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By
Anita Campbell
County
Reporter

Benton County is ready to celebrate the birth of the United States with events from Warsaw, Lincoln and Cole Camp as well as several special event on the lake.

Cody's Bait and Tackle Service will hold their Fourth of July display on July 3 starting at 6 PM.

At Lincoln there will be a fireworks display on July 4 in the Lincoln Park starting at dusk. Then on July 6 there will be the annual Lincoln Fourth of July celebration at the big Lincoln Park starting at 10 AM with the Baby Contest. Also, at 10

Bring On The Razzle-Dazzle! July 4th Celebrations Begin



HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA! Drake Harbor will set the stage for a magnificent pyrotechnic display this Saturday evening at dusk. The twin-lakes area has a variety of events planned for the holiday weekend. See story below for details.

AM there will be a 3 on 3 Basketball tournament at the Lincoln Park. Arm wrestling will begin at noon with registration from 11 to 12. The Cornhole Tournament will begin at 2 PM. Music by Brandon Ward and the Evan Carter Band will be available at the Beer Garden from 5 PM until midnight.

The Drake Harbor Fireworks Experience on Saturday, July 6. Fireworks can be viewed from Drake Harbor and the downtown Warsaw Area, M. K White Park and levee trails. Live music will start at 2 PM on Main and Benton Streets. Food and drinks

will be available at many downtown areas. Fireworks start at dusk. Should be a great show.

Also, on Saturday there will be a Historic reading of the Declaration of Independence by Brad Hanson at the Trailside Theatre in the Truman Dam Overlook Visitors' Center area starting at 2 PM. This event is sponsored by the Kaysinger Bluff Pioneer Heritage Association.

Osage Bluff Marina will be celebrating the Fourth of July with their fireworks display on Friday, July 5 starting at 3 PM. According to OBM

owner Jason Reynolds, "This year's Fourth of July celebration is dedicated to the late and great Ms. Emily Reynolds. She dedicated her life to this marina and we want to celebrate that life with the biggest event and display that this marina has ever seen. Come and join us for, what we hope is not, our last hurrah! This event is open and free to the public, though donations are appreciated. All donations made prior to the event will go towards the show," said Reynolds.

Another event on Saturday will be the Cole Camp Jaycees MSPA sanctioned

truck and tractor pull will be held in Cole Camp.

Rules for setting off fireworks include: Lincoln July 3, 4, and 5 from sun up until midnight; Cole Camp July 1 through July 5 from 9 AM until midnight; and Warsaw July 2 through July 6 from dusk until midnight.

According to the Consumer Product Safety Commission there are over 9,000 fireworks related injuries in the U.S. each year. Of these, 50% of the injuries were to children and young adults under age 20. Over two-thirds (67%) of injuries took

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MFA Oil Awarded Fuel Bid By County

Benton County Commissioners convened in a regular session on June 24. Presiding Commissioner Steve Daleske called the meeting to order promptly at 9:00 AM. In attendance were Larry Berry and Scott Harms. David Malecki was also present at the meeting.

A county resident met with commissioners to discuss the Vicious Canine Ordinance that was adopted by Commissioners in 2022. Questions arose about the process that should be followed in order to protect citizens and their property from the threat of vicious dogs.

The Benton County Board of Equalization will convene on Monday, July 15 at 10:00 AM. District 2 Commissioner Scott Harms made the motion to appoint Michael Schnakenberg and Pam Grobe to serve as representatives on this Board. District 1 Commissioner Larry Berry seconded the vote. All were in favor.

Kaysinger Basin Regional Planning Commission representatives Ashley Swartz and Teresa Heckenlively met with Commissioners to present information pertaining to a grant opportunity entitled Safe Street and Roads For All. It addresses safety concerns of streets and highways, and their intersections, blind corners and the like. Commissioners signed a letter of intent to participate in this program. District 2

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Lincoln Native Jason Sumners Named New MDC Director



By
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Reporter

Jason A. Sumners, a 1996 graduate of Lincoln High School, has been appointed the new Director of the Missouri Department of Conservation. He is married to a 1997 Warsaw High School graduate Christy (Palmer) and they have a son Caleb. The family resides in Hartsburg, MO.

The Missouri Conservation Commission selected Sumners as the next director of the Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC), effective June 1, 2024. Sumners had served as the deputy director of resource management for MDC and succeeds Sara Parker Pauley, who retired in May after 30 years of public service, as director.



A FAMILIAR FACE is taking over as the Director of the Missouri Department of Conservation with the appointment of Jason Sumners who graduated from Lincoln High School in 1996.

"The Commission did a national search for the director position because we knew we had tough shoes to fill with Sara leaving," said Missouri Conservation Commission Chair Steven

Harrison. "Jason is uniquely poised for this director role with his background, experience, and national connections in conservation. We are looking forward to a

smooth transition with Jason at the helm with high expectations with him as the next director."

"I am excited and humbled by this opportunity the Commission has entrusted me with and the conservation team I get to work with across the state and country," Sumners said. "The Missouri outdoors have defined my personal and professional life, so getting to serve in this capacity and continue to tackle the ever-evolving challenges in conservation is an exciting endeavor."

MDC protects and manages the fish, forest, and wildlife resources of the state, and provides opportunities for citizens to use, enjoy, and learn about these resources. Sumners will become the tenth director in the Conservation Department's 87-year history.

"We congratulate Jason on

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BCCA Gives A Big Boost With Scholarship Awards



LONGSTANDING Benton County Cattlemen's Association members Leota and Merlin Kreisel joined their granddaughter Lauren Kreisel as she accepted a scholarship from the organization.



By
Anita Campbell
County
Reporter

The Benton County Cattlemen's Association recently awarded five \$1000 scholarships to Benton County graduates. Scholarship winners included: Alyson Alcantara and Lauren

Kreisel of Warsaw; Alli Keuper of Lincoln; and Gracie Thompson and Cora Oelrichs of Cole Camp.

The purpose of the Benton County Cattlemen's Association is to keep area cattle men and women informed about legislation and trends in the marketplace that may have an affect or even

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Honors at the Harbor

“Celebrating God, Community and Local Service Men & Women”

Saturday, July 6

Drake Harbor

Amphitheater in Warsaw

Sponsored by Poplar Baptist Church

NOON: Free Hamburgers & Hot Dogs (WSL)

1 PM: Honors Ceremony:

- Presentation of Colors by Warsaw American Legion
- Pledge of Allegiance, Benton County Sheriff Eric Knox
- Keynote Speaker Rep. 57th District Rodger Reedy
- Patriotic Music By, Lindley Creek
- Acknowledgements of Military, Law Enforcement and First Responders

2 PM: Free Concert by Lindley Creek

Award-winning Bluegrass artists, their unique personal brand of Acoustic Music unites old and new beautifully!

Bring Lawn Chairs and come for the day! Event will precede the Harbor Fireworks Display!

Community Calendar

JULY 6, 2024: Honors at the Harbor, a community-wide event, celebrating local heroes will be held at the Amphitheater area at Drake Harbor starting at noon on Saturday, July 6, Free hamburgers and hot dogs will be provided at noon, while supplies last. At 1:00 PM, a program will be held, which will begin with the presentation of colors by the Warsaw American Legion, The keynote speaker for the program will be Rodger Reedy, Rep. 57th District, A 2:00 PM concert by bluegrass artists Lindley Creek will conclude the event, all sponsored by Poplar Baptist Church, The event is free and open to the public.

JULY 8, 2024: The next meeting of the Friends of the Benton County Sheriff's Office will be at 6:00 PM, The meeting is open to the public and is held in the training room of the Sheriff's Facility. Come out and back the blue, Website:www.friendsbcso.org.

JULY 10, 2024: Stepping Stones Garden Club will hold its next meeting at 10:00 AM at Warsaw Christian Church, 320 State Street, Donnie Nichols, Master Naturalist, will speak about "Native Plants & Water Conservation." Everyone is welcome to attend.

JULY 11, 2024: The membership meeting of the Benton County Historical Society will be Thursday, July 11 at 6:30 PM at the Warsaw Library community room. Larry Peterson will be giving a presentation on the formation of the Lake of the Ozarks and the history of Bagnell Dam, with some Benton County items included.

JULY 13, 2024: Golfers may register now for the "Play Golf for the Playground" tournament on July 13 at Shawnee Bend Golf Course. The co-ed 4-person scramble will raise money for the new playground equipment at Drake Harbor as well as contribute to the new flushing restrooms. The \$75 entry fee includes 18 holes, cart, lunch and cash prizes. Space is limited so register at the Shawnee Bend Golf Course soon.

JULY 24, 2024: Save the Date! The Benton County Economic Development Committee will meet Wednesday, July 24, 4:15 PM, at Lincoln City Hall at 122 East Main Street in Lincoln. There will be no meeting in June. The public is invited to attend.

NEWSbriefs

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.

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.

IT MAY BE STEAMY OUTSIDE here in Benton County but Broken Vessels Ministries Mindset is looking forward to "All I want for Christmas 2024,"! "All I want for Christmas" is a Christmas adoption program where the community adopts the residents of all the skilled nursing/assisted living facilities here in Benton County. Christmas 2023, 241 residents were adopted. We are looking for homemade Christmas decor for their rooms, word searches, card games, lap blankets and quilts, adult coloring books with colored pencils., washable markers, insulated tumblers, glove and hat, scarf sets, novelties, Kansas City chiefs & KC blue memorabilia! If you want to help Pastor Larry Johnston by donating, please call him at (660) 310-9070 or email him at brokenvesselsm@gmail.com.

they start to turn golden, add another pat of butter to the pan and flip the cake, browning the other side.

The flavorful buttery exterior and the cakey interior makes a great bed for sliced strawberries. Serve with whipped cream or ice cream.

to help with the many activities at Camp Firelight.

Parents can register their children by coming by the church office at 154 W. Washington in downtown Warsaw or calling 660-438-6261 or emailing firststumcyouth@

firstchurchghwarsaw.org Parents can also enroll online at <http://first-united-methodist-church-of-warsaw.mycokesburyvb.com>

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Camp Firelight VBS To Be Hosted By First UMC In Warsaw

By Anita Campbell County Reporter

Area children are invited to attend the annual Vacation Bible School at the First United Methodist Church in downtown Warsaw across from the Benton County Courthouse on July 22 through July 26. The fun begins at 9 am and ends at noon each day. Children from pre-kindergarten through those who have finished fifth grade this year will embark on a journey of faith, fun and friendship.

Camp Firelight offers engaging activities, interactive Bible stories, lively music and creative crafts. A dedicated team of volunteers is ready to provide a safe and welcoming environment for kids to learn, grow and discover God's love.

This is a totally free event where children will learn of God's love, make friends and enjoy games and food. Come one day or all five. We also welcome volunteers

Local Lutheran Women Attend District Meeting In Independence



The Lutheran Women in Mission Missouri District Meeting, held on June 7-9 in Independence, Missouri, was attended by 19 members of the Sedalia Zone and a total of 397 attendees. The convention theme was "He will make your paths straight." From Proverbs 3:5-6. Sedalia Zone President, Roberta Schnakenberg from Faith Lutheran Church Warsaw was the voting delegate for the Zone during the business portions of the convention. There were worship services, Bible studies, break-out sessions, and Mites in Action presenters. Mites, donations from LWML members across the state, funded over \$366,000 in missions across Missouri, the U.S. and around the world. One of the mission grants approved for the next biennial was the Lutheran

School Association Safety Grant to bolster the security of the Lutheran School in Cole Camp. The previous grant cycle provided a grant to Zoe's Home in Clinton. The Mission Walk raised \$7,445; the Mission Fair-\$4,881; Silent Auction - \$3,480 as well as the Gifts from the Heart donations to Lutheran Family and Childhood Services - \$1,233 and 842 baby item; Sleep in Heavenly Peace (provides beds for children in need) \$2,228 and 87 bedding items and to Happy Bottom-\$1,283 and 65 packs of diapers.

The Lutheran's Women's Missionary League (LWML) is an auxiliary of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. The national LWML Mission Goal for 2023-2025 Biennium is \$2,350,000.00.

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Ozark Foodie
By Lonnie Gandara Taylor

It's time for strawberries! While I love making shortcakes for them, sometimes I just don't have the energy or time. A quick and easy way to enjoy my favorite red berry is with fried pound cake. I always have a loaf of Sarah Lee pound cake in the freezer. It defrosts in about 15 minutes so can be at the ready for unexpected company or just for your own company

Slice the poundcake into 1-inch slices. (I've been known to slice off one piece just for me when no one else is around.)

Heat butter in a nonstick pan. When it starts to bubble, add the slices. Cook until

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LAKE STAGES	Truman Lake 708.48, 2.48 feet above normal pool. Lake of the Ozarks at Warsaw's Joe Dice Swinging Bridge: 659.36, 0.64 feet below normal pool. Surface water temperature of Truman Lake is approximately 82 degrees.						

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(Continued from Page 1) place from June 16 to July 16. And while the majority of these incidents were due to amateurs attempting to use professional-grade, homemade or other illegal fireworks or explosives, an estimated 1,200 injuries were from less powerful devices like small firecrackers and sparklers.

Additionally, fireworks start an average of 18,500 fires each year, including 1,300 structure fires, 300 vehicle fires and nearly 17,000 other fires.

If consumer fireworks are legal to buy where you live and you choose to use them, be sure to follow the following safety tips:

- Never allow young children to handle fireworks
- Older children should use them only under close adult supervision
- Never use fireworks while impaired by drugs or alcohol
- Anyone using fireworks or standing nearby should wear protective eyewear
- Never hold lighted fireworks in your hands
- Never light them indoors
- Only use them away from people, houses and flammable material
- Never point or throw fireworks at another person
- Only light one device at a time and maintain a safe distance after lighting
- Never ignite devices in a container
- Do not try to re-light or handle malfunctioning fireworks
- Soak both spent and unused fireworks in water for a few hours before discarding
- Keep a bucket of water nearby to fully extinguish fireworks that don't go off or in case of fire
- Never use illegal fireworks

Better yet, grab a blanket and a patch of lawn, kick back and let the experts handle the fireworks show. There are plenty of fireworks shows around the county to choose from. HAPPY FOURTH!

SUMNERS

(Continued from Page 1) being named the new MDC Director and thank the Conservation Commission for its thoughtful and thorough search to replace Director Pauley," said Governor Mike Parson. "While we'll miss Sara's leadership, we look forward to Jason using his unique qualifications to build upon Missouri's rich history of fish, forest, and wildlife preservation. MDC is one of the best departments in the nation, and we thank Jason for his commitment to continuing that legacy as a member of our cabinet."

"Jason brings a wealth of leadership experience in conservation, both at the state and national level, as well as a diverse background in wildlife management," said Pauley. "I'm confident he will continue that exceptional leadership he has exemplified during his career at MDC as he becomes your next director, including working collaboratively with

partners and the public to carry out the conservation mission."

As deputy director of resource management, Sumners had responsibility and oversight for the resource management efforts of the agency, including statewide resource management, regional resource management, and protection. He also led the regulations committee. Prior to his deputy director role, Sumners served as Science Branch chief, leading a team of more than 80 scientists that specialize in fish, forest, and wildlife research and management. He began his career at MDC in 2008 as a private lands deer biologist and later became the head of the state's deer management program.

During Sumners' tenure at MDC, he has been instrumental in developing the agency's strategic and operational direction, served as chief of the Wildlife Division, led the state's white-tailed deer management program, took part in Missouri's elk reintroduction efforts, developed a private lands deer management program, and led the Department's effort to develop and implement a chronic wasting disease (CWD) management and surveillance strategy. Jason also worked at the national level on the Relevancy Roadmap for state fish and wildlife agencies to enhance conservation efforts through broader engagement.

Jason received a Bachelor of Science in Fisheries and Wildlife from the University of Missouri and a Master of Science in Biology from Mississippi State University. He is a National Conservation Leadership Institute fellow, professional member of the Boone and Crockett Club, active with many non-government organization partners, represents MDC on numerous regional and national committees, and has been recognized by the Conservation Federation of Missouri and the Association of Fish and Wildlife Agencies for his leadership in science-based approaches to wildlife conservation. He has published popular and scientific articles on wildlife, natural resources management, and conservation relevancy.

Sumners grew up in Lincoln where his love for the outdoors began. His interests include hunting, fishing, and camping.

COMMISSION

(Continued from Page 1) Commissioner Scott Harms made the motion to accept the bid from MFA Oil Company for diesel fuel for Road District #2 at a cost of \$2.81 per gallon. District #1 Commissioner Larry Berry seconded the motion. All were in favor and the motion passed. The opposing bid was from Warsaw Oil Company at a cost of \$3.085 per gallon. The County accepted the low bid price.

Treasurer Rick Renno presented his weekly financial report. County Clerk Susan Porterfield

noted that the annual Financial Information and Operating Data report has been submitted to L.J. Hart and Company, as required for completion of the financial report. Bills were submitted for approval and payment. With that, the

CATTLEMAN'S

(Continued from Page 1) threaten the existence of the industry. Networking with friends and neighbors in the cattle business may be the most educational benefit of this association.

"We need our young families to be a part of this organization to keep it viable for years to come," said BCCA president Mark Smith. "I know it is not always easy to participate with young children at home and so many activities pulling you in all directions. That is why we pledge to have meaningful, insightful, pertinent informational programs at our monthly meetings along with a wonderful potluck dinner you are sure to enjoy."

The BCCA holds various fund raisers throughout the year to raise money to offer scholarships to the most important resource, the future ranchers, farmers, legislators and stewards of the land.

"Our activities and fund raisers throughout the year allow us to be able to help not only the next generation, but our neighbors, our members and families that might need support during a difficult time," said Smith. "Being able to give back to our communities in Benton County is a blessing made possible by all of you!"

For more information contact one of the BCCA officers: President Mark Smith, 660-734-1762;

Vice President Mike Dieckman, 660-596-1822; Secretary Becky Smith, 660-373-1300; Treasurer Rachelle Yoder, 660-723-0922; NE Director Mark Chamberlin, 660-287-1940; N.W. Director Leland Burnett, 660-723-0574; S.E. Director Sam Crawford, 417-328-9137; or S. W. Director Keith Pierson, 816-719-4669.

The next meeting of the BCCA will be July 22 at 6:30 in the Warsaw Ambulance Building. Cattle men and women are welcome to attend and join. Potluck dinner will be served at 7 PM.

Bothwell Welcomes New Board Member

The Bothwell Regional Health Center Board of Trustees has welcomed Cassie Brown as a new member after the Sedalia City Council approved her appointment at its meeting on May 6. She is replacing member Dr. Paul Bassett, whose term expires in June 2025.

Brown is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker and Executive Director of the National Association of Social Workers - Missouri Chapter in Jefferson City. Prior to that she was a therapist at Compass Health in Sedalia and worked in health care and education in Kentucky.

Mayor Andrew Dawson said he appointed Brown because of her community involvement and background in health care.

"I appointed Trustee Brown to Bothwell's Board of Trustees due to her exceptional

leadership as Chairperson of the Transitional Services Committee for the City of Sedalia and her deep understanding of the intricacies of government and health care systems," he said. "Her appointment is a strategic step toward ensuring that our community hospital remains a robust, independent entity serving our community's needs."

Brown has served on several boards and committees including the National Association of Social Workers (NASW), NASW Employee Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Committee, Kentucky Society for Clinical Social Work, Eastern State Hospital Research Council and Eastern State Hospital Healthcare Inclusivity Committee.

"As a licensed social worker, I am passionate about underserved populations, rural health care and providing the best possible care close to home for area residents," Brown said. "From previous roles, I have experience working with policy and procedures, health care equity initiatives, research councils, supervision of social workers and social work students and other initiatives and projects. As a board member, I want to advocate for Bothwell's social workers, explore partnerships to expand behavioral health initiatives and improve patient satisfaction."

Dawson said Brown will be able to seamlessly step into her board role and have an impact.

"Trustee Brown's background in social work

and role as Executive Director of the Missouri Chapter of the National Association of Social Workers equip her with unique insights into how social determinants impact health care outcomes," he said. "I am confident she will bring her expert knowledge and experience to enhance the board's effectiveness and believe she will excel in her role and contribute significantly to our ongoing efforts in health care excellence."

The Bothwell Board of Trustees meets on the fourth Wednesday of each month at 5:30 pm in the hospital board room. Members are appointed by the Mayor and reviewed and approved by City Council.



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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 stop.

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 & 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.

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New Gymnasium Is Talk Of The Town In Lincoln



BREAKING IN NEW RIMS, Lincoln senior Myles Harms dunked during an open gym at Lincoln in their brand new gymnasium.



By
Johnie Logue
Sports
Reporter

Even during "dead week" for Lincoln sports, the new gym is creating quite a buzz around the sleepy little town of Lincoln.

The volleyball and basketball teams can't wait to play on the new court and the fans can't wait to attend games.

Junior basketball center Ben Eckhoff commented, "I really like the new gym. It has more basketball goals to practice on and the seating should be more comfortable for the fans."

The gymnasium is large enough to accommodate two volleyball games at the same time. That could help Lincoln obtain some upcoming volleyball tournaments. Tournaments are hard work for the administrative staff but are rewarding with home court advantage and no travel time.

The new scoreboards should be up sometime in August.

Lincoln boy's basketball coach Tyler Burke is excited.

"Wait till you see them," he told this reporter.

Coach Burke went on to say, "The New gym is awesome. It's perfect for

our community and our athletic programs and will be for a very long time. We do not have the scoreboards yet; we hope to have those in August. We did well in the last few weeks in games. We didn't win a lot of games, but right now our goal is experience and quality minutes."

He added, "We've gotten good work in with our open gyms and shooting and I'm excited to work with all of our guys this winter."

This reporter can't wait to see the 830 seat arena packed for district basketball games. The boy's team could do it in two years. No pressure though.

cause may do so by bringing a bicycle or cash to the track office during business hours, or bringing a new bicycle to the office prior to this Saturday's Big Adventure RV Weekly Championship program.



CASEY'S THURSDAY NIGHT THUNDER Kids Night at the Races is just over two weeks away. Donations for new boys and girls bicycles are being sought for the July 4th event. (GS Stanek Racing Photography)

Cash donations which will be used for the purchase of bicycles also will be accepted.

"It's always a highlight of our season when we are able to give away bicycles to the youngsters, especially to those who might not otherwise be able to afford one," Lorton said. "Our fans, drivers and sponsors always are great in helping us try and reach our goal and I'm sure this year will be no different."

In addition to the racing action in the four Big Adventure RV Weekly Championship Series divisions, the evening will conclude with the area's biggest fireworks display.

For more information, contact the speedway office at (417) 282-5984.

Lucas Oil Speedway is located at Highways 83 and 54 in Wheatland, Missouri. A campground with shower and bathroom facilities is available. With its entrance located just outside the pit gate, this sprawling scenic camping facility will continue to enhance the racing experience.

For ticket and camping information and everything about the Show-Me 100 event, visit www.LucasOilSpeedway.com for all the information and detailed directions to the speedway or call the Track Hotline at (417) 282-5984.

In addition, fans can get social with Lucas Oil Speedway by following @LucasSpeedway on X, clicking "Like" at www.facebook.com/LucasOilSpeedway and

on www.youtube.com/LucasOilSpeedway Complete Lucas Oil Speedway event information, archived race recaps, previews and driver features, along with ticket information and schedules can be found by visiting LucasOilSpeedway.com.

About Lucas Oil Speedway:

Lucas Oil Speedway is considered by fans, drivers and industry insiders to be one of the top five racing facilities in the nation. Located in Wheatland, Missouri, approximately an hour from Springfield, Missouri, and just an hour and a half from the Kansas City metro area, the "Diamond of Dirt Tracks" lives up to its title.

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track food in the country and paved pits are a few of the spectacular amenities setting the Diamond of Dirt apart. This year marks the 12th season for the Liquid Quarter Mile Drag Racing Lake, "Lake Lucas." New for 2017 was all-purpose built Off Road facility featuring a host of regional events.

Lucas Oil Speedway's dirt oval track plays host to some of the largest and most-popular events in the Midwest with national and regional touring series appearing frequently including: The Lucas Oil Late Model Dirt Series, POWRi Midget National Series, Lucas Oil Pro Pulling League, United States Modified Touring Series, ASCS Sprint Cars and the Lucas Oil MLRA.

In addition to the special events, the Lucas Oil Speedway Weekly Racing Series features the Late Models, USRA Modifieds, USRA Stock Cars and USRA B-Mods.

Ladycats Volleyball Takes First At Sacred Heart



ON THE RISE, Warsaw volleyball has been an up-and-coming program for the last few years, much thanks to heavy training and individual work throughout the summers. At the recent Sacred Heart Summer Slam, the Ladycats finished in 1st place overall and are primed for a breakout season. The team includes, front row (L to R): Coach Kelsi Brosnahan, Mady Reimund, Sara Miller, Tanna Howe and Janie Kilgore; and back row: Sadie Chapman, Adison Sherrill, Haylee Cobb, Hailey Ferguson, Maylee Slavens and Elizabeth Winters. Coach Ashley Reimund was unavailable for the picture.

Lincoln Volleyball Girls Working Hard, Find Success In League



LINCOLN VOLLEYBALL finished summer league play in Sedalia on a high note. They include, front row (L to R): Moriah Helland, Aurora Harms, Sydney Spry, Eden Eichler, Braylin Paxton and Kaylee Simons; and back row: Alyssa Mellen, Taylor Brown, Cadence Harvey, Rebekah Helland, Camryn Smallwood, Emarie Eckhoff, Molly Strozewski and Ryleigh Bain.

The Lincoln volleyball girls recently finished up summer league play in Sedalia. We asked head Coach Gabbie Spunaugle to recap the summer thus far.

"This summer we have grown a lot as a team. Between camp, league nights, and practices and weights we have seen a ton of improvement."

"The girls have had injuries and exhaustion from girls playing multiple sports and still pushed through."

Looking to the future, Coach Spunaugle commented, "We still have a lot of work to put in this summer. But we are ecstatic to see what the season brings. This is a great group of girls who show up every day and work hard."

We wish them the best as they open up play in their brand new gym.

Bicycle Donations Sought For Lucas Oil Speedway Kids Night At The Races On 4th Of July Thursday Night Thunder

New things go better together than kids and bicycles and Lucas Oil Speedway wants to make sure as many youngsters as possible get a shiny new bike for the July 4th holiday.

The annual Casey's Thursday Night Thunder Kids' Night at the Races Presented by State Tech is

just over two weeks away. The speedway is asking drivers, sponsors and race fans for help in donation new bicycles for youngsters on that special 4th of July program.

Youngsters ages 5 through 12 can sign up at the RCR Designs Jr Fan Club table

before intermission for a chance to enter a drawing for the new bicycles of various sizes.

Lucas Oil Speedway general manager Danny Lorton said that it would be nice to have a bicycle for every kid in attendance. He's hoping for at least 100 bikes for the kids to take home that evening. Those interested in helping the

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This charming property is located in the lakeside community of Woodland Shores. Come get cozy in this 2 Bd 1 Ba retreat. Several upgrades were completed in 2015 including appliances, flooring throughout the entire house, and the windows in the 8'x16' enclosed sunroom. Enjoy relaxing outdoors on the 6'x24' covered front porch. And in addition to the oversized 2 car garage, you will find the 25'x12'x9' drive through carport a convenient feature for boat storage. The beautifully landscaped yard has been created to be low maintenance so you can spend your time enjoying lake life. Just a short 2 blocks away you'll find the community amenities including a play area, the boat launch, and docks. As an added bonus the sellers are leaving the Weber 3 burner grill and a 1997 Yamaha gas powered golf cart. MLS# 97257 \$139,500



WITHDRAWN CALL FOR INFO!

This beautiful 3 BD 1 BA lakefront home has vaulted ceilings with tongue and groove pine, and boasts a newly remodeled kitchen with nearly new stainless steel appliances. The screened-in front porch overlooks the lake and large cove, and is accessible from the Master Bedroom. There is a walk out lower level with a 16'x20' space currently being used as a bedroom but could easily be a mancave or family/game room. This also serves as a comfortable storm shelter. There is a large basement storage area that could be turned into a 2nd bathroom. The house sits on two lots and has enough off street parking for 7-10 cars. There is a detached garage currently being used as a wood shop and golf cart storage. There is an area across the road that has room to park a pontoon and utility trailer. House has its own boat slip in a shared 4 bay dock. Come play, it's all here! MLS# 97407 \$300,000



PRICE ADJUSTMENT \$325K!

Discover the joy of lake life with this nearly new, beautiful custom home located in the peaceful community of Lake Ridge Bay. At 1552square ft, this open concept home offers 3 bedrooms and 2 bathrooms, providing ample space for both relaxation and entertainment. The kitchen boasts bright white cabinetry, granite countertops and stainless-steel appliances. Enjoy a quiet evening on the spacious front deck and catch a seasonal view of the lake or have some friends over for a BBQ on theback deck. Don't forget to bring your boat! This home comes with a leased community dock slip including a lift for a pontoon boat. Located minutes from Downtown Warsaw, this home offers the convenience of shopping, popular restaurants, and plenty of outdoor activities nearby. MLS# 97471 \$325,000



Welcome to the quaint, historic town of Cole Camp. You will love the warm small town feel of this community. This beautifully updated 2Bed, 2 Full Bath Bungalow is located at the end of the road which offers the peace and quiet you are looking for. Recent updates include; plumbing under the kitchen, roofing on rear of house, and a new HVAC system that was installed in 2018. There is also a large shed that will be useful for storage. MLS# 97852 \$125,000



End of the road location gives this custom-built home the peace and tranquility that you are looking for. The open concept living area leads out to a 400 sq ft sunroom with multiple sliding doors to allow for a comfortable indoor/outdoor living space. There is a separate 40' x 50' metal garage with plenty of room for an RV, boat, and other toys. It also has a bathroom. You'll enjoy the privacy that the split Master Bath offers with 2 vanities, and 2 toilets, one of each on either side of a shared bath and shower. Having an office on the main level makes working from home convenient. The lower-level unfinished area with a walk-out will allow you the creativity to make the space your own. Truman State Park and Marina are just down the road and accessible to the public. MLS# 97603 \$395,000



Lots of potential in this bungalow, situated on .85 acres, just outside of Lincoln. MLS# 97620 \$82,500



REDUCED PRICE \$269,900!

This beautiful country ranch home is on 2.70 ac m/l and is close to town and Lake of the Ozarks. The all electric home has 3 generous bedrooms and 3 full baths. The kitchen comes equipped with appliances and has washer/dryer (not included) hookups for easy main level laundry. Enjoy the open living and dining area with vaulted ceilings, great for entertaining. Relax on the covered front deck or the back deck overlooking the surrounding mature trees. It also has a full walkout basement and a 2 car garage. A circle drive makes it easy to pull your boat, camper, etc. through. MLS# 97685 \$269,900



SALE PENDING!

Enjoy life at Lake of the Ozarks in Lake Ridge Bay. This well maintained condo-townhouse (one of only 7!) boasts hardwood floors and a beautiful view of the cove. Located at the 83 mile marker on the quiet part of the lake. Don't worry about mowing, the POA takes care of that leaving you plenty of time for lake activities or relaxing on your deck. Don't wait to begin enjoying life at the lake full-time or weekends. MLS# 97744 \$200,000

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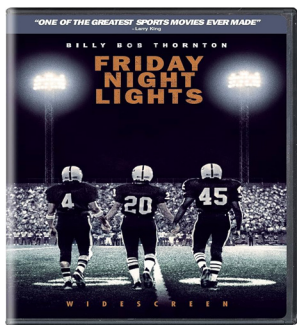


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NAME: Brett Howe
BIRTHPLACE: Clinton, MO.
YEARS IN WARSAW: All of them, so 14
FAMILY: Dad, Adam; Mom, Melissa; Sisters, Taylor and Tanna.
THE BEST THING ABOUT LIVING IN WARSAW IS: Truman Lake.
WHAT I WANT TO BE WHEN I GROW UP: Pro football player for now, but if that doesn't work out, a graphic designer.
OCCUPATION: Student-Athlete
FAVORITE CHILDHOOD MEMORY: Winning the youth football championship vs Skyline, which was the first time we ever beat them.
THE BEST TIME OF MY



LIFE WAS WHEN: I went to the Chiefs game with my parents, best friend, and his parents.
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: I don't really have one.
WHAT DO YOU VALUE MOST IN YOUR FRIENDS: Kindness.
MY GREATEST FEAR IS: Failure.
I HOPE I NEVER HAVE TO: Go to jail.
I'VE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO: Stop smiling.
IF I WON THE LOTTERY, I WOULD: Give some of it to my parents because they have done so much for me and siblings, and put the rest in a savings.
MY DREAM TRIP WOULD BE TO: The Bahamas.

HOBBIES: Football, Wrestling, Baseball, Fishing and hanging out with family and friends.
FAVORITE BAND OR MUSICIAN: Cody Johnson.
FAVORITE MOVIE: Friday Night Lights.
FAVORITE DRINK: Pepsi.
FAVORITE SNACK: Chips.
FAVORITE CANDY: 3 Musketeers.
FUTURE GOAL: To make the NFL.
WHICH PERSON DO YOU ADMIRE MOST: Patrick Mahomes, because of his skills.
BEST ADVISE I'VE EVER RECEIVED: Finish what you start.
WORDS TO LIVE BY: Be kind, believe in Jesus, and be brave.



NEWS
 By Pat Arnett
 Contributing Reporter
 Fristoe News would like to send a BIG THANK YOU to the young man that works for the South Road District that was working the Road grader and did the work on Angus and Hereford Road Monday morning. He did a great job and we all say Thank You!
 The Fristoe area weather has been hot and was starting to get really dry this week. However, God blessed the area with wonderous rainfall this past weekend. The hot dry weather allowed the local farmers to mow the hay and then bale it for this Winters feed before the rains came. Then the rain was a real blessing as the heat was almost cooking vegetables on the vine and it was getting so dry people were watering gardens almost daily!
 The Fristoe community sends heartfelt sympathy and condolences to the family of R.L. Brown as he passed away this past week. Speaking about the gardens brings to mind R.L. as he always had really good gardens. He enjoyed working in the soil and

growing garden products and he also enjoyed eating the garden produce. R.L. lived his entire life in and around the Fristoe area and raised his family there. R.L. has six children, two daughters and four sons. His funeral was held Wednesday July 3rd, at Reser Funeral Home.
 Prayers for Mary Scarbrough, Lewis and Judy Retherford, Adam Smith, Kathy First, Gladys Harris, Carolee Apperson, all friends and neighbors that have unspoken needs!
 This coming month I will be putting in quite a few happy birthday requests.
 Once again a reminder that The Antwiler Park Board will be holding a Pic Auction on Saturday July 20th. Everyone is encouraged to come and be a part. This activity is probably the largest money making project the Antwiler Park Board undertakes. Any and all donations are very much appreciated.
 I want to brag on my Granddaughters and what a great job their Dads +Mom's have done raising them. Laney works at a Daycare Center and also is Lifeguard at the Warsaw Swimming pool and then plans to go to College this fall. Ryleigh works also in a well known restaurant in Kansas City, and my youngest one Maddie works at the "Chicken Farm" in Fristoe. These three girls put a lot of

people to shame with their work ethics. Very proud of my family!
 Pentecostal Lighthouse Church had a church full Sunday morning. The congregation was treated to fantastic music by: Dave and Connie Cunningham, DoBee Wolf, Ken Heier, Claude and Delores Prater, Larry Meeks and Ellen Sparks. Fantastic morning of Preaching Praying Shouting and Singing.
 Br. Smith's message was from 1st Kings chapters 11 and 12. We all can learn from situations that came from Solomon's heritage. All come and worship with the Fristoe Lighthouse Church. You will be welcome!
 Thought for the week: It takes more to plow a field than just turning the soil over in your mind!
 WE hope everyone has a safe happy and prosperous week!



Lodge #2783
 By Betty Mewszel
 Contributing Reporter
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 "Dining at the Lodge."
 July 5 Burgers, Brats and hot dogs 6 pm—7 pm
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 July 12 Rib Eye Steak Night 5 pm—7 pm 8 oz \$ 15.00 14 oz \$ 19.00. Dinner includes baked potato, salad and roll RSVP by Wednesday July 10.
 July 17 Tenderloin Sandwiches 5 pm—7 pm
 Sandwiches \$7 , Fries \$3, fried mushrooms \$4, onion rings \$4
 July 19 Burgers, Brats and hot dogs 6 pm—7 pm
 Burgers \$7.00 Brats \$7.00
 Hot dogs \$5.00
 July 20 30 Year Anniversary—Fish Fry 2 pm—4 pm Please bring side or dessert to share
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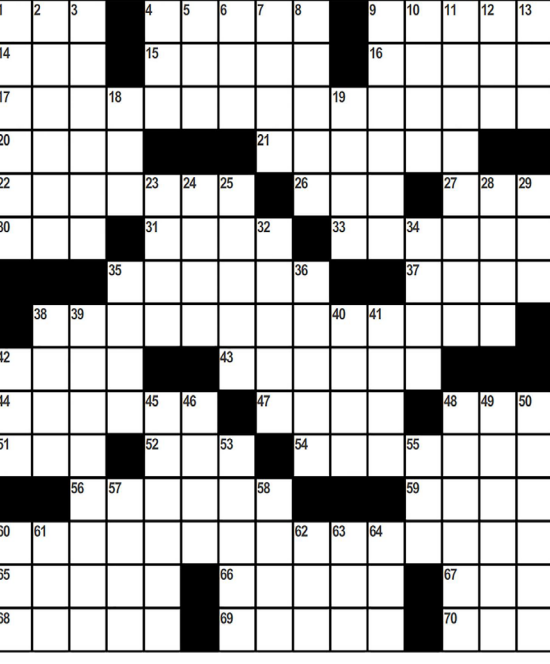
- 1) Karim of the Khans, for one
- 4) City on the Missouri
- 9) Folklore heavies
- 14) Wager
- 15) Twofold
- 16) Nigerian currency
- 17) Crazy, proverbially (with "has")
- 20) Toledo's lake
- 21) Having no feet
- 22) Knuckle under
- 26) Embrace
- 27) Finale
- 30) Health resort
- 31) Fodder holder
- 33) First- (novice jailbird)
- 35) Show-off scholar
- 37) Plural suffix with "auction" or "musket"
- 38) Sure thing, it's said
- 42) Dalai
- 43) Syndicate
- 44) "Delicious!"
- 47) Composes
- 48) Ozone layer pollutant, for short
- 51) Tokyo, formerly
- 52) Beaver's work
- 54) Toast
- 56) Registers, as a complaint
- 59) "What's gotten ___ you?"
- 60) Backstabber
- 65) Flower-petal oil
- 66) Attack on a fort, e.g.
- 67) It's spotted in casinos
- 68) Cheese byproducts
- 69) Firebug's doing
- 70) "Go on ..."

DOWN

- 1) Mother superior
- 2) Get ready for action
- 3) Infamous prison
- 4) ___-Wan Kenobi
- 5) Time div.
- 6) Kitchen pest
- 7) "Funny ___ or funny strange?"
- 8) Beth's predecessor
- 9) Antsy
- 10) Apple variety
- 11) Sharpshooters
- 12) "To ___ is human ..."
- 13) Utter
- 18) "Hold on a ___!"
- 19) Boxing match
- 23) Brought into play
- 24) CalF-length skirt
- 25) Mont or Mel
- 28) Uncool sort
- 29) Members of the AMA
- 32) Ready to serve, as beer
- 34) Authentic
- 35) Beseech
- 36) Hurler
- 38) Data-speed unit
- 39) Kill in a sacrifice
- 40) Sicilian peak
- 41) BP alternative
- 42) Soapmaker's need
- 45) Milk containers
- 46) O. Henry's "The Gift of the ___"
- 48) The Great White North
- 49) Has a sense of belonging
- 50) Barred to entry
- 53) Bright group
- 55) "Dear" one
- 57) Approve
- 58) Cookbook direction
- 60) Adage
- 61) Mathematician's ordinal
- 62) "For ___ a jolly ..."
- 63) Diva's problem
- 64) ___-Xers (Boomers' kids)

WHERE THE CRITTERS ARE

By Bill Bobb



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Tues, July 9
 Meatloaf
 Mashed Potatoes/Gravy
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 Wheat Roll
 Mandarin Oranges *or*
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Roy L "RL" Brown

Roy L. "RL" Brown, age 93, of Fristoe, Missouri passed away Friday, June 28, 2024 at his family farm, where he was born and raised. He was proud of the accomplishment of living there all his life.

He grew up near Fristoe. RL walked three miles to a one room country school. Following completion there, he went to Cross Timbers, Missouri to finish through eighth grade, making straight A's. On June 2, 1956 he was united in marriage to Nadine Gemes.

During their 23 years of marriage, they made their home on the family farm in Fristoe. Unto this union four sons and two daughters were born.

RL was hard-working and spent time doing so at Art's Building Supply, Derby Gas Station and milking cows. RL worked for the Warsaw South Elementary School as a maintenance director and school bus driver for over thirty years. In his spare time, RL loved to farm, garden, brush hog, cut wood, and coon hunt

He is preceded in death by his parents, Roy Lee Brown, and Artie Thomas Linn, and one brother, Henry Clark.

RL is survived by six children; Lovyna Lutjen, of Warsaw, Missouri, Loren Brown, of Florida, Lonnie Brown, of Oklahoma, Leland Brown, of Warsaw, Leon Brown, of Independence, Missouri and Lea Ann Smith, of Lincoln, Missouri, Fourteen grandchildren; Christopher, Brandon, Marcum, Redman, Rhyann, Eric, Tisha, Marissa, Michaela, Travis, Austin, Brandi, Zach and Amanda, numerous great grandchildren and many relatives and friends.

Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 A.M. Wednesday, July 3, 2024 at the Reser Funeral Home in Warsaw. Interment will follow at the Dooley Bend Cemetery in Galmey, Missouri.

UNITY OF THE LAKES

Reverend Sandra Duncan, a Unity Ordained Minister, will speak at Unity Of The Lakes this Sunday, July 7 at 11 AM. She will be talking about

Nurturing Relationships based on the Bible from 1 Corinthians 13:

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taxes must be paid. These coins were carried in the House of God – they were hypocrites. It's Caesar's so give it back to Caesar and give to God what belongs to God. It all belongs to Him in the first place, and it all goes back to God.

Jesus is upset with the hypocrisy, they ask these questions, yet they carried the coin in their own pockets. They came there to trap Jesus. The Sadducees don't believe in the resurrection of the dead. Jesus tells them they don't even know the scripture. The resurrection is real. I am the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. We claim to know so much about the Bible, but we ignore what we don't like. If we think we know everything about God, He must not be much. He provided us an awesome Book, using human beings to tell us about Himself. We read one thing, and we think we know it all. Jesus asks us do we really care? When we're unwilling to read it for its entire content, it gets used for awful things. If it's not based around His word, it will fail. What should our attitude as believers be? What does God want for us? Let's be a reflection of the Moat High God. Let's start with us and Jesus! So, what are we going to do about it? What does Jesus really want us to be? What kind of image do you want us to show the rest of the world?

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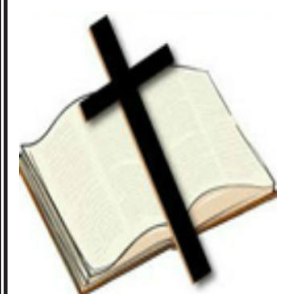
This week we celebrated our freedom because of the ones who have gone before us. Remember our freedom came from those who gave their lives to keep this country free. Remember those who are gone and those who are serving now. Our church is growing. There were a lot of fellow

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Christians in worship today. It is great to see so many worship with us each Lord's day. We thanked the veterans in attendance for their service to this country. Happy birthday to Marsha Mehrens.

Pastor Jesse's text was from Hosea 1. Love was the topic. Do the people you love, love you back? In Hosea the Lord told him to go and take an adulterous wife and have children with her. Hosea did and after she bore him three children then went back to her old life. The Lord then told Hosea to go and bring her back to him. He had to buy her because she had ended up being a slave.

Jesus loves everyone because they are worth saving. We should be proud of our heavenly father. The best was sent for the worst of this world. Jesus was sent to seek and save. That is why He sought us out. Jesus died for a way for us to go home.

Do you want to go to hell? Jesus gave it all but defeated death. Jesus wants all his children to come home. Jesus gave it all for us. What has Jesus done for you?

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The Lord himself goes before you and will be with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you. Do not be afraid; do not be

discouraged

-Deuteronomy 31:8, NIV

This is not just a promise; it's a profound reassurance for you, for all who love God. Moses, a faithful servant, is speaking to you and to us. God, your loving Father, goes before you. He clears the way. He is with you always, never abandoning or forsaking you. You can depend upon God to walk with His people. Because God is love and loves His people, you can be certain that His leadership will always be good. It is a great blessing, a source of security and comfort, to know that God is on your side and He is with you.

Those who walk in the light of this truth will find their fears fade away, and discouragement will vanish. When we are overwhelmed with fear and discouragement, it is a sure sign that we either have forgotten this promise or do not believe it. Jesus repeated this promise when He said, "Lo, I am with you always," at the conclusion of Matthew's Gospel. This promise, when embraced with faith, has the power to transform our lives, dispelling fear and discouragement.

Take a few minutes at the beginning of each day, a sacred moment of mindfulness, to remind yourself of this truth. Jesus is with you. He goes before you and will walk with you through the day as you walk in faith. He holds you in His mighty hand. You have nothing to fear. This daily practice not only strengthens our faith but also deepens our spiritual connection with God.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

JOHNNIE J. LOGUE

You Don't Know

I love the line from *Moneyball* where the Brad Pitt character tells his head scout that he doesn't know the future and he doesn't know if a young man will be a star player or not.

After the presidential debate on Thursday, it seemed like everybody had an expert opinion on the debate and the future. Just opinions and the fact is that you don't know.

When a pastor stands behind the pulpit on Sunday, his opinions and experiences do not really matter.

He is to preach the Word. Yeah, he gives his interpretation of the scriptures and you can find fault with that and argue the inerrancy of scripture but he is to preach the Word and he himself is to try to disappear.

My opinion. No, Paul told Timothy to Preach the Word. 2 Tim 4:2-3.

I heard preachers try to predict sporting events and when they are wrong it hurts their credibility.

What then can we know? Homer May was given a grand funeral last week. Yes, my opinion. His family gave moving testimonies. Seeing a man's substance reduced to a small box after cremation always draws my attention. There is our future. We can know that. Whether a grave, cremation, body is lost, doesn't matter. We will one day die. That you can know.

I am Johnie J. Logue, pastor of Grace Baptist Church at 31046 Hwy MM. Services on Sunday are at 10:00 AM, 11:00 AM and 4:00 PM, Call (660) 281-4775.

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

Well, I'm flabbergasted that anyone was flabbergasted about President Biden's performance at the debate. His condition has been obvious to anyone that's paid attention. Why isn't there a clear analogy to the Watergate cover up? In that fiasco you had a robust press that got to the bottom of it. In this fiasco, the press has been complicit with it. If you're looking for crimes, look no further than the southern border, ignoring Supreme Court rulings and Congressional oversight. Or how about smuggling top secret documents out of the SCIF as a United States Senator? This is about to get interesting! Now we're told that the President functions best between 10:00 AM and 4:00 PM. Not a problem, just tell our enemies to limit attacks to those hours. UNBELIEVABLE! Meanwhile, Hillary is waiting in the wings. You betcha!

Let's stay on the election here. Read an article that many people don't exercise their vote, because they don't believe it matters. Because they've stopped voting, they've also stopped paying attention to the issues and the candidates. Consider how important one vote has been in our nation's history. Had it not

been for one vote in 1776, our official language would be German. Had it not been for one vote in 1845, the state of Texas would not have become part of the United States. Had it not been for one vote in 1868, Andrew Jackson would have been impeached. Had it not been for one vote in 1876, Rutherford Hayes would not have been elected. One vote gave Oliver Cromwell control of England in 1645. One vote caused King Charles 1 of England to be executed in 1649. One vote changed France from a Monarchy to a Republic in 1875. In 1923 Adolph Hitler became the leader of the Nazi Party by one vote. November 5th is Election Day. Study the issues, examine the candidates, seek guidance from above and do vote!

What else...I'm in the middle of a book about the descendent's of the Mayflower. They number in the millions. It would be interesting to know how all of our ancestors got here. I found in a family history that a great-great-plus grandfather was a Danish seaman who came into New Amsterdam, now New York City. He was a ships carpenter and court records show an arrest for stealing a canoe. He told the judge

it was in bad shape when he found it and took it home to make repairs.

This will be a busy weekend. Big fireworks displays in Warsaw and Lincoln. Olde Glory Days in Clinton. Lots of visitors coming around the pass. Thanks to the volunteers who keep these reassuring traditions alive. Here's wishing you a happy and safe 4th of July Old Buddy. Take care of yourself.

Til Next Week:
J.M.W.



Dear Editor,
Since the debate, I've read opinions and editorials suggesting President Biden should step aside. It's interesting that they overlook the 90 minutes of lies from other guy. His habitual lying and gas-lighting were once again evident on Thursday night, with a CNN fact-checker taking over three minutes to list his lies. His bullying lies were not just lies — they were frightening opposites of the truth, uttered with the vigor and certainty of someone who has now mastered the dark art of demagoguery.

Trump should not have been permitted to participate in that event. A man who attempted to subvert the previous presidential election should not be involved in the current one. If not for questionable court delays, he might already be incarcerated. A convicted felon awaiting sentencing in under two weeks, is unfit to lead the nation.

While President Biden may not have had his best debate performance, he remained honest. He knows right from wrong. The future of our country isn't determined by one debate, nor does it encapsulate his commitment to working

families. He prioritizes America, advocating for women's reproductive rights and the concerns of rural families and farmers.

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MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING

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Are you anticipating an inheritance someday? If so, you may want to discuss it with your parents or other family members who may be leaving you the assets — because early, open communication will benefit everyone involved.

However, many people are reluctant to have these conversations. More than a third of Americans do not plan on discussing a transfer of wealth with their families, according to a recent study by Edward Jones in partnership with NEXT 360 Partners and Morning Consult. And the same study found that only about a quarter of Americans have actually discussed generational wealth transfer with their families.

Perhaps this low level of communication is not surprising — clearly, talking about wealth transfer and estate plans can be emotional. But having these discussions is important, for several reasons:

- **Strengthening family bonds** — Generational wealth transfer shouldn't be seen simply as a transactional event. By discussing your parents' plans and wishes, and your own expectations, you can build a sense of unity and shared purpose. And you can develop a common philosophy about how your family's legacy goals will be carried forward through the succeeding generations.

- **Avoiding unpleasant surprises** — If you or other family members are expecting a certain inheritance and things turn out differently, disappointment and bad feelings may occur. But this can be avoided by having a discussion beforehand that clearly outlines your parents' intentions. You still may not agree with them, but at least you'll know what to expect — and you won't make the mistake of acting in advance on any assumptions about what you'll inherit.

- **Developing appropriate strategies** — Passing on wealth to a new generation as part of an overall estate plan can be more complex than you might think. Are your parents using tax-smart strategies? Would they benefit from establishing a living trust? Are the beneficiary designations on their retirement accounts and life insurance policies accurate and up to date? If you suspect your parents may not have properly addressed these issues, you

may want to bring up the benefits of working with an estate-planning attorney and a tax advisor.

- **Protecting against incapacitation** — Many people go through their senior years with few, if any, physical or mental impairments. But there are no guarantees. If one or both of your parents were to become incapacitated and unable to handle their financial affairs, it could cause serious problems with their wealth transfer and estate-planning goals. But if you can discuss your parents' plans with them while they are healthy and alert, you can encourage them to take the proper steps, such as reviewing outdated estate-planning documents and designating you or another family member as power of attorney to make health care and financial decisions on their behalf should they become incapacitated.

While the benefits of having wealth-transfer and estate-planning discussions are clear, starting the conversations can be tricky. You need to show that you want to initiate these talks because you're concerned that proper plans need to be in place and understood by everyone involved. If you have a good relationship with your parents, you should be able to start these conversations, but you'll still need to be sensitive when bringing up the subject.

One final word: Estate plans can take some time to develop — so, the sooner you have these discussions, the better

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WORD ON THE STREET

Who do you think won the Presidential Debate?



"Neither President Biden nor President Trump won."
-Fred Johnson



"President Trump won it."
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UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI Extension Hay Sampling Techniques

by Gene Schmitz, Field Livestock Specialist

In the past, I've spent a lot of time discussing the importance of hay testing to determine appropriate feeding programs, but not much time discussing how to actually collect the samples. Many producers are concerned about hay quality this year, so a quick discussion on sampling techniques is warranted.

To collect the sample, use a hay test corer to get a cross section of the bales being sampled. Hay corers can be used with either electric drills or hand braces. Sample round bales from the side, not from the end. It will take some pressure to get the corer pushed into the bale. Moisture and bale density will impact the force needed to push the corer into the bale. Get the corer as deep into the bale as possible. This ensures sampling a good cross section of the bale at various depths across the bale. Do not pull a handful of hay from the end of the bale as your sample. That will not give an accurate result.

As with sampling any product, the results will only be as good as the sample that is collected and sent to the laboratory. I recommend sampling 10 to 12 bales from each lot of hay that is being tested. This could be from a specific cutting, specific field, different forage species, etc. Collect samples from the entire pile or line of bales to ensure bales from various places in the field are being sampled. Bringing a round bale or flake of hay to the Extension office for sampling is not a representative sample.

Place the collected sample from each bale into a plastic freezer bag. All samples collected from a lot of hay can be put into the same container or bag. Quart or half-gallon size freezer bags filled about 2/3 full should provide enough hay for the lab.

Once the sample has been collected and placed in the freezer bag, be sure to mark the bag with your name and sample identification.

Many commercial labs

provide forage analysis services. Each of these labs will have a form to submit along with the sample. Be sure to fill out the form carefully. Include information about the sample, such as cool-season grass hay, grass legume mixed hay, warm-season grass hay, legume haylage, etc. Some labs also request the species of animal the forage will be fed to.

Selecting which test to have the lab run is the last decision. If it is a common forage, I generally recommend tests that provide information on protein, energy and a few major minerals. For a few dollars more, a more extensive test with additional information on fiber analysis and trace minerals may be warranted. Test packages and costs vary from lab to lab, but generally range from \$20 to \$35 depending on the analysis being requested.

Most MU Extension offices have hay probes or at least access to this equipment. Many will have information and submission forms from several labs. Submission forms and fees are also available from laboratory websites.

If you have additional questions on hay testing, collecting, or submitting samples, contact me at schmitze@missouri.edu or

by calling the Pettis County Extension Center in Sedalia at (660) 827-0591. Your local MU Extension Center will also have information on hay testing. Hay testing is not hard, but the information is only as useful as the sample collected and analysis requested.

Better Numbers, Better Farm

Profitability: Is there anything left after the farm business pays all of its bills?

by Amie Breshears, Specialist in Ag Business

If you don't stay on top of numbers associated with your business, you will fail. You can't outearn disorganization or the need to handle your finances wisely. -Dave Ramsey

Handling your finances wisely means knowing some key numbers that indicate the health of your farm. One of those key numbers is your farm's **profitability**. Profitability measures the farm's financial performance over a given period of time, such as a month, quarter, or year.

Profitability measurements. Profitability measurements answer the question, "What's left after the farm business pays all of its bills?"

'Rate of return on farm assets (ROA)', 'rate of return on farm equity (ROE)', 'operating profit margin ratio', and 'asset turnover ratio' are common profitability measurements. For the purposes of this article, we will consider ROA now and the other three measurements will be explored in future articles. ROA measures how profitable a farm is in relation to its assets or 'profitability per dollar of assets'. This is done by dividing the income from operations (minus owner withdrawals for unpaid labor and management if the farmer is not taking a salary withdrawal) by the average total farm assets.

The formula for ROA is: $ROA = \frac{\text{income from operations} - \text{owner withdrawals for unpaid labor and management}}{\text{average total farm assets}}$. If the farm has \$100,000 in income from operations (after subtracting the owner's withdrawals) and \$1,000,000 in total farm assets, the ROA is .10. This means that every \$1.00 of assets is generating a 10% return. Is that a good number? It is! Generally, an ROA greater than .80 is considered 'strong'. A ROA of .41 to .79 is considered 'caution'. If the ROA is less than .41, that is considered 'vulnerable'. The example ROA of .10 is in the 'strong' range.

Why does this matter? The farm should be generating enough income to pay its debts; the ROA

should be higher than the interest rate that the farm is paying on its loans. If so, it's possible that additional debt could provide additional farm business growth. If the ROA is not higher than the interest rate that the farm is paying on its loans, the farm is not using its debt to profit. Instead, it is paying more for the debt than it is gaining from it. Doing so over time harms farm finances.

You CAN make improvements and improve your farm numbers, including profitability. One step at a time, day by day, small changes and better habits can add up to measurable results including better farm finances.

Take a look at MU Extension 'Farm Accounting' resources including **Missouri Farm Record Books**, budgets and spreadsheets available online (<http://tinyurl.com/mr2kny8>), muext.us/FarmAccounting, or at your county MU Extension office.

Have a recordkeeping or budgeting question? Want to pass along your experiences with farm records? Contact Amie at abreshears@missouri.edu, 660-619-7994, and follow MU Extension in Benton County on Facebook. Dr. Amie Breshears is an MU Extension specialist in Ag Business. She serves the West-Central Region. She and her husband, David, have three sons and raise beef cattle on their family farm near Warsaw, Missouri.

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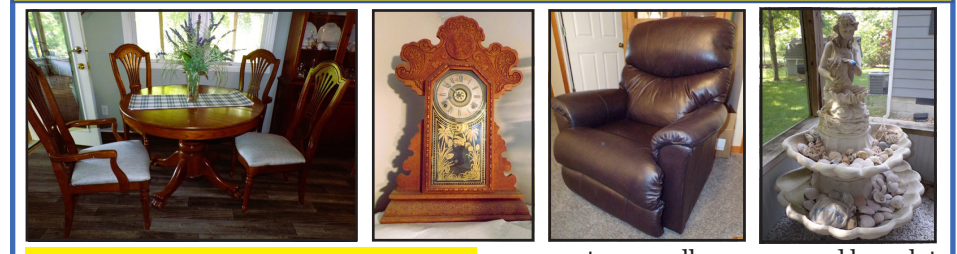
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Large commercial **Frigidaire** upright freezer, **Flex-Steel** hide-a-bed sofa, **Lay-Z-Boy** recliner, gun cabinet, claw foot round oak table w/4 chairs & 2 leaves, Wooden storage cabinet, antique kitchen clock, three tier metal stand, expanded metal patio table w/4 chairs, glass top patio table w/4 chairs, unique coffee table with treadle base, misc. collectible glass & pottery, three tier fountain, 4 - bamboo folding chairs, 8+ oil lanterns, De-Laval cream separator, 20gal **diamond** crock, lot various size crocks, primitive occ table, small parlor stove, 2 - iron kettles, lot misc. lawn decor, milk cans, 2 - corn shellers, 2 - white patio rocking chairs, horse drawn two row planter, 3'x3' smoke house, 1949 **Singer** "Feather-weight" sewing machine, singer treadle sewing machine, **Husqvarna** electric serger, **Husqvarna** portable sewing machine,

crosscut saw, well pump, carved bear, lot fishing poles & tackle, lot misc. live edge lumber various sizes (cedar oak etc.) lot fiberglass & alum ladders, electrical hand tools, 10" table saw, dado set, **Craftsman** 10" bandsaw, 5000watt generator, lot misc. socket sets & hand tools, **Great Neck** 6" bench vise, lot misc. hardware, **Performax** multi-cut compact circular saw, **Rockler** wall mount dust collector model 25344, **Grizzly** Lathe model G0462, **Grizzly** 6" universal surface grinder model G2790, **Grizzly** 6" jointer model G0654, **Grizzly** 15" Planer model G0551, **Ryobi** mantis style tiller, **Makita** worm drive circular saw, 110v window air conditioner, lot misc. long handled tools, **Stihl** 028 chainsaw w/case, lg home-made grill w/wheelbarrow base, **Craftsman** radial arm saw, 2 - portable air compressors, Kawasaki ele power washer,

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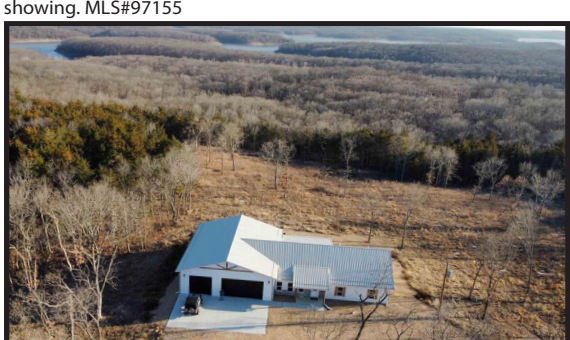
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Check out this beautiful waterfront home. Could be a full-time home or weekender. 3BR, 2BA home with full walkout basement. Breathtaking view of Lake of the Ozarks. Private dock on deep water with 2 jet ski lifts. Over 275 feet of water frontage. Multiple garages which include an oversized garage (28x48) and a 22x30 garage, and extra outbuildings. Property is private and secluded just off blacktop road. \$449,900 Only minutes from shopping. Call Kennie and set up a showing before its gone! **MLS#97937**



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Gorgeous Shouse on 12.9 +/- acres with breathtaking views of valley and Truman Lake in the distance. Acreage has perfect mix of open and mature timber just off blacktop, minutes from Truman Lake access. Lake of the Ozarks & town of Warsaw within 10 minutes also. 2 year old custom built 3 BR, 2BA home, all one level with no steps, upgraded tile flooring throughout, granite countertops/backsplashes, large master suite, covered patio, 40x50 insulated shop with 12' ceilings attached. Too much to list! \$549,999 Call John for more details. **MLS#97135**



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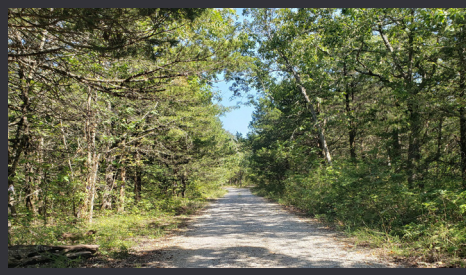
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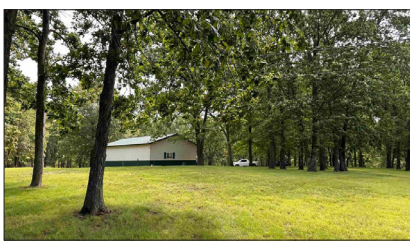


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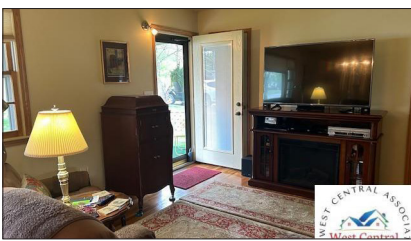
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LIVING QUARTERS! MLS #97813 \$249,900



14.9 Acres of Beautiful Fully Fenced Timber With Riding Trails Everywhere! The property has a 45 x 30 Morton Building in excellent condition with living quarters and room to expand. Living quarters features and open floor plan with kitchen and bathroom with shower and comes mostly furnished! Additional 20x20 tractor shed on property with gravel floor for equipment and tools. Fiber optic internet run to the property. 785 feet of MM Hwy frontage with locked gate on the property! Enjoy the deer and turkey year round!

TWO LARGE LOTS! MLS #97434 \$235,000



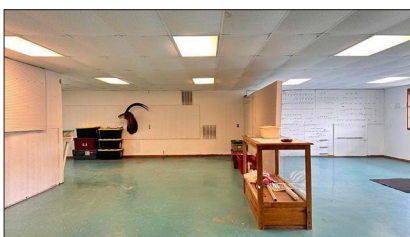
Beautiful 2 bedroom 2 bath ranch home in Warsaw. Great kitchen with custom cabinets & granite countertops, stainless-steel range, refrigerator, dishwasher & built-in microwave, plus other upgrades. Sitting on two large lots!! The large 32x24 two car garage is sitting on the additional lot. The extra building is wired for 100 amp with 50 amp and 30 amp RV connections. Steel siding on home and garage and new steel insulated overhead doors on house garage. Also new insulated front and back doors.

4-PLEX! MLS #96996 \$239,900



Investment Opportunity Is Waiting For You!!! This newly remodeled 4-Plex in Warsaw features large corner lot in town. Three apartments on the main level and one upstairs. New roof, siding and windows were just installed on the property and inside remodeling done also. Call for more questions!

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY! MLS #97185 \$238,900



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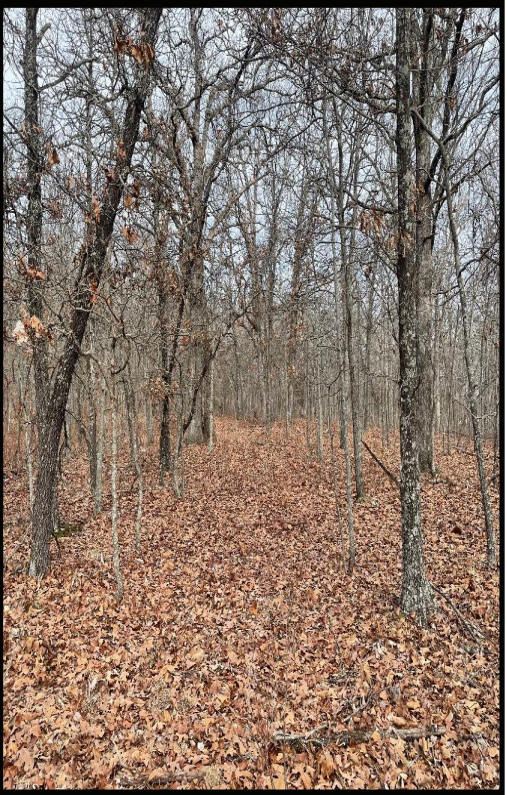
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HUGE historic home in downtown Warsaw in need of tender love and care! Sitting on 2 lots, the house is zoned for commercial use, and if renovated would make a gorgeous bed and breakfast / VRBO. Vacant lot to the rear of the house is zoned residential single or multi-family. There are 4 bedrooms and 5 1/2 bathrooms, and it is located just blocks from the Marina District. Investors bring your vision and your work gloves to this historic home! **\$180,000**
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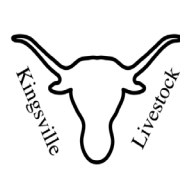


A Nichols Worth Of NATURE
By Donnie Nichols

I hope this answers your question, Dotty. Perhaps, at sometime, you've noticed perfectly round holes in the eaves or along the windowsill or other areas of wood on your house, lawn furniture or out buildings. They are caused by bees commonly known as carpenter bees (derived from their habit of boring into hard plant material such as dead wood). They belong to the genus Xylocopa of which there are some 500 species. The eastern carpenter bee (Xylocopa

virginica), which we have in Missouri, resembles bumble bees both in size and appearance. Most of the top of the abdomen of carpenter bees is without hairs and are shiny black in color in contrast to the abdomen of bumble bees which are fully clothed with hair, many of which are yellow in color. Bumble bees are social insects that live in colonies typically located in the ground. Carpenter bees are solitary insects that do not form colonies. Males have a yellow or white marking on their heads and are unable to sting. Females have only black heads and are capable of stinging but must be extremely provoked before

they do so. It is the males that are noticed hovering in the vicinity of the nest defending their territories. Carpenter bees do not eat wood. They excavate tunnels for shelter and as chambers in which to rear their young. They feed on pollen and are important plant pollinators. Young adult male and female bees hibernate in tunnels during the winter. They mate and emerge in the spring. Females begin a nest by drilling a nearly perfectly round entrance hole (about 1/2" in diameter) into the wood. This hole is usually against the grain of the wood. When the tunnel is about 1" deep, the bee turns at right angles to the



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WHERE THE CRITTERS ARE

By Bill Bobb

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initial hole and tunnels with the grain of the wood. She excavates at a rate of about 1" every six days. Each chamber is provisioned with a portion of "bee bread" which is a mixture of pollen and regurgitated nectar which serves as food for the larva. An egg is deposited in the food supply and each chamber is sealed with a plug of chewed pulpwood creating 6-10 partitioned cells in a linear row in one gallery and she dies soon thereafter. Males likewise are short lived. Larvae feed on the pollen/nectar food mass which is sufficient food for them to develop to the adult stage. The life cycle (egg, larva, pupa, adult) is completed in approximately

seven weeks. All of the new adult bees typically remain in the gallery for several weeks then chew through the cell partitions and venture outside in late August to feed. They collect and store pollen in the existing galleries but also spend much of the time huddled together inside the same gallery where they developed. There is one generation per year in northern states but sometimes two generations in the southern states. Nail holes, exposed saw cuts and unpainted wood are attractive sites for bees to start excavation. Carpenter bees avoid wood that is well painted and is a good deterrent to these

bees. Their initial tunneling is minor and seldom causes consequential structural damage. However, extensive damage can result over time as many generations of carpenter bees enlarge existing galleries extending them to ten feet or more. "It is not how busy you are, but why you are busy - the bee is praised, the mosquito is swatted." Unknown

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For default under the terms of the Deed of Trust executed by Samantha J. Guyton, a married woman, dated March 12, 2021, recorded on March 12, 2021, in Book 2021 on Page No. 1239 as Instrument No. 202101239, Office of the Recorder of Deeds, Benton County, Missouri. The undersigned Successor Trustee, between the hours of 9:00 am and 5:00 pm, will on July 11, 2024, at 10:00 AM at the Northwest Front Door of the Benton County Courthouse, 316 Van Buren Street, Warsaw, Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash (certified funds only) the following real estate:

Lots 6 and 7, Block 2 of SECOND ADDITION TO TEAL BEND, a subdivision in Benton County, Missouri, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Also part of the Northwest Quarter of Section 4, Township 40 North, Range 23 West of the 5th P.M. in Benton County, Missouri, described as follows:

Beginning at the most southerly corner of said Lot 7, Block 2, of Second Addition to Teal Bend, a subdivision; thence northeasterly along the southeasterly line of said Lots 7 and 6 of Block 2, to the most easterly corner of said Lot 6; thence southeasterly 130 feet along the southeasterly extension of the northeasterly line of said Lot 6; thence southwesterly 100 feet, parallel with the southeasterly line of said Lots 6 and 7 to the southeasterly extension of the southwesterly line of said Lot 7; thence northwesterly 130 feet along the southeasterly extension of the southwesterly line of said Lot 7 to the place of beginning.

to satisfy said debt and costs.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI AT WARSAW

PROBATE DIVISION CASE NO. 23BE-PR00083

IN THE ESTATE OF: MARY JO MCGINNIS, DECEASED.

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION

(Sec. 473.587-.590 RSMo.)

FOR ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN: ESTATE OF MARY JO MCGINNIS, DECEASED

You are hereby notified that on July 12, 2024, or as may be continued by the Court, the undersigned will file in the Benton County Circuit Court, Probate Division, in Warsaw, Missouri, the final settlement and petition for distribution of the estate and for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein. Any objections or exceptions to such settlement or application or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within twenty (20) days after the filing of such settlement.

Dated: 6/14/2024

/s/Tamena Estes, Administrator Estate of Mary Jo McGinnis, Deceased

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REQUEST FOR BIDS

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

Case No. 24BE-PR00058

IN THE MATTER OF ALYSSA RAYNE PEREZ GONZALEZ, A Minor, dob 01/28/2013, ERIC ADAM TOBIN, Petitioner.

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

State of Missouri to Respondent: Carlos Rafael Perez Gonzalez.

You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Benton County, Missouri, Probate Division, the object and general nature of which is to secure guardianship for your child.

The names of all parties to said action are stated above and the name and address of the attorney for Petitioner is: Myron J. McNeal, 501 South Ohio Avenue, Sedalia, Missouri 65301.

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear to defend against the aforesaid petition within 45 days after JULY 4TH, 2024, the date of first publication of this notice, judgment by default will be taken against you.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Benton County Enterprise, a newspaper of general circulation published in

Benton County, Missouri.

Dated: 06/26/2024

CIRCUIT COURT CLERK PROBATE DIVISION CIRCUIT COURT OF BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI

By: Julia J. Harms Deputy Clerk

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IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

Case Number: 24BE-PR00056

In the Estate of VICTORIA M COCHRAN, Deceased.

Notice of Letters of Administration Granted (Supervised Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of VICTORIA M COCHRAN, Decedent:

On JUNE 25, 2024, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of VICTORIA M COCHRAN, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Benton County, Missouri. The personal representative's business address and phone number is:

JASON D. HURST, 10722 FREEMONT AVE, KANSAS CITY, MO 64134;

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is: GALE B. DULL, 220 W. MAIN ST./P.O.BOX 1495, WARSAW, MO 65355; 660-438-7102

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

SHANDA SCHULTZ, CIRCUIT CLERK Julia J. Harms, Deputy Clerk

Date of the decedent's death: 29-FEB-2024

Date of first publication: JULY 4, 2024

Receipt of this notice by mail should not be construed by the recipient to indicate that the recipient necessarily has a beneficial interest in the estate. The nature and extent of any person's interest, if any, can be determined from the files and records of this estate in the Probate Division of the above referenced Circuit Court.

DATES OF PUBLICATION: 7/4/24; 7/11/24; 7/18/24; 7/25/24

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SOLICITING BIDS

The Warsaw R-IX School District is seeking bids for Pest Control Services. For details on bids please visit: https://www.warsawk12.org/page/bid-opportunities.

Pest Control Bids must be submitted to the Superintendent's office at 20363 Lane of Champions, Warsaw, MO 65355 or by email to Scott Gemes at sgemes@warsawk12.org by Tuesday, July 16, 2024 by 4:00pm.

Date(s) of Publication: 7/4/24 SOLICITING BIDS

The Warsaw R-IX School District is seeking bids for Fuel. For details on bids please visit: https://www.warsawk12.org/page/bid-opportunities.

Fuel Bids must be submitted to the Superintendent's office at 20363 Lane of Champions, Warsaw, MO 65355 or by email to Scott Gemes at sgemes@warsawk12.org by Tuesday, July 16, 2024 by 4:00pm.

Date(s) of Publication: 7/4/24

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

To All Persons Interested in the trust estate of Robert J. Million, decedent. The undersigned CAROL ANN MILLION and RICHARD LEE STOLZ are the Co-Successor Trustees under the R.J.M. Living Trust Agreement Dated June 10, 2020, (and as may be amended) the terms of which provide that the debts of the decedent may be paid by the Successor Trustees upon receipt of proper proof thereof. The address of the Trustee is: c/o Jeremiah Mosley, LLC, Attorney & Counselor at Law, 601 Commercial Street, P.O. Box 1119, Warsaw, Missouri 65355; Phone (660) 530-0103.

All creditors of the decedent are hereby noticed to present their claims to the undersigned within six (6) months from the date of the first publication of this notice or be forever barred.

CAROL ANN MILLION and RICHARD LEE STOLZ, Co-Successor Trustees.

First date of publication: July 4, 2024.

To be published in the Benton County Enterprise, Warsaw, Benton County, Missouri, for four (4) consecutive weeks.

Date(s) of publication July 4, 11, 18, 25, 2024.



Joshua Logan Davis of Cole Camp, MO was arrested on 6-24-24 on a Perry County warrant for Failure to Appear/Careless and Impudent Driving. Bond is set at \$300.00 cash only. Subject posted bond and was released with a court date.

Sally Ann Rife Odette of Overland Park, KS was arrested on 6-25-24 on a Benton County warrant for Domestic Assault-2nd Degree. Bond is set at \$10,000.00 cash or surety. Subject posted bond and was released with a court date.

Kalyn Marie Daniels of Warrensburg, MO was arrested on 6-25-24 on a Benton County Warrant

for Failure to Obey Judge's Orders. Bond is set at \$10,000.00 surety only. Subject is being held in the Benton County Detention Facility

Nathan Wayne Pendleton of Clinton, MO was arrested on 6-25-24 and placed on a 12-hour detox. Subject completed the detox and was released.

Marcelle Francine Page of Warsaw, MO was arrested on 6-25-24 on a Benton County warrant for Driving While Intoxicated-Prior, Assault-4th Degree, Operate a Motor Vehicle in a Careless and Imprudent Manner Involving an Accident, Operate Vehicle on Highway Without a Valid License Bond is set at \$5,000.00 surety only. Subject posted bond and was released with a court date.

Jessica Kay James of Warsaw, MO was arrested on 6-26-24 on Benton County and Pettis County warrants for Operate a Vehicle on Highway Without Valid License-2nd offense and Failure to Appear. Bonds are set at \$5,000.00 cash or surety and \$300.00 cash only. Subject posted bond and was released with a court date

Chris Lee Wilson of Warsaw, MO was arrested on 6-27-24 on a Buchanan County warrant for Probation Violation. Bond is set at \$500.00 cash only. Subject posted bond and was released with a court date.

Kolby Max Jenkins of Pleasant Hope, MO was sentenced on 6-28-24 to 48 hours in the Benton County Detention Facility. Subject completed his sentence and was released.

Crystal Sue Watts of Lincoln, MO was arrested on 6-29-24 on a Pettis County warrant for Possession of a Controlled Substance. Bond is set at \$7,500.00 cash or surety. Subject is being held in the Benton County Detention Facility.

Christopher Robin Ellis of Lincoln, MO was arrested on 6-29-24 for Domestic Assault-4th Degree. Subject was placed on a 12 hour Detox hold. Upon completion of the Detox hold, subject was released with a court date.

Gina M Weaver of Windsor, Mo was arrested on 6-29-24 on a Benton County warrant for Possession of a Controlled Substance and Unlawful Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. Bond is set at \$10,000.00 surety only. Subject posted bond and was released with a court date.

Dustin Ray Street of Warsaw, MO was arrested on 6-30-24 on a Benton County and a Camden County warrant for Deliver a Controlled Substance Except 35 grams or less of Marijuana, and Parole Violation. Subject is being held in the Benton County Detention Facility on a no bond status.

Robert Carl Louis Register of Warsaw, MO was arrested on 6-30-24 on a Polk County warrant. Subject was released to another county.



BENTON COUNTY PROPERTY TRANSFERS *PLEASE NOTE: ONLY THE FIRST GRANTOR & FIRST GRANTEE ARE LISTED. OTHER NAMES MAY APPEAR ON THE DOCUMENT.

Table with columns: Grantor, Grantee, Instr #, Series, Inst #, Book, Page, First Legal, First Reference, Rec Date. Contains multiple rows of property transfer records.

Nominating Committee Formed

The board of directors of Southwest Electric Cooperative met on Friday, June 28, 2024, and appointed a committee to nominate directors from district two, district five, and district seven. The nominating committee consists of Mick Hood, Polk County, Jerry Duff, Dallas County, Tim Logan, Hickory County, Thad Henderson, Benton County, Kenneth Bacon, Dallas County, and Robert Marchi, Benton County. The nominating committee will meet on Tuesday, July 23, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. at Southwest Electric Cooperative's headquarters in Bolivar. The cooperative members will vote on these nominees at the 85th Annual Meeting on Saturday, September 14, 2024.

Date(s) of Publication: 7/4, 7/11/2024.

Meet Your Republican North Benton County Candidates

The Republican candidates for North Benton County elected positions will be available at an event on Thursday, July 11th. The evening is hosted by the Benton County Republican Women and will take place at Faith Chapel Church, 1002 S. Fowler St. in Cole Camp.

Both candidates for Sheriff and both for North Commissioner will attend. Also invited are 3 men running to represent Cole township on the Republican Central Committee. The other northern township committee seats are unopposed. Doors will open at 6:00 pm for an informal "meet & greet" time downstairs to visit and enjoy appetizers and drinks. At 7:00 pm we will be upstairs where each candidate will be given time

to speak. Questions for the candidates will follow.

If you are a Republican or lean in that direction, this is a great opportunity to hear from the candidates and ask important questions.

The Missouri Primary election is Tuesday, Aug. 6. You have until Wed. July 10th to register to vote if you are not already registered. The Primary election is how each party chooses the candidate who will then go on to the November General election vote for the office. Benton County Republican Women is open to all women in our county who would like to make a difference and promote the conservative values and views of the Republican party.

PROSECUTOR'S POST
ROD RICHARDSON
Prosecuting Attorney

Greetings. Below are the cases that were resolved/indicted in the Associate and Circuit Courts of Benton County from June 1st - 30th, 2024. Dispositions:

George A. Nelson: male, age 62, Warsaw, Missouri, was found guilty of the felony charge of Possession of a Controlled Substance and sentenced to 2 years in the Missouri Department of Corrections.

Shaun M. Cox: male, age 46, Lincoln, Missouri, was found guilty of the misdemeanor charge of DWI - Prior and sentenced to 10 days in the Benton County Jail.

Shane D. Giacometto: male, age 27, Warsaw, Missouri, was found guilty of the felony charge of Domestic Assault in the 3rd Degree and sentenced to 2 years in the Missouri Department of Corrections.

Timothy V. Terry: male, age 40, Joplin, Missouri, was found guilty of the misdemeanor charge of Unlawful Possession of

Drug Paraphernalia and sentenced to 60 days in the Benton County Jail. J

Jeremy J. Jones: male, age 39, Clinton, Missouri, was found guilty of the felony charge of Driving While Revoked/Suspended and sentenced to 2 years in the Missouri Department of Corrections.

Bonnie S. Sandifer: female, age 66, Sedalia, Missouri, was found guilty of the misdemeanor charge of Trespass in the 1st Degree and sentenced to 7 days in the Benton County Jail.

Jeremy R. Mullins: male,

age 36, Warsaw, Missouri, was found guilty of the misdemeanor charge of Resisting An Arrest and sentenced to 23 days in the Benton County Jail.

Misty Card: female, age XX, Warsaw, Missouri, was found guilty of the felony charge of Receiving Stolen Property and sentenced to 118 days in the Benton County Jail.

Indictments:
 Lonnie R. Thompson: male, age 55, Warsaw, Missouri, was indicted on the felony charge of Domestic Assault in the 4th Degree.

Donald Nations: male, age 47, Warsaw, Missouri, was indicted on the felony charge of Rape or Attempted Rape in the 1st Degree.

Jason Palmer: male, age 49, Windsor, Missouri, was indicted on the felony charge of Stealing a Motor Vehicle.

Frisco Wehrly: male, age 36, Warsaw, Missouri, was indicted on the felony charge of Assault in the 3rd Degree.

VOLUNTEER HELP is needed at the Salvation Army office in Warsaw, MO, the Benton County Salvation Army is in need of clerical help at our office. Some computer skills will be helpful but not necessary. Wages may be available for those 55 or older. If interested, call (660) 464-1381 or (660) 464-0432 NC-PU-TFN

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