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Clinton Fights Teacher Shortage With 'Grow Your Own' Program

BY DEANNA HENDRICH
Staff Reporter

Across the state, teachers and students have returned to the classroom. But according to the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education, not every classroom has a teacher or one with the proper certification.

A report released in May 2023 showed that 3,915 teaching positions were left vacant or were filled by someone not certified in the subject area. The two areas with the largest number of vacancies were elementary education and special education.

The Clinton School District understands the teacher shortage. Jennifer Corson, principal at Clinton High School, said she has seen the number of applications drop.

"Ten years ago, we might have received 20 applications for a position, and now we only see two or three for the same position," she said. "I don't know of many districts, even bigger districts, that aren't struggling to get quality people into their schools."

Enter the "Grow Your Own" program. Funded by the Missouri education department, the program



HANDS ON EXPERIENCE, CHS Senior Chelsi Berry helped Rayne Stewart with an assignment. Berry spends three hours each day in Michele Bramell's second-grade classroom.

works with school districts to identify and develop prospective teachers at the high school level, Corson said.

The Clinton district applied for the state grant last year and was one of 125 districts chosen. Corson said local students could find a number of career exploration options through the Clinton Techni-

cal School, the military and other areas, but nothing existed for education.

"I love the career education part of high school and helping students figure out their interests so they know what they're going to do after they graduate," she said. "It's a passion of mine. So I decided I would take this on and write this grant and hopefully we can

encourage some kids to go into teaching."

The school district used the \$10,000 grant to set up an internship program for juniors and seniors, Corson said. In addition to spending time each day in a classroom, the students attended two events at the University of Central Missouri. Those events gave

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Deepwater Celebrates Purple Heart City Designation During Ceremonies



COMMUNITY MEMBERS CAME TOGETHER to mark Deepwater as Purple Heart City in Honor of Veterans.

In a heartfelt ceremony on Veterans Day, Mayor Corrine Lesmeister officially proclaimed Deepwater, Missouri, a Purple Heart City. This honor recognizes the sacrifices made by military veterans, particularly those who have been wounded or killed in combat while serving the United States.

During the proclamation, Mayor Lesmeister expressed her deep gratitude to the veterans for their service and sacrifice. "Today, we honor the bravery and dedication of our veterans who have given so much for our freedom," she stated.

The ceremony featured several moving tributes, including a performance of "Taps" by members of the local Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) post, followed by a military three-gun salute. The patriotic atmosphere was further enhanced by singer Teea Goans, who delivered a powerful rendition of the National Anthem.

As the event concluded, Mayor Lesmeister called upon the community to remember and support both veterans and active military members. "God bless our veterans and our current military," she said, underscoring the city's commitment to honoring those

who have served. Deepwater's designation as a Purple Heart City is a significant gesture of respect and recognition for the courage and sacrifices of its veterans.



Fire Dept. Raises Safety Concerns To City Council

In a regularly scheduled meeting the Clinton City Council met on Tuesday August 20 where Mayor Carla Moberly presided. Present for the meeting were Council Persons Gene Henry, Roger House, Austin Jones, Gary Mount, Shelley Nelson and Greg Shannon. Absent were Council Persons Cameron Jackson and Stacia Wilson. Others present included City Clerk Wendee Seaton, City Attorney Doug Harris, Deputy Fire Chief Mark Willings, Deputy Police Chief John Scott and Deputy Police Chief Abbott.

Following the Pledge of Allegiance, minutes were approved from the August 6 meeting. There were no

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Area Horseshoe Pitchers Hit The Stake Over Long Weekend

BY JENNIFER JACKSON
Staff Reporter

Last weekend, more than 160 horseshoe pitchers from around the state converged on the Benson Center for the Missouri Horseshoe Pitchers State Tournament. It is the first time the state tournament has been held in Clinton in the 103 years of the horseshoe pitchers' association.

Clinton Mayor Carla Moberly threw out the first two horseshoes to officially open the tournament, and acquitted herself admirably.

"I practiced the other night," the Mayor said, joking that if she hit the floor, they could bill her for the damage. "Do you have a plastic horseshoe?"

The weekend-long event drew 56 pitchers for doubles on Friday, divided into 3 sections of the exhibit hall, and 110 singles, who pitched on Saturday and Sunday, according to Ron Highley, state MOHPA president. Ron, who is from Harrisonville, and Jim Kinney, Jr., of Drexel, organized the event. Jim reorganized the Golden Valley



RINGERS AND DINGERS, Clinton Mayor Carla Moberly officially opened the MOHPA State Tournament at the Benson Center.

which met in Artesian Park.

Before the Mayor opened the Labor Day weekend tournament, Ron thanked Paula Huffman, Parks and Recreation office manager. Paula said the horseshoe pitchers were a pleasure to work with, and wished them all ringers. The mayor also welcomed the pitchers to Clinton, and said she was happy to have new people visit Clinton and to be sure to try the hot rolls

from Dietz Family Buffet. Dietz catered the MOHPA awards dinner Saturday night. The pitchers also went across to Elite Billiards after their business meeting Friday evening for a horseshoe pitchers-only billiards tournament, beverages and buffalo wings.

At Saturday night's awards banquet, James Driver and Laura Johnson were inducted into the Missouri Horseshoe Pitchers Hall

of Fame by Dee McIntire, Hall of Fame chairman. James, from Jefferson City, belongs to the Capital City Horseshoe Club, Dee said, where he helps organize events and helps the other pitchers. Laura, who is from Independence and belongs to the Liberty Horseshoe Club, promotes MOHPA as the editor of Shoe Biz, the online newsletter.

MOHPA rented the indoor

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Have I Got A Line For You!

By James Mahlon White



During a family lunch on Saturday the conversation drifted to the Missouri Supreme Court....not sure how. When I got home, I looked up a list of Missourians who've held that position. I used the Missouri Blue Book, our state manual. The list shows very few justices from southern Missouri. Most have come from the northeast part of the state. I found a couple of my great-grandmother's cousins on the list. One was from St. Joe and his name was Archaeus Marius Woodson. How's that for a name? It ranks right up there with Julius Flavius. Many folks read classical literature back then and these names were often used and carried down generations. A nice custom! I do enjoy early Missouri history, but would have a terrible time listing all of the counties, 114 of them...or is it 113? Grab a pencil and see how many you can remember. Speaking of history, I wouldn't mind visiting Arrow Rock again, where many of our ancestors disembarked, put their worldly goods in wagons and set out to find land for a homestead. ****

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: "Government is instituted for the common good; for the protection, safety, prosperity and happiness of the people; and not for profit, honor, or private interest of any one man, family, or class of men; therefore, the people alone have an incontestable, unalienable, and indefeasible right to institute government; and to reform, alter, or totally change the same, when their protection, safety, prosperity, and happiness require it." John Adams ****

Let's jump to something. The migrant crisis is out of control. In Colorado an armed crew of Venezuelans stormed an apartment building and in California a group of migrants tried to board a school bus. Bet they were looking to hitch a ride to the nearest government agency handing out phones and hotel rooms. UNBELIEVABLE! The Sheriff's Office in Col-

orado said they were conducting an investigation, "To determine if a criminal act had occurred." The Governor said the migrant crisis is "People's imagination." This is absolute INSANITY! Ah well, the good citizens in Colorado and California voted for these policies and probably will again. I'm jealous of them. They have politicians that actually deliver on their promises. Meanwhile, our country continues to rot from the inside. ****

Time to bow of this keyboard, and will do so with an old Irish blessing. "May God not put out the light of Heaven on our souls or on the souls of the dead who are gone before us with the sign of faith." And may lots of light surround you and protect you too Old Buddy. . ****

Til Next Week: J.M.W.



SAVE THE DATE: Sept. 18th; Economic Development Luncheon. Join the Chamber and Economic Development director Mark Dawson for a discussion on what's going on in Clinton. For details, just go the Chamber's Facebook page; https://www.facebook.com/ClintonMO/ -----

Last week, we continued our "Featured" segments on the Chamber's Facebook page. We are now taking text and images from our member's websites, Facebook pages, Google searches, etc. and combining them into posts on our Facebook page. "Featured with the GCACC". It gives the viewer a "one-stop shopping experience" for each of our Chamber members. We have a lot of Chamber members so getting every business on our page will take quite a while, but we think it's well worth it! It's just another service from YOUR Chamber of Commerce. This week, we "Featured" TRUMAN LAKE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION...BANKS MOTORS...BEE'S CLEANING SERVICE...TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH...TRAVEL CONNECTIONS...BENWARE TRACTOR AND AUTOMOTIVE IN URICH AND CLINTON...BERNARD TAX AND BOOKKEEPING...TRANSCONTINENTAL PACKAGING (TC)...TRACTOR SUPPLY OF CLINTON...BIG BROTHERS/BIG SISTERS OF HENRY CO. -----

Missouri Humanities-Ready, set, VOTE...for Clinton, MO!

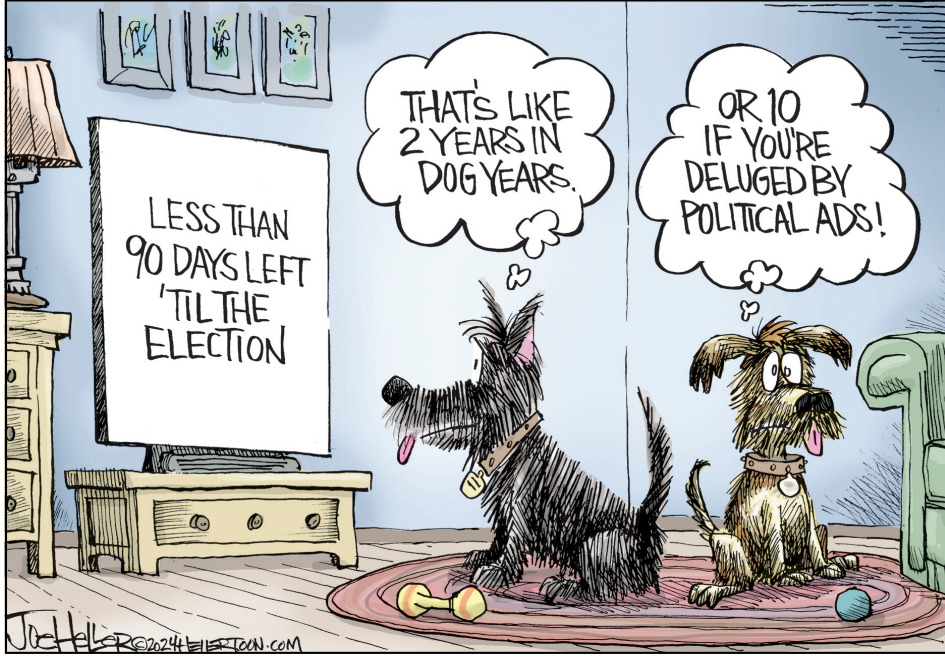
Voting has begun for the next round of Small Town Showcase! Click the link below to cast your vote and help choose which five Missouri communities will be featured in a short film and podcast. Voting closes on October 1st!

VOTE NOW: https://forms.gle/eSrjCevi2ZLXc1TA9 -----

Jobs Mo Gov-Are you interested in expanding your knowledge and skills? To learn more about online learning and training courses that are available at no cost, visit https://bit.ly/3U3YgGI -----

Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce-Be sure to check out our community calendar at https://clintonmo.com/clinton-chamber-of-commerce/calendar/ -----

Cruise to Clinton. Cruise Night is a cruise-in held on the Clinton, MO Square, from 4pm till 7pm on the 2nd Saturday of the month from May thru October. Plenty of shade and parking available, with food vendors



Get to Know Clinton, MO.

NAME: Robert Ingram BIRTHPLACE: Kansas City, MO HOBBIES: Hunting and fishing and watching the Chiefs. EDUCATION: Raytown High School graduate. WHAT DID YOU WANT TO BE WHEN YOU GREW UP? A U.S. Marshal. FIRST JOB: Bagged groceries. FAVORITE CHILDHOOD MEMORY: Visiting the Grand Canyon in Arizona. THE BEST TIME OF MY LIFE WAS WHEN: When I got married. WHAT IS THE BEST THING ABOUT LIVING IN HENRY COUNTY: Being out of the city, but close enough to have places to

eat and shop. Peace of mind. WHAT DO YOU VALUE MOST IN YOUR FRIENDS? Honesty. WHAT IS YOUR GREATEST FEAR? Not being able to say goodbye to someone you love. I'VE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO: Eat sushi. IF I WON THE LOTTERY, I WOULD: Buy a good fishing boat and save the rest. MY DREAM TRIP WOULD BE TO: Gold Coast of Australia. WHICH PERSON DO YOU ADMIRE MOST: My Grandmother Donna who raised me. She made it all happen! FAVORITE BAND OR MUSICIAN: George Strait



and Lynard Skynard.. FAVORITE MOVIE: Forrest Gump. FAVORITE SNACK: Beef jerkey. FUTURE GOAL: Be a good father. ADVICE YOU'D GIVE YOUR YOUNGER SELF: Keep moving forward, keep on keeping on! WORDS TO LIVE BY: See above answer.

on site and a DJ playing music and giveaways. After several cruise nights there will be an actual short cruise. All rides welcome...50/50 raffle...For all the details, check out Clinton Cruise Night on Facebook or email matt-wray1968@gmail.com. -----

Clinton, MO Parks & Recreation · Desty Haddock has decided to retire after 20 years at the Parks & Rec. We will have a reception on Friday Sept. 6th 1 - 3 pm at the Community Center. Please come and wish Desty a happy retirement! -----

First Baptist Church - Clinton, MO · ONE WEEKEND / TWO CONFERENCES. Attend either or attend both. Stronger families make stronger communities! ** Space is limited so register NOW at the link below! https://firstbaptist.churchcenter.com/regi.../events/2425112 -----

As a community, we want to show gratitude to: First Responders, Emergency Personnel, and to all those lost. You're invited to the 23rd anniversary on Wed., Sept. 11th at 7am on the SW corner of the Downtown Clinton Square. -----

We request the honor of your presence as we honor; Retirement Reception of Sheriff (Ret) J. Kent Oberkrom Saturday, September 14, 2024 1:00-4:00 p.m. Brief Ceremony at 2:00 p.m. At The Benson Convention Center 1008 E. Sedalia Ave, Clinton, MO

Sheriff Oberkrom has served Henry County for over Twenty-Seven and Half Years. This is a come and go event, no gifts, only cards please. Hosted by Henry County Republican Club, Henry County Republican Central Committee And Henry County Elected Officials and Friends. J. Scott Brooks, President (HCRC) henrycomogop@gmail.com -----

Primitive Olde Crow & Winery, LLC - Clinton join us for Fall Junkfest on September 14. Experience a fun-filled day of shopping, delicious food, and entertainment for all ages. Explore a variety of vendor booths, enjoy tasty pizza, wine, and beer, and

let the kids have a blast in the bounce house! Location: Primitive Olde Crow Winery, Clinton Vendor registration is now open! Don't miss out on this fantastic event. Sign up as a vendor : https://form.jotform.com/241995131848062 For more info: https://www.facebook.com/events/823814923181044 -----

The public is invited to attend the J.C. Smith Foundation Open House on Tuesday, September 17 from 5-6:30 p.m. at State Fair Community College. The Foundation was established through an estate gift provided by J.C. Smith to promote and expand health-related fields of study at SFCC in Clinton. We encourage you to stop in and see how the Foundation has helped fund impressive technology and enhanced the environment to aid real-world learning and improve student experience and education. The Foundation also helps support student needs and covers educational costs when other resources are unavailable. -----

Clinton Main Street · TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE!! Purchase your ticket for the Clinton Main Street 2024 Piccadilly now at the link below or in person at the Greater Clinton Area Chamber of Commerce. Event details: Tuesday September 17th at 5:30pm. \$40 per ticket includes dinner and dessert. Get ready for a glamorous evening filled with drama, fashion, and fabulousness. Join us at the Benson Convention Center for a night you won't forget. Rub shoulders with the elite, sip on cocktails, enjoy a spectacular dinner, and immerse yourself in the world of the Real Housewives as we raise money through our Piccadilly auction to help preserve our Historic Clinton Downtown. Don't miss out on this exclusive opportunity to experience the glitz and glam firsthand. Grab your friends and get ready to indulge in a night of luxury and entertainment! PURCHASE HERE: https://www.eventbrite.com/.../real-housewives-of... -----

WILS is hosting a FREE Outdoors Without Limits event on September 18 from 10 AM - 12 PM at Hazel Hill Lake, Warrensburg! Enjoy a day in the great outdoors with us! Details: Date: September 18 Time: 10 AM - 12 PM Location: Hazel Hill Lake, Warrensburg Cost: FREE (Lunch included!) This event is open to individuals with a disability living in Benton, Henry, Johnson, Lafayette, Pettis, and Saline counties. RSVP Required! Call WILS at 855-945-7929 to reserve your spot. We can't wait to see you there! -----

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HENRY CO. MEMORY FUND WINE EVENT Mitchell & Tami Mills Residence Date: Saturday, September 21, 2024 Time: 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM \$50 per person - limited tickets available Tickets include food and wine tasting 437 SE AA Clinton, MO Silent Auction and Live Music to accompany the event. For more information and to purchase tickets please call or text Amanda Long @ 816-718-7761 or Tonya Dody @

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What was your first job?



"First paying job was a receptionist at a Baptist Seminary." -Dee Hadsall



"Busboy." -Rob Martin



"Babysitting." -Rachelle Brown

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the high schoolers a look at the components of an education program and the chance to hear panel discussions with current educators.

The grant also helped the school district award a \$500 scholarship to each student who made a commitment to become a teacher and a \$500 scholarship to the teacher in whose classroom the student interned, Corson said. Last year, 12 students completed internships. Six were seniors, and all six entered an education-focused program when they graduated.

One of those students was Kenzie Hager. She spent two hours daily in the second-grade classroom of Jaime Briggs, who also happened to be her second-grade teacher. Kenzie currently is enrolled at State Fair Community College in Sedalia with plans to earn a degree in elementary education.

She helped in Briggs's classroom the year before her internship as a tutor and mentor. Although her mother, Liane Hager, is a Clinton High School teacher, Kenzie wasn't sure that she wanted to teach. She said Briggs encouraged her to give the internship a try and to consider education as a career.

Kenzie said she worked with small groups of students in areas where they were struggling and sometimes helped with a lesson in front of the class.

"It opened my eyes to how it would be for me in a classroom," she said, adding that the interaction with the children showed "how much I loved being around them."

After she graduated this spring, Kenzie earned a substitute teaching certificate, an option offered through the Missouri education department for those who do not have the required hours of college credits to teach. Since the start of this school year, she has substituted at Henry Elementary.

To encourage the interns and because the district needs substitutes, Corson said that seniors who complete this year's internship program and plan to study education can become substitute certified with the grant paying for the course and the test.

Michele Bramell, who has taught second grade for the Clinton School District for 23 years, described the internship program as "amazing," particularly given the teacher shortage. She also has seen a significant decline in the number of students interested in education, noting that she was not aware of

a single student teacher – a requirement for college students pursuing a career in education – at Henry Elementary last year.

Like Kenzie, Chelsi Berry also returned to her own second-grade teacher's classroom to intern. She was an intern in Bramell's classroom last year and is back this year.

"That's a good sign that she wants to pursue a career in teaching," Bramell said. "It's neat to have a student come back through and want to be a teacher."

Bramell said Chelsi helps prep materials, hands out items needed for lessons and occasionally grades. She also works with students who might need one-on-one time with a task.

"She's getting a good experience to see how everything unfolds before she starts her student teaching down the road," Bramell said. "This is a more relaxed way to see what it's like."

Corson said that 36 percent of the Clinton School District's employees are alumni. The school district is one of the larger employers in the community, and encouraging students to consider a career in education can open their eyes, she said. An internship provides an avenue for that to happen.

"We don't want students going to college, paying a lot of money and figuring out way too late, 'Oh, this isn't for me,'" she said. "But I also have had students say, 'I would never have gotten myself into doing something like this without the internship program.'"

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pool at the Clinton Aquatic Center for a pool party Saturday night, and invited all Clinton youth to attend.

At the opening ceremony of the tournament last Friday, Ron also thanked David Lee and Joyce Carr from the Clinton Chamber of Commerce. Joyce presented Lachelle Cook with a \$50 Chamber gift certificate for coming the farthest. Lachelle is from Oran, south of Cape Girardeau in southeast Missouri.

Ron also thanked C-Squared Embroidery for making the Clinton MO-PHA State Tournament shirts, and Tim Komer and KDKD Radio for helping get the word out about the tournament.

Keith Johnson led a prayer, and Jim Kinney sang the national anthem.

Ron said that the Hampton Inn, the host hotel for the event, was happy to have 40 rooms booked for the weekend. People competing in the tournament

also stayed at the Westridge Inn and the Parkfield Inn, he said.

Ron said MOHPA rented the Benson Convention Center for five days. The horseshoe pitchers brought 16 portable horseshoe pits filled with clay, rolling in at 9 a.m. Thursday morning to set up, he said, and were finished by 5 p.m.

Pitchers must pre-qualify for the state tournament, which they do by traveling around the state all year participating in weekend tournaments.

Many communities have indoor venues which are heated during the winter and air-conditioned in the summer. Dues in MOPHA and the National Horseshoe Pitchers Association entitle the pitchers to enter their scores on the MO-PHA website, based on the number of ringers they get in each tournament game. "Ringers and Dingers" means the horseshoe either completely surrounds the stake, or hits it. For more information, go to mohpa.us.

Council Person Henry made a motion to approve increasing the base and user fee option by 33.1%. Council Person House seconded the motion. There were 5 ayes, 1 nay and 2 absent. Mayor Moberly declared the motion passed.

Before the meeting was adjourned Council Person House made a motion to table a ordinance pertaining to pay plans until the next meeting. The motion passed and The Council adjourned at 7:00 PM.

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Henry County Historical Society Calendar of Events

- September 16 Docent & Greeter Training (Annex) 10:00 am
- September 28 Wine & Cheese Tasting with music (Courtyard) 4:00-6:00 pm
- September 29 Cemetery Walk 2:00-3:30 pm
- October 5 Lawmen and Cowboys (Homestead) 10 am to 3 pm
- October 19 Military Support Event (VFW, 510 W. Allen)
- November 14 Annual Membership Meeting/ Harvest Dinner (Annex) 6:00 pm
- November 29 Living History following Christmas Parade
- December 7 Christmas at the Dorman House (soup & salad) 11:00 am-2:00 pm
- December 20 Museum Closes 4:00 pm



Affordable Health Screenings Coming to Clinton

Clinton, Missouri – Residents living in and around the Clinton, Missouri can learn about their risk for cardiovascular disease, osteoporosis, diabetes, and other chronic, serious conditions with affordable screenings by Life Line Screening. Elks Lodge 1034 will host this community event on 10/17/2024. The site is located at 115 West Franklin St in Clinton. Screenings can check for:

- The level of plaque buildup in your arteries, related to risk for cardiovascular disease, stroke and overall vascular health.
- HDL and LDL Cholesterol



James Driver, left, of Jefferson City and Laura Johnson of Independence pose with the plaques they received when they were inducted into the Missouri Horseshoe Pitchers Hall of Fame.



James Driver gets in some practice pitches before the state tournament opened last Friday.

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personal appearances before The Council. Reports were given including one by Economic Development Director Mark Dawson who gave an update on the status of existing projects, many of which are in the middle phase and require a lot of communication. There were no new projects for the month of August. There will be an Economic Development Luncheon on September 15.

City Council members were given a request by the Fire Department to outsource fire hose testing due to potential damage

or injury to a fire fighter. Council Person Jones made a motion to approve outsourcing fire hose testing and recommended a quote from Fire Cat Precision Testing with three year pricing. Council Person House seconded the motion and it passed. In other Fire Department business, twenty applicants for new fire fighter positions were tested, with twelve being interviewed.

In unfinished business, a discussion of sewer fees took place. Three options were given with different ratios of the base fee and user fee. The 33.1% option of \$14.23 base and \$.061 user fee was chosen. Council

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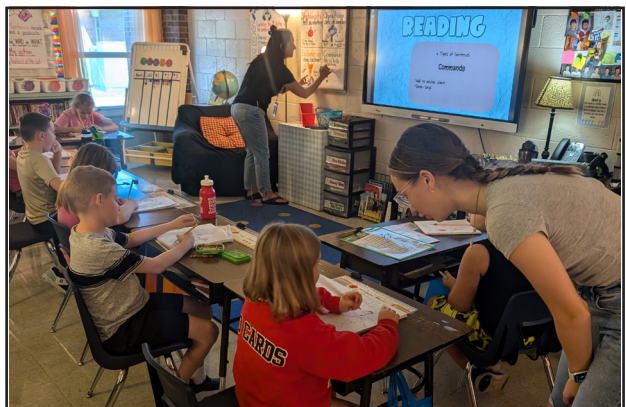
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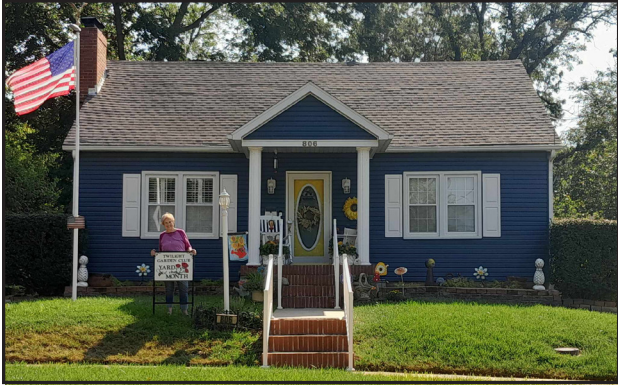


Chelsi Berry, right, spends time each day in the classroom of Michele Bramell, background, a second-grade teacher at Henry Elementary. Chelsi, who is interested in a career in education, is completing an internship through the "Grow Your Own" program at Clinton High School.



Tara Carter, a counselor at Clinton High School, meets with student Lauren Tucker to discuss her participation in "Grow Your Own," an internship program that gives juniors and seniors the chance to explore a career in education.

Twilight Garden Club Yard of the Month



JUDY HARRIS, pictured with 'Yard of the Month' sign, in front of her home.

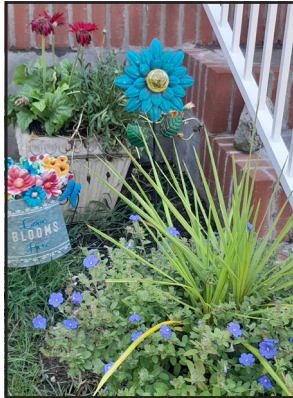
Twilight Garden Club is pleased to announce that the lovely yard of Judy Harris has been chosen as the August Yard of the Month. Judy has lived at 806 South Main for 29 years. She stated that she has always loved gardening. The moment you stop in front of Judy's home, you feel welcomed. Her blue house with the bright yellow door and sunflower decorations are an invitation to come closer. Judy has placed a white bench and wooden rocker on her porch with a variety of garden themed accents, including matching pots of yellow Gerbera daisies and a hummingbird feeder.

From the sidewalk, there are stairs with white rails on either side, adorned with blue daze (shaggy dwarf morning glory) and spikes on either side. There are many pots of varying varieties of blooming plants. Judy has placed a bubbler fountain, surrounded by dwarf cypress, in the bed on the north side of her

porch that adds to the calming atmosphere. Adding to the attractiveness are many different garden art pieces, including metal flowers, garden stakes, concrete pots, a flag pole with the American flag and a gazing ball.

Walking up the drive are pink and red hibiscus, rhododendron, Lenten rose, lily of the valley, hosta, and climbing rose. There were dahlias surrounded by sedum, white and pink dogwood, and some hand crafted glassware towers.

Judy said she works almost daily in her yard. Her hard work certainly paid off the yard is beautiful! Congratulations Judy!



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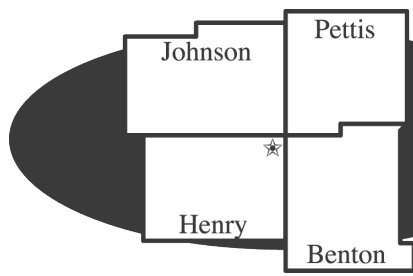
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REVIEWing The Past

With Glynn E. Morse



Grover Mullin's Crew - 358th BS Assigned Sept. 25, 1943
 (Back L-R) 1Lt Calder L. Wise (Instructor Pilot), 2Lt William C. Fort, Jr., 2Lt John P.D. Nothstein, 2Lt Charles W. Spencer
 (Front L-R) T/Sgt Grover C. Mullins, S/Sgt James H. Pleasant, S/Sgt Howard N. Zeitner, Sgt Bernard J. Sutton, T/Sgt James C. Supple, S/Sgt John G. Viszneki
 Photo: Windsor Historical Society

Reviewing the Past 80 Years Ago Windsor's WW II Prisoners of War

By Glynn Morse
 During World War II, the WINDSOR REVIEW featured news stories about Windsor soldiers serving in Europe or the Pacific. In 1944, the newspaper reported news about four prisoners of war from Windsor: Harry P. "Punk" Barber, Truman Eldridge, William N. "Jack" Ferguson, and Grover C. Mullins, each of whom spent time in different German prison camps. [1]

The U.S sent B-17s to Britain in early 1942 for bombing missions in Germany or German controlled countries. The Allied strategy was to bomb factories, railways, airfields, and dams. The intent was to destroy Germany's weapon production, transportation, and coal, petroleum, and steel supplies. If U.S. planes were hit, they might crash in German territories, resulting in U.S. air crew members being captured as German prisoners of war.[2], [3]

"Punk" Barber, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Barber, grew up on the family farm, graduated from Windsor High School, and had attended the University of Missouri before he enlisted in the Army Air Force at Jefferson Barracks on August 5, 1942. He was assigned to Lowry Field, Denver, Colorado for preliminary training before studying Power Turrets at South Bend, Indiana. In October, 1943, Punk entered the Laredo Gunnery School, and he graduated in December, 1943 receiving his Aerial Gunners Wings as a Sergeant. By May, 1944, Sgt. Barber was on bombing missions over Germany. He was reported missing in action on June 29, 1944, and his family was notified on July 11, 1944 that he was a German prisoner of war.

Truman Eldridge graduated from Windsor High School in 1935. After attending Central Missouri State Teachers College in Warrensburg for a couple of years, he worked in the Katz Drug Store chain in Kansas City. He had enlisted in the Army Air Force and was studying as an Aviation Cadet at a camp in Nashville, Tennessee in October, 1942. He was enrolled in pilot training at Merced Army Flying School in California in May, 1943; then in September, 1943, he graduated from AAF Pilot School as a 2nd Lieutenant. By January, 1944, Truman was now a pilot in England. He was reported missing in action on August 24, 1944 in a bombing raid over Germany, and his parents received notice on Sept. 23, 1944 that he was a German prisoner of war. William N. "Jack" Ferguson began his military training in November, 1940 as Battery B of the

128th Field Artillery of the National Guard. Later he transferred to the Army Air Corps and graduated as a bombardier at Kirtland Field, Albuquerque, New Mexico on March 18, 1943. In August, 1944, Lieutenant Jack Ferguson was based in Italy flying B-17 Flying Fortress raids in Southern France, Hungary, and other European targets. Jack Ferguson's plane was missing after a December 29, 1944 bombing mission. In March, 1945, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ferguson received a telegram confirming that Jack was a German Prisoner of War. In April, his parents received a letter from Jack in which he said he was in a hospital but getting along fine. [1]

When he was 17, Grover Mullins moved with his parents, K.C. & Lydia Mullins, from near Houstonia to a farm near Windsor in 1938. In June, 1942, Grover joined the Army and was inducted at Ft. Leavenworth, KS. He trained in aviation mechanics at Sheppard Field, Texas and later graduated at Tyndall Field, Florida as an aerial gunner with the rank of staff sergeant in the Army Air Force.[1]

Grover Mullins was in England with the Eighth Bomber Command in October, 1942, flying bombing missions inside Germany. On January 11, 1944, Grover's Flying Fortress was shot down over German territory, and he became a German prisoner of war. On Jan. 24, 1944, Grover's parents were notified that he was missing in action. A month later, Feb. 24, 1944, Mr. & Mrs. K. C. Mullins were notified that their son was a German prisoner.[1]

Parents and relatives of the four POWs from Windsor were extremely concerned as they received very few letters from the POWs. By May of 1945, the Allied Forces had reached most of the German prison camps. The WINDSOR REVIEW (May 24, 1945) reported that the families of Punk Barber, Jack Ferguson, and Grover Mullins had received confirmation that the three POWs had been liberated from German prison camps. A week later (May 31, 1945), Truman Eldridge's parents had received information that their son, too, was heading home to the U.S. Families looked forward to seeing their sons and were planning welcoming celebrations in June, 1945.

Barber's son, Kent Barber. Kent will show a videotape in which Punk Barber describes in his own words his World War II POW experiences. The public is invited, and there is no charge. Sources: [1] WINDSOR REVIEW, (1935-1946). [2]

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UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI Extension

Gene Schmitz - Field Specialist in Livestock

Cow Winter Feed Cost Estimates

This is the time of year when I begin to look at potential feed costs for wintering cows and backgrounding calves. A few years ago, a colleague and I developed a spreadsheet for estimating winter feed costs for spring and fall calving cows, utilizing good, fair, and poor-quality hay. Several rations were developed for each hay quality category. Hay plus supplement costs were then averaged to come up with a single feed cost estimate for the various hay quality types.

Basic assumptions for dry, spring calving cows include good quality hay (10% protein, 58% TDN) requiring 2 pounds of grain supplement, fair quality hay (8% protein, 53% TDN) requiring 3 pounds of grain supplement, and poor quality hay (6% protein, 48% TDN) requiring 5 pounds of grain supplement.

Supplement ingredient prices are current from a local feed mill. Hay prices are taken from the latest Missouri Department of Agriculture hay market report. Home raised hay was assigned a cost of \$100 per ton based on MU forage production budgets.

Raised hay priced at \$100 per ton is the easiest place to start. Good hay with 2 pounds of supplement will have an estimated daily feed cost of \$1.79 for a dry cow in late gestation. Fair hay requiring 3 pounds of supplement will have an estimated daily feed cost of \$1.86 per day. Poor quality hay requiring 5 pounds of supplement will have an estimated daily feed cost of \$1.98 per day.

Winter feed costs using raised hay for fall calving cows will have estimated daily feed costs of \$1.97, \$2.09, and \$2.16 for good, fair, and poor-quality hay respectively. Supplement levels for fall calving cows are 3 pounds per day for good hay, 5 pounds per day for fair hay, and 6 pounds per day for poor hay.

Using current hay market data is much more difficult to get accurate estimates of winter feed costs because many markets quote price ranges, many times hay is priced by the bale, and forage quality is rarely stated.

Recent markets report fair quality hay at \$30 to \$60 per big round bale. If the assumption is made that the bales weigh 1,000 pounds apiece, daily feed costs for dry beef cows being fed fair quality hay range from \$1.27 per day to \$2.16 per day depending upon the price of the bale. 1,200 pound bales at the same price range show estimated feed costs from \$1.13 per day to \$1.86 per day.

What happens if forage quality and bale weight are unknown but the hay price range stays the same as the above example? If good quality hay is purchased for \$30 per bale and the bale weighs 1,200 pounds, daily feed costs are an estimated \$1.02 per head per day. Alternatively, if poor quality hay is purchased at \$60 per bale and the bale weighs 1,000 pounds, esti-

mated daily feed cost soars to \$2.25 per head per day.

Bottom line: strive to put up as high of quality hay as possible to reduce the need for supplemental energy or protein supplements. If purchasing hay, get bale weight and forage quality information so informed decisions can be made.

If you have questions on hay testing or developing feeding programs, contact me at schmitze@missouri.edu or call the Pettis County Extension Center at 660-827-0591.

Community Calendar

Sat., Sept. 7, 10:30 a.m. First Saturday of each Month, Harvester's Food Distribution. Windsor United Methodist Church, Windsor. Ministerial Alliance volunteers distribute food to cars lined up on Colt St.

Sat., Sept. 7, 4:30 p.m. Bingo, Windsor Senior Center, 201 S. Main St., resumes after summer vacation, held on first & third Saturday nights of each month. 15 games and cash prizes. Doors open at 4:30 p.m. and first games begin at 5 p.m. Snack bar available.

Every Monday & Wednesday, 9:30 - 10:30 a.m., Exercise Group, Windsor Senior Center. 201 S. Main St. Mostly chair exercises with some standing. Public invited. No fee.

Tuesday, Sept. 10, 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Veterans Café. Windsor Senior Center. Open to veterans of U.S. Armed Forces and National Guard. Complimentary breakfast served. Sponsored by Henry County DAR and Windsor Senior Center.

Tuesday, Sept. 10, 10:30 a.m. Windsor Diabetes Support Group. Windsor Senior Center. Led by Lisa Susunaga, RN, BSN. Free to public, provided by Golden Valley Medical Healthcare.

Saturday, Sept. 14, 12:15 p.m. - Windsor Historical Society, Windsor United Methodist Church, 216 S. Main St. Carry-in Luncheon, (sliced ham, vegetable soup furnished; others may bring vegetable, fruit, or dessert side dish. 1:00 p.m. - Program, "Harry P. 'Punk' Barber, World War II Prisoner of War," presented by his son, Kent Barber. Public invited.

Sunday, Sept. 15, 12 noon - 2:30: St. Bartholomew Catholic Church Annual Spaghetti Dinner. Dine-in or Carry-out. Free Will Donation, your support is appreciated. 504 E. Benton Street, Windsor.

Every Monday 12:30 p.m. Line Dancing Lessons Windsor Senior Center This is a wonderful exercise for all! The Windsor Senior Center located at 201 S. Main St.

Every Thursday, 7:45 p.m. Odd Fellows Lodge #187 Meetings are held at the lodge located at 216 W. Benton.

Every Friday 7:30 p.m. American Legion Post #82 Hillbilly Bingo

Cost is \$10 to play with the winner getting 50% of the nightly pot. The more that play the bigger the pot. Post is located at 10341 Hwy. 52 in Windsor. Open to the public.

Every Saturday (except first Sat.) 9 a.m. - Noon Tabitha's Closet

A ministry of First Baptist Church, Tabitha's Closet has gently used clothes from infant through adult including shoes, jackets, bedding and towels. They also accept donations during Saturday open hours. First Baptist Windsor is located at 308 S. Tebo. For more information call 660-647-5624.

Every Saturday 6 p.m. Windsor Senior Center Bingo

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SHARON SOUTHARD

Donna Sharon Southard, 81, of Windsor, Missouri, died Sunday morning, September 1, 2024, at Blue Hills Rest Home in Independence, Missouri.

Sharon was born on November 25, 1942, in Lebanon, Missouri, the daughter of Rosson Otto Warrington and Nettie Mae (Jones) Warrington. On February 5, 1961, she married Richard Arthur Southard in Lebanon, Missouri. Sharon and Richard enjoyed 63 wonderful years of marriage together.

Sharon graduated from Lebanon High School in 1960. After their marriage, she and Richard moved to Windsor. She enjoyed staying home while their children, Kim, Janette, and Kelly were young. Sharon worked at Taylor Bookkeeping until 1978. Then, she and Roberta Bryant opened The Greenery flower shop in Windsor, which they operated together for over 20 years. Later, Sharon worked at Clinton Flower Shop until her retirement. Sharon was a member of the Windsor Petal Pushers Garden Club and the First Baptist Church, where she served on the Flower Committee. She enjoyed being active in the community; she was a member of the former Jaycee Janes, Windsor Housing Authority Board, and Police Board. She also served on the Farrington Park Board and was the Windsor Chamber of Commerce Secretary for several years. Sharon was honored as the Windsor SeptemberFest Woman of the Year in 2010.

Sharon was an avid sports fan and followed both the Kansas City Royals and Chiefs as well as the St. Louis Cardinals. She also enjoyed watching college basketball. She attended many sporting events for her children and grandchildren. She was an exceptional baker, was extreme-

ly creative, and enjoyed puzzles. Sharon loved cats, especially her "Boots" and "Nugget".

In addition to her husband, Richard, of Windsor, Missouri, survivors include a son, Kim Southard (Karla), Napoleon, Missouri; two daughters, Janette McSpadden, Lowell, Arkansas, and Kelly Seitz (Ken), Napoleon, Missouri; eight grandchildren, Kelsi Southard, Amanda Danenhauer (Aaron), Sarah Brown (Josh), Bethany McSpadden, Jake McSpadden (Jessica), Cameron Seitz (Kirstie), Blake Seitz (Aleasha), and Mikayla Mershon (Jared); ten great-grandchildren, Casen, Asher, and Hayes Danenhauer, Henry and Axton Brown, Athena McSpadden, Nolan and Loretta Seitz, Vivian and Mia Mershon, two great-grandchildren on the way; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother and sister-in-law, Leroy and Barbara Warrington.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m., on Thursday, September 5, 2024, at the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor, with Pastor Rusty Miller and Pastor Mike Brown officiating. Burial was in the Laurel Oak Cemetery, Windsor. The family received friends Wednesday evening from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the funeral home. The family suggests contributions to Farrington Park in care of the funeral home. Condolences may be left online at www.hadleyfuneralhome.com.

Death Notices

Karen Osborne, 83, died Tues, Aug. 27, 2024. Grave-side services were 2:30 p.m., Sun, Sept. 1, 2024, at the Laurel Oak Cemetery, Windsor, with Harold Strathman officiating. The family received friends before the service from 1-2 p.m. at the Hadley Funeral

Home, Windsor. Arrangements are under the direction of the Hadley Funeral Home, Windsor.

Kathy Roos, 65, died Wed, Aug. 28, 2024. Kathy's wishes were to be cremated. A graveside service will be held at 2 PM on Mon, Sept. 9, 2024 in Hopewell Cemetery in Montrose, MO. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO and are pending at this time.

Sarah (Stanton) Calvo, 43, died Tue, Aug. 27, 2024. A Celebration of Life will be held from 1-2 p.m. Sat, Sep. 7, 2024 at the Bradley & Hadley Funeral Home, Clinton, MO. Interment will follow in the Lowry City Cemetery, Lowry City, MO. Condolences may be left online at www.bradleyhadley.com.

Patricia Burton, 70, died Thur, Aug. 29, 2024. A Celebration of Life service will be held 6 PM on Fri, Sept. 20, 2024 at The Downtown Church (413 E Walnut St) in Springfield, MO. A private family burial will take place in Vansant Road Cemetery in Clinton, MO at a later date. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, Missouri.

Matthew Prater, 52, died Mon, Sept. 2nd, 2024. Arrangements have been entrusted to the Vansant-Mills Funeral Home, Clinton, MO and are pending at this time.

Junior Shockley, 72, died Fri, Aug. 30, 2024. Funeral services will be held at 1 PM on Sat, Sept. 7, 2024 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton, MO with visitation from 12-1 PM prior to the service. Burial to follow in the Antioch Cemetery in Clinton, MO. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

Carrol S. Smith, 85, died Sun, Sept. 1, 2024. A memorial service will be held at 11 AM on Fri, Sept. 6, 2024 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton, Missouri with visitation from 10-11 AM prior to the service. Arrangements have been entrusted to the Vansant-Mills Funeral Home, Clinton, MO and are pending at this time.

Nancy Carolyn (Hay) Hubbs, 84, died Mon, Aug. 26, 2024. A memorial service to celebrate Carolyn's life will be held at 2 PM on Sun, Sept. 8, 2024 at the Vansant-Mills Chapel in Clinton, MO with visitation from 1-2 PM prior to the service. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

Patsy Gilley, 81, died Wed, Aug. 28, 2024. Patsy's wishes were to be cremated; there are no services at this time. Arrangements have been entrusted to Vansant-Mills Funeral Home in Clinton, MO.

Calhoun Community Church

Welcome to the Good News from Calhoun Community Church. Our church family gathers at 9:30 a.m. for pre-church food and fellowship. We use this special time for visiting one with another, welcoming guests as they arrive for worship, and signing cards of encouragement for our card ministry. We ring the church bell at 9:45 to call our church families to worship at 10:00.

Those on our prayer list are Sondra and Jackson Short, Patty Dump's Mother, Joyce Trolinger, Donald Hill, Verna Walters, Dalton Conner, Paul Diaz's father, Debby and Clint Land, Millie Redding, Amber, Patrick, and Brecklynn Dittmer, Jim, LaDawn, and Dave Burson. We pray for our military men and women and their families, as well as others in service jobs that we depend upon daily. We pray for guidance as we continue to grow, here on the southeast corner of the Calhoun square.

Joys to celebrate: We have so much to be thankful for this week and praise the Lord for each blessing and opportunity we receive. We are thankful for a very successful Basement Sale. Others from the church family had garage sales and with everyone's cooperation all the sales were successful. We were able to have two delicious Philly-steak meals from the Veteran's of Foreign Wars stand at September Fest in Windsor. It was a great time to spread the Love of Jesus Christ to all we meet. Carol Lane made peanut butter cookies for pre-church fellowship today, and we look forward all week for her special treats. Steve Siercks lit the altar candles at the beginning of our service and served as usher. Special Music: Shelby Bicknell. Steve Siercks shared news from Barbara Sales who moved to Texas earlier this year. Barbara is doing very well, and Thank You Lord, for that blessing. Steve also shared that he and Miss Verna attended a 90th Birthday Party for Steve's Mother-in-law in Columbia on Saturday. Happy Birthday to Mrs. Brown. Rev. Short woke this morning with symptoms of Covid. Shelby Bicknell filled in for him with a great impromptu message; and the congregation said Amen. Shelby is a talented song writer as well. We sincerely thank him for the short notice fill in. We are a diverse group here at Calhoun Community Church. We try to have a little fun, show concern for each other, as well as Praise the Lord during our church experience.

Church of Jesus Christ (of Latter Day Saints)

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints invites you to come worship with us each Sunday, 10am-12pm. Sacrament Meeting is held 10am-11am. Sunday School is held at 11 am-12pm on 1st & 3rd Sundays.

Priesthood and Relief Society meetings are held at 11am-12pm on 2nd & 4th Sundays.

Primary Class is held at 11am-12pm for children ages 4 through 11.

Nursery is provided at 11 am-12pm for children ages 1 through 4.

We have two full time missionaries (#660-890-4363) who are available to help teach us how to draw closer to our savior Jesus Christ and they are also available to help with family genealogy research. Two of our own Clinton Ward missionaries have returned home from their 2-year missions in Utah and Arizona. We still have one missionary who is serving his mission in Brazil, Juiz de Fora Mission.

If you have questions, contact Brother Jerry Anspaugh at #660-351-3393.

First Baptist

On Sunday, Micah Bergen, KidMin Co-Director, delivered the message 'Grace // Adoption' to illustrate what it means to be adopted by God and how His grace covers us. He began by reflecting on his own struggles with doubt, guilt, and shame, even though he had a sound knowledge of who God is. Sometimes, even those who are strong in faith can find themselves feeling hopeless. Even when we know that Jesus is the only one to turn to, we can still feel unworthy. However, grace is a gift from God that we do not deserve, or even earn. While justifying grace comes from salvation and accepting Christ into our lives, sanctifying grace is always available and never ending. We can always receive God's sanctifying grace by confessing and repenting, remembering that we are already saved. If you find yourself doubting salvation, Micah offered three important reminders:

1. We are chosen through adoption; God, our Father, intentionally chose us, with pleasure, and welcomes us.
2. We are free from the law; our identity in Christ is not based on performance. You cannot 'earn' your way into God's family. He accepts all who simply believe in Him.
3. God is our Father; Our identity in Christ as God's chosen and adopted children gives us confidence through grace.

MidWeek opportunities are offered at 6 pm on Wednesdays for kids, teens, and adults. Celebrate Recovery is on Tuesday evenings at 5:30 pm at the Vansant location for anyone with hurts, habits, or hangups. GriefShare is offered on Wednesdays at 6 pm at the Vansant location. Worship service times are 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. and Sunday School is offered at 8:15 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. For more information and upcoming events, please visit www.firstbaptistclintonchurch.org or find us on Facebook at 'First Baptist Church - Clinton, MO'.

We invite those without a church home to join us in worship of our Lord & Savior, Jesus Christ. First Baptist Church exists to fulfill the Great Commission (Matthew 28:19-20) by loving people into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ.

First Presbyterian

In the hustle and bustle of our daily lives we often fall short of God's call to love one another. We ignore those around us suffering injustice, poverty and rejection. We tune out cries of the poor in our communities. Let us be more intentionally generous, merciful and loving just as God is in pouring his redemptive grace upon us.

Blessing us with her musical talent Gay Smith played the anthem "Take My Life" arranged by Courtney. Ephesians 6:14 was the biblical text. Rev. Nancy Gillard chose for her message Onward Christian Soldier.

The collection for the Festival of Sharing continues and an increasingly impressive display of donated items. Designated baskets for each item are being filled on the foyer shelves. A list of needed school supplies is available to those interested in donating to the Backpacks. Garden seed for community gardens, old prescription glasses and Best Choice Labels are other items being requested. If you haven't had the opportunity to donate, time is on your side. The collection will continue through Sunday, October 6.

On September 8 a celebration marking the church building turning 100 years old will be held. A Fried Chicken Dinner will follow the worship service. The chicken is provided and a sign up sheet is on the bulletin for side dishes. We invite all past and present members, families and friends to come help us celebrate.

Tai Chi classes are great exercise on Mondays and Wednesdays at 10:00 am. Strengthen your core and improve your balance.

You have an open invitation to come visit the friendly, welcoming people of First Presbyterian Church. We will make you feel at home. Our worship begins at 10:30 am. Check out the monthly newsletter and calendar on our website fpccclintonmo.net.

Trinity Lutheran

Mark your calendars! The Women's Missionary League (LWML) Auction will be held Sunday, September 29th at Trinity Lutheran Church-Clinton.

The Silent Auction will begin at 2:15 pm, and the Loud Auction will begin at 3:00 pm. A picnic lunch will be provided (Free will donation). Auction Items are still needed. Please make arrangements to bring them to the church prior to the auction.

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The local church is the primary place where God promises to meet and minister to us through Word and Sacrament.

Church attendance is important. One of the marks of Christian faith is attending worship services regularly. Why wouldn't a Christian attend church? If a person is a believer, he or she will want to go to church and worship God with fellow believers.

The Christian religion is good. The Christian Church is good. A local Christian congregation...where the Gospel is preached correctly and the sacraments of Baptism and The Lord's Supper are administered rightly...is good. People in church are not hypocrites. Far from it! They are faithful believers in Jesus Christ who want to worship Him in spirit and truth.

Yes, church attendance is a good thing, It's important. Come to church this Sunday. God will be there, waiting to bless you with His faith and salvation. Praise God!

Divine Service, 1 pm. Sunday School, Noon. Church ph: 660-885-4728.

Urich Baptist

Love and kindness greeted everyone as we gathered at 10:30 am for worship service. Clint Keeney rang the church bell. Mrs. Julia Klinefelter led in the congregational singing with Mrs. Dixie Collins playing piano and Mrs. Rebecca Sowell playing violin.

We rejoiced with Mick Vogt on his birthday. Randy Vogt and Clint Keeney collected the offering.

The scripture passage from Pastor Joshua Sowell's sermon was from Romans 8:31-39. (Romans 8:31 "...If God is for us, who can be against us?") In this passage, Paul was telling everyone the depth of love God has for us. God sending His Son, Jesus, to die for us is true unbounding love. When we remain faithful in all life situations, we have certainty and hope of future glory with God. Daily Bible reading will strengthen our faith by affirming the truth of Christ's love.

Have a blessed week.

Valley Center United

We are an open and affirming church that welcomes all to come and join us for worship service next Sunday morning at 9 am.

We wish John Neuenschwander and Sharla Summer a happy birthday! Thank you to those who made sure that the bushes were trimmed and our beautiful flowers watered! As we came to church this morning, it was wonderful to see the prairie as it is changing into its fall colors!

Our Valley Center Oktoberfest will be held on Saturday, October 19th! Serving will be from 3:00- 8:00 pm. It promises to be a fun and delicious evening!

The congregation sang, "Come Now Fount of Every Blessing" and Ireland and her friend lit the candles to begin our worship service.

We believe and are encouraged to be "doers", not just "hearers".

When standing all by ourselves, we often wonder how we can be just like someone else? Or maybe the question to us is how do we find our own individuality? It is all about balance.

If all we do is hear and do nothing, it is not productive. We all have talents given to us. It is important to be doers of the word, but not outdoing others or be obsessed by doing or trying to be perfect. Life sometimes gives us difficulties, but love gives us tenderness. Finding that balance in our lives is so important.

Christianity is by faith alone. We give thanks for the invitation of balance.

"Almighty and gracious God, we give thanks for your never-ending presence in our lives. Speak to each of us with your voice of hope and love, that we may find encouragement and sustenance when we encounter unanticipated challenges that may confuse us. Help us to see goodness and beauty in all things."



AUGUST 28, 2024

The A.C. Fall City Wide Garage Sale dates are set for September 20 - 21. Permits are \$5 and can be purchased at City Hall beginning Tuesday, September 3 through Tuesday, September 17. As the Saturday Street Festival will also be held this same weekend, the Park Building, Stage and Lawn space will not be available to rent. House of Joy Ministries will be at the City Park on Saturday from 3:00-5:00 to collect donations, but may leave earlier if their trailer is full. Maps will be available at Food Fair, Fika, Powell's True Value and Casey's beginning Thursday afternoon, September 19. For questions please contact Dianne Foster at 660-679-1125.

The Knights of Columbus will have their monthly pancake and sausage breakfast at the Knight's Hall in Montrose on Sunday, September 8 from 8:30 - 10:00 a.m. Treat your family to a hot breakfast you don't have to cook or clean up. A free will donation will be greatly appreciated

Join Jina's Junque, Rural Roots, 3 Wishes, 4th Street Fika,

Half Baked Take & Bakery, Bluebird Lounge, and Cork & Keg for the next Second Wednesday, Meet Me On Main, September 11, 2024, from 4:00 - 7:00 p.m., and help them welcome the new Fall season.

The Ellett Memorial Hospital/AC Clinic Community Block Party will be Saturday, September 28, 2024, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. There are a few vendor spots left for this year's EMH Block Party. If you're interested in filling one of these open spots, please call Kim Raybourn at 660-476-2111. KC Wolf has confirmed making a special appearance at some point during the day. The hospital will be providing free snow cones and cotton candy, along with a bounce house. Crank Farms will be providing the petting zoo.

Ellett Memorial Hospital Appleton City offers outpatient specialist services for September 2024. Call 660-476-2111 for appointments: Sept 5 - OB/GYN, Dr. Kallberg, Sept 10 - Rheumatology-Dr. John, Sept 11- Upper GI, Colonoscopy-Dr. Vardakis, Sept 13- Ortho-Dr. Gray, Sept 18- Upper GI, Colonoscopy-Dr. Namin, Sept 19- Podiatry- Dr. Pace, Sept 23 - Ophthalmology, Dr. Soni, Sept 25- Ortho-Dr. Gray

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sept. 8: Knights of Columbus pancake and sausage breakfast 8:30-10:00 a.m. at the Knight's Hall in Montrose.

Sept. 11: Second Wednesday, Meet Me On Main, 4:00 - 7:00 p.m.

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660-351-3826

You're invited to the Door of Hope Annual Banquet, Celebrating Hope, Thursday, Sept. 26th at 6pm. Doors open at 5:30 at the Benson Center in Clinton. RSVP to 660-890-7011 or gvdoorofhope@live.com.

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Market Report • August 28, 2024

Compared to last week, steer and heifer calves sold mostly steady. Yearlings sold mostly steady to 4 higher.

Table with 2 columns: Steers, Med, & Lg. Frame # and Heifers, Med, & Lg. Frame #1. Lists weight ranges and prices.

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Early Season Mistakes Cost Cardinals In Loss At Boonville



FACING THE PRESSURE, Clinton quarterback Kanden LaFarge got the ball out of his hands just before receiving a big blow from the Pirates defender.

Jamborees usually work out a lot of kinks going into a season, but the Cardinals still allowed some common early season miscues cost them in their 27-14 season opening loss at Boonville on Friday night.

Three different drives that ended with fumbles, as well as 3 dropped passes in the endzone all, ultimately, made a difference in the game. And that doesn't count the Clinton defense surrendering a

"Haily Mary" touchdown to the Pirates just prior to halftime.

Nevertheless, the Cardinals were more than "in" the game the entire way.

Boonville scored first in the opening period to take

a 7-0 lead but the Cardinals did manage to get their first score in the second quarter on a touchdown pass from Kanden LaFarge to Quintin Faught and trailed just 7-6. That was before the "Hail Mary", however,

just as time ticked away before the break and the Pirates used the big play to take a 20-6 halftime lead.

A fairly uneventful third quarter saw both sides struggle to get anything going and the scoreboard still read, 20-6.

In the fourth frame, Boonville tacked on one more score and converted the PAT to pull ahead, 27-6, but the Cardinals would answer. Another TD pass from LaFarge to Faught and a converted 2-point conversion made it a two-score game once again at 27-14.

The Cardinals took a risky move that paid off when they kicked on sides and recovered the ensuing kick-off, but another fumble on their first play of the drive gave the ball back to Boonville and they held on to escape with the 27-14 win.

LaFarge finished the night going 18 for 36 with 168 yards through the air with the 2 passing TD's.

Jase Wilson hauled in 7 passes for 55 yards, Faught

caught 2 for 37 and Austin Petry was on the receiving end of 2 passes for 21 yards. Faught had the 2 scores for the Cardinals.

Markus Oliver led Clinton in rushing with 20 attempts for 95 yards.

On the defense, Oliver and Faught each came in with 12 tackles. Payton Goth added 9 while Will Golder and Connor Bramell contributed 7 and 6, respectively.

The Cardinals return home this week but the road doesn't get any easier when they welcome the Odessa Bulldogs to town on Friday for a 7:00 PM kick-off.

The Bulldogs are coming off of a 32-25 road loss in week 1 at Southern Boone.



Lady Cards Softball Gets Back To .500 With Win Over Lexington

The Lady Cardinals softball team got back to even on the season with a 14-2 win at Lexington on Monday night.

Clinton trailed 1-0 after one but tied things in the third on a Lexi Barnhart triple that scored Alexis Fowler to make it 1-1.

The Lady Cards added 3 runs in the fourth, 4 in the fifth, and 3 more in each of the sixth and seventh for the 14-2 win.

Kennison Crispi led Clinton with 4 hits while Barnhart, Maddie Hess and Taryn Mantonya all had 3. Mackenzie Shortino, Mantonya and Austin all had stolen bases.

Kenadie Austin got the win in the circle for the Lady Cardinals. She went all 7 innings and yielded 2 runs on 5 hits while striking out 7 and walking none.

Clinton played at the Lady Pirate Leadoff Classic on Saturday and, after losing

their first two games to Boonville and Smith-Cotton, salvaged the day with a win over Wright City.

To start the day, the Lady Cardinals fell to Boonville with a 5-3 final.

The Lady Pirates led, 3-0 after three but Clinton put 2 on the board in the top of the fourth to pull within 1. Boonville tacked on 2 runs in the bottom of the sixth to make it 5-2 and the Lady Cards could only slide 1 across in the top of the seventh before falling, 5-3.

Barnhart, Natalie Golder, Austin, Jordan Schmedding, Hess and Mantonya all had 1 hit.

Hess also took the loss for Clinton while Austin worked in relief.

Smith-Cotton jumped out to a 2-0 lead at the end of the first and tacked on 3 in the second, 6 in the third and 4 more in the fourth to make easy work of the Lady Cardinals as they went

down in defeat, 15-1 to the Lady Tigers.

Austin and Schmedding managed the only 2 hits for Clinton.

Mantonya absorbed the loss in the circle.

In their last game of the day, the Lady Cards bounced back to beat Wright City with an 11-8 final in comeback fashion.

Wright City held a 6-2 lead after four innings but the Lady Cards rallied for 5 in the fifth and 3 in the sixth to take a 10-7 lead. One run for each side made the final, 11-8.

Barnhart, Golder and Crispi all racked up 3 hits for the Lady Cardinals while Schmedding had 2.

Austin picked up the win for Clinton.

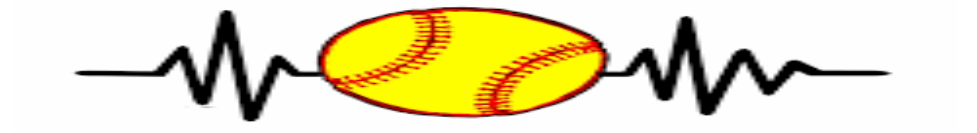
The Lady Cardinals went to Sherwood on Tuesday night. That result will be in next week's edition of the *Clinton Daily Democrat*.

MEET RESULTS

CLINTON INVITE - 8/31/24

<p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;"><u>VARSITY GIRLS</u></p> <p>4th - Vyla Brown - 22:13</p> <p>11th - McKayla McMenemy - 23:36</p> <p>12th - Leah Kenney - 23:49</p> <p>21st - Kat Cole - 26:00</p> <p>23rd - Claire Cook - 27:04</p> <p>7th - Rebekah VanBecelaere - 31:05</p> <p>Team - 41 Points - 2nd Place</p>	<p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;"><u>VARSITY BOYS</u></p> <p>13th - Colton Ross-Varner - 19:38</p> <p>25th - Austin Johnson - 20:47</p> <p>37th - Ethan Johns - 22:34</p>
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Top 20 Medaled Next Week: SWCCA in Bolivar 9/7 (HS & MS)



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

CARDINAL ACTIVITIES SEPTEMBER 2-7, 2024 | | | | | | | | |---|---|-----------|--|--------------------------------------|---|----------| | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY | SUNDAY | | JV FOOTBALL
VS. BOONVILLE
6:00 PM | HS BOYS SOCCER
VS. BOONVILLE
5:00 PM | | HS VOLLEYBALL
@ ADRIAN
5:00 PM | HS FOOTBALL
VS. ODESSA
7:00 PM | HS/MS CROSS COUNTRY
@ BOLIVAR
8:00 AM | | | HS SOFTBALL
@ LEXINGTON
4:30 PM | HS VOLLEYBALL
@ EL DORADO SPRINGS
5:00 PM | | HS GIRLS TENNIS
@ CENTER
4:30 PM | | HS VOLLEYBALL
@ NEVADA
TIME TBA | | | | HS SOFTBALL
VS. SHERWOOD
4:30 PM | | HS SOFTBALL
VS. SMITH-COTTON
5:00 PM | | | | | | HS GIRLS TENNIS
@ ODESSA
4:30 PM | | | | | | | | HS GIRLS GOLF
@ HARRISONVILLE
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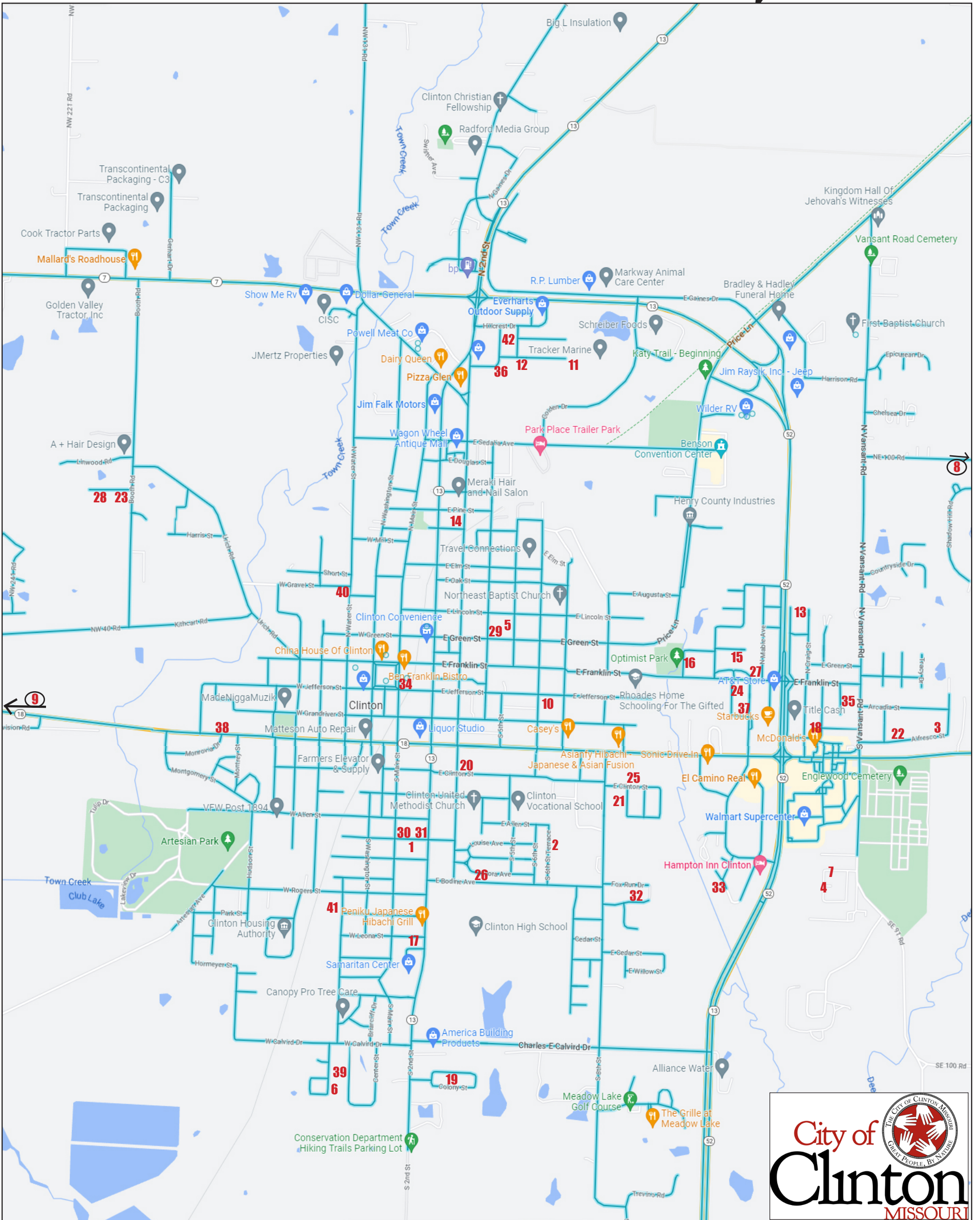


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CLINTON 2024 FALL CITY-WIDE GARAGE SALE SATURDAY - SEPTEMBER 7, 2024



1. 106 E Henry: Family clothes, tools, mowers, adult trike, workout equipment, gold bags
2. 802 S 6th St Terrace: Adult & kids clothes, teacher books, kitchen items, kids toy, books
3. 2201 Alfresco: Multi-Family Sale
4. D and T Dr: Aquariums, books and more
5. 207 N 5th St: F350 diesel truck 2002, antiques, clothes, household items & mics
6. 1718 Connor Ln: Lots of stuff
7. 1702 M&M Dr: Power tools and ham radio and mics
8. 1008 Deer Creek Circle: Antiques, Guns, adult clothing, Open 8-? Fri/Sat
9. 175 SW 901: HVAC shop equip, tools, archery, arrows, compound crossbows, hand-on ladder and stands
10. 216 S 6th St: Kids, women's, men's, toys, furniture, moving sale, clean household items, Fri & Sat
11. 526 Meadowlark Dr.: Baby, kitchen, toys, household items
12. 500 E Meadowlark Dr.: tools, furniture, welder, cutting torch, hot rod parts, car trailer
13. 307 N Craig: Hunting, fishing, boating, yard equip, hunting clothes
14. 701 N 3rd St: Multi-family sale, tons of mics. Fundraiser for painting the roof and building
15. 1200 E Green St: Holiday antiques, glassware, decorative wrought iron, silver, light sets
16. 104 Friendship Dr: Huge Sale, collectibles, décor, household, tools, fishing items, unique items
17. 116 E Leona St: Moved from 3 Bedroom

- house to 2 Br Duplex. Lots of mics
18. 205 Michael Dr: Huge Sale, Closets, garage, basement...it has to go
19. 304 Jamestown Dr: Music, man cave, kids stuff, clothes, yard, household, baked goods, Th/Fr/Sa
20. 406 S 3rd: Moving sale, everything goes, Sept. 5th,6th,7th
21. 505 S 9th St Terr: Fri. 8-5/Sat. 8-12, kids/adults clothes, toys, home decor and so much more.
22. 2003 Alfresco Street: Hobby lobby extravaganza, housewares, holiday decor, metal signs, outdoor toys
23. 709 Booth Road: Leaf bagger, generator (new) miscellaneous household
24. 104 South Cherokee: All sizes mens/womens clothing & shoes, baby: boy & girl up to 4T & gear, household, electronics, sports, toys
25. 803 E Clinton & 504 S 10th St Terr: Thurs/Fri/Sat - Multi family, dishes, crafts, Christmas, books, all size clothes, lots of misc.
26. 402 Flora Ave: Moving sale, household items, beekeeping books, no clothes.
27. 1303 E Franklin St: Home decor, holiday, kitchen, fishing, tool, sporting, small appliances and more.
28. 1006 W Glenwood Rd: Lots of home decor and household items.
29. 405 E Green: Huge!! Fri & Sat 7:30 - Antiques, architectural salvage; Camel advertising, plus clothes, tools, fishing
30. 109 E Henry: Dressers, fans, stove, heaters,

- ladders, microwave, grinder, roofing shovels, lots of misc.
31. 111 E Henry: Women's/kid's clothing, home decor, toys, wedding, household, nice stuff
32. 903 E Hutton Valley Rd: Baby clothes, mattress, small appliances, filing cabinet, desks, table & hutch
33. 925 Illinois Place: Cacti, Succulents, Bullet Blender, Stay Go Crockpot, Bake n Take, mens 38, misc.
34. 140 S Main: Victorian Estate, lighting-architecture, fencing, furniture, costume jewelry, childrens toys
35. 106 Margueritte: Clothes, adult shoes, prom dresses (new w/tags), furniture, elliptical, baby toys and equipment.
36. 401 Meadowlark Drive Apt A: Furniture, comforters, knick knacks, clothing, purses, and lots more. 8-?
37. 111 Pawnee St: Dresser, toys, antiques, kitchenware, glassware, decorations, vintage merchandise, lots of Misc.
38. 801 W Ohio St: Remodel materials and tools, clothes, kid toys, lots of misc.
39. 1709 S Washington: My garage slae will be @ Masonic Lodge Sat 9/14, 7:30-2
40. 243 N Water St: Plus size clothes, dishes, decor, sports cards, collectibles, much more
41. 1007 S Water St: 10 ft. Tapco trim brake/aluminum coil/tools/used air nailers/misc.
42. 1405 Whipporwill: Household, miscellaneous

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HVAC Shop Equip tools, archery; arrows, compound crossbows, hang-on ladder & stands 175 SW 901 Clinton Sept 6th & 7th 9am to 4pm a28x2p

Tractor weights - 8 - 100# John Deere suitcase weights, very good condition, newly green painted, asking \$100/apiece. 816-838-3300. jy17tfn.p

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Housecleaning services available for the Clinton, Osceola, Appleton City, and surrounding areas. 913-274-8884 s4x2p

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Ranch help who can hay, plant crops, and do other ranch chores. Please send resume to Brush Creek Ranch 1250 NE 120p Rd Calhoun, MO. 65323 or email to brushcreekranch3@gmail.com. a28x1p

Buying cars, trucks, vans, tractors, wrecked, running or junk. Will pick up, pay cash. (660) 643-7320 may5tfn12.28p

GARAGE SALES

Large 2 Family sale, home & RV stuff, tons of items Sept 5th,6th,& 7th 9:00-4:00 1601 Briarcliff Dr s4x1p

FOR RENT

Commercial Space for Rent in Clinton! Two Units Around 1,000 Sq Feet. Each (Could be combined if needed) Would suite multiple types of business such as Offices, Retail, Ect. Contact Emily (Call/text) @ 660-351-2382 f8tfn.c

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GARAGE SALES

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Farm house, lake house, kids stuff, music, clothes, games, man stuff, lots of fall and Christmas decor, baked goods. 304 Jamestown Dr. Thurs, Fri, Sat, 7:30-? s4x1p

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Not your average sale, assortment of 1950's vintage and collectibles. Sept 7th, 2101 Arcadia s4x1p

Ginormous! Furniture, Home Decor, Gun Cabinet, mountain Bike, much More. Girls Clothes 2T-6. Saturday, 9/7, 7:30-? - 1311 Event Space (Next to the Animal Shelter) Eversole s4x1p

Friday, Sept. 6th. 1304 N. Washington, Office desk, file cabinets & more. s4x1p

Fri & Sat, 1107 S. 7th. 8am-4pm, collector model cars, die-cast trucks, car books, mechanic tools, and chest, biker gas tank, Barbies. s4x1p

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Car Seat Checkup

Appointments appreciated. Walk-ins welcome.
Be sure to bring your child and their current car seat!

When: Saturday, September 21st, 2024
9am - 12 pm

Where: Henry County Health Center
111 N. 3rd St. Clinton, MO 64735

Certified Technicians will check each child safety seat for:

- *Recall
- *Proper working parts
- *Correct incline and seat position

Teach Parents:

- *Correct usage of their child's safety seat
- *Installation techniques

Each seat will require approximately 30 minutes of time.

Contact: Rebekah Dempsey
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660-885-8193

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF HENRY COUNTY, MISSOURI
IN RE: The Change of Name of)
) Case No.: 24HE-AC00297
NICHOLAS DAVID RAY WILLING)

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME

You are hereby notified that the name of **NICHOLAS DAVID RAY WILLING** has been changed to **LOGAN RAZIEL GRIMM GRAYDEN** by Judgment of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri which was entered on the 17th day of June, 2024.
 au22x3p

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

In the Estate of **LINDA JEAN SMITH**, Deceased.
Case Number: Case Number: 24HE-PR00075
NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED
 (Independent Administration - Non-Resident Fiduciary)
To All Persons Interested in the Estate of LINDA JEAN SMITH, Decedent:

On **AUGUST 23, 2024**, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of **LINDA JEAN SMITH**, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri. The personal representative may administer the estate independently without adjudication, order, or direction of the Probate Division of the Circuit Court, unless a petition for supervised administration is made to and granted by the court. The personal representative's name, business address is: **DARIN LEE TOFT, 36629 MOSSBERG COURT, ELIZABETH, MO 80107**

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is: **ANGELA ARTHERTON, PO BOX 276, CASSVILLE, MO 65625, 417-847-2734.**

The non-resident personal representative's designated agent's name, business address, and phone number is: **ANGELA ARTHERTON, PO BOX 276, CASSVILLE, MO 65625, 417-847-2734.**

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

Date of the decedent's death: **05-JUL-2023**
 Date of first publication: **SEPTEMBER 5, 2024**

/S/ CRISSY JOHNSTON
 PROBATE Clerk

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

Beth Kuda and Dayna Blaine)
Plaintiffs)
vs.) CASE NO. 24HE-CC00038
Lin J. Kozlowski, Trustee)
of the Lin J. Kozlowski)
Revocable Trust dated)
February 13, 2017)
107 SE 1014 P. Lane)
Deepwater, Mo. 64740)
And)
Robert S. Barnes c/o)
Shirley Garland)
1103 SW 8th St.)
Lee's Summit, Mo. 64081)
And)
Private Investors, Inc.)
C/O Russell Tucker)
3003 E. Chestnut Expressway,)
Suite 100)
Springfield, MO. 65802)
Defendants)

ORDER OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE

The State of Missouri to Respondent, Private Investors, Inc., a Defunct Missouri Corporation, formerly known as Forest Ridge, Inc., and Russell Hunter, its Registered Agent:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced in the Circuit Court for the Court of Henry County, State of Missouri, the object of which is the termination of a restrictive covenant which states:

.. with the additional restriction that this tract of ground can never be used as a homesite or camp site on a temporary or permanent basis.

The tract to which this restriction applies is described as: **The North Half (N ½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW ¼) of the Southwest Quarter (SW ¼) of the Northeast Quarter (NE ¼) of Section Thirty-Six (36), Township Forty (40), Range Twenty-Six (26), Henry County, Missouri**

The names of all the parties to this action are stated in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for Petitioner is **Michael X. Edgett, 608 E. Ohio Street, Clinton, Missouri 64735.**

You are further notified that, unless you file an Answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid Petition within 45 days after the 22ND day of **AUGUST, 2024**, the Court will proceed with the Petition to terminate a restrictive covenant.

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

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court this 15TH day of August, 2024.

/S/ WENDI MCGHEE, BY SD
 Circuit Clerk of Heryny County, Missouri

Dates of Publication: August 22nd; August 29th; September 5th and September 12th
 au22x4c

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Henry County Commission is requesting RFQs / Bids for Tow Service, dispatched by the Sheriff's Office. Specifications are available in the Office of Rick Watson, Henry County Clerk, Henry County Courthouse, or by calling 660-885-7204. Bids are due by 10:00am on Tuesday, September 24th, 2024 and will be opened, at 10am, Tuesday September 24th, 2024. Submit completed documents in a sealed envelope to the Office of Rick Watson, Henry County Clerk, 100 W Franklin St, Clinton MO 64735 s5x2c

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT ON BRIDGE REPLACEMENT IN HENRY COUNTY

Notice is hereby given to all interested persons that the Henry County Commission is planning to replace the bridge on SE 91 Road over Deer Creek located southeast of Englewood Cemetery near Clinton, Missouri. This project is located within U.S. Army Corps of Engineers property at Harry S. Truman Reservoir. A portion of the project area falls on land licensed to the Missouri Department of Conservation and operated as the Bethlehem Wildlife Management Area. This land is open to the public for recreational use, including bird watching, hunting, fishing, hiking, wildlife viewing, and photography.

This project involves removing and replacing the existing bridge on the existing roadway alignment and repaving the asphalt roadway approach sections. Acquisition of new right-of-way (0.19-acre) and temporary easements (0.31-acre) from the surrounding public land will be required to complete the project.

Construction of the new bridge is anticipated to begin in early 2025. The construction time will be approximately 3 months while the new bridge and approach roadway are constructed. The existing bridge will be closed for the duration of the construction.

Proposed project plans may be requested by contacting Zachary Olivas at Great River Engineering at (816) 436-4440 or zolivas@greatriv.com. Individuals and organizations wishing to comment on the project may submit their comments to Zachary Olivas until September 16, 2024.

HENRY COUNTY COMMISSION

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

In the Estate of **MARY J. SILKA**, Deceased.
Case Number: Case Number: 24HE-PR00085
NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED
 (Supervised Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of MARY J. SILKA, Decedent:

On **AUGUST 23, 2024**, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of **MARY J. SILKA**, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri.

The personal representative's business address is: **ALLEN HUFF, HENRY COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 100 W FRANKLIN ST, RM 307, CLINTON, MO 64735**

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is: **J. ERIC MITCHELL, PO BOX 309, CLINTON, MO 64735, 660-885-6161.**

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

Date of the decedent's death: **20-JUL-2024**
 Date of first publication: **SEPTEMBER 5, 2024**

/S/ CRISSY JOHNSTON
 PROBATE Clerk

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

JMI PROPERTIES, LLC,)
Plaintiff,)
vs.) CASE NO. 24HE-CC00053
GARY D. BAUMGARDEN,)
KIMBERLY A. SCHMIDT and)
ROBIN D. COONROD,)
Defendants.)

ORDER OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE

The State of Missouri to: **Gary D. Baumgarden, Kimberly A. Schmidt and Robin D. Coonrod**

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced in the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri, Circuit Division, by motion, the object and general nature of which is a Petition to Quiet Title.

The names of all parties to said suit are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for the Plaintiffs is: **J. Eric Mitchell, Johns, Mitchell, Duncan & Lowe, LLC, 102 West Jefferson St, Clinton, Missouri 64735.**

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within 45 days after the 5th day of September 2024, a Judgment may be rendered in favor of the Plaintiffs.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to the law in **Clinton Daily Democrat**, 104 S. Main, Clinton, MO 64 735, a newspaper of general circulation published in Clinton, Henry County, Missouri.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court of Henry County, Missouri, State of Missouri, the 23RD day of **AUGUST, 2024.**

Wendi McGhee, Circuit Clerk
/S/ WENDI MCGHEE, BY SD
 By, Deputy Clerk

Dates of Publication: September 5, September 12, September 19, September 26, 2024
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The Clinton City Council will hold a public hearing at 5:45 p.m. on Tuesday, October 15, 2024, at Clinton City Hall, 105 E. Ohio, to receive public comments and input on the setting of rates for sewer service. The rates to be established will be for fixed service, volume and connection charges for residential, commercial and industrial service locations.
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Henry County Commission is requesting bids for a Tractor with a Rear Cradle Boom Mower or a single unit with a Rear Cradle Boom Mower. Delivered to the Henry County Bridge yard. At 1316 N. Third Street Clinton MO 64735

Bid Specs. are available in the Office of Rick Watson, Henry County Clerk, Henry County Courthouse, or by calling 660-885-7204. Bids are due by 10:00 am on Thursday September 12th, 2024 and will be Opened at 10:00 am September 12th, 2024 in the Commissioner's Office, on the 2nd floor of the Henry County Courthouse. Mail to the Office of Rick Watson, Henry County Clerk, 100 w Franklin St, Clinton Mo 64735. You could also email to rickw@henrycomo.com s5x1c

HIGHWAY 7 STORAGE
PO BOX 109
2240 NW HIGHWAY 7
STORAGE
CLINTON, MO 64735
660-383-1104

Auction Sale Date:
 September 20, 2024
 Time: PRIVATE SALE ONLY
 Unit # 217- Jennifer Cole-
 All personal contents including but not limited to:

- Dog Box
- BB Gun
- Compound Bow
- Misc. Items
- Unit Annex # 114- Mary Sellars - All personal contents including but not limited to:
- Tables and Chairs
- Dressers
- Trunk
- Framed Pictures
- Misc. Items

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The Shepherd Calls
 by
Dr. H. Wade Paris

WOULD-BE CHRISTIANS

In the year 305 A.D., Constantine became Emperor of the Holy Roman Empire. He quickly outlawed the persecution of Christians. He took one step further and made Christianity the official religion of the Empire.

While the Church surely delighted in this turn of events, it presented a new problem. There were many Christians who had endured persecution and death rather than say, "Caesar is Lord," there were also many Christians who for personal fear and other reasons had said, "Caesar is Lord." How should the church respond to these "weak" believers? We refer to them as closet Christians or would-be Christians i.e., believers who are not strong enough to bear a cross.

It would appear Judas was a would-be follower of Jesus. Hoping to redirect Jesus' plans from the Cross, Judas betrayed Him. As soon as he committed the betrayal, he realized, "I have made a terrible mistake." Judas compounded the betrayal of Christ with suicide.

The Bible tells of others who seem to have been closet believers. Joseph of Arimathea, a Jewish leader, apparently lacked the courage to follow Jesus openly. He changed his mind when he saw how Jesus died. And what about Nicodemus? Jesus explained salvation to him, but there is no record of his acceptance. Following Jesus' crucifixion, both men found courage enough to request to bury Jesus' body. With this act one might say they "came out" as believers in Jesus Christ.

The polls tell us about half of American citizens claim to be Christian. Yet church attendance, the least costly act of following Jesus, does not substantiate that claim. It seems safe to assume many who profess to be Christians are would-be followers. They would like to have the blessings of Jesus but not His cross.

The church must decide how it will relate to these would-be disciples. Perhaps the answer to that is recorded in Jesus' confrontation with Peter beside the Sea of Galilee---with love and forgiveness. Who knows what a would-be believer might become?

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