said. It just wide enough to park the two fire trucks side to side.

"It was so narrow, you had to take off your fire helmet to walk between the trucks," Doug said. One of his most harrowing

experiences he recalls was the Father's Day Fire that broke out in a three-story brick building used as a clothing factory. The alarm came in at 6 a.m. or 6:30 a.m., Doug recalled, and he and two other firefighters responded. When they arrived at the building, they entered and went up the staircase to assess the situation, then immediately came back out.

Grabbing a ladder, they put it up against the wall of the main level. Two of them climbed up and moved the ladder up to reach the third floor.

"The roof had already fallen in," Doug said. "One firefighter was on the ladder holding a fire hose and the other straddling the wall when the third floor wall collapsed."

Doug had just stepped away to get another fire hose. Both men fell about 20 feet into the building, which was smoking but not in flames, he said. He was able to pull the man holding the fire hose back out of the building, Doug said, then they threw the fire hose to the third man and pulled him out. Neither received serious injuries.

"God was with us that day," Doug said.

The Father's Day Fire must have been in 1987, because Doug's wife remembers that their son, Brandon, was still in a baby carrier. Brandon Snodgrass is now the assistant fire chief of the ACFD. Jayme Kepley, Doug's daughter, is also a member of the department.

Bryan Wade, who has been with the department

for 32 years, took over as chief when Doug retired. Members of the department include Bryan's son, Nathan Wade, daughter Caitlin Wade, nephews Tyler, Garrett and Colt Wade, and brother-in-law Aaron Johnson. Other members of the department are Jerry Dines, Wayne Wood, Carl Garrett, Bob Grubb and Daniel Garner.

In the early 1990s, membership dropped so low that sometimes Doug had to respond to calls by himself, he said. That worried his father, Jim Snodgrass, so Jim retired and started going on calls with him, Doug said.

Getting a separate fire station in 2001 and new trucks helped raise the morale of the department, Doug said. A brand-new pumper truck, purchased with a grant, has 1,500 gallon tank.

The department's original fire truck is in Washington state, Doug said, where it belongs to the descendant of a former ACFD firefighter. The department would like to include it in the celebration, and even buy it back, but the current owner doesn't want to sell. Doug said many old fire trucks end up in private collections, so he has had to rely on word of mouth to find them to ask if the owner will bring them the July 13 AC Car Show. He doesn't care what age category they belong to, antique or vintage.

Doug posted an announcement that he is looking for old engines on the ACFD Facebook at the end of last year, and even gone town to town on his quest. He is planning to go to firefighter muster in the Kansas City area next week.

He has found a person who collects old fire-fighting equipment, and is bringing items to display on July 13. Doug has also trying to compile a complete list of ACFD fire chiefs, but has gaps in the '30s, '40s and '50s.

A plaque in Forest Park commemorates the community service of Joe Brownsberger, who belonged to the ACFD from 1948 to 1978, but doesn't specify if he served as chief. The department has notified Missouri state about the anniversary, but has not heard back. The state traditionally sends an offi-

cial commendation to fire departments celebrating milestone anniversaries.

There are 188 volunteer departments in Missouri. The first was created in St. Louis in 1822, when an ordinance was passed to purchase equipment, primarily leather buckets. Bucket brigades consisted of a line of people passing buckets of water to throw on the fire.

A supply of water is not a problem today. Appleton City has fire hydrants at every other intersection, Doug said, and the department trucks can haul 5,000 gallons of water if the fire is out of town. When one tank truck runs dry, it heads back to town to refill, he said. He remembers one particularly dry summer when grass fires were prevalent, and the volunteers responded to 8 calls in 24 hours.

The Appleton City Fire Department provides services to Appleton City, rural St. Clair County, Bates County and Henry County. Much of the department's history was recorded in the Appleton City Journal. Stories from the Journal about the fire department can be found in local history booklets, "Bits and Pieces," available at the Appleton City Museum, which is open on Friday afternoons at 503 N. Maple St.

AC historian Linda Lampkin has been providing excerpts from news items about the ACFD for publication leading up to the department's 100th anniversary.

The Appleton City Museum History Center and House Museum along the one-room Moore School House, are on Maple Street are projects of Appleton City Landmarks Restoration. The ACLR also restored the original town library and maintain the Appleton City railroad depot on Walnut Street.

During the July 13 car show, Zink Motor Company, across the street from Forest Park, is hosting the Kansas City Antique Car Club. Zinc is one of the oldest Ford dealerships in the United States and is a mecca for car clubs. Club members will be bringing Model A's and Model T's to the show.

To contact Doug about fire engines or items to ex-

hibit the Appleton City Car Show, go to the Appleton City Fire Department Facebook page.

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they decided to split Aldi into northern and southern companies. Both use the name Aldi, a syllabic abbreviation for Albrecht Diskont; it was introduced in 1962.

International expansion for both the northern and southern companies started in 1967, and Aldi Sud's, ter-

ritory including the United States, the United Kingdom, Australia, and China. Aldi Nord bought the Trader Joe's chain and runs it in the US.

Currently, the two companies have over 13,000 stores globally. In the US, Aldi Sud has close to 2,400 outlets.

In early March of this year, Aldi Sud closed a deal to buy the Winn-Dixie and Harvey grocery chains and announced plans to open 800 new stores by 2028.



CONSTRUCTION HAS BEGUN ON ALDI'S NEW STORE.

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stay informed and attend future council meetings to keep up with ongoing developments and contribute to the community's growth.

HCMF Henry County Memory Fund

Assistance Is Available

What is dementia? Dementia is the loss of cognitive functioning — thinking, remembering, and reasoning

— to such an extent that it interferes with a person's daily life and activities. There are several different forms of dementia, including Alzheimer disease. A person's symptoms can vary depending on the type. Some people with dementia cannot control their emotions, and their personalities may change. Dementia ranges in severity from the mildest stage, when it is just beginning to affect a person's functioning, to the most severe stage, when the person must depend completely on others for basic activities of living.

What causes dementia? The causes of Alzheimer disease and related dementias can vary, depending on the types of brain changes that may be taking place. While research has found that some

changes in the brain are linked to certain forms of dementia, in most cases, the underlying causes are unknown.

For patients and families experiencing the changes of a related dementia or Alzheimer's disease, it can be challenging and sometimes frustrating to know how to find assistance or resources that can support you or someone that you know.

The Henry County Memory Fund can help caregivers by paying for items such as prescriptions, durable medical equipment, respite care, transportation, and providing housing assistance as needed. The committee members can also providing information about support groups or other resources that caregivers can utilize for additional support.

Applications for assistance are available if you or someone you know is battling with Alzheimer's or dementia. For more information you may contact Ranae Walrath, 660-890-7294 or Christa Atchison, 660-525-1338.

Interested in donating to the fund? Donations can be made online at http://cfozarks.org/donate. At the bottom of the page, type Henry County Memory Fund into the box and select the name when it shows in the list. It will take you to a new page to donate. If you would like to donate by writing a check, please make it payable to Henry County Memory Fund and mailed to PO Box 741, Clinton, MO 64735.

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MEMBERSHIP IN THE ACFD increased after the department got a new station and trucks.



THE OLDEST of seven AC fire trucks dates from 1959.

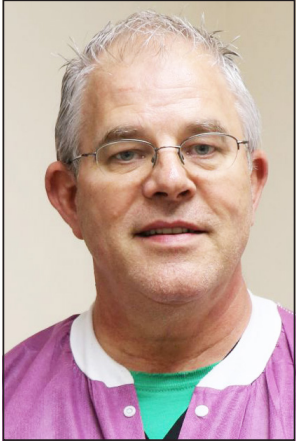
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GVMH June Employee Of The Month



MARK ATKINS

Golden Valley Memorial Healthcare (GVMH) is pleased to announce that Mark Atkins is the June Employee of the Month.

Atkins has been an employee of GVMH since 1994 and works as Section Supervisor in the Laboratory Department. In his role, he reviews patient results, trains new employees, establishes policies and procedures, orders supplies and recommends instrumentation, methods and test kits.

In his nomination, it stated that he goes above and beyond to ensure that accurate chemistry results are reported so that physicians can make the best decisions regarding patient care. He also comes to work with a positive attitude every day and is a team player who genuinely cares about the patients and their outcomes.

As the Employee of the Month, Atkins received a

GVMH gift and his name will be engraved on a plaque to be permanently displayed on the main campus. He is also one of 12 finalists for the 2024-2025 Employee of the Year award.

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

CWC June Luncheon Will Feature Speaker On Grace



LIZ MITCHELL

BY JENNIFER JACKSON Staff Reporter

Liz Mitchell wears many hats. She is the owner of three businesses, an ordained minister, a teacher and lives on a family farm in south Missouri.

When she lists her activities, however, pastoring comes first.

Liz is taking the time from her schedule to drive up to Clinton next week to be the guest speaker at the Christian Women's Connection luncheon at 11:45 a.m. on Tuesday, June 18. June is the month the CWC celebrates its birthday, and the birthday of everyone in attendance.

Liz's topic: "Graced."

"I teach a class on Grace at our South campus," she

said. "Grace changes EVERYthing."

Grace is defined as the undeserved favor of God, which cannot be earned, but is freely given. She teaches the class for a free class series at James River College.

Liz, who lives in Ozark, Mo., helped found the college, which prepares students for Christian leadership. Originally from Miami, Oklahoma, southwest of Joplin, Liz attended Missouri State University, where she studied English in a master's program. She was a college writing instructor at MSU, Ozark Technical College and James River.

Liz and her husband, Scott, started All-American Home Rental and Sales in Springfield, where she handles the marketing and communications. She is also the co-owner of the CrossFit gym in Republic.

As an ordained minister, Liz has been involved in college ministries and pastoral care for women. She now volunteers with Seasons Hospice in Springfield, mostly visiting nursing homes. She is affiliated with Assemblies of God USA.

In 1980, Liz's parents started the Miami Missionary Tent Company, (gospeltent.com), which provides large tents for revival and evangelical meetings throughout the world. She and her siblings own the company which is run by her brother, David Tromsness, in northeast Oklahoma.

"And I'm a Gigi," she said, referring to the name her five grandchildren call her. She teaches at one of her grandchild's homeschool co-ops.

Liz's sister, Shirley Rucker, a stained-glass artist, is

head of the board of the Christian Women's Connection, which grew out of Stonecroft Ministries. The Clinton club started meeting more than 40 years ago, and will celebrate its birthday at the June meeting, plus the birthdays of those in attendance. Make your reservation for the luncheon, which is catered by Melinda Dehn, through Friday, June 14, by calling Shirley Rucker, 417-321-0013.

Cost is \$14 and includes hot entree, salad, side dish, dessert and ice tea or coffee.

CWC luncheons are held in the fellowship hall of First Assembly of God, 1506 E. Ohio St., Clinton, MO 64735. Lunch starts at 11:45 a.m., with the program ending at 1:15 p.m., making it convenient for women to attend on their lunch hour, or need a break from routine. All are welcome.

Last month, the church hall was decorated in an African theme for a presentation, "Still the God of Miracles," by Rina Burke, who is from South Africa. Life-size cut-outs of giraffes and other animals roamed the back wall, turning it into a savannah, and colorful African textiles and artifacts lined the tables. Artist Trish Meyers, co-owner of Galley Three, serves as emcee for CWC programs and conducts the drawings for door prizes.

Programs are both entertaining and inspirational. They are presented by men and women from a broad range of professions, who speak on how they live out their faith in their daily lives. The July speaker is scheduled to be Rob Hill from the Johnson County Sheriff's Department. Rob

is also a director and actor at Heartland Community Theater. He is planning to

illustrate his program by bringing a canine police dog and handler.

Cothern Joins CPD After Graduating UCM Police Academy



WELCOME TO THE CPD, Officer Nathaniel Cothern, center with Officer Carl Hysom, and Captain John Scott.

We are thrilled to introduce Officer Nathaniel Cothern, the newest addition to the Clinton Police Department. Officer Cothern has been serving with dedication and commitment since joining us in December 2023.

Officer Cothern achieved a significant milestone by graduating from the UCM Police Academy. We are excited to an-

nounce that he began his road position on Monday morning, where he will continue to uphold the safety and well-being of our community. Please join us in congratulating Officer Cothern on his graduation and welcoming him to his new role. We are confident that he will be an exemplary member of our team.

CMS Team Takes 2nd at Robotics Competition



CMS 8TH GRADER, PARKER SLATER along with others competed.

Parker Slater, an 8th grader at Clinton Middle School (CMS), recently showcased his talents at the Missouri University of Science & Technology robotics camp. Competing alongside 55 students in 18 teams, Parker's team, comprised of three students, achieved an impressive second place in the robotics competition held on June 6. The camp provided an opportunity for young

minds to delve into the exciting world of robotics, learning about engineering, programming, and teamwork. Parker and his teammates demonstrated exceptional skill and collaboration, setting a high standard for their peers. CMS is proud of Parker's achievement and looks forward to seeing more from this promising young engineer.

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Clinton Christian Academy 'End Of Year Awards'



CLINTON CHRISTIAN ACADEMY concluded the school year with an awards ceremony for grades 6-12. Students were given various awards from CCA staff, Clinton Chamber of Commerce and the Association of Christian Schools International. CCA is very proud of our students!

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| <p>Mrs. Townsend's Class Awards</p> <p>6th Grade Computer: Braelynn Schumpert</p> <p>6th Grade Band: Iaina Scott</p> <p>Junior High</p> <p>1. 7th grade Computers: Micah Neal</p> <p>2. 8th grade Computers: Kynlee Stocking</p> <p>3. Junior High Band: Hadley Hyke, Brooklyn Wisniewski, Most Improved-Kent Lower</p> <p>High School</p> <p>1. Publications: Audrey Foster, MEDAL</p> <p>2. High School Band: Mason Plumb, MEDAL</p> <p>3. High School Band: Most Improved- Emma Hansen, Most Improved- Matthew Hansen</p> <p>Mr. Campos Class Awards</p> <p>Junior High</p> <p>1. 8th Grade Bible: Allie Thornton (Highest grade avg.)</p> <p>Brooklyn Wisniewski (Second highest)</p> <p>2. 8th Grade Spelling: Brooklyn Wisniewski (Highest grade avg.)</p> <p>Allie Thornton (Second, highest)</p> <p>High School</p> <p>1. 10th Grade Bible: Colten Manning, Medal (Highest grade avg.)</p> <p>Hannah Wright, Award (Second highest)</p> <p>2. 12th Grade Bible: Priscilla Lanning, Medal (Highest grade avg.)</p> <p>Kade Manning, Award (Second highest)</p> <p>Mrs. Walton Class Awards</p> <p>1. Cultural Geography</p> <p>Carissa Compton, Medal</p> <p>Mason Plumb, Medal</p> <p>2. US Constitution/History: Jared Wisniewski, Medal</p> <p>3. 11th Grade Bible: Clara Hyke, Medal</p> <p>Mr. Neal's Class Awards</p> <p>1. 6th Grade Bible</p> <p>Caroline Fuller</p> <p>2. 6th Grade Spelling</p> <p>Guy Wetzel</p> <p>3. Junior High Public Speaking</p> <p>Parker Lowe</p> <p>4. 8th Grade English</p> <p>Allie Thornton</p> <p>5. Personal Finance</p> <p>Carissa Compton, Medal</p> <p>6. Health</p> <p>Timothy Neal, Medal</p> | <p>7. 9th Grade Bible: Carissa Compton, Medal</p> <p>Mrs. Winter's Class Awards</p> <p>6th Grade Math Award: Guy Wetzel</p> <p>Junior High</p> <p>1. 7th Grade Math: Micah Neal</p> <p>2. 8th Grade Math: Allie Thornton</p> <p>High School</p> <p>1. Algebra I: Carissa Compton, Medal</p> <p>2. Business Math: Audry Foster, Medal</p> <p>Mrs. Raysik's Awards</p> <p>Junior High</p> <p>1. Junior High Spanish: Allie Thornton</p> <p>Mrs. Hyke's Awards</p> <p>6th Grade Science: Caroline Fuller - Most Outstanding Science Award/top average grade</p> <p>Liam Hardin - Outstanding Science Award</p> <p>Mayme Hyke - Outstanding Science Award</p> <p>Guy Wetzel - Outstanding Science Award</p> <p>Mr. See's Awards</p> <p>Junior High</p> <p>1. 7th grade Life Science: Micah Neal</p> <p>2. 8th grade Earth Science: Allie Thornton</p> <p>Science Fair Awards: High School</p> <p>1. 10th Grade Biology: Colten Manning, Medal</p> <p>2. 9th Grade Biology: Carissa Compton, Medal</p> <p>3. Chemistry: Clara Hyke, Medal</p> <p>Mrs. Manning's Awards</p> <p>6th Grade History: Guy Wetzel</p> <p>Junior High</p> <p>1. 7th grade History: Avery Crump</p> <p>2. 8th grade History: Kynlee Stocking</p> <p>3. 7th grade Bible: Avery Crump</p> <p>4. 7th grade Spelling: Micah Neal</p> <p>Mrs. Foreman's Awards</p> <p>Junior High</p> <p>1. 7th grade English: Micah Neal, Avery Crump</p> <p>High School</p> <p>1. English I: Carissa Compton, Medal</p> <p>Mrs. Wilson's Awards</p> <p>6th grade English: Guy Wetzel</p> <p>High School</p> <p>1. Geometry: Logan Cronhardt, Medal</p> <p>2. Algebra II</p> | <p>Clara Hyke, Medal</p> <p>2. English II</p> <p>Colten Manning, Medal</p> <p>3. English III</p> <p>Timothy Neal, Medal</p> <p>Mrs. Ramirez's Awards</p> <p>1. Spanish I Most Outstanding: Timothy Neal, Medal</p> <p>2. Spanish I Academic excellence: Jacob Wombles</p> <p>3. Spanish II Most Outstanding: Mason Plum, Medal</p> <p>4. Spanish II Academic Excellence: Colten Manning</p> <p>Mrs. McClure's Awards</p> <p>6th Grade PE: Guy Wetzel</p> <p>Junior High</p> <p>1. JH Girls PE: Brooklyn Wisniewski</p> <p>2. JH Boys PE: Micah Neal</p> <p>3. JH PE Character Award: Brooklyn Wisniewski</p> <p>Mrs. DesCombes</p> <p>6th Grade Art: Guy Wetzel</p> <p>Junior High</p> <p>1. 7th Grade Art: Avery Crump</p> <p>2. 8th Grade Art: Allie Thornton</p> <p>High School</p> <p>1. Art I Award: Vivian Cronhardt, Medal</p> <p>2. Art II Award: Hannah Wright, Medal</p> <p>***</p> <p>ACSI Distinguished Christian High School Student Award</p> <p>1. Logan Cronhardt: Fine Arts</p> <p>2. Matthew Hansen: Athletics</p> <p>3. Colten Manning: Fine Arts</p> <p>4. Mason Plumb: Athletics</p> <p>5. Hannah Wright: Fine Arts</p> <p>6. Audrey Foster: Leadership and Christian Service</p> <p>7. Clara Hyke: Academics, Leadership, Athletics and Christian Service</p> <p>8. Timothy Neal: Academics</p> <p>9. Kennedy Vaughn: Athletics and Christian Service</p> <p>10. Aric Wilson: Christian Service</p> |
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"10 Under 40" Alumni Recognition Program

The University of Central Missouri Alumni Foundation is pleased to announce the inaugural cohort of its "10 Under 40" alumni recognition program. The program celebrates the achievements of young UCM alumni across the country who are advancing their professions and serving their communities.

"These are people who have made waves in their profession at a young age," said Brea Parnell, alumni and events coordinator for the UCM Alumni Foundation. "They are also living the 'Education for Service' motto by engaging in their local communities."

Ingram's launched its "40 Under 40" list for Kansas City in 1998, and Forbes popularized "30 Under 30" nationwide in 2011. Countless variations of such lists have been adopted by other magazines and organizations since.

"We are thrilled to launch our own '10 under 40' and highlight the accomplishments of our young alumni," said Tiffany Cochran, '05, '23, senior director of events and alumni engagement for the UCM Alumni Foundation. "This initiative not only celebrates individual success but influences current students and recent graduates as they pursue their career goals. When alumni combine a degree from UCM with hard work, they are able to redefine what's possible."

The new recognition program aligns with the university's newly launched "Redefining What's Possible" marketing campaign. Recognition criteria include being 39 years of age or younger and making a significant impact within their company, industry or field of study. Civic, community and/or cultural achievements are also key influencers in the selection process. These young alumni are innovating in their fields, inspiring their communities and leading by example as the next generation of UCM alumni leaders.

Here is the 2024 official list of "10 Under 40" honorees (for individual photos, extended bios and quotes, visit ucmfoundation.org/awards/10-under-40-honorees):

Rayna Brown, '14, '15, serves as director of environment health safety and sustainability at Catalent Pharma Solutions in Kansas City. She earned her bachelor's in Occupational Safety and Health and her master's in Industrial Hygiene at UCM.

Ebony Davis, '18, is a social worker for the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) Medical Center in Kansas City. She developed a passion for advocacy as a Social Work student at UCM.

Matt Faupel, '13, '15, is senior property manager at Cushman & Wakefield in the St. Louis area. He earned a bachelor's in Graphic Arts Technology Management and a master's in College Student Personnel Administration at UCM.

Morgan Hobbs, '10, is a visual artist and assistant director at Gross McCleaf Gallery in Philadelphia and owner of Structure and Form Artist Services. She earned her bachelor's in Studio Art at UCM.

Matt Killen, '11, is senior director of growth and retention at Audacy Inc. in New York City, one of the nation's largest owners of premium radio stations and podcasts. He was a General Studies student at UCM.

Alex Kolster, '13, is director of choirs and secondary fine arts curriculum coordinator at UCM.

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DAISY MAXINE EVANS

Daisy Maxine Evans, 91, of Clinton, Missouri passed away Saturday, May 25, 2024 at the Clinton Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center in Clinton.

She was born March 18, 1933 in Clinton, Mo. She married Bobbie E. Evans on August 6, 1956 in Clinton, Mo. He preceded her in death on October 16, 2014.

Maxine was a member of the Clinton Methodist Church, the Golden Valley Square Dance club and was a den-mother for Troop 436, Boy Scouts of America. She enjoyed camping, boating and loved to fish. She enjoyed cooking and playing cards. She was quite artistic, from her paintings, quilting, knitting, crochets, embroideries and various scrap booking projects. She and Bobbie were avid card players, specifically Hand and Foot. Her greatest joy came from spending time with her grandkids and great-grandkids.

Surviving are two sons, Rick E. Evans (Julie), Nixa, Mo., and Timothy E. Evans (Sherri), Bentonville, Arkansas; two grandsons, Chris Evans (Ashley), Fair Grove, Mo., and Chad Evans (Brittney), Nixa, Mo.; one granddaughter, Maleigha Evans, Bentonville, Ar.; three great-grandchildren, Andie, Campbell and Connor; one half-sister, Thelma Brunell, Mulvane, Kansas; two half-brothers, Ken Parker, Twin Falls, Idaho and Melvin Parker, state of Arizona; one brother-in-law, David Evans (Marsha), Clinton, Mo.; three sisters-in-law, Judy Evans, Warsaw, Mo., Mary Evans, Clinton, Mo., and Donna McQueen, Clinton, Mo.; and numerous nieces and nephews. In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her parents; one grandson, Chantry Evans; three half-brothers, David McQueen, Donald McQueen and Lee McQueen; and one half-sister, Shirley McQueen.

The family would like to send special thanks to Good Shepherd Hospice,

and all friends and family who helped care for Maxine.

Funeral service will be at 11:00 a.m. Friday, May 31, 2024 at the Bradley & Hadley Funeral Home, Clinton. Pastor Monty Stratton will officiate. The family will receive friends from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. just prior to the funeral service. Maxine will lie in state Thursday from noon to 8:00 p.m. at the funeral home. Interment will be in the Vansant Road Cemetery. The family suggests memorial contributions to Good Shepherd Hospice, and these donations may be left in care of the funeral home. Condolences may be left online at www.bradleyhadley.com.

MARY RAE SCOTT

Mary Rae Scott, 92, of Clinton, Missouri passed away early Tuesday morning, June 4, 2024 at the Clinton Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center in Clinton. She was born October 7, 1931 in Warsaw, Mo., the daughter of Ray Clarence Stadler and Opal Matildia (Beaman) Stadler.

She married John Gerald Scott on December 22, 1951 in Arkansas, and he preceded her in death on February 2, 1987. Mary was employed as a teacher in Iconium, Mo.; post mistress in Wisdom, Mo.; she was also a substitute teacher in the Kansas City, Kansas school district; and later was head bookkeeper for Westport Bank for 20 years, retiring in 1984. She was a graduate of Warsaw High School and later attended Central Missouri State University, now University of Central Missouri. Mary was a member of Finey Baptist Church and also First Baptist Church in Clinton. She enjoyed playing cards, family vacations and traveling.

She is survived by two sons, Mike Scott (Vicky), Clinton, Mo., and Mitchell Scott, Lee's Summit, Mo.; two grandsons, Neil Scott and John Scott; one great-grandson, Nikolai Griffitt.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by one son, Terry

Scott on April 13, 1975; and one brother, Daniel Hugh Stadler in 20212.

Funeral services will be at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, June 11, 2024 at the Bradley & Hadley Funeral Home, Clinton. The family will receive friends from 1:00 to 2:00 p.m., just prior to the funeral service. Interment will be in the Iconium Cemetery, Iconium, Mo. The family suggests memorial contributions to the Iconium Cemetery or the Finey Baptist Church, and these donations may be left in care of the funeral home. Condolences may be left online at www.bradleyhadley.com.

Death Notices

Martha Jean Rentchler Simpson Swann, 97 died Sun, June 9, 2024. Funeral services will be at 2:30 PM on Sat, June 15, 2024 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton with visitation from 1:30-2:30 PM prior to the service. Burial to follow in the Englewood Cemetery in Clinton, MO. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

Billy R. Stephens, 76, died Tues, June 4, 2024. Funeral services were held at 2 PM on Wed, June 12, 2024 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton with visitation from 1-2 PM prior to the service. Burial with military honors followed in the Englewood Cemetery in Clinton, MO.

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

Linda Diann Feagans, 68, died Sun, June 2, 2024. Funeral services will be held at 11 AM on Sat, June 15, 2024 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton, MO with visitation from 10-11 AM prior to the service. Burial to follow in the Englewood Cemetery in Clinton, MO. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

Sharlene Wirsig, 72, died Sat, June 8, 2024. Funeral Services will be held at 1 PM on Thursday, June 13, 2024 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton with visitation from 12-1 PM prior to the service. Burial to follow in Englewood Cemetery in Clinton, MO. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

Ruby Mae Simpson, 99, died Mon, June 10, 2024. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri and are pending at this time.

Tom "Tommy" Goodbrake, 89, died Mon, June 10, 2024. Funeral services will be at 3 p.m. Tuesday, June 18, 2024 at the Bradley & Hadley Funeral Home, Clinton. The family will receive friends from 6-8 p.m., Monday at the funeral home. Interment will be in the Englewood Cemetery.



JUNE 5, 2024

AC Pool is open to the public Sunday-Saturday from noon-5:00 p.m. General daily admission costs are: ages 11+ \$3.00, ages 4-10 \$2.00 and ages 0-3 are free with a paid adult. Sundays and Wednesdays are \$1.00 for everyone. Season pool pass are \$60 for 1 person and \$20 for each additional person added. Pool party costs are: 1 hour \$90 and 2 hours \$150. The start time for parties is 6:00 p.m. Beginning June 10, Adult Swim will be held Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday from 11:00 a.m. - noon and 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

AC Rural Health Clinic will be providing Free Sports Physicals for students entering grades 7th-12th in the upcoming 2024-2025 school year. Sports Physical Clinics are scheduled for June 26, 2024. Appointments are REQUIRED and appointment spots are limited. Please call AC Rural Health Clinic at 660-476-2121 to schedule your appointment or for any questions.

Seven local churches are teaming together to provide a week-long community Vacation Bible School Event: From the Inside Out! VBS will be each evening from 6:00-8:00 p.m., from Monday, July 22 to Friday, July 26. Each night will be hosted by a different church: Monday at Trinity UMC (AC), Tuesday at Rockville UMC (Rockville), Wednesday at Church of God (AC), Thursday at Lutheran Church (AC), and Friday at First Christian Church (AC). This year for VBS, they are going to learn all about our emotions and how God can transform us from the inside out! There will a prize given to all children who have perfect attendance for the week, so don't miss out! They look forward to seeing you there. VBS is for PK-6th grade, but children under the age of 5 years need to be accompanied by a parent. Unfortunately, transportation will not

be provided. Pre-register online at <https://forms.gle/1fjHjxHN4bdniBYv8>

Appleton City Saturday Street Festivals begin June 22. The city of AC is looking for vendors of crafts, products, arts and food for the events. If you offer it, the city wants to help you sell it. If you are doing a fundraiser, they want to help you raise your funds. Booth space is \$25.00 and registration forms are available at City Hall. They will have many downtown business open, vendors and food on Main Street and entertainment later in the City Park. The 2024 dates are June 22, July 20, Augusts 24, September 21 and October 9. They are also looking for committee volunteers. If you are interested in helping put together the monthly Saturday Festival or have ideas, please contact City Hall at 660-476-2631.

Saturday, June 22, Jonny Koch and the Tightwad Troubadours, with special guest, Rhonda Meyer will perform on the Park stage 5:00-8:00 p.m.

St. Clair Historical Society invites you to "Flags of the Revolutionary Period" by James Scott 7:00 p.m. June 13 upstairs of the St. Clair Co Museum 660 Main St. in Osceola. (This building is not handicap friendly.) Refreshments will be served and everyone is welcome.

Zion Lutheran and Rich Hill Christian Churches are sponsoring a fundraiser for Jacob and Alli Rapp June 16 at the Rich Hill School Dome. There will be a free will donation meal of smoked chicken, brisket, hot dogs, sides and dessert 11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. There will also be silent, live and online auctions and a raffle. T-shirts are available for pre-order for \$15 (contact TJ Black at 660-441-7739).

The Appleton City Museum at 503 N. Maple is open every Friday afternoon 1:30-4:30 p.m. Bring your friends and family to visit the 1880 Moore School, the Clark House and the Museum to learn about early day area history. Membership dues for the 2024-2025 year may be paid at this time at \$15 individual and \$25 family. Please support your museum with a membership and a visit this summer.

The 20th Annual Appleton City Car Show will be July 13 in the City Park, right off 52 Hwy across the street from Zink Motor Company. Check in 8:00 a.m.-noon. Car Show noon-3:00 p.m. This is a judged event. There is a \$10 entry fee, with proceeds going to two scholarships for local high school students. Top 85 cars and trucks combined, top 3 motorcycles, and top 3 rat rods.

Zink Motor Co is hosting the KC Antique Car Club at their dealership. Model A's and T's will be on display. This event is free.

The AC Fire Department will have a free vintage fire truck and fire equipment show July 13 from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the AC Fire Station.

Ellett Memorial Hospital Appleton City offers outpatient specialist services for June, 2024. Call 660-476-2111 for appointments: June 18 - Rheumatology-Dr. John, June 19 - Upper GI, Colonoscopy-Dr. Vardakis, June 20 - Podiatry- Dr. Pace, June 15 - Upper GI, Colonoscopy-Dr. Namin, June 24 - Ophthalmology, Dr. Soni, June 26 - Ortho-Dr. Gray

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June 26 -Sports physicals at AC Rural Health Clinic. Please call AC Rural Health Clinic at 660-476-2121 to schedule



The Shepherd Calls

by
Dr. H. Wade Paris

A FATHER STORY

For Father's Day, a pastor in a church of another denomination invited me to preach. In our planning of the worship service, I revealed my intention to preach a "Father's Day" message from Luke 15. "Oh, no," the pastor exclaimed! "Father's Day is not on our liturgical calendar. That is a secular holiday, and we do not recognize it in the 'church!'"

What? Father's Day is not on the church calendar? You do not recognize the day? What blindness! What a missed opportunity! This pastor had never experienced being a father (a great blessing in my life) and seemed less than fond of fathers. I made a mental note to discuss it later. Was the pastor's father/child relationship poor? Could I encourage the church to seize the Father's Day opportunity? Unfortunately, previously planned events prevented such discussion, but I remember the experience every Father's Day.

The church makes a significant contribution to families when it promotes good father/child relationships. Fathers need to hear what God expects of them in the family. The public media has ample suggestions for men on Father's Day. . . sports, careers, hobbies, entertainment. The church is the only voice telling men about their spiritual responsibilities to God and the family.

On Father's Day the church should proclaim God the Father. Check the references; Jesus taught us God is like a father. He suggested when we pray, say "Our Father, who is in heaven . . ." Have you noticed the parable of the prodigal son (a favorite parable) occurs within a family? It concludes with the father loving both sons---the one who ran away and the one who stayed home. That is Jesus' picture of God, a loving Father.

For Father's Day, tell that story to your family, especially your church family.

Calhoun Community Church

Welcome to the Good News from Calhoun Community Church. Our church family gathers at 9:30 am for pre-church food and fellowship. This is a special time for visiting one with another, welcoming guests as they arrive for Worship,

and signing cards of encouragement for our card ministry. Tucker McNeely rang the church bell at 9:45 to call our church families to worship at 10:00 am.

Our prayer list this week includes Millie Redding, Dee Ensor, Debby and Clint Land, Sondra Short, Jean Dittmer, Amber and Pat Dittmer and baby girl, and Dave Burson; the wars in Israel and Ukraine, our military men and women and their families, as well as those in service jobs that we depend upon daily. We pray for guidance as we continue to grow, here on the southeast corner of the Calhoun square.

Joys to celebrate: What a beautiful and cool morning after a nice shower last **Churches Page 7**

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CHURCH cont...... night to celebrate and praise the Lord. We all enjoyed the chocolate chip cookies shared by Carol Lane for pre-church fellowship this morning; and thank her for sharing. Happy Birthday to Clark Bicknell on his 20th birthday; and wishes for many more. Mason Keller and Tucker McNeely lit the altar candles. Mason, Jackie, and Brylee, repeated the 23rd Psalm at the beginning of our service. Brylee Keller and Jackie Wilson served as ushers taking up the collection. We are so pleased to have these youngsters participate in our services. Special music today, "Celebrating the Love of Jesus" by Shelby Bicknell; our thanks to Shelby for sharing his talent. We were surprised and pleased to see Jeremy Reed's picture and write-up in the Clinton Democrat this past week. It was a joy to have Jerry Reed in his usual pew this morning following knee surgery. We are pleased to know that Barbara Sales is doing much better in her new home in Texas. We praise the Lord for the rain, even if we have to mow twice a week and have to deal with wet gardens. We are a diverse nondenominational group here at Calhoun Community Church, we try to have a little fun as well as praise the Lord during our church experience. We have Sunday school for the youngsters during our church time with Debbie Joy as teacher. It is such a joy for Ms. Debbie and the youngsters have a great time.

We invite you to be our guest any Sunday morning at 10:00, come dressed as you are comfortable. Plan to receive a blessing for your effort, bring the youngsters and we will be blessed by your presence.

Church of Jesus Christ (of Latter Day Saints)

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints invites you to come worship with us each Sunday, 10am-12pm. Sacrament Meeting is held 10am-11am. Sunday School is held at 11 am-12pm on 1st & 3rd Sundays. Priesthood and Relief Society meetings are held at 11am-12pm on 2nd & 4th Sundays. Primary Class is held at 11am-12pm for children ages 4 through 11. Nursery is provided at 11 am-12pm for children ages 1 through 4. We have two full time missionaries (#660-890-4363) who are available to help teach us how to draw closer to our savior Jesus Christ and they are also available to help with family genealogy research. Two of our own Clinton Ward missionaries have returned home from their 2-year missions in Utah and Arizona. We still have one missionary who is serving his mission in Brazil, Juiz de Fora Mission. Upcoming events: Friday, 31 May, 2-6pm, Red Cross Blood Drive. If you have questions, contact Brother Jerry Anspaugh at #660-351-3393.

First Baptist

On Sunday, Pastor Pat Findley delivered the first message in the Pray Like This series titled "When You Pray". In this message, we were reminded that prayer should be a joy rather than a burden, and that the Lord's Prayer is a gift to us from God. Prayer is simply communicating with God. Even Jesus spent time in prayer, especially praying for us. Part of being made in God's image is being made to communicate with Him. Prayer is both conversation and encounter. Healthy relationships prioritize communication. Jesus modeled prayer for us so that we may grow our relationship with God. Wherever you are in your relationship with Jesus, we can all learn to grow in prayer. The Lord's Prayer is a pattern or flow, provided by Jesus because it is essential in our Christian walk. In our conversation with God through prayer, we exchange our burdens for His peace. Some reasons Christians don't pray involve pride, unbelief or being uninformed. Trust in the character and promises of God. Humble yourself and depend on Him. Prayer should be a delight, not a duty. Don't be afraid to say "Lord help me". There may be a prayer He is waiting for you to pray!

First Presbyterian

Sunday morning provided the perfect opportunity for us to gather together as a family of believers, let go of our fears and doubts, be at peace and praise our Lord Jesus Christ. Rev. Nancy Gillard's message titled Train Today for Future Trials was taken from II Timothy 1: 1 - 7. Kenn Tilus was in attendance at our worship service to share about the work of the Presbyterian Children's Homes and Services during the Minute for Missions. He was also available during our Fellowship Hour to share more in depth information.

On Friday, June 7th the Presbyterian Women met at the home of Martie Zumbrennen for their annual brunch. Food was provided by the executive committee. All women of the church were invited. The ladies will take a summer break then be back in full force, in the fall, supporting missions.

Congratulation to our graduates: Carley Combs and Ava Potter Clinton High School, Arlie Wilson Leeton High School and Abbie Hicks Central Methodist University BSN Nursing. We pray for them in their future endeavors.

Be sure to check out the brightly colored dresses for children in Africa hanging in our church foyer. They will soon be headed to their destination.

Toothbrushes in all sizes are needed for the Samaritan Center. Because Harvesters does not donate hygiene products, they are in demand. The Presbyterian Women request your help with this new mission effort. In the past we have donated several hundred toothbrushes. Let's make a significant contribution once again. Please place all your donations on the foyer shelves.

Come fellowship and exercise at Tai Chi classes held here on Mondays and Wednesday at 10:00 am. It will help strengthen your core and improve your balance. An advanced class is available on Mondays at 11:00 am.

You are invited to visit First Presbyterian Church. A group of friendly, loving people will be sure to make you feel at home. Worship begins at 10:30 am. Check out the June newsletter and calendar on our website fpcclintonmo.net

Mt. Calvary Apostolic Pentecostal "Who So Ever Will"

God is a fixer, helper, the healing comes from God. No doctor, counselor, drug, or alcohol can go deep enough to help you. God knows the depth of what is in us.

To get total healing, submit it to God. God likes to hear that you love him, like we like hearing it. That we will run to him.

God is here for you in the midnight hour, all the time. You just need to make up your mind that you want to follow him.

God will discipline us when we are obedient, but who so ever will, when you do it God's way you will come out much further, will be happier.

When you look back, you will see it wasn't as bad as you thought. God is not moved by the tears you drop from the discipline. When we learn how to praise him, walk upright before him, it all works out for us.

The rich young man thought his money was the answer. God is the answer. Mat 19:16-26.

The thief on the cross realized who Jesus was and that

Jesus did not deserve to be there. He asked Jesus if he would remember him when he came into his kingdom. Jesus told him, "This day, you will be with me." Luk 23:39-43.

Not everyone gets the chance to have that "death-bed" confession. How will you make it right when you had chances during the time you were up and moving? Jhn 4:6-7, 10, 13-14.

The woman at the well was a Samaritan and was considered to be the lowest of the low. God had a plan, that included the Samaritans and us, the gentiles. Rev 22:17-18.

He said, "Whosoever will, let them come."

God is here to bless you, change what has happened in your life. He needs us to trust him. To change our will to his will.

When we fall in love with Jesus, we will do what pleases him and look for

ways to please him. His will, his way, when we give it all to him, he will work it out.

Nothing is too hard for him to make it right. He will turn it around and make it a change. All he wants is you. Whosoever will, let him come. Amen.

Valley Center United

Our help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth. God loves you and has a great plan that is just for you!

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

The concept of sin separates us from each other. This sin is ever before us. There are many stories in the Bible that told of God warning people about what they should be doing and warning them about sinning. But some just laughed and thought they knew it all. They were in denial and set the warnings aside. They didn't listen, they continued on their path of destruction. This warning that God gave was not of anger or meanness, it was of concern and love.

Today, we can also hear God's voice warning us to be righteous, more productive and helpful. He knows that we will often wonder off and continue doing the things that we shouldn't. But his message is loud and clear; we are the soldiers with the courage to fight the fight, run the race and keep the faith. It becomes very personal when we believe and let our faith guide us to stay the course. He wants us to bring God's steadfast love into the world for all people.

We sing songs of hope and vision and continue to be people of faith. Listen carefully and you can hear what God has to say.

In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.

EQUIVOCATION By John M. Samson

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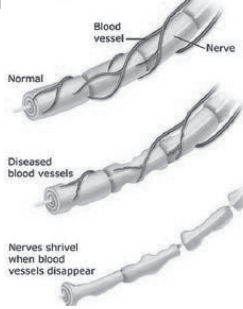
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If Your Hands, Arms, Feet or Legs Are Numb - If You Feel Shooting or Burning Pain or An Electric Sensation - You Are at Risk
Don't Let Creeping Nerve Death Ruin Your Life

Get The Help You Need - Here's What You Need to Know...

If you experience numbness or tingling in your hands, arms, legs, or feet or if you experience shooting or burning pain, this is important. Please read this carefully.

Peripheral Neuropathy is when small blood vessels in the hands, arms, feet or legs become diseased and tiny nerves that keep the cells and muscles working properly shrivel up and die.



Early-warning symptoms include tingling and numbness, mild loss of feeling in your hands, arms, legs or feet, inability to feel your feet, which increases your risk of foot-injury and falling.

More advanced Symptoms include...

- Loss of coordination & dexterity, which puts you at increased risk of accidents.
- Inability to feel clothing like socks and gloves.
- High risk of falling, which makes walking dangerous, and makes you more dependent on others.
- Burning sensations in your arms, legs, hands or feet that may start mild, but as nerves and muscles die, may feel like you're being burned by a blowtorch.

Ignore the early warning signals long enough and you risk progressive nerve damage leading to muscle wasting, severe pain, loss of balance and a lot of staying at home wishing you didn't hurt. When every step is like walking on hot coals, sitting still may be the only thing you feel like doing. But there's little joy in sitting still all day long.



Without treatment, nerve degeneration that begins with slight tingling or numbness may lead to a hot burning sensation and intense pain. Without treatment muscle wasting, loss of mobility and loss of independence is often the next step.

Now here's the scary part...

- Nerve damage CAUSES cell damage.
- Cell damage SPEEDS UP nerve degeneration

Without treatment this can become a DOWN-WARD SPIRAL that accelerates. The damage can get worse fast. Mild symptoms intensify. Slight tingling, numbness or lack of feeling can turn into burning pain.

Before you know it, damage can become so bad you hurt all the time.

Unless this downward spiral is stopped and nerves return to proper function - the damage to nerves and cells in the affected area can get so bad your muscles begin to die right along with the nerves and cells. And that sets the stage for weakness, loss of mobility, disability, and dependence on others.

If you have early warning signs of peripheral neuropathy, (tingling &/or numbness, loss of feeling or pain) it's CRITICAL you get proper treatment.

It's critical, because with proper treatment the symptoms can often be reversed. Without it, you are playing Russian Roulette with your health.

Once your nerve loss reaches 85%, odds are there's nothing any doctor can do to help.

The most common method your doctor may recommend to treat neuropathy is prescription drugs



Drugs like Gabapentin, Lyrica, Cymbalta, & Neurontin are often prescribed to manage the pain. But, damaged nerves and dying cells do not heal on their own.

Pain pills do not restore healthy nerve function. They just mask the pain as the nerves continue to degenerate and cells and muscle continue to die.

Taking endless drugs and suffering terrible side effects that may damage your liver & kidney and create even more problems, is not a reasonable path. You deserve better.

Three things must be determined to effectively treat neuropathy. 1) What is the underlying cause? 2) How much nerve damage has been sustained? 3) How much treatment your condition will require?

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Steven Matthew Cretel, Failed To Register Vehicle, Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$50.50 And Court Cost

Joshua Chance Diehl, Exceeded Posted Speed Limit (1-5 Mph Over), Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$191.50 And Court Cost

Dianna Michelle Griffith, Failed To Register Vehicle, Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$66.50 And Court Cost; Oper Veh Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility, Defendant Sentenced To Fine \$66.50 And Court Cost

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H.C. Commission 05/28/2024

The Henry County Commission met pursuant to adjournment at the courthouse in Clinton, Missouri.

Those members present were: Jim Stone - Presiding Commissioner, Rick Fosnow - North District Commissioner, Dale Lawler - South District Commissioner, Rick Watson - County Clerk

At 9:00 a.m. Commissioner Stone brought the meeting to order.

At 9:00 a.m. Commissioner Fosnow made a motion to go into closed session via RSMo 610.021(3) to discuss personnel matters. Commissioner Lawler seconded the motion. The motion passed with a roll call vote of Lawler - yes, Fosnow - yes, and Stone - yes.

At 9:13 a.m. Commissioner Lawler made a motion to end the closed session. Commissioner Fosnow seconded the motion. The motion passed with a roll call vote of Lawler - yes, Fosnow - yes, and Stone - yes.

The agenda was approved as presented. The minutes from the Thursday, May 23, 2024 meeting was read; Commissioner Fosnow made a motion to approve the

minutes. Commissioner Lawler seconded the motion, motion carried.

The closed minutes from the Thursday, May 23, 2024 meeting was read; Commissioner Lawler made a motion to approve the minutes. Commissioner Fosnow seconded the motion, motion carried.

Expenditures from the following were approved to be paid: Jury Pay, Victim Advocate, Law Enforcement Fund, Prosecuting Attorney Training, Buildings and Grounds, Administrative Handling Cost Fund, Assessor, 27th Circuit Treatment Court, Law Enforcement Department, Court Administration, County Payroll

Clerk Rick shared that all the required documentation for the BRO30 and BRO31 bridge projects has been submitted to MoDot.

The Commission discussed the "Safe Streets" grant that Kaysinger Basin Regional Planning Commission is working on.

The group discussed the piling install on NE 300 Rd, in Springfield Township. The discussion was centered on whose expense the piling install should go to, the county or the township.

The group discussed the repair of the semi tractor.

Commissioner Lawler called Deepwater Township, as a culvert is collapsing on SW 520 Rd, in the

Germantown area.

Dennis Bowers, Road and Bridge met with the Commission. The group discussed the crushed culvert on the Arkansas North Missouri Railway near La-Due. Commissioner Lawler shared that he would get ahold of someone with the railway. He also shared the culvert problem on SW 520 Rd with Dennis.

The group discussed the semi tractor. Dennis shared that he is getting an estimate to make repairs, but has found out, from the crew, that the problems with the tractor aren't as bad as previously reported.

Dennis shared that the crew is preparing to make repairs to the pot holes on Booth Rd. He also shared that the crew well be working on cutting out the dead limbs to the trees on the courtyard.

There was discussion on repairs needed on the Quarry Road in Leesville. Commissioners adjourned at 12:00 p.m.

Property Transfers

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tween Wilson, Kerwyn C. & Wilson, Michelle, Grantor, And Henderson, Jennifer, Grantee, Lt 15 Bl 9 Allen's Addition, Lt 16 Bl 9 Allen's Addition, Lt 17 Bl 9 Allen's Addition

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 05/24/2024 Between Town Creek Plaza LLC, Grantor, And ALDI INC. (Kansas), Grantee, Lt18 Old Country Club Park (A Re-Plat Of Lts1-26 Of Kemper Green Phase 1), Lt 19 Old Country Club Park (A Re-Plat Of L Ts 1-26 Of Kemper Green Phase 1), Lt 20 Old Country Club Park (A Re-Plat Of L Ts 1-26 Of Kemper Green Phase 1) Str 12-41-26

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 05/24/2024 Between Farrell, Christophe C & Farrell, Sarah J, Grantor, And Nachtigal, Steven L & Nachtigal, Mary S, Grantee, Str 14-41-28

Warranty Deed Entered Into On 05/24/2024 Between Beaudin, Todd & Beaudin, Penny, Grantor, And Loyd, Stephen Bruce, Grantee, Str 19-41-24

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Lady Roadrunners Add 10 To 2024-25 Basketball Roster



The State Fair Community College (SFCC) Lady Roadrunners Basketball Head Coach Nicole Collier added 10 student-athletes to her 2024-2025 roster. The group will begin their academic and athletic careers at SFCC in the fall.

Ellie Buscher of St. Louis is a 6'0 forward who played at Lutheran South High School.

Buscher averaged 15 points, 12 rebounds and three blocks per game as a junior. Buscher was named the Class Four District Four Player of the Year. She was also named first team All-District and All -Met-

ro League first team. She holds the school record for career blocks with 218, blocks in a season with 106 and blocks a game with 11. She is a member of the National Honor Society and graduated with Honors with Highest Distinction.

Nevaeh Hill of Warrenton is a 6'1 center who played at Warrenton High School.

Hill averaged 16 points and nine rebounds per game as a senior. Hill was named Gateway Athletic Conference Player of the Year and first team All-Conference. Hill was also named first team All-District. She led her team in

scoring and rebounding and earned the Warrenton Coaches Award.

Sophia Edwin of Killeen, Texas is a 5'5 guard who played at Shoemaker High School.

Edwin was named a Texas Girls Coaches Association All-State selection in 2024. Edwin was also named the District 22-5A Offensive Player of the Year in 2024. She earned first team All-District honors three times during her career. Edwin was named District 22-5A Defensive Player of the Year in 2023. Edwin was Newcomer of the Year in 2022. She was also named

the team's Most Valuable Player twice.

Malia Rodgers of Montgomery City is a 5'11 guard who played at Montgomery County High School.

Rodgers averaged 16 points, three rebounds, three assists and three steals per game as a senior. Rodgers earned Missouri Basketball Coaches Association All-State honors in 2022-2023 and 2023-2024. Rodgers was named to the Missouri Basketball Coaches Association All-District Team four times and Missouri Basketball Coaches Association District Player of the Year three times.

She was a unanimous three-time first team All-Conference player and holds numerous program records, including all-time leading scorer with 1,410, all-time leader in assists with 379, all-time leader in free-throw percentage at 76.7 and second in program history in steals with 290.

Rodgers graduated with Summa Cum Laude Honors and earned an Academic Gold Medal. She was also the president of the National Honor Society.

Ma'Leah Duvall of Killeen, Texas is a 5'9 guard who played at Chaparral High School.

Duvall averaged 12 points per game and was named first team All-District.

Carolyn Foster of O'Fallon, Illinois is a 6'0 guard/for-

ward who played at O'Fallon Township High School.

Foster averaged seven points, five rebounds and two assists as a senior. Foster helped her team to a Class 4A State Championship during the 2022-2023 season. Foster earned All-Conference Honorable Mention honors during her career.

Shyrah Wright of Grandview is a 6'0 guard/forward who played at Grandview High School.

Wright averaged 12 points and eight rebounds per game as a senior. Wright earned Kansas City Suburban Conference first team and first team All-District. She was a DiRenna Missouri All-Star and earned Grandview High School Female Athlete of the Year in 2024.

Zakiyah Brownlee of Wilson, Arkansas is a 6'5 post player from Rivercrest High School.

Brownlee averaged 10 points, 10 rebounds and four blocks as a senior. Brownlee was a three-time all-conference selection during her high school career. Brownlee helped her team to a NEA Tournament Championship in 2022-2023. Brownlee was named to the All-Tournament Team. Brownlee ranked in fourth place in the AAA Arkansas High School Record Books in 2022-2023 with 4.1 blocks per game. Brownlee finished fifth in

the AAA Arkansas High School Record Books in 2023-2024 in blocks per game with 4.0. She played in the North Arkansas Senior Showcase and the AH-SCA All Star Game.

Jonise Barcene of Cocoa, Florida is a 5'8 guard who played at Cocoa High School.

Barcene averaged six points, five rebounds, four assists and three steals per game. Barcene was named All-Cape Coast All-Conference. Barcene was a team captain and earned the Tiger Pride Award.

Chiney Idika of Kansas City is a 5'10 guard who played at Ruskin High School.

Idika earned second team All-Greater Kansas City Suburban Conference Blue Division as a senior, where she averaged 15 points, seven rebounds and four blocked shots per game.

"This is an exceptional class of young women from teams with winning cultures," said Collier. "We added depth and versatility that will complement our returners. We have versatile guards who can handle the ball, score, defend, and distribute. Our front court has size, grit, physicality, and toughness. We are excited to get them on campus this fall!"



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The 2nd Olde Glory Days Disc Golf Tournament is set to fly on Saturday, June 22nd. The tournament was a great success last year and will take place on Clinton's own 18-hole course located in Artesian Park. The tournament can hold up to 90 players and has divisions for all levels of amateur players, male and female, plus a Pro Division. The cost ranges from \$53 to \$63. The B-tier Pro Division will have cash prizes and have an extra \$750 added to it. Players should register at 8 a.m. at Shelter #4 and be ready to let it fly at 9 a.m. There are two rounds with a one hour lunch break. Awards, raffles, and prizes will be given out the day of the

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Lewis Equine Assisted Programs (LEAP) will hold its second annual Barn Dance fundraising event on Satur-

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The family-oriented evening will include live music by Campfire Cowboy Randy Polson, dancing, a line dance leader, chicken dinner, silent auction, kid's cor-

ral, and 50/50 raffle. Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$8 for children 5 - 12 and will be available at the door. For more information, visit LEAP's website: www/leap-mo.org.

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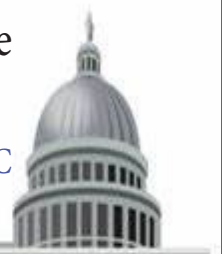
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Multi-family Garage Sale
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 for the 7th & 8th Grade Trip to DC

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 tween Davis, Rick G & Davis, Ruth A, Grantor, And Miller, Wilbur L Miller, Raymond K, Grantee, Str 10-42-28

Marriage Licenses
GAIL A. PERRYMAN
 05/31/2024, Washburn, Jeremy James, 52, Garden City, And Carver, Shelly Renea, 51, Creighton

H.C. 9-1-1 Board
 The Henry Co. 911 Board of Directors will have their regularly scheduled meeting on Thursday, June 20, 2024 at 08:00.

The meeting will be held in the Boardroom at the 911 Center. Henry Co. 911 - 115 E. Green St, Clinton MO 64735
 The Board may go into closed session if such actions approved by a majority vote of the board members who constitute a quorum to discuss legal, confidential or privileged matters under section 610.021(1,3,13) RSMO

Clinton Police Dept.

05/26/2024 - ARRESTS
 Joshua Laisure, 31, Allow Dog/Cat To Run At Large
05/27/2024 - ARRESTS
 Franklin Crowder, 40, Trespassing
 Elizabeth Ragle, 46, Possession Of Controlled Substance Except 35 Grams Or Less Of Marijuana/Synthetic Cannabinoid; Possession Of Marijuana/Synthetic Cannabinoid Of 10 Grams Or Less - Prior Drug Offense; Possession Of Controlled Substance Except 35 Grams Or Less Of Marijuana/Synthetic Cannabinoid; Possession Of Marijuana/Synthetic Cannabinoid Of 10 Grams Or

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05/28/2024 - ARRESTS
 Sienna Raysik, 19, Stealing-Shoplifting
05/30/2024 - ARRESTS
 Darlene Waage, 38, Stealing-Theft From Building
06/01/2024 - ARRESTS
 Jose Gamboa Ovando, 53, Allow Dog/Cat To Run At Large, Keeping Of Vicious Dog/Cat
06/04/2024 - ARRESTS
 Dayton Atkinson, 19, Assault
06/05/2024 - ARRESTS
 Roy Vickers, 43, Assault

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 cerned about child care options or the future of your child care business? Join a research focus group to explore new options.

SITUATION
 Family providers are the bulk of our childcare workforce. Yet they operate as individual small businesses. One or two people shoulder the heavy management, finance, and regulatory load.
WHAT IF?
 Could cooperative approaches help? Opportunities include:
 - Shared Services like Paperwork processing or Group purchasing
 - New Revenue like Employer contracts or Public funding streams
 - Mutual Support like Capacity building or Programing
 Meet with us at an upcoming event. Attend a session online.
 We would love to hear from family care providers to understand how these

cooperative approaches might or might not work for your business.
 We welcome your thoughts about:
 - Organizing a childcare cooperative
 - Converting a retiring operation
 - Adding cooperative elements
 Choose your preferred time for a virtual focus group
 - Saturday, June 15 at 9:00am-10:00pm
 Use this Google Form to Sign-up at https://bit.ly/Childcare-Focus-Group
 We will email you zoom link.
 Contact for more information; Patty Cantrell New Growth pcantrell@newgrowthmo.org or Sarah Kennedy skennedy@missouri.edu

Workshop Credit as an Asset. Access and understand credit reports...Learn how to build or rebuild your credit...Talk to a Certified Credit Specialist. Tuesday, June 18th, 11:30-1 at SFCC, 1701 North 2nd Street in Clinton. 417-282-5936 ww.newgrowthmo.com.

The Pediatric Place · the day has finally come. The Pediatric Place is delighted to extend a heartfelt invitation to join us in commemorating the grand opening of our Autism & Neurodevelopment Center. We invite all to join us on June 21st from 10 am to 1 pm, where we will showcase the state-of-the-art center, the range of exceptional services we offer, and introduce you to our dedicated and compassionate staff. We hope to see you there!

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