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Big Changes Are Coming To Drake Harbor Playground Facility, Here's What To Know



By
Judy Kramer
County
Reporter

Phase I of the Steamboat Landing playground at Drake Harbor was completed in October 2022. When a community survey revealed that there was a desire to enlarge the playground and add a bathroom, Warsaw resident Rick Bibb offered to donate a dollar for every dollar donated by the community for the project up to \$300,000. So far, the community has raised \$243,385, including \$143,000 from the City of Warsaw, and the Bibb family has matched it. On May 7, the City of Warsaw broke ground on the expansion to the Steamboat playground and the building of modern, year-round, flushing restrooms at Drake Harbor.

"After a year of FUNdraising projects, we are close enough to our goal to break ground," said Randy Pogue, City Administrator and Planner. "We still have \$56,000 to raise before we can complete the project. Weather permitting, construction will be underway soon. The completion date is up in the air depending on how long it takes for us to raise the remaining money to finish the project."

Volunteer fundraising efforts are being led by Bonnie Wall, who noted that



GETTING READY TO TAKE SHAPE, a contingent of community members and officials attended a ground breaking ceremony for an expansion of the children's playground at Drake Harbor last Wednesday.

major donors present at the groundbreaking were Rick Bibb, Carmen Mantonya of Hawthorn Bank, Lions Club President Loren Whetsell, Kevin Dockery and Sean Dockery of Ozark Disposal, Toby Bolender of the Marine Corps League, Chuck Allcorn of the Warsaw Shrine Club and Mayor Eddie Simons.

Wall said that to raise more funds there is a current Wenig Custom Stock Ruger 10/22 Gun Raffle. The gun is made from Special Selection English Walnut and is valued at \$3,673. Raffle tickets are

at Sportsman's Outfitters, the American Legion and the Warsaw City Office. Coming up is a four-person scramble Play Golf for the Playground tournament on June 7 at Shawnee Bend, a Texas Hold'em Tournament hosted by the Knights of Columbus on July 19, and a Trapshooting competition at the American Legion later in the summer.

"We are asking the public to support these upcoming fundraisers and to also pitch in with tax-deductible donations," said Wall. "A

check can be dropped off at the city office or mailed to the 'City of Warsaw - Playground' at 201 W. Main Street, Warsaw 63555. Every dollar counts and is matched by the Bibb family! Please help us reach our goal."

<https://warsawmo.gov> details what is to be accomplished at the playground in Phase II. It will continue the river boat theme from Phase I and will have over 27 imaginative play activities highlighted with an impactful color scheme offering a rich

partnership with the historic past of Warsaw's Osage River Heritage, and the required social behavioral, physical skill, and communal activity development of today's children. Some of the items for imaginative play activities include a Hover Net with custom spoonbill fish-themed climbers, multi person swings, various style of log climbers and stepping pods, buddy rocker, Mini City Community Helpers log cabin themed playhouse with a fish crawl tunnel, custom boat themed spring

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City Of Lincoln Reports Clean Audit For 2024



By
Dianne Peck
County Reporter

Lincoln City Council met in regular monthly session on Monday, May 12 at 6:00 PM in Lincoln City Hall. Following routine handling of business the council received a report on the 2024 Financial Audit. The city received the highest score possible for an audit, leaving the council pleased and proud.

The council voted to renew membership in the KBRPC (Kaysinger Basin Regional Planning Commission).

Gavin Eichler and Jill Reimund appeared before the council to request permission for a group of individuals to host an old fashioned 4th of July in the Big City Park on the 4th. The chamber will be providing the usual fireworks that evening but this is to be a fundraiser to garner money to send students to Washington D.C. next year. Tentative plans are for games throughout the day and an evening dinner. Both the council and the Lincoln Park Board approved the event and wished the organizers well.

The Public Works report revealed what we all should know. Their work is unending and never done. Presently they are kept busy with mowing and trimming, plus responding to work orders. Josh and crew are still trimming trees along roadways, digging out ditches, patching roadways,

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Excitement In The Air! Lincoln & Cole Camp Celebrate Graduations Of Classes Of 2025



By
Anita Campbell
County
Reporter

Forty-three Lincoln seniors walked across the LHS football field for the last time as students as they participated in the 2025 graduation ceremony on Friday evening, May 9.

Speakers for the evening included Valedictorian Thomas Rose and Salutatorian Adisyn Pennell.

Several graduating students received scholarships to help them continue their education.

Elizabeth Botteron received an Academic Achievement Award, \$3,000; Benton County Elks Scholarship, \$1,000; Vivan C. Harms Bowles Scholarship, \$500.

Haley Brennan received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000; Whiteman Spirit



READY FOR THE REAL WORLD, both Lincoln and Cole Camp High School held their graduation ceremonies for the Class of 2025 on Friday.

Alliance, \$1,000. Kaitlynn Brown received a Presidential Scholarship, \$15,000; Stephens Scholarship, \$6,580; Honors Scholarship, \$1,000. Matthew Cook received

an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000; Warsaw Leathernecks Scholarship, \$2,500; Kaysinger Bluff Pioneer Heritage Scholarship, \$250; Leona S. Larson Scholarship,

\$500; Lincoln Chamber Scholarship, \$500.

Noah Eckhoff received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000; MFA Scholarship, \$2,500; Central Missouri

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Congressman Alford Honors WHS Students At Ceremony



PATRIOTIC YOUNG AMERICANS, Jaxson Deckard and Drake Murrell were honored by the attendance of Congressman Mark Alford during a reception on Friday that recognized their acceptance into military academies. Following the reception, Congressman Alford agreed to an interview with Enterprise Reporter Kim Fugate.



By
Kim Fugate
County
Reporter

A day to remember unfolded in Warsaw, where community ties are strong and the spirit of recognition runs deep. Leading this

remarkable occasion was Congressman Mark Alford, whose service to the 4th District since 2023 has been marked by an unwavering commitment to his constituents and the values of leadership and community. This event wasn't just a reception; it was a testament to the

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Outdoor Expo

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Saturday, May 17, 2025
9:00 am – 10:00 pm
Drake Harbor and Recreation Area

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Community Calendar

MAY 14, 2025: Free TV Streaming Workshop at 2:00 PM, Cole Camp Library, Learn how to use streaming platforms to watch movies and TV shows with ease! Suggested for ages 50 and up, but everyone is welcome.

MAY 17, 2025: Stepping Stones Garden Club will have their annual plant sale in front of the Benton County Courthouse, Van Buren Street and Main Street, on Saturday, May 17, 2025, from 8:00 AM to 11:00 AM. Come shop from a wide variety of perennial and native plants. In celebration of Arbor Day, we will give away seedlings of dogwood, redbud and serviceberry trees.

MAY 17, 2025: Discover Missouri’s State Parks and Historic Sites at 12:00 PM, Cole Camp Library. Join us for a free presentation to learn about Missouri’s state parks and historical sites--perfect for family road trips and outdoor adventures!

MAY 17, 2025: The annual L.P. Union (Weaver) Cemetery meeting will be held on May 17, 2025 at 3:00 PM at the L.P. Union Church.

MAY 18, 2025: Old Bethel Campground and Cemetery will hold their annual meeting on Sunday, May 18 at 1:30 PM, The meeting will be held at the Bethel Church: 37929 Bethel Avenue, Edwards, MO.

MAY 20, 2025: The Warsaw Friends of the Library will meet Tuesday, May 20, 2025, at noon, in the meeting room at the Warsaw Boonslick Library, Anyone interested in our library is encouraged to attend, For further information, please call (660) 438-5211.

MAY 21, 2025: The Benton County Democratic Party is holding its monthly meeting on Wednesday, May 21 at 6:00 PM in the Warsaw Library meeting room. Light refreshments will be provided, and everyone is welcome to attend!

MAY 24, 2025: Shiloh Cemetery Association will hold the annual meeting on Saturday, May 24, 2025, at 1:00 PM at the cemetery.

MAY 25, 2025: The Hastain Family Cemetery will hold their annual Memorial Day meeting on Sunday, May 25 at 11:00 AM at the Hastain Cemetery. We look forward to seeing all of you once again as we gather to honor our cherished family members resting there.

MAY 25, 2025: Turkey Creek Chapel Cemetery annual association meeting will be May 25, 2025, lunch at 1:00 PM, Meat, beverage and tableware provided, Bring a food item to share, Membership and board of directors meeting will follow the meal.

MAY 31, 2025: Kinkead Cemetery family and friends reunion will be held on Saturday, May 31, 2025, at Spring Grove Baptist Church basement, 25478 Hwy T, Warsaw. A basket dinner will be held at noon. For further information, please contact at (660) 438-5978.

JUNE 11, 2025: Free TV Streaming Workshop at 2:00 PM, Cole Camp Library, Learn how to use streaming platforms to watch movies and TV shows with ease! Suggested for ages 50 and up, but everyone is welcome.

NEWS**briefs**

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.



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LOW	57°	57°	60°	67°	65°	54°	54°
							

LAKE STAGES

Truman Lake 711.99, 5.99 feet above normal pool. Lake of the Ozarks at Warsaw's Joe Dice Swinging Bridge: 659.26, 0.74 feet below normal pool. Surface water temperature of Truman Lake is approximately 66 degrees.

PLAYGROUND

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rider, custom log/rock themed ADA transfer point, Big Kahuna Bridge/climber, custom Mushroom Step/climber, and custom Frog Climber.

GRADUATIONS

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Electric Cooperative, \$500; NHS Scholarship, \$200.

Camden Everhart received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000; Leona S. Larson Scholarship, \$500.

Danika Gillespie received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000; CMU Trustee’s Scholarship, \$12,000; CMU Softball Scholarship, \$4,000.

Lyssa Gottschalk received the Sonic Group Continuing Education Scholarship, \$500.

Myles Harms received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000; Eken Scholarship, \$2,000; WARM House Scholarship, \$1,000; Main Street Mutual Scholarship, \$1,000; Brightflight, \$3,000; Miner Residence Hall Scholarship, \$3,000; Groundbreaker Scholarship, \$8,000; Cornerstone Peers Scholarship, \$2,250; Central Missouri Electric Cooperative Scholarship, \$500.

Makenzie Ingram received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000.

Amy Jones received the Edward J. and Norene Sartin Kullman Scholarship SFCC, \$792.

Audrey Keuper received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000; MFA Scholarship, \$2,500; Benton County Elks Scholarship, \$1,000; Darren Eckhoff, Class of 1990 & Estes Scholarship, \$500; Leona S. Larson Scholarship, \$500.

Rebekah Kincaid received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000.

Vanessa Lopez received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000.

Blake Lyon received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000.

Alyssa Mellen received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000 and a Red and Black Scholarship, \$2,500.

Braylin Paxton received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000; Main Street Mutual Scholarship, \$1,500; Warsaw Leathemecks Scholarship, \$1,000; SFCC Bank Scholarship, \$800; Vivian C. Harms Bowles Scholarship, \$500.

Adisyn Pennell received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000; SFCC Music Scholarship, \$800; District Board of Trustees, \$2,000.

Charlize Roberts received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000.

Thomas Rose received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000; SFCC Music Scholarship, \$2,400; Erin Helland Performing Arts Scholarship, \$1,000.

Kaylee Simons received the Northwest Missouri State University Scholarship, \$1,500.

Sydney Spry received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000; Mizzou Provost Award, \$1,000; Vivian C. Harms Bowles Scholarship, \$500.

Lance Stevenson received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000; Leona S. Larson Scholarship, \$500.

Emanuel Torres received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000.

Chase Young received an A+ Scholarship, up to \$17,000; MFA Scholarship, \$2,500; Lincoln Hunting and Fishing, \$1,000; SFCC Band Scholarship, \$1,000; Benton County Community Foundation, \$750; Glenn Coffey Memorial Scholarship, \$650; BDL Scholarship, \$600; Vivian C. Harms Bowles Scholarship, \$500; Benton County Health Department, \$500.

George Washington Carver Awards were presented to the top 10% of the class: Noah Eckhoff, Adisyn Pennell and Thomas Rose.

SFCC Career and Technology Center presented certificates

of Achievement to the following LHS seniors.

Blake Lyon, Automotive; Rebekah Denny, Lucas Wolf, Building Trades; Haley Brennan, Camden Everhart, Criminal Justice; Taylor Davis, Emma Filatov, Amber Jones, Alyssa Mellen, Early Childhood; Natalie Bond, Kaitlynn Brown, Graphic Design; Mariska DeFoor, Sydney Spry, Daniel Vasylytyn, Chase Young, Health Occupations; Danika Gillespie, Emanuel Torres, Welding.

A+ Scholarship Program was issued by the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education to students who have the following: 2.5 GPA or higher, overall attendance of 95%, 60 hours of unpaid tutoring, good citizenship, and a qualifying math score for a state paid financial incentive to attend any public two-year college or technical school in Missouri.

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Fifty Cole Camp students graduated from CCHS on Friday, May 9 in the CCHS gym. Many of the class received scholarships and awards to continue their education.

Colby Benn, Summa Cum Laude graduate, received the Citizens Farmers Bank Scholarship.

Kolby Bohon received an A+ Scholarship, SFCC Missouri Boys State Scholarship, American Legion Abraham Lincoln Post #305 Scholarship, Cole Camp Educational Foundation Scholarship and Pettis County Farm Bureau Scholarship.

Blake Borgman received a Missouri Welding Institute Scholarship.

Lillian Brown, Summa Cum Laude graduate, received a Cole Camp R-1 Honors Diploma, George Washington Carver Award, A+ Scholarship, Central Methodist University President’s Scholarship, Central Methodist University Cheerleading Scholarship, Central Methodist University Civic Engagement Scholarship, Central Methodist University Eagle Select Scholarship, Citizens Farmers Bank Scholarship, Cole Camp Educational Foundation Scholarship, Cole Camp R-1 Student Council Scholarship, Benton County Extension Council Scholarship, Bright Flight Scholarship.

Nathanial Brown received an A+ Scholarship.

Hannah Cardwell received a Northwest Missouri State University Scholar Scholarship, Northwest Missouri State University NPG-Fischer Scholarship.

Alexis Casdorph, Summa Cum Laude graduate, received a Cole Camp R-1 Honors Diploma, George Washington Carver Award, Cole Camp CRA Scholarship, Central Methodist University President’s Scholarship, Central Methodist University Choir Scholarship.

Alex Chavez received an A+ Scholarship.

Madison Cooper, Summa Cum Laude graduate, received a Cole Camp R-1 Honors Diploma, George Washington Carver Award, Citizens Farmers Bank Scholarship, Gesund 21 Health Occupations Scholarship, American Legion Auxiliary Unit #305 Scholarship, Julianna Anderson Nursing Scholarship, Countryside Fraternal Order of Eagles Auxiliary Scholarship, Cole Camp Educational Foundation Scholarship, Benton County Health Department Scholarship, SFCC 40&8 Voiture 333 Nursing Scholarship.

Jentzen Crider received an A+ Scholarship, CTC Certificate of Achievement Criminal Justice, CTC Criminal Justice Academic Award, CTC Criminal Justice Physical Fitness Award, CTC Criminal Justice Leadership Award,

CTC Criminal Justice Stackable Credentials Certificate, CTC CareerSafe Certificate, National Career Readiness Certificate Bronze.

Jason Dieckman received an A+ Scholarship, CTC Certificate of Completion Precision Machining, CTC Precision Machining Academic Award, CTC NIMS Certification, Missouri State SkillsUSA GOLD, National Career Readiness Certificate-Silver.

Dalila Fanin, Summa Cum Laude graduate, received an A+ Scholarship.

Spencer Godwin received an A+ Scholarship, and State Fair Community College Golf Scholarship.

Summer Hagen, Summa Cum Laude graduate, received Cole Camp R-1 Honors Diploma and Citizens Farmers Bank Scholarship.

Leigha Harrison received CTC Certificate of Completion-Graphic Design, CTC Graphic Design Academics Award, CTC CareerSafe Certificate, P r i n t E D / S k i l l s U S A Graphic Communications Proficiency Certificate, National Career Readiness Certificate-Silver, Warsaw Leathernecks Scholarship, Robert Marshall Stratton-Vira Rule Stratton Scholarship, and Dueber Scholarship.

Carson Hoke received an A+ Scholarship, CTC Certificate of Achievement-Precision Machining, CTC Precision Machining Academic Award, CTC NIMS Certifications, National Career Readiness Certificate-Gold, Cole Camp Educational Foundation Scholarship, CTC Career Passport.

Adam Kammeyer received an A+ Scholarship.

Grace Koenke, Summa Cum Laude graduate, received an A+ Scholarship, Lincoln Hunting Club Scholarship, Benton County 4-H and FFA Fair Royalty Scholarship.

Alan McCullough received the Benton County Community Foundation Scholarship.

Mackenzie Moellman, a Summa Cum Laude graduate, received an A+ Scholarship, SFCC Board of Trustees Scholarship, Leona Schenewark Larson and Pauline Schenewark Wheeler Scholarship.

Liliya Nine received the SFCC Robert and Mark Mason Endowed Scholarship.

Conner Petersen received an A+ Scholarship, Bright Flight Scholarship, Missouri University of Science and Technology Groundbreaker Scholarship and Missouri University of S&T Karl F. Hasselmann Scholarship.

Braden Poe, Magna Cum Laude graduate, received CTC Certificate of Achievement Precision Machining, CTC Precision Machining Academic Award, CTC NIMS Certifications, Missouri State Skills USA GOLD, CTC National Technical Honor Society Certificate, National Career Readiness Certificate – Silver, CTC Career Passport, Hunefelt Scholarship.

Anastasia Procoplsen, Magna Cum Laude graduate, received CTC Certificate of Achievement-Graphic Design, CTC Graphic Design Academic Award, CTC CareerSafe Certificate, CTC National Technical Honor Society Certificate, PrintEDSkills Graphic Communications Proficiency Certificate, National Career Readiness Certificate Bronze, CTC Career Passport.

Emelia Root received an A+ Scholarship.

Ashlyn Russell, a Summa Cum Laude graduate, received a Cole Camp R-1 Honors Diploma, George Washington Carver Award, A+ Scholarship, Cole Camp CTA Scholarship, Kaysinger Bluff Pioneer Heritage Association Scholarship, Missouri Association of

School Administrators Scholarship, Citizens Farmers Bank Scholarship, Cole Camp R-1 Alumni Association Scholarship, Cole Camp Educational Foundation Scholarship, Northwest Missouri State University Academic Excellence Scholarship, Northwest Missouri State University A+ Recognition Scholarship, Northwest Missouri State University Music Scholarship, Main Street Mutual Scholarship, Josephine and Edgar Gerken Memorial Scholarship.

Bentley Sears received a Missouri Welding Institute Scholarship.

Bailey Stoppel, Summa Cum Laude graduate, received Cole Camp R-1 Honors Diploma, George Washington Carver award, A+ Scholarship, Truman State University Bulldog Legacy Scholarship, Truman State University President John R. Kirk Scholarship, Citizens Farmers Bank Scholarship, Cole Camp Educational Foundation Scholarship, Leona Schenewark Larson and Pauline Schenewark Wheeler Scholarship, and a Bright Flight Scholarship.

Emma Thayer, Summa Cum Laude graduate, received a Cole Camp R-1 Honors Diploma, A+ Scholarship, Leona Schenewark Larson and Pauline Schenewark Wheeler Scholarship, Walsworth Consummate Professional Scholarship, Citizens Farmers Bank Scholarship, Main Street Mutual Scholarship, SFCC 40&S Voiture 333 Nursing Scholarship, Mary Lay Scholarship, and BDL Scholarship.

Kyle Thomas, Summa Cum Laude graduate, received an A+ Scholarship, Central Christian College of the Bible SEAL Scholarship, Benton County WARM House Scholarship, Cole Camp R-1 Alumni Association Scholarship, Cole Camp R-1 Student Council Scholarship, Hunefelt Scholarship, and Dueber Scholarship.

Colton Thompson received an A+ Scholarship, MFA Oil Company’s C. Robertson Scholarship, Cole Camp R-1 FFA Scholarship, Cole Camp Educational Foundation Scholarship, Josephine and Edgar Gerken Memorial Scholarship.

Shane Wallace received an A+ Scholarship.

Amber Zimmerman received CTC Certificate of Completion-Health Occupations, National Career Readiness Certificate-Gold, Westminister College Dean’s Scholarship, Westminister FAFSA Priority Scholarship, Westminister Visit Scholarship.

A+ Scholarship Program was issued by the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education to students who have the following: 2.5 GPA or higher, overall attendance of 95%, 60 hours of unpaid tutoring, good citizenship, and a qualifying math score for a state paid financial incentive to attend any public two-year college or technical school in Missouri.

Cole Camp R-1 Honors Diploma is issued by the Board of Education to those who have completed a college preparatory curriculum and a final GPA of 3.0 or higher.

George Washington Carver Award is issued by the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education to the top 10% of the class.

ALFORD

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power of acknowledging hard work, dedication, and the achievements of our youth.

With a solemn pledge of allegiance and a reflective prayer, the gathering set

the stage for an intimate celebration of achievement and community spirit. Congressman Alford's recognition of the accomplishments of Warsaw High School's 2025 graduating seniors, Jaxson Deckard, Drake Murrell, and their families, was a highlight of the morning. This act of honor from a figure of such stature was not only a nod to the importance of education but also a cherished memory for all present, reinforcing the value of community support and the bright future of its young leaders.

In the grand scheme of things, only about 1% of folks in the U.S. decide to step up and serve in the military, which is pretty wild when you think about it. Getting into one of those military academies isn't like signing up for your average college. It's like running a gauntlet that tests just about everything you've got. First off, you have to prove you're not just physically fit but also tough as nails, passing things like the Candidate Fitness Assessment (CFA) and making sure you're healthy enough to take on the challenge.

Then, there's this whole dance of getting a nomination from someone pretty high up, like a member of Congress or even the Vice President. It's not just about having the brains and the brawn; you've got to have the kind of character and leadership skills that make people take notice. And let's not forget the academic hustle – your grades and test scores need to be top-notch. Once you've jumped through all these hoops, nailed the interviews, and submitted a killer application, you're in the running. But remember, this isn't a walk in the park. Starting early and staying determined is key. These days, only about 25% of young Americans even qualify to serve. So, if you're aiming for a spot, you've got to bring your A-game.

During the heartfelt reception, a moment of significant recognition unfolded as Barry White Sr from the American Legion Post 217 bestowed upon Drake and Jaxson a Certificate of Commitment, a testament to their unwavering dedication and hard work. The ceremony was further highlighted by the presentation of a Flag and Challenge coin to the appointees, a symbol of honor and achievement. Superintendent Jeffrey Games and Congressman Mark Alford eloquently spoke, showering elegant words and adoration over the seniors, celebrating their accomplishments and the bright futures ahead of them. Among the esteemed attendees were Sheriff Eric Knox and Lieutenant Kelly Lowe from the Sheriff’s Department, reflecting the community's deep support and recognition of the young individuals' achievements.

Drake Murrell, son of Cindy and Tim Murrell, embarked on what he describes as a "fast track" journey towards his future. Initially uncertain of his path, Murrell's direction became clear after a recruiter's visit post-ASVAB testing illuminated the possibilities ahead.

"I did some research and realized the Naval Academy was the perfect fit for me, offering all the opportunities I was looking for," Murrell explained.

He began the application process in January, securing a spot in the Summer Seminar and completing his Candidate Fitness Assessment (CFA) as a precautionary step.

Murrell diligently worked through the application checklist until October, during which he submitted nomination packets to both a senator and a congressman.

His ambition is to major in Marine Engineering, a field he feels privileged to pursue.

Murrell expressed gratitude for this opportunity and shared his excitement about maintaining a close friendship with Jaxon Deckard as they navigate their respective journeys.

Jaxson Deckard, the son of Shannon and Jared Deckard, opened up about his journey towards a future he dreamed of. When asked about the origins of his ambition and what propelled him on this path, Jaxson recounted how family vacations played a pivotal role, especially a memorable visit to Colorado Springs and the Air Force Academy.

"Even then, I loved it. It was so cool," Deckard reflected, acknowledging the early influence of his parents' encouragement towards considering his future aspirations.

The idea of attending the Air Force Academy, despite initially seeming too prestigious, captivated him. He dedicated himself to excelling academically to prepare for this possibility.

By his junior year, the time came for Deckard to make a definitive decision about his commitment to this goal. He applied to and attended summer seminars at the academy, which solidified his conviction,

"This is where I belong, where I need to be," he siad.

Motivated by this realization, Deckard invested every effort to enhance his chances of admission, aiming to make himself a noticeable candidate.

Reflecting on the culmination of his efforts, Deckard expressed satisfaction when he said, "To have it come together has been great."

He outlined his career aspirations, which include studying Mechanical Engineering at the academy. He is particularly excited about the prospect of joining the SOARING program, which involves flying glider planes that are launched into the air by being tethered to another plane.

This experience, he believes, will be instrumental in his post-academy ambition to become an Air Force pilot, with a preference for flying fighter jets, laughed and said, “Any kind, I am not too picky”.

Grace Townsend, Military Liason and Constituent Services Manager, reflecting on the selection process for academy applicants, praised the comprehensive approach that goes beyond academics and athletics, focusing on community service and leadership to identify the best candidates. She lauded Congressman Alford's genuine commitment to serving the community without seeking public recognition.

After the reception, the Congressman took the opportunity to engage with the community, staying back to address pressing questions.

When asked about the one law he would enact without hesitation, he referenced a bill he had previously proposed but had yet to gain traction: The American Land and Property Act. This legislation aims to prevent individuals from adversary nations, including North Korea, Venezuela, Cuba, Russia, and others, from purchasing property in the United States. "We have been selling our farmland to the enemy. This has to end! Under this law, they couldn’t even buy an outhouse," the Congressman passionately stated.

On the topic of the local Harry S. Truman Visitor Center, updates indicated progress with the USACE's plans, ensuring the overlook area remains multi-functional and accessible to the public.

Ladycats Return To District Championship After Cruising Past Pleasant Hope, Eldo



WITH A FIRST ROUND DISTRICT WIN almost in the books, the Ladycats infield celebrated one of the final outs in their 10-0 shutout over Pleasant Hope on Saturday. Warsaw defeated Eldorado Springs in their semifinal on Monday night, 5-1, setting up a re-match with Skyline on Tuesday for the Class 2 District 7 title on the line.



By
Adam Howe
Sports
Editor

Brylee Brewster was once again dominant in the circle, as the senior pitcher rang up 14 strikeouts in Warsaw's 10-0 victory over Pleasant Hope on Saturday afternoon in a Class 2 District 7 quarterfinal matchup. Brewster recorded her seventh no-hitter of the season, and gave up zero hits and zero runs over five innings while walking none.

The Ladycats opened the scoring in the bottom of the first thanks to two singles off bats of Brewster and Elizabeth Winters to make the score 3-0.

Warsaw added to their early lead in the bottom of the third inning after Brylee Brewster tripled to left field, and Emmersyn Miskell grounded out to make it 5-0. Kyra Keeling took the

loss for Pleasant Hope. The right-handed pitcher went four and two-thirds innings, giving up 10 runs on nine hits, struck out one and walked nine.

Maylee Slavens, Sara Miller, Brewster, and Haylee Cobb each collected two hits for Warsaw. Winters and Cobb each drove in two runs for the Ladycats.

Braylee Cunningham aided the Warsaw offense with three walks.

Brylee Brewster threw an immaculate inning in the fifth, striking out the side on nine pitches.

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Brylee Brewster struck out 12 batters on Monday as she led Warsaw past Eldorado Springs, 5-1 on Monday. Brewster allowed four hits and one run over seven innings and walked one.

The Ladycats got on the board in the bottom of the first inning after Haylee Cobb singled to score a run, Emmersyn Miskell drew a

walk to push in one run, and a passed ball scored one run.

Lacyn Perrodin took the loss for Eldorado Springs. The starting pitcher went six innings, giving up five runs (three earned) on six hits, struck out seven and walked four.

Cobb drove the middle of the lineup, leading Warsaw with two RBI's. The number three hitter went 1 for 4 on the day.

Adison Sherrill, Elizabeth Winters, Sara Miller, Brewster, Cobb, and Braylee Cunningham each collected one hit for Warsaw.

Lily Taylor went 1 for 3 at the plate and led the Lady Bulldogs with one run batted in. Taylor, Abbie Goulardt, Brooke Coale, and Tayah Garringer each collected one hit for Eldorado Springs.

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The win propelled Warsaw (20-2) into the Class 2 District 7 championship game on Tuesday night

where they were scheduled to take on Skyline.

Warsaw Falls To Concordia On Last At-Bat

By
Adam Howe, Sports

A walk-off left the Ladycats on the wrong end of a 1-0 final at Concordia last Tuesday night. Throughout the pitcher's duel, the game was tied at 0-0 in the bottom of the seventh when Kynleigh Abney singled for the Lady Orioles to score the winning run.

Both teams were strong in the circle. Concordia's Olivia Hemme struck out 16, while Warsaw's Brylee Brewster sat down 14.

Brewster surrendered four hits and one run (zero earned) over six and one-third innings, struck out 14 and walked none. Olivia Hemme gave up three hits and zero runs over seven innings, struck out 16 and walked none.

Adison Sherrill led Warsaw with two hits in three at bats. Abney went 1 for 3 at the plate and led the team with one run batted in. She, Hemme, Karleigh Wilckens, and Ava Mueller each collected one hit for Concordia.

Wildcats Come Up Short Against Clinton, Win Over Adrian

By
Adam Howe, Sports

Warsaw Varsity Wildcats lost to Clinton 11-6 at home on Friday.

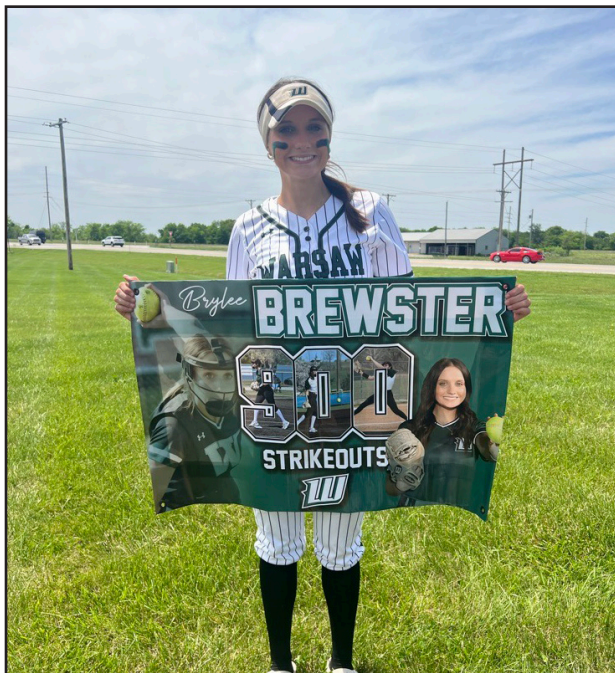
The visiting Cardinals got on the board in the top of the third inning after Will Golder singled to right field, Kanden Lafarge grounded out, and Warsaw committed an error that led to another run.

Clinton scored five runs on five hits in the top of the fourth inning. Ryan Lowe and Konnor Uribe both singled to score a run, Golder singled in two and Cody Mitchell singled in the last run.

Ryan Fajen pitched three and two-thirds innings in relief for the Wildcats. The righty surrendered five hits and three runs (two earned) while, striking out one and walking three. Josh Bunch stepped on the hill first for Warsaw. The senior righty surrendered seven hits and eight runs (five earned) over three innings, struck out two and walked two.

Sandwiched in between the Cardinals' hits were 10

Warsaw's Brewster Records 900th Strikeout Of Ladycats Career



MARKING A MILESTONE, the Ladycats Brylee Brewster rung up the 900th strikeout of her career for Warsaw in Saturday's district win over Pleasant Hope.

errors in the contest by the Warsaw defense.

Lowe started on the bump for Clinton. The starter surrendered seven hits and four runs over four and one-third innings, struck out four and walked none.

Brennen Slavens and Kendall Bagley each collected two hits for Warsaw. Logan Gemes, Slavens, Bagley, and Garrett Ferguson each drove in one run for Warsaw.

Clinton piled up 12 hits in the game.

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Warsaw led 8-1 early and held on for an 8-5 final over Adrian on Monday night.

Warsaw got on the board in the top of the first inning after Jayce Depriest stole home, and Brennen Slavens walked.

A single by Kendall Bagley extended the y Wildcats lead to 3-0 in the top of the second inning.

Warsaw scored five runs on two hits in the top of the third inning. Sonny Garrett drew a walk to score one run, Drake Murrell doubled in two runs, and Bagley doubled in two runs.

Ryan Fajen earned the win for Warsaw Varsity Wildcats. The starter allowed seven hits and five runs (three earned) over six innings, struck out three and walked one.

Elijah Hubbard took the loss for Adrian. The starter went one inning, surrendering three runs on one hit, struck out none and walked five.

Depriest tossed one inning of scoreless ball for Warsaw in relief. The pitcher surrendered zero hits, striking out one and walking none.

Kendall Bagley drove the middle of the lineup, leading Warsaw with three

runs batted in. The infielder went 2 for 4 on the day. Logan Gemes, Bagley and Murrell each collected two hits for Warsaw.

The Wildcats had patience at the plate, amassing 12 walks for the game. Garrett Ferguson and Jase Hubert led the team with three free passes each.

Bradley Watson picked up 3 stolen bases for the Green and Black while Depriest and Bagley both swiped 2.

Brock Ford led Adrian with two hits in four at bats.

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Next up for the Wildcats was their regular season finale scheduled for Tuesday night when they hosted the Lakeland Vikings.

Lincoln Defeats Two Arch Rivals In Final Week

By
Johnie Logue, Sports

The Lincoln Cardinals went on the road and defeated the conference tournament champs the Northwest Mustangs 8-6 on Monday.

Lincoln pitcher Riley Sanders pitched well leading 8-1 but faltered late giving up 5 runs in the seventh before Hunter Vandaveer shut the door with a strike out to seal the deal for the Cardinals.

Lincoln got on the board in the top of the first inning after hard-hitting Camden Everhart doubled to center field, and Northwest committed an error, and runs scored on each play.

The Cardinals added to their early lead in the top of the second inning when Chance Koll doubled in two runs and he scored himself after tagging up.

Northwest smelled the comeback with five runs on three hits in the bottom of the seventh inning. Levi Klein drew a bases loaded walk that forced in one run, an error scored one run, Connor Thorp doubled and scored two runs, and one run scored on another play. Sanders allowed six hits and six runs (one earned) over six and two-thirds innings, struck out 12 and walked two.

Cooper White stepped on the mound first for Northwest. The starting pitcher surrendered six hits and five runs (four earned) over three and one-third innings, struck out three and walked four.

Connor Thorp provided the muscle in the middle of the lineup and led Northwest with three runs batted in. The cleanup hitter went 3 for 4 on the day.

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On Saturday Lincoln played two games in Sedalia.

Cam Everhart collected three hits in three at bats, as the Cardinals defeated arch rival, the Sacred Heart Gremlins, 5-1. Everhart, who is finishing up his high school baseball career rather nicely, hit a solo home run to center field in the fourth

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inning, singled in the fifth inning, and singled in the seventh inning.

Jayden Pruitt singled down the right field line following a 9-pitch at-bat, which helped Sacred Heart tie the game at one in the bottom of the fourth.

The Cardinals took the lead in the top of the fifth inning after Riley Sanders doubled to center field. Everhart singled down the right field line, and a Blake Lyon single all scored one run.

Hunter Vandaveer stepped on the mound first for Cardinals. The starter allowed eight hits and one run over seven innings, struck out four and walked one.

Colt Conardy led things off on the hill for Sacred Heart. The righty surrendered two hits and one run over three and one-third innings, struck out three and walked five.

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In the second game, the Wheatland Mules defeated Lincoln 9-1, thanks in part to a six run fourth inning.

A ground out by Andrew Dougherty put Wheatland on the board in the top of the first.

The Mules added one run in the third. Braden Sawyer singled down the left field line, making the score 2-0.

Wheatland scored six runs on five hits in the top of the fourth inning. Avery Ohrazda singled to score one run, Andrew Murphy doubled in two runs, Brock Mendenhall grounded out to score a run, Andrew Murphy scored after tagging up, and Brett Dougherty singled in another run.

Riley Sanders led things off on the hill for Cardinals. The right-handed pitcher surrendered five hits and seven runs (five earned) over three innings, struck out one and walked two.

Avery Ohrazda stepped on the mound first for the Mules. The starter allowed five hits and one run over six innings, struck out four and walked one.

The Cardinals are now 11-13.

Paxton's Perfect Game Opens District Play For Lady Cardinals

By Johnie Logue, Sports

With the first round of districts on Thursday moved to Sedalia because of a muddy field in Lincoln, the Lady Cardinals defeated Osceola, 17-0.

Lincoln scored nine runs

in the second inning. Skyler Arbuckle singled to score two runs, Leah Crowder enticed Danika Gillespie to hit into a fielder's choice, but one run scored, Alyssa Mellen singled and scored two runs, a steal of home scored one run, Katy Cook drew a walk to score one run, Braylin Paxton tripled in one run, and an error scored another.

Lincoln jumped out to the lead in the bottom of the first inning after Rebekah Helland doubled in a run, an error scored two runs, an error scored one run, Molly Strozewski singled in a run, and Cadence Harvey doubled to score three runs.

Lincoln's ace, Braylin Paxton earned the win. The senior pitcher pitched a perfect game. She allowed zero hits and zero runs over three innings, struck out six and walked none.

Leah Crowder took the loss for Osceola. The hurler went one and two-thirds innings, surrendered 17 runs (eight earned) on nine hits, struck out none and walked six.

Cadence Harvey led Lincoln with three runs batted in.

Lincoln is now 20-3.

Lincoln's Early Lead Doesn't Last In Upset Loss To Tigers

By Johnie Logue, Sports

Lincoln jumped out to a 6 run first inning lead but faltered in a 16-10 upset loss to Green Ridge in Northwest in one of two Class 1 District 7 semifinals on Monday.

Lincoln got on the board in the bottom of the first inning after Rebekah Helland doubled to score two runs, Katy Cook singled in a run, a dropped third strike scored two runs, and an error scored one run.

Green Ridge took advantage of some sloppy play in the top of the third and scored seven runs on just three hits to take the lead at 7-6. The biggest blow in the inning was an error that scored 2 runs.

Green Ridge scored five runs on two hits in the top of the fourth inning. Abby Warner grounded out and scored one run, an error scored two more, and Kali Young drove in two on a homer to right field..

Mikensy Devorss earned the win for Green Ridge. The pitcher surrendered 11 hits and 10 runs (four earned) over seven innings,

struck out six and walked three.

Lady Cards senior Braylin Paxton took the loss for Lincoln, thus ending her career. The hurler went five innings, served up 15 runs (two earned) on only six hits, struck out three and walked four.

Skyler Arbuckle and Rebekah Helland each drove in two runs for Lincoln. The line went Green Ridge 16-11-3 and Lincoln 10-11-5

Lincoln had defeated Green Ridge twice already this season, 10-0 and 4-3.

The Lady Cardinals ended their season with an impressive overall record of 20-4.

Wildcats Track Sets School Records At District Meet

By Adam Howe, Sports

Boys 100m
5, Fisher Love, 11.25
17, Domanic Wettengel, 12.75

Girls 100m
10, Izabella Schierholtz, 13.81

13, Leigha Coons, 14.54
Girls 100m Hurdles
10, Aleanah Yoder, 18.87
13, Alysia Yoder, 19.77

Boys 110m Hurdles
2, Colton Chapman, 16.53
11, Wyatt Drake, 20.41

Boys 200m
12, Shane Poyser, 23.79
Girls 200m
4, Naomi Yoder, 26.40

*New School Record
11, Leigha Coons, 29.52
Boys 300m Hurdles
7, Colton Chapman, 44.30
13, Wyatt Drake, 49.28

Girls 300m Hurdles
13, Alysia Yoder, 56.16
14, Elizabeth Phillips, 56.21

Boys 400m
6, Kaleb Ragle, 53.66
19, Diego Ross, 1:00.76

Girls 400m
1, Naomi Yoder, 58.35
16, Isabella Schwartz, 1:18.64

Boys 800m
18, Skyler Illingworth, 2:36.28
19, Luke Yoakum, 2:36.45

Girls 800m
16, Trinity Sandstrom, 2:58.50
18, Alyssa Boyd, 3:08.17

Boys 1600m
8, Wesley Jackson, 4:55.04
11, Jaxson Deckard, 5:15.00

Girls 1600m
20, Jasmin Myers, 7:48.18
--, Kaylee Jackson, DNS

Boys 3200m
5, Wesley Jackson, 10:49.28
14, Isaac Daughenbaugh, 13:02.95

Boys Discus Throw
14, Dakota Todd, 29.28m

--, Noah Siebert, DNS
Girls Discus Throw
14, Jessie Bilderback, 21.23m

16, Kaleby Stevenson, 19.78m

Boys High Jump
--, Skyler Illingworth, NH

Girls High Jump
2, Addison Hill, 1.55m

8, Aleanah Yoder, 1.40m

Boys Javelin Throw
1, Drake Murrell, 51.97m

*New School Record
3, Josh Harvath, 41.90m

Girls Javelin Throw
7, Kaleby Stevenson, 29.42m

10, Jessie Bilderback, 25.16m

Boys Long Jump
1, Fisher Love, 6.75m

17, Ashton Jones, 4.96m

Girls Long Jump
13, Julianne Kilgore, 4.29m

16, Mylei Oliver, 4.06m

Boys Shot Put
12, Drake Murrell, 11.33m

16, Josh Harvath, 10.26m

Girls Shot Put
11, Shayla Kindle, 8.02m

19, Brooklyn Jackman, 7.07m

Boys Triple Jump
2, Fisher Love, 13.01m

9, Noah Siebert, 11.43m

Girls Triple Jump
13, Elizabeth Phillips, 8.56m

18, Isabella Schwartz, 7.56m

Relays
5, Boys 4x100m Relay, 45.01, J. Harvath, C. Chapman, M. Anderson, S. Poyser

8, Girls 4x100m Relay, 55.85, I. Schierholtz, J. Kilgore, M. Oliver, L. Coons

8, Boys 4x200m Relay, 1:37.27, S. Poyser, C. Chapman, M. Anderson, K. Ragle

10, Girls 4x200m Relay, 1:59.95, E. Phillips, M. Oliver, A. Yoder, L. Coons

4, Boys 4x400m Relay, 3:34.38, J. Harvath, N. Siebert, M. Anderson, K. Ragle

*New School Record
9, Girls 4x400m Relay, 5:00.70, A. Yoder, I. Schierholtz, A. Hill, E. Phillips

8, Boys 4x800m Relay, 10:13.83, J. Deckard, D. Ross, L. Yoakum, S. Illingworth

8, Girls 4x800m Relay, 12:18.65, T. Sandstrom, A. Hill, K. Jackson, A. Boyd

STUDENTS of the MONTH APRIL



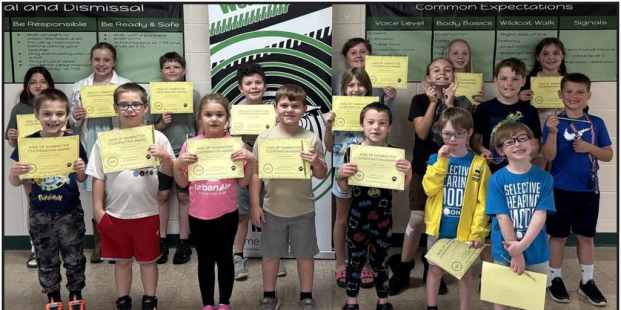
WARSAW HIGH SCHOOL: Freshman, Michelle Ricke; Sophomore, Adele Anderson; Junior, Jessie Bilderback; Senior, Madison Lawrence



JBMS: 6th Grade, Brooklynn Reed; 7th Grade, Kelby Long; 8th Grade, Jackie Murphy



WARSAW SOUTH: Kindergarten, Alaina Breitenstein, Finn Newel; 1st Grade, Novalie Fuchs, Cora Aguayo; 2nd Grade, Violet Barrera, Ashton O'Guin; 3rd Grade, Chesney Felix, Jasmine Aguayo; 4th Grade, Trace Wilborn, Jack Eakright; 5th Grade, Denver Wingo, Raylee Thomas



WARSAW NORTH: Kindergarten, Zylar Kahler, Logan Hood, Dayton Kahler, Zaire Stancell; 1st Grade, Gracie Wallace, Liam McKinney, Hope Rice; 2nd Grade, Gavin Roark, Sebastian Cooper, Paisley McKinney, Brady Spry; 3rd Grade, Grayson Sharp, Maleki Ritli, Shaylee Caldwell; 4th Grade, Aubree Callahan, John Vannattan, Shyanne Breshears; 5th Grade, Savannah Martin, Destinee Garcia, Nicholas Boston

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BIRTHPLACE: Clinton
YEARS IN BENTON COUNTY: 36 years
FAMILY: Daughters, Brittany (Jake) and Megan (Charlie); Son, Trey; Grandchildren, Graycen, Hadlyn, Axen, Mavryk, Veyda, Palmer and River
WHAT I WANTED TO BE WHEN I GREW UP: A singer and music teacher
FIRST JOB: Working on our farm with dad
OCCUPATION: Walmart for 35 years
FAVORITE CHILDHOOD MEMORY: Marching in the Philadelphia Freedom Day Parade and National Independence Day Parade with my high school band, the Wheatland Marching Mules
THE BEST TIME OF MY LIFE IS/WAS WHEN: I have my children and grandchildren all together.
MOST EMBARRASSING MOMENT: I wore 2

different shoes all day at work and didn't realize it until I got home.
WHAT DO YOU VALUE MOST IN YOUR FRIENDS: Loyalty; being there for each other
THE BEST THING ABOUT LIVING IN BENTON COUNTY IS: Small communities take care of each other.
MY GREATEST FEAR IS: Losing loved ones.
I HOPE I NEVER HAVE TO: Watch another family member suffer
I'VE NEVER BEEN ABLE TO: Swim.
IF I WON THE LOTTERY, I WOULD: Build a rec center with basketball courts, batting cages, water park, indoor playground, etc.
MY DREAM TRIP WOULD BE TO: Ireland and Scotland.
HOBBIES: Reading, singing, time with family
FAVORITE BAND OR MUSICIAN: Little Texas, Clay Walker
FAVORITE MOVIE: Pitch

Perfect FAVORITE DRINK: Dr. Pepper
FAVORITE SNACK: Anything with peanut butter
FAVORITE CANDY: Caramels
FUTURE GOAL: To watch my grandkids grow
WHICH PERSON DO YOU ADMIRE MOST: My mom was such a Godly woman. She is the example I strive to be.
ADVICE YOU WOULD GIVE YOUR YOUNGER SELF: Don't wait 'til "someday" to do the things you need to do. Someday it will be too late.
WORDS TO LIVE BY: You never know when your last day will be. Don't leave with any regrets. Tell your family you love them.



ACROSS

- 1) Surveyor's product

5) Sky-____ (TV news chopper)

8) Angry

13) "Take one!"

14) Curly leafed veggie

15) Draw the route again

16) Demonic

17) Horace volume

18) Informed

19) What rumors of war may cause

22) Butter for 33-Across

23) "____ the ramparts ..."

24) Big name in trains

27) "Smoking or ____?"

29) Connect these

33) Governor in Mogul India (Var.)

34) "Concentration" puzzle

36) Paid player

37) Be scared to death
- 40) Historic period

41) Baker's need

42) Eagle's home

43) Comedy legend Dick Van ____

45) Be nosy

46) Duo of a children's rhyme

47) After expenses

49) Ukrainian capital

50) Act the coward

58) Cartoon art form

59) Act as lookout

60) It's in a jamb

61) Bush-league

62) Fibber's forte

63) Harp's cousin

64) Great balls of fire

65) Superman's insignia

66) Pull hard

DOWN

- 1) "That was a close one!"

2) Jeans name

3) Desiccated

4) Pre-fax communicate

5) Close-knit group

6) Sheltered, at sea

7) City near Phoenix

8) Mourning band

9) Poster heading

10) Arab League member

11) Rani's dress

12) Architectural detail

14) Coin in 49-Across

20) Hardly well kept

21) Coffee break snack

24) Chipped in a pot

25) Get a spouse

26) Fine-tune

27) Informational

28) Final notice, briefly

30) Drama at La Scala

31) Blue eyes or baldness, e.g.

32) Tender spots

34) Behind

35) Woodworking tool

38) Greek penny, once

39) With passion

44) Inflammation with love

46) Strains, as flour

48) Decorative pitchers

49) They bend for proposals

50) Butts

51) Apartment, to a super

52) Ship that sailed "the ocean blue"

53) Ivy League campus

54) Leggy wader

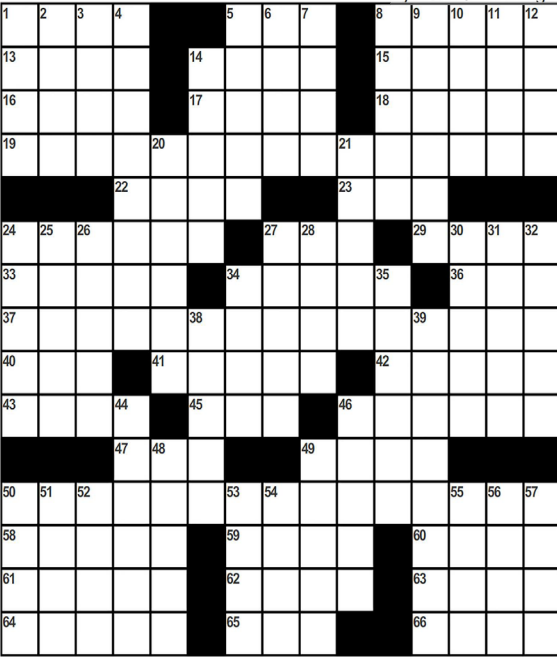
55) "Naked Maja" painter

56) Brass instrument

57) Long hike

HORROR STORY

By Dennis W. Dwight



By
Pat Arnett
Contributing Reporter

The weather was beautiful for Mother's Day on Sunday. In fact, the weather has been really nice for several days during this week. The Lord is blessing gardeners with nice weather and keeping moisture falling.
Our prayers for this week are for Kathy First, Steve Gemes, Gladys Harris, Dorothy Thomas, Bud Hatch and all where prayers are needed.
Happy birthday shoutout to Richard Vaughn and Lincoln McGuire this week!
Fristoe Pentecostal Lighthouse Church held a wonderful Ladies Luncheon on Saturday, May 10 in the church hall. There were 34 ladies who came and took part of the salad bar and dessert meal, games fellowship and worship of friendship. It was a wonderful afternoon.
As mentioned last week, my granddaughter Ryleigh Reno graduated from Kearney High School and has not made a total commitment to what her next move will be. Local schools, Skyline, Climax Springs, Lincoln and Cole Camp, along with Warsaw are having graduation exercises last and the coming week.

Anyone passing the Fristoe church along Highway 65 can tell the work is really picking up and getting done. The foundation is finished and the beginning of the floor is being laid. God has blessed the people of that church in a wonderful way. This is definitely God's plan to add the room onto this church. Sunday was a wonderful day at the Fristoe Pentecostal Lighthouse Church and a Mother's Day. Visitors and regulars filled the pews. Marie Lowrey and Bridget Arnett took a lovely potted plant and all other ladies received nice gifts also. As usual, Connie and Dave, along with Elizabeth's help led song service. Dobee and Ken did a great duet and Dave a special. The Sunday School lesson was still studying Jesus teaching in Parables. Pastor Tony's message was found in the book of Mark. Remember what he teaches. Thought for this week: The first step to wisdom is being quiet; the second step is listening!
A wise man will hear and increase his learning.
-Proverbs 1:5
Hope all who read the *Benton County Enterprise* have a safe and happy week!



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By
Betty Mewszel
Contributing Reporter
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May 16, Burgers and Hot Dogs w/Fries
May 23, Ribeye Dinner w/ Salad, Baked Potato and a Roll, 6oz-\$15, 14oz-\$25
May 30, Catfish Sandwich w/Fries, \$10 or Grilled Shrimp w/Baked Potato and Roll, \$12
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The Lodge has several regular activities during the week.
Tuesday-Shuffleboard at 2:00 PM
Wednesday-Darts at 6:00 PM
Thursday-The Lodge Boys play at 1:00 PM
Stop by and join in the fun and meet some new friends!
The popular game, Hillbilly Bingo will be a fundraising event on May 17 at 2:00 PM. Our own Dennis will be the caller, and he makes it a fun game.

Debbie will be in the kitchen doing her magic with a taco and nacho bar. We will be having an auction and bake sale. The cost of Hillbilly Bingo will be \$10 and the taco/nacho bar will be \$10. The proceeds from this event will go to the Veterans fund. This event is open to the public. Members, bring your friends for an afternoon of fun!

The pie lovers in our lodge will love June 20 when our great pie makers will bring their pies into the lodge and at 6:00 PM for a pie auction. Win a pie for just \$1! If you haven't been to one of our pie auctions, you will be missing a fun and fast-moving event. All proceeds will go towards the Benton County Family Christmas Fund.

Love trivia? Join us for a trivia afternoon on July 12 at 2:00 PM. Teams of four people, each person cost \$10. Create your own team or we can put you with someone. Debbie will be making her fantastic steak sliders with potato salad and dessert. Meal only is \$10. Prizes for 1st and 2nd place teams. Auction and bake sale after game. All proceeds will go towards backpacks for the children in Benton County at Smart Start Program. This event is open to the public. Members, bring your friends for an afternoon of fun!

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*To place a hold

Elks Lodge Donates To American Legion Veterans Crisis Fund



THE ELKS have a saying "As long as there are Veterans the Elks will never forget them." Officers from the Elks and the American Legion gathered to present and receive a check for the Veterans Crisis Fund that assists Veterans and widows of Veterans with various needs. This was made possible by a Freedom Grant from The Elks National Veterans Service Commission. Above, American Legion Commander Barry White presented a Certificate of Appreciation to Elks Exalted Ruler Kathy Rothwell for the continued support from the Elks Lodge.

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

Many things in the news are worrisome these days, but around here a lot of nice things are happening. Jubilee Days in Warsaw gets underway June 4, Flag Day is June 14, the first day of summer is June 21 and Old Glory Days in Clinton begins on July 3. The Strawberry Moon will fly on June 11 and will be brilliant in the night sky. It's named for the Algonquin Tribes who used it as a signal to gather ripening

fruit. That same moon made the Osage River fordable for steamboats. But let's get back to Jubilee Days here. This celebration always brings to mind Jubilee Days Ham that was included in a cookbook written by the late Esther Bibb and her son Rick. Esther was born on the family farm near Knobby, Missouri and was part of the last rural generation of farmers who persevered without today's modern conveniences. The

town of Edwards, Missouri is named after her forbears. Esther has been gone for some years, but her quotes and graciousness live on through her cookbook.

New York is showing a Brooklyn couple who's really in charge of private property and it isn't, "We the people." They're demanding a pair of landlords pay \$160,000 for the relocation of squatters who took over their property. One of the squatters is a convicted sex offender and two others are illegal immigrants. UNBELIEVABLE! Just goes to show that none of us really "own" our property; government is the real landlord. Don't pay your taxes and watch how quick the eviction is. The way things are going, it won't be long before car-jacking victims have to purchase a car for the person who stole it.

What else... ran across an article that says the world will end in 2050. Remember when it was supposed to end in 2012 based on a Mayan calendar prediction? At least I hope it was 2012, I don't really dwell on this. Anyway, on a science page on the internet this morning, the writer said many of their members believe we are entering a new Ice Age. It's supposed to start in Europe and spread to the U.S. and Canada. Well, it happened before on our planet and will probably happen again. Oh, I forgot one important thing and it's HUGE! Before this ice age starts, we're supposed to have a polar shift. The North Pole will shift to Europe. If true, this will cause all kinds of commotions and storms.

Enough of this! Keep an eye out though. Lord knows what craziness is going to happen next. Meanwhile, let's give thanks that our world still has nice things in it like Jubilee Days, Old Glory Days and night skies with a Strawberry Moon. You bet! Take care of yourself Old Buddy.

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If you're adding a child to your family, it's an exciting time, and you have much to anticipate. Of course, this new addition will bring many changes in your life, so you'll want to be prepared — especially in terms of your finances.

What financial moves should you make as you welcome your new child? Here are a few to consider:

- *Estimate expenses — and create a new budget.* You will likely have several new expenses associated with a new child, ranging from relatively minor purchases — car seat, stroller, crib, etc. — to potentially much larger costs, such as a vehicle with more space or even a new home. You'll need to estimate what you can afford for these initial expenses and then work in to your budget the everyday additional costs — food, clothing, uncovered medical expenses and so on.

- *Look at options to support taking time off work.* Depending on where you live and where you work, you might have some sources of support if you take time off from work after the arrival of your child. These options may include paid time off — such as sick leave and vacation time — paid family leave, short-term disability insurance, and some benefits from the Family Medical and Leave Act.

- *Determine how child care will be provided.* Child care can be expensive and, in some areas, hard to find. Well before the arrival of your child, start looking for child care, so you can explore your options and start factoring in the costs to your cash flow and monthly budget. During your search, look at offerings from local community centers, religious institutions and nonprofit organizations, some of which may offer low-cost child care programs.

- *Contribute to your emergency fund.* It's generally a good idea to keep up to six months' worth of living expenses in a liquid, low-risk account to pay for unexpected costs — and with a growing family, these costs may well increase as your child grows older.

- *Look at your tax situation.* You may want to consult with a tax professional to determine whether you qualify for credits or deductions, such as the dependent care credit, the federal child tax credit, and adoption-related credits (if you adopted a child). Also, you may want to update your Form W-4 to add a dependent — a move that may lower your tax withholding and increase your take-home pay.

- *Start your education planning.* It's never too

soon to think about paying for costs associated with your child's education. You might want to consider a 529 education savings plan, which offers tax benefits and can be used for college and many vocational programs, as well as some K-12 costs. A financial advisor can help you explore all available education savings options.

- *Check your insurance.* You'll need to add your child to your existing health insurance, but if you don't have insurance, see whether you qualify for Medicaid or the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP), or look for a marketplace plan at [healthcare.gov](https://www.healthcare.gov). You might also need to purchase additional life insurance coverage. And with a growing family to support, you might want to add disability coverage to protect your income against short- or long-term disabilities.

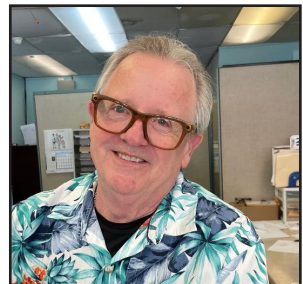
Bringing a new child into your life is certainly a joyous occasion — and by being financially prepared, you can make the whole experience even more enjoyable.

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Yes! I collect dust, and little else.
-Jim Blundell



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-Tracy Amos



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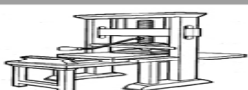
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The Good Days That Will Not Come Again

When my children were struggling to find their way and grow into young adults, the house was a buzz of activity and chaos reigned supreme. But every Thursday evening we gathered as a family and watched the Waltons. And even today, each and everyone of them recalls the program with fond memories. My most vivid and poignant memory is the introduction shots of each show when John Walton (the father) brings home the radio. So many of the Walton stories depicted the family gathered to hear “Fibber McGee and Molly”, listening to music or hearing the encouraging words of FDR as he attempted to soothe the fears of a nation caught up in the throes of the great depression. All of the presidents since have had their weekly address to the nation but not one of them has ever had the listening audience that the “Fireside Chats” garnered. These talks were so-called because they gave the impression that he was seated in front of a roaring fire in his den and speaking to each individual personally. In fact they were so realistic that he paused once and asked for a glass of water, which he sipped while on the air. I’m too young to really recall FDR but John Walton’s radio brought back memories from my childhood and all the marvelous entertainment it provided.

In my earliest years, prior to electricity, we had a battery operated radio. The amount of listening was limited so as not to run the battery down. After electricity found us, I could gorge on all the fantasies of the airwaves to my hearts content. It was an unspoken law that the radio on Saturday night was tuned to WSM and the Grand Ole Opry. Such names as George D. Hay (The solemn old Judge) The Duke of Paducah, Minnie Pearl, Eddie Arnold (The Tennesse Plowboy), Rod Brassfield, Stringbean and who could ever forget Sarah Ophelia Colley Cannon? Or one of the show sponsors, Martha White Flour. For years that product was not available in this area but I always looked for the seemingly mythical merchandise when Mother grocery shopped. I was hoping to see a bag and perhaps a picture of the great Martha White.

Of course we heard Amos & Andy, Charlie McCarthy, Fibber McGee and Molly but one of my favorites was a spin off from them, The Great Gildersleeve. Throckmorton P. Gildersleeve was a bachelor raising a nephew and a niece, Leroy and Marjorie. They lived in Summerfield and Gildy was the water commissioner.

My mother faithfully listened to Kitchen Klatter, an Iowa based cooking show put on by the Driftmeier family. They produced a magazine, my Mother had a subscription, and they marketed various household products with their own label. Everything from floor cleaner to flavoring for your baking. Sometimes in the afternoon while she ironed or sewed she would tune in to Stella Dallas, “the true life story of Mother love and sacrifice, in which Stella Dallas saw her own beloved daughter Laurel marry into wealth

and society and realizing the differences in their worlds, went out of Laurel’s world.” This was the daily intro by the announcer. Or, “Pepper Young’s Family” brought to you by Camay, the mild beauty soap for a softer, smoother complexion.

Evening listening was a great deal of musical shows such as Kraft Music Hall with Bing Crosby as the host. The show originated in New York with Al Jolson in 1934 but in 1936 it moved to the West Coast where Bing Crosby was the host for ten years. After Bing left the program it moved back East with Al Jolson again hosting. There was the wonderful Kate Smith Show and my family, always favoring country and western music, also tuned into the “National Barndance”, one of its performers was later to rise to his own show in television, George Goebel.

Another show that traveled from radio into television was Gunsmoke. The remarkable realism of its sound effects with the clinking spurs or the creak of floorboards when someone walked across the saloon floor was what really made the show so memorable. Of course sound effects made radio work. From Walter Winchell’s operating a code signal key to accent his rapid fire delivery of news, or sirens howling in the night to the flaming roar of machine guns that introduced “Gangbusters”. Or the William Tell overture that launched “The Lone Ranger” and his horse Silver are sounds never to be forgotten.

The results that your imagination provided were good. The Lone ranger didn’t have padded shoulders, you could leap tall buildings right along with Superman and the Martians that Orson Wells had attacking the earth were more convincing in your imagination than anything Hollywood has since cooked up with special effects.

All children need a place to hide where grown-ups cannot get to them. And each of us found our own escape with the all-American boy, Jack Armstrong or if we were bookworms we fit in with avid readers like Ellery Queen and Sherlock Holmes. And even today as grown-ups we still need a hiding place in our minds. Mine comes sometimes in the old reproduction rounded-top radio that I acquired a few years ago. It, despite its old appearance, has a cassette player in it’s side. In the proper mood I pop one of the old radio shows in and travel back. A mist comes in and surrounds me and I once more am on my stomach on the living room floor, clutching a pillow for security in the scary parts and my imagination carries me back to those thrilling days of yesteryear and with eyes shut tight, I know that I was not wrong. It was a world of exciting people,

exciting places and exciting adventures. And sometimes the sting of foolish tears can be felt. There is no remedy for this, the nostalgia for good days that will not come again.

Empowering Lives Center To Host Fundraiser Dinner This Weekend

By Glynna Elliott Morse County Reporter



The Empowering Lives Center is holding a fried chicken and catfish fillet fundraiser on Friday, May 16, 3:00 PM-7:00 PM and also on Saturday, May 17, 11:00 AM-7:00 PM at the Center’s location at 307 E. Locust Street, Lincoln, MO.

Diners will have a choice of 3 pieces of fried chicken, two sides, drink, and dessert, or 2 pieces catfish fillet, with two sides, drink, and dessert, for \$14. The proceeds of the fried chicken and catfish fillet fundraiser will be used to benefit and empower the lives of displaced/homeless individuals.

Empowering Lives Center is a non-profit group which Maria Robinson, CEO and Founder, started about a year ago after she had observed displaced/homeless individuals in Lincoln and surrounding area. She said she felt that the Lord was calling her to do something to aid people with housing challenges. Initially she provided food and supplies from her own home until December, 2024 when Empowering Lives was able to rent the former Producers Exchange building at 307 E. Locust Street in Lincoln.

In addition to providing food, clothes, and other supplies, the Empowering Lives Center empowers individuals by providing computers to apply for jobs and build resumes and refers individuals to outside programs to build independent living skills. The goal of the Center is to provide a compassionate and supportive environment that empowers individuals to help themselves to achieve self-sufficiency and independence.

The Empowering Lives Center is open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 9:00 AM-3:00 PM offering food, clothes, and hygiene facilities to those in need. The Center also served as a warming shelter during the frigid temperatures during January and February. Empowering Lives Center is dependent on fundraisers and private donations for food, supplies, and maintenance of the Center.

More information about Empowering Lives Center, Lincoln, can be found on Facebook and on the website, <https://empoweringlivescenter.org/>

Miesner Honored By Choir During Spring Cantata

By Dianne Peck County Reporter

On Sunday, May 11, in Trinity Lutheran Church in Cole Camp the Cole Camp Community Singers held their spring cantata at 4:00 PM. Many of the area attended the performance that was made possible by approximately thirty singers under the direction of Sam Cole. One of those singers was Elaine Miesner and the group decided to honor her many years of dedication she has given to her community.

Miesner was presented with flowers accompanied by these words. “This community is blessed that there are so many who not only love to sing but are willing to put the work and time into sharing their God given talent. In this group you will find farmers, bankers, students, carpenters, teachers, retired folks and many more community friends who are willing to give up one night a week for six or seven weeks to work on the two Cantatas that we do each year. We hope you have enjoyed all of them and they have blessed your life. We are already looking forward to next year’s Cantatas. Sadly one of the founding members of our group is retiring from the Choir.



This wonderful lady was given the gift of a beautiful voice early in her life. And she uses it now as she did back then to bring glory to her Lord. Her church choir was the first place she shared her talent publicly when she was confirmed in 1946. From then on there was no stopping her. She performed solo’s, sang in sextets, quartets, trios and duets, first in school competitions, and then at many community events. She was also the soloist requested for weddings and funerals. As one of the charter members of the German Choir she spent many years singing in, but also helping others learn the songs in German. And the Cole Camp Community Choir has been blessed to have her superior soprano voice from its first performance here at Trinity. She has also passed her love and talent for music on to her children as we have her daughter and grandson who also sing in the group.

Even though she is stepping down from the Community Choir, I doubt she will ever stop singing. Elaine Miesner, please accept this simple gift of flowers as a reminders of how much you and your beautiful soprano voice have meant to this choir, and to those who have had the joy of hearing you sing and have sung with you these many, many years.” Elaine’s

grandson, Dana Oelrichs, stood by his grandmother as she accepted the recognition give by the Choir Director, Sam Cole.

Cole Camp Auto Parts: Announces Change In Ownership



Your local Parts City Auto Parts store, Cole Camp Auto Parts, a trusted name in automotive parts and accessories is excited to announce a change in ownership, effective 5/1/2025. The store, which has been serving the community for a few years, will continue to provide high quality products and exceptional customer service under the new ownership of William Noble. William is new to the ownership role in an auto parts store, but has been in the automotive parts world for a while with a past as an automotive service manager for a local shop. One aspect he likes about running an auto parts store is the small-town business atmosphere, along with the opportunity to support the community and meet their auto parts needs. In addition to selling auto parts, Cole Camp Auto Parts also offers battery recycling, battery testing, custom hydraulic hoses and wiper blade installation. Cole Camp Auto Parts is open Monday through Friday from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Saturday from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM and closed on Sundays. The store phone number is (660) 974-9740. Visit PartsCityAuto.com to lookup parts and a map to Cole Camp Auto Parts in Cole Camp, MO.

CCCB Donates To Civil War Re-enactment

By Dianne Peck County Reporter

The Cole Camp community betterment met in the Handel Haus on May 6 with four members in attendance. The Treasurer reported a balance of \$2,010

in the general account and \$8,283.27 in checking and savings together. Merchant cards are now available at \$10 each and are selling. It was voted to give the Civil War Reenactment fund of \$2468.88 to the Cole Camp Museum. Motion was made and passed to suggest the Museum use the funds to purchase a new computer and printer for the entity.

The grant for the playground equipment funds for Butterfield Park has been put on hold again. New reviews of the grant will need to be made before going forward. Marge has added the Plat maps and pictures of interest of Old Clabbertown to the Kiosk in Butterfield Park, she is having a couple extra keys made for the Kiosk too. Also under unfinished business it was noted Judy Smasal is now been registered as the Community Betterment Agent. The President, Marge Lumpe, is working on the by-laws.

JoAnn Lane, BCED, (Benton County Economic Development) will give a report at the June meeting on the Rock Island grant as she is waiting for more updated information.

All monetary donations for the Rock Island Trail project will go through FoRIT (Friends of the Rock Island Trail). The donations can be accepted online. Judy Smasal and Charles Hunter will work together on fund raising events for the trail. Charles is working on the history of the Rock Island Railroad.

The next Community Betterment Meeting will be in Handel Haus at noon on Tuesday, June 3.

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In the Estate of KATHERINE LORENA ALLEN, Deceased.

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To All Persons Interested in the Estate of KATHERINE LORENA ALLEN, Decedent:

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The personal representative's business address and phone number is:

MICHAEL R. WARE, II, 35380 W. 180TH STREET, LAWSON, MO 64002, 816-703-9047

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is:

MIGUEL P. MADRIGAL, JR, 108 S. PLEASANT STREET, INDEPENDENCE, MO 64050, 816-979-1624

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI

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PHILIP A. COTHAM, and SUSAN J. COTHAM, Plaintiffs, Vs. SCRIVNER FENCING LLC, and JOSEPH K. SCRIVNER, Defendants.

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

The State of Missouri to Defendants: SCRIVNER FENCING LLC and JOSEPH K. SCRIVNER

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

The names of all parties to said action are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for Petitioners is Cale B. Haddock, 245 W. Washington St., P.O. Box 24, Warsaw, Missouri 65355, and his phone number is (660) 223-5152.

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within forty-five (45) days after the 24th day of April, 2025, judgment by default will be rendered.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to the law in the Benton County Enterprise, a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Benton, State of Missouri. A true copy from the record.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Circuit Court this 16th day of April, 2025.

/s/ SHANDA SCHULTZ, Circuit Clerk
By /s/ MARY SIERCKS, Deputy Circuit Clerk

Date(s) of Publication: 4/24/2025, 5/1/2025, 5/8/2025, 5/15/2025

TRUSTEE'S SALE

IN RE: Brian H. Brown, a single person Trustee's Sale:

For default in payment of debt and performance of obligation secured by Deed of Trust executed by Brian H. Brown, a single person dated August 22, 2018 and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Benton County, Missouri in Book 652, Page 585 the undersigned Successor Trustee, at the request of the legal holder of said Note will on Friday, May 23, 2025 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., (at

the specific time of 10:00 AM), at the Northwest Front Door of the Court House, City of Warsaw, County of Benton, State of Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, described in said Deed of Trust, and situated in Benton County, State of Missouri, to wit:

TRACT S-9: PART OF THE SOUTH HALF OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 16, TOWNSHIP 40 NORTH, RANGE 22 WEST OF THE 5TH P.M. IN BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI, IN WHIPPLE AND BALLOU'S ADDITION TO WARSAW, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID S1/2 SW1/4 SW1/4; THENCE SOUTH 168.5 FEET FOR POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE WEST 100 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 120 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO NORTH LINE OF ROSE STREET, NOW KNOWN AS MAIN STREET; THENCE EAST 100 FEET; THENCE NORTH 120 FEET, MORE OR LESS, TO POINT OF BEGINNING.

to satisfy said debt and cost.

MILLSAP & SINGER, P.C., Successor Trustee
612 Spirit Drive
St. Louis, MO 63005
(636) 537-0110

File No: 225676.052325.453272 FC

NOTICE

Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, 15 U.S.C. §1692c(b), no information concerning the collection of this debt may be given without the prior consent of the consumer given directly to the debt collector or the express permission of a court of competent jurisdiction. The debt collector is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

Date(s) of Publication: May 1, 2025 05/08/2025, 05/15/2025, 05/22/2025

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI AT WARSAW

Case No. 25BE-DR00024

In Re the Marriage of: BAILLIE RACHELLE DICKENSON, Petitioner Vs. DERRECK KYLE DICKENSON, Respondent.

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF MISSOURI

BENTON COUNTY PROPERTY TRANSFERS									
*PLEASE NOTE: ONLY THE FIRST GRANTOR & FIRST GRANTEE ARE LISTED. OTHER NAMES MAY APPEAR ON THE DOCUMENT.									
Search Results - Benton County, MO									
Grantor	Grantee	Year	Series	Inst #	Book	Page	First Legal	Rec Date	
EVERETT, SHIRLEY A II	SMITH, PAUL H	WD	REAL	202501532	2025	1532	LT 87 BL 26 PALO DURO V21+	04/23/2025	
POPPYE, WILLIAM H II	MILLER, LARRY W TRUSTEE	WD	REAL	202501533	2025	1533	LT 24 DOCS RETREAT UNIT 2, RESUBD OF LOT #3, MILLE	04/23/2025	
POPPYE, WILLIAM H II	MILLER, LARRY W TRUSTEE	WD	REAL	202501534	2025	1534	LT 25 DOCS RETREAT UNIT 2, RESUBD OF LOT #3, MILLE	04/23/2025	
PARK, THOMY K	LARGON, DAVID K	QCD	REAL	202501535	2025	1535	LT 24 BL 23 UT 2 WOODLAND SHORES	04/23/2025	
MILLSAP & SINGER, P.C	PENNYMAC LOAN SERVICES, LLC	TD	REAL	202501540	2025	1540	LT 8 BL 46 CITY OF WARSAW	04/23/2025	
STELLING, LEON L PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE	STELLING, CHENNA L	WD	REAL	202501542	2025	1542	STR 2-42-21 AC 70 FF SUBJECT TO ROAD EASEMENT	04/23/2025	
HARMOND, DORIS A	HARMOND, DORIS L	QCD	REAL	202501546	2025	1546	STR 20-39-21 FF W/ EXCEPTIONS	04/24/2025	
STANNARD, MICHAEL JAMES	HAYES, MICHAEL T	WD	REAL	202501555	2025	1555	STR 35-40-22	04/24/2025	
STOTHER, SHANNON	HARVEY, SHANE	QCD	REAL	202501559	2025	1559	LT 134 BL 107 BENT TREE HARBOR PL 18+	04/25/2025	
THIGLES, MALCOM	BAUSER, SUSAN	QCD	REAL	202501561	2025	1561	LT 26 BL 2 BENT TREE HARBOR PL 1+	04/25/2025	
HULSE-BROOKER, LIVING TRUST AUG 23, 2023	RIPE, DANNY T	TD	REAL	202501585	2025	1585	LT 10 KNOBBY CREEK CAMP+	04/25/2025	
GATLIFF, TED F	OTWELL, NATHAN R TRUSTEE	WD	REAL	202501586	2025	1586	STR 18-39-20 AC 41.85	04/25/2025	
MADONIK, JASON J	MADONIK, JASON J CO-TRUSTEE	WD	REAL	202501570	2025	1570	STR 27-42-21+	04/25/2025	
GARMAYKOVA, NADZHENKA	JORDAN, VALENTINA N	QCD	REAL	202501571	2025	1571	LT 3523 UT W-2 FORBES LAKE OF THE COAKS PARK	04/25/2025	
GARMAYKOVA, NADZHENKA	JORDAN, VALENTINA N	QCD	REAL	202501572	2025	1572	LT 1548 UT L-1 FORBES LAKE OF THE COAKS PARK	04/25/2025	
PENNYMAC LOAN SERVICES, LLC	SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS OFFICER UNITED STATES	WD	REAL	202501575	2025	1575	PT LT 1 BL 46 WARSAW CITY+	04/25/2025	
SPENCER, PHILLIP GLENN	RHODES, TOMMY L	WD	REAL	202501579	2025	1579	STR 22-40-22+	04/25/2025	
HENSLEY, JEFFREY D	HENSLEY, JEFFREY D	QCD	REAL	202501580	2025	1580	LT 8 BL 72 BENT TREE HARBOR PL 11	04/25/2025	
CROICE, ROBERT B II	LINDSEY, LARRY	WD	REAL	202501581	2025	1581	STR 10-30-22 FF A EASEMENT	04/25/2025	
MADWELL, GARY	KURTZ, RUDY E	WD	REAL	202501588	2025	1588	STR 30-39-21 FF SUBJECT TO EASEMENT	04/25/2025	
CROICE, DAVID A	HAYWARD, VIRGINIA H	WD	REAL	202501590	2025	1590	STR 28-40-22 FF (2 TRACTS)	04/25/2025	
SKAELER, BENJAMIN E	CAVIER, SHANNON D JR	WD	REAL	202501592	2025	1592	LT 344 LAKEVIEW HEIGHTS 2ND ADD	04/25/2025	
WILLIAMS, RONALD P TRUST DATED NOV 21, 2018	HAINES, WILLIAM L	WD	REAL	202501596	2025	1596	LT 58 BL 6 BENT TREE HARBOR PL 1+	04/25/2025	
GRIVOE, GLENN J	STUBBINS, MICHAEL W	WD	REAL	202501597	2025	1597	LT 4 KETZELERS BEACH RESORT NO 1	04/25/2025	
SWANBERG, STUART E	LARGENT, COLLIN	WD	REAL	202501601	2025	1601	LT 3779 UT W-2 FORBES LAKE OF THE COAKS PARK+	04/26/2025	
EVERSOLE, ROGER D	INGLE, DONNIE W	WD	REAL	202501602	2025	1602	LT 10 BL 7 WHITE BRANCH RESORT THIRD ADD+	04/26/2025	
ESTES, GARY MARVIN (ESTATE OF) DECEASED	ESTES, LANCE JUNIOR	PROB	REAL	202501611	2025	1611	STR 14-40-22+	04/26/2025	
ALLSIBURY, JAMES	ALLSIBURY, JAMES	WD	REAL	202501646	2025	1646	STR 36-40-21 FF PART OF TRACT B OF SURVEY 24113	04/26/2025	
ALLSIBURY, NELSON EUGENE II	ALLSIBURY, NELSON EUGENE II	QCD	REAL	202501615	2025	1615	LT 9 BL 43 BENT TREE HARBOR PL 9+	04/26/2025	
GOOSON, HAROLD VON AKA	NELSON FAMILY TRUST UT/TA DATED AUGUST 23, 2022	WD	REAL	202501616	2025	1616	STR 18-43-20	04/26/2025	
NEFF, KELLY C	QUIGLEY, DAVID A	WD	REAL	202501620	2025	1620	LT 12 BL 7 WHITE BRANCH RESORT	04/26/2025	
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LEGACY LAND COMPANY LLC	GENIER, BLAIZE	WD	REAL	202501621	2025	1621	LT 3029 UT C-2 FORBES LAKE OF THE COAKS PARK+	04/26/2025	
CORNING, DEAN	HENKLEY, GARY LEE	QCD	REAL	202501624	2025	1624	LT 11 BL 1 CLEAR HARBOR RESORT+	04/26/2025	
HUBBARD, JAMIE	TYNEN ROCK INVESTMENTS, LLC	WD	REAL	202501635	2025	1635	LT 4355 UT W-2 FORBES LAKE OF THE COAKS PARK	04/26/2025	
HUBBARD, GLEN AKA	CAROWELL FAMILY TRUST AGREEMENT DATED MARCH 20TH, 2023	WD	REAL	202501636	2025	1636	STR 9-40-23+	04/26/2025	
CARDWELL, GLEN E TRUSTEE	JONES, GLENDA G	WD	REAL	202501637	2025	1637	STR 9-40-23	04/26/2025	
GREEN, DANNY J	STRAW, TIMOTHY S	WD	REAL	202501645	2025	1645	STR 36-40-21 FF PART OF TRACT B OF SURVEY 24113	04/26/2025	
WACANT LAND LOCAL LLC	BURTON, GARY C	WD	REAL	202501646	2025	1646	STR 36-39-21 2ND AD	04/26/2025	
BURK, GWYNETH MARGUERITE (DECEASED) ESTATE OF	BURK, EVAN SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE	PROB	REAL	202501650	2025	1650	LT 249 LAKEVIEW HEIGHTS+	04/26/2025	
HAZELIN, DANNY	RABNO, DAVID	WD	REAL	202501651	2025	1651	STR 24-42-20	04/26/2025	

R E S P O N D E N T , DERRECK KYLE DICKENSON: YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Division of the Circuit Court of Benton County, Missouri, for a Dissolution of Marriage.

The names of all parties to said action are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for Petitioner is Gable B. Dull, Dull Law, LLC, 220 W. Main Street, PO Box 1495, Warsaw, Missouri 65355-1495, Tel. No. (660) 438-7102.

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within forty-five (45) days after May 1, 2025, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court of Benton County, Missouri, this 21st day of April, 2025.

/s/Yvonne Harvey, Deputy Clerk
Shanda Schultz, Circuit Clerk

Date(s) of Publication: May 1, 8, 15, 22, 2025

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

For default in the payment of debt secured by a deed of trust executed by Kenneth A. Wilson, Jr; Janice E. Wilson, dated October 14, 2016, and recorded on October 17, 2016, Document No. 16-4015, in Book No. 641, at Page 313 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, Benton County, Missouri, the undersigned Successor Trustee will on May 23, 2025, at 1:30 PM, at the North Front Door of the Benton County Courthouse, Warsaw, Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash:

All that part of the following described lands lying above contour elevation 672 feet: Lot 19, Block 1 and Lots 20 and 21, Block 2, DOC'S RETREAT, UNIT 1, a subdivision in Benton County, Missouri, according to the recorded plat thereof, commonly known as 25315 Loon Blvd, Warsaw, MO, 65355 subject to all prior easements, restrictions, reservations, covenants and encumbrances now of record, if any, to satisfy the debt and costs.

SouthLaw, P.C. Successor Trustee

First Publication: May 1, 2025
For more information, visit www.southlaw.com

NOTICE

Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, 15 U.S.C. §1692c(b), no information concerning the collection of this debt may be given without the prior consent of the consumer given directly to the debt collector or the express permission of a court of competent jurisdiction. The debt collector is attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose (Casefile No. 250531-1053712).

Date(s) of Publication: May 1, 8, 15, 22, 2025

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI

Case No.: 25BE-00024

SHERRY ECKLER, Plaintiff, Vs. JESSE T. ECKLER, Defendant.

NOTICE UPON ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

The State of Missouri to Defendant: JESSE T. ECKLER, and his spouses, unknown consort heirs, devisees, donees, alienees, or immediate mesne or remote, voluntary or involuntary grantees of said persons, and any other person or entity that claims or may claim an interest in the following described property.

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced in the Circuit Court of Benton County, Missouri to Quiet Title to the below-mentioned property:

That part of the West half of the Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter lying west of county road, in Section 36, Township 43 North, Range 20 West of the 5th P.M. in Benton county, Missouri.

The names and address of the attorney for Plaintiff is Cale B. Haddock, 245 W. Washington St., P.O. Box 24, Warsaw, Missouri 65355, and his phone number is (660) 223-5152.

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within forty-five (45) days after the 1st day of May, 2025, judgment by default will be rendered.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to the law in the Benton County Enterprise, a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Benton, State of Missouri. A true copy from the record.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Circuit Court this 22nd day of April, 2025.

/s/ SHANDA SCHULTZ, Circuit Clerk
By /s/ MARY SIERCKS, Deputy Circuit Clerk

Date(s) of Publication: 5/1/2025, 5/8/2025, 5/15/2025, 5/22/2025

IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

Case Number: 24BE-PR00112

In the Estate of PATRICIA JOYCE SCHUKNECHT, Deceased.

Notice of Letters Testamentary Granted (Independent Administration - Non-Resident Fiduciary)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of PATRICIA JOYCE SCHUKNECHT, Decedent:

On DECEMBER 24, 2024, the last will of Decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of PATRICIA JOYCE SCHUKNECHT, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Benton 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 name, business address and phone number is:

VICKY SPINDEL, P.O. BOX 32295, SAN JOSE, CA 95152

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is:

SEAN P. PILLIARD, 322 SOUTH OHIO, SUITE 205, SEDALIA, MO 65301, 660-829-2008

205, SEDALIA, MO 65301, 660-829-2008

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, Probate Clerk

Date of the decedent's death: 07-JUN-2024

Date of first publication: MAY 1, 2025

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.

Date(s) of Publication: 5/1/25; 5/8/25; 5/15/25; 5/22/25

IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

Case Number: 25BE-PR00019

In the Estate of HARLEY WAYNE RHOADES, Deceased.

Notice of Letters of Administration Granted (Independent Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of HARLEY WAYNE RHOADES, Decedent:

On APRIL 21, 2025, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of HARLEY WAYNE RHOADES, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of BENTON COUNTY, Missouri.

The personal representative's address and phone number is:

DONALD E. RHOADES, 9240 NE 1076 RD, LOT 78, LOWRY CITY, MISSOURI 64763, 417-644-0067

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,
Probate Clerk

Date of the decedent's death: 27-APR-2024

Date of first publication: MAY 1, 2025

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.

Date(s) of Publication:
5/1/25; 5/8/25; 5/15/25; 5/22/25

IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

Case Number:
25BE-PR00024

In the Estate of HOWARD GENE LAVELY, Deceased.

Notice of Letters Testamentary Granted
(Independent Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of HOWARD GENE LAVELY, Decedent:

On APRIL 21, 2025, the last will of Decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of HOWARD GENE LAVELY, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of BENTON 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 name, business address and phone number of the personal representative is:

BRITTANY N. LAVELY GREEN, 5002 SW PALO DRIVE, BLUESPRINGS, MO 64014;

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is:

JOHN H. EDMISTON, 118 HOUT STREET, STE A, WARRENSBURG, MO 64093; 660-747-9141

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 the 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, Probate Clerk

Date of the decedent's death: 04-FEB-2025

Date of first publication: MAY 1, 2025

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.

Date(s) of Publication
5/1/25; 5/8/25; 5/15/25; 5/22/25

IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

Case Number:
25BE-PR00029

In the Estate of DONALD LAVERN NEWMAN, Deceased.

Notice to Creditors
(Small Estate)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of DONALD LAVERN NEWMAN, Decedent.

On APRIL 21, 2025 a small estate affidavit was filed by the distributees for the decedent under Section 473.097, RSMo, with the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of BENTON COUNTY Missouri.

All creditors of Decedent, who died on 24-DEC-2024, are notified that Section 473.444, RSMo, sets a limitation period that would bar claims one year after the death of Decedent. A creditor may request that this estate be opened for administration.

Receipt of this notice should not be construed by the recipient to indicate that the recipient may possibly have a beneficial interest in the estate. The nature and extent of any person's interest, if any, may possibly be determined from the affidavit on this estate filed in the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of BENTON COUNTY Missouri.

Date of first publication is MAY 8, 2025.

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

Date(s) of Publication:
5/8/25; 5/15/25

IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

Case Number:
25BE-PR00028

In the Estate of SUSAN MARIE ROSZEL, Deceased.

Notice of Letters Testamentary Granted
(Independent Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of SUSAN MARIE ROSZEL, Decedent:

On APRIL 21, 2025, the last will of Decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individuals were appointed the personal representatives of the estate of SUSAN MARIE ROSZEL, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of BENTON

COUNTY Missouri. The personal representatives 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 names, business addresses and phone numbers of the personal representatives are:

ROCCO MALLARDI, 28091 HEITS POINT AVENUE , LINCOLN, MO 65338; 660-223-8503

JANINE MALLARDI, 28091 HEITS POINT AVENUE , LINCOLN, MO 65338; 660-223-8503

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is:

JEREMIAH MOSLEY, 601 COMMERCIAL ST., P.O. BOX 1119, WARSAW, MO 65355; 660-530-0103

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 the 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: 14-AUG-2024

Date of first publication: MAY 8, 2025

SHANDA SCHULTZ,
CIRCUIT CLERK
Julia J. Harms,
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.

Date(s) of Publication:
5/8/25; 5/15/25; 5/22/25; 5/29/25

IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

Case Number:
25BE-PR00031

In the Estate of CHARLES MICHAEL DENNEY, Deceased.

Notice of Letters Testamentary Granted
(Independent Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of CHARLES MICHAEL DENNEY, Decedent:

On APRIL 29, 2025, the last will of Decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individuals were appointed the personal representatives of the estate of CHARLES MICHAEL DENNEY, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of BENTON COUNTY Missouri. The personal representatives 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 names, business addresses and phone numbers of the personal representatives are:

KIMELA DANETTE COATES, 15217 OLD QUARRY RD , EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, MO 64024; 816-805-9945

TAMI D. ROSALES, 57 LAKEVIEW DR , LEXINGTON, MO 64067; 816-673-9485

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is:

GABLE 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 the 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-FEB-2025

Date of first publication: MAY 8, 2025

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

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Date(s) of Publication:
5/8/25; 5/15/25; 5/22/25; 5/29/25

WARSAW R-IX SCHOOL DISTRICT ACCEPTING BIDS/ PROPOSALS

Notice to Contractors, the Warsaw R-IX School District is accepting sealed bids/proposals for a Roofing Project at the Warsaw South Elementary School. For more details, please visit our website at <https://www.warsawk12.org/documents/public-info/enhancement-projects/construction-bids/343130>

Date(s) of Publication:
May 8 & 15, 2025

Notice Of Trustee's Sale

TS No. 2025-12973-MO

For default in the payment of debt secured by the Deed of Trust executed by Jeffrey L Brueggeman and Mariah M Williams, husband and wife, dated 10/9/2020, recorded on 10/9/2020, as Instrument Number 202004764 and in Deed Book 2020, Page 4764, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for Benton County, Missouri, the undersigned Successor Trustee will on 6/12/2025, between the hours of 9:00 am and 5:00 pm, starting at 10:00 AM at the Benton County Courthouse - Northwest Door - 316 Van Buren Street, Warsaw, MO 65355, sell at public auction

to the highest bidder for cash (certified funds only) the below described real estate to satisfy said debt and costs. Certified funds must be delivered to the auctioneer at the conclusion of the auction. Purchasers take property as is, without warranty. Part Of The North Half Of The Southwest Quarter Of The Southwest Quarter Of Section 16, Township 40 North, Range 22 West Of The 5th P. M. In Warsaw, Benton County, Missouri, Described As Follows: Beginning A Point 182.0 Feet East Of Illinois Street And 291.0 Feet North Of The South Line Of Said N 1/2 SW 1/4 SW 1/4; Thence South 180.0 Feet; Thence East 102.0 Feet; Thence North 180.0 Feet; Thence West 102.0 Feet To The Point Of Beginning. More commonly known as: 617 Plumb St Warsaw, MO 65355 Nestor Solutions of Missouri, LLC Successor Trustee (888) 403-4115

Date(s) of Publication:
5/15/25, 5/22/25, 5/29/25, 6/5/25

Request For Bids

Benton County is soliciting bids for the purchase of thirty-five (35) pistols for the Benton County Sheriff's Office. Pistols shall be Glock 45MOS6 units. Existing Glock 17Gen5 units shall be traded-in to reduce the unit cost of each pistol. Bidders can contact Major Dean Noll at (660-438-6135 Ext. 2938) to receive copies of the specifications for this purchase. Sealed bid quotations are to be mailed to the County Clerk's Office (P.O. Box 1238, Warsaw, MO 65355) by Friday, May 23, 2025 at 4:30 p.m. Bids can also be emailed to the County Clerk's Office (Susan.porterfield@bentoncomo.com). Bids will be opened at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, May 27, 2025, in the County Commissioner's Office in the Benton County Courthouse. Benton County reserves the right to reject any and all bids or waive any irregularities contained in the bids and to accept the bid most advantageous to Benton County.

Date(s) of Publication:
May 15 and 22, 2025

IN THE 27TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, BENTON COUNTY, MISSOURI

PROBATE DIVISION

Case Number:
25BE-PR00037

In the Estate of MELISSA M HENSLEY, Deceased.

Notice of Letters of Administration Granted
(Independent Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of MELISSA M HENSLEY, Decedent:

On MAY 5, 2025, the following individuals was appointed the personal representative of the estate of MELISSA M HENSLEY, decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of BENTON COUNTY, Missouri.

The personal representative's business address and phone number is:

CURTIS WAYNE HENSLEY, 208 NORTH ORCHARD STREET, CLINTON, MO 64735,

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 attorney's name, business address and phone number is:

JOHN H. EDMISTON, 118 HOUT STREET, SUITE A, WARRENSBURG, MO

64093; 660-747-9141 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,
Probate Clerk

Date of the decedent's death: 07-MAR-2025

Date of first publication: MAY 15, 2025

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.

Date(s) of Publication:
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Scott Everett Crawford of Warsaw, MO was arrested on 5-3-25 on a Benton County warrant for Kidnapping, Domestic Assault-3rd Degree and Harassment-1st Degree. Bond is set at \$200,000.00 surety only. Subject is being held in the Benton County Detention Facility.

Crystal Lynn Butler of Ionia, MO was arrested on 5-4-25 for Domestic Assault-4th Degree. Subject was booked, printed and released with a court date.

Terry L Wade of Warsaw, MO was arrested on 5-5-25 and placed on a 24 hour investigative hold. Subject was released without charges per the prosecuting attorney.

Dustin G Mahan of Warsaw, MO was arrested on 5-6-25 on a Pettis County warrant for Stealing-\$750 or more. Warrant was withdrawn and subject was released from custody. Donnie Lee Friend of Warsaw, Mo was arrested on 5-6-25 for Counterfeiting. Subject was booked, printed and released with a court date.

Deluvina Dolores Ninmo of Warsaw, MO was arrested on 5-7-25 for Driving While Intoxicated. Subject was booked, printed and released with a court date.



Sam CRAWFORD AUCTION SERVICE

Due to the passing of my husband Alan, and downsizing our operation, will sell the following 5 miles North of Cross Timbers, MO on Hwy. 65. Watch for auction signs.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21ST, 2025 - 10 AM

TRACTORS - MACHINERY - CATTLE EQUIPMENT - BOATS - TRAVEL TRAILER



TRACTORS
Ford 7710 Diesel, Cab, w/Westendorf Loader, Bucket & Spike
John Deere 4020 Diesel w/Case/IH 2250 Loader, Bucket & Spike
John Deere 4020 Diesel, Add-On Cab, w/Koyker Loader, Bucket & Spike

MACHINERY
'14 Land Pride 15' Folding Brush Cutter, Rebuilt Cylinders
Rhino 15' Folding Brush Cutter
Bush Hog 3 Pt. HD Post Hole Digger
Older 3 Pt. Post Driver
Pull Type 300 Gal. Sprayer
3 Pt. 7' HD Blade
Pull Type Weed Wipe, 12', New
Allis Chalmers 8' Wheel Disk
2 Older Wagon Gears
3 Pt. Wood Splitter
2 - Bumper Hitch 6 Bale Trailers

RTV - BOATS - TRAVEL TRAILER
Kubota RTV 1140, Diesel, Power Steering, 1544 Hrs., Camo, 2 Seat Folds Down
Honda Rancher 4 Wheeler, ES
'95 Nitro "Rick Clunn" Bass Boat & Trailer w/Evinrude 50 HP E-Tec Motor, Shredded, Looks Good
'15 Tracker Pro 170 & Trailer w/Mercury 40 HP Four Stroke Motor, Used 13 Hrs., Ex. Nice
'97 Excel 32' Fifth Wheel Travel Trailer, 1 Slide, Shredded, Looks Good

CATTLE EQUIPMENT
Palco Port. Loading Chute, Used Little
3 Single Axle Creep Feeders, Double Side Cages
5 Wood Covered Mineral Feeders
3 Poly Feed Bunks
2 Single Side Creep Feeders
5 QLF Lick Tanks
4 Poly Tuff Auto Waterers, New

CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT
10 Sets Scaffolding
2 Sets Castors
Other Walkboards
Pair Ladder Jacks
2 Tapco Pro 2 & Pro 3 Aluminum Siding Breaks, 10' & 12'
2-20' & 1-26' Fiberglass Ext. Ladders
Wonder Ladder
Sev. 55 Gal. Barrels 2", 3" & 4" New Plumbing Fittings
Asst. Power Saws, Radial Arm, Milters, Table Saws
Other Tools
3 Full Boxes Aluminum Trim Coil
14 Part Boxes Trim Coil
Antique Leonard Round Top Refrigerator
Bumper Hitch Utility Tool Trailer
50 Gal. Diamond Plate Sq. Fuel Tank
Other Misc.

Good Usable Set of Tractors & Machinery Travel Trailer & Boats Look Good Loader on Site - Trucks Available

TERMS: Cash or good check. Nothing removed until settled for. Not responsible for accidents. Lunch available. Statements made day of sale take precedence over printed matter. All items sell as is. No warranties given or implied.

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Branch Valley Farms - Janice Poe

Estate Auction

2706 WABASH, SEDALIA MO. 65301

Directions: From 32nd St. & 65 hwy intersection (Best Western) in Sedalia go West 1/2 mile on 32nd St. to Clarendon Rd. on Right turn North on Clarendon to Anderson Ave turn Left on Anderson to Auction on Right, watch for signs on sale day.

We will sell the following at public Auction on:

Wednesday, May 21st • 11 am



HOUSEHOLD, TOOLS & MISC.

Titanic Furniture 3pc. vegan leather dual reclining sofa love seat & recliner (NEW), **Amana** Washing machine & **Samsung** dryer, **Criterion** chest freezer, Oak roll top desk, 3 - iron & wood bar stools, Armoire, white wooden rocker, oak dining room table, Four poster queen size bed, mirrored dresser, pr nightstands, 2 - wicker chest of drawers, 2 - 6' folding poly tables, Copper boiler & décor, twin size trundle, wooden day bed, misc. floor & table lamps, oak end table, Misc. occ tables, **Brother** scanner printer, card tables, misc. pots pans & kitchenware, lot flatware & kitchen utensils, 6' alum. step ladder, lot plastic shelving, appliance dolly, 2 - **Craftsman** & **Waterloo** toolboxes, Shop work light, **Pro-Air** portable air compressor, fishing poles & tackle, gar Flat-Iron griddle, Glass top patio table w/4 chairs, expanded metal patio glider, **George Forman** ele. BBQ grill, Patio firepit, Craftsman 10" table saw, 12" band saw, Benchtop drill press, 6" bench grinder, scroll saw, Benchtop belt disk sander, Lot extension cords, metal garden wagon, 4 1/2" bench vise, lot corded hand tools, countertop sand blast cabinet, pr wall lockers, Sears 8' alum step ladder, wheelbarrow, **Yardman** 20v cordless chain saw, dorm fridge

AMMO & RELOADING EQUIPMENT

Winchester 20-gun digital gun safe, 6 - metal gun lockers, Assorted LEE dies, 2 - MEC reloaders, LEE bullet molds (.530, .350, .440, .490, .309, .311), Lg lot shot gun ammo .410, 12ga, 20ga, Lg lot .22 ammo (LR, short & mag), some 7.62x39, **Lyman** lead dippers, lg lot **Starline** brass (9mm, .357, .44mag, .44sp, .38), lot lead (.45, .44, .357), lot .44cal BP rd balls, Lg lot powder, lg lot primers (pistol, rifle & shotgun), Huge lot assorted shotgun wads, lg lot shot, Lot black powder / muzzle loader supplies, Lot (many new) sights & hardware for numerous guns, **Remington** 12ga 2 3/4 long & short barrels, **Remington** 20ga barrel & 20ga mag barrel, **New Haven** 12ga pump barrel & 12ga special barrel, **Ruger** BX-25, **Eagle** & **Ram line** magazines, Simmons spotting scope, 2 - boxes clay pigeons, lot rifle scabbards, lot slings, belts & holsters, Gun vice, lot targets, misc. pistol grips & game supplies, lot scope mounting hardware, Several sharpening stones & game calls, lot gun cleaning supplies

Auctioneer Note: Going to be a VERY nice sale, we will attempt to begin selling reloading equipment & misc. at 2pm.
Concessions provided by the award winning "Benton County Good Ole Gal"

Many More Items Too Numerous to Mention

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"Earl W. South"

Sam CRAWFORD AUCTION SERVICE

Due to the passing of Junior & Wanda Sherman, will sell the following located 6 miles North of Wheatland, MO on Hwy. B (White Cloud), then West 1/2 mile on Co. Rd. 64. Watch for auction signs.

SATURDAY, MAY 24TH, 2025 - 10:00 AM

REAL ESTATE - VEHICLES - TRACTOR & MACHINERY - TOOLS - HOUSEHOLD

REAL ESTATE - SELLS 12 NOON

40+/- Acre Farm - Approx. 20 Acres Open Pasture/Hayland Balance Timber, Semi-Open Timber - Fenced - No Buildings Great Hunting - Short Distance to Truman Lake - Avery Area Owner Financing Available To Qualified Person Contact Auctioneers for Terms - Shown By Appt. w/Auctioneers



TRACTORS
Stihl 024 & MS250 Chainsaws
Stihl Blower
2 Rear Tine Tiller, 5 HP
2-3 Log Chains
Battery Charger
Long Handle Tools
Craftsman Sockets
4' Sawmill Blade
Timberline Wood Heating Stove
Head Gate
Oval Stock Tank
4 - 10 Gal. Milk Cans
Stainless Milk Bucket
Stack Used Tin Roofing
Used Wood Window
Other Misc.

HOUSEHOLD
2 Sanyo Flatscreen TVs
Asst. Sm. Kitchen Appliances
Coffee Table & End Tables
Oval Oak Dining Table, 6 Chairs, Nice
Small Dish Hutch
4 Pc. Bedroom Set, Full
Full Bed
Maple Dresser

ANTIQUES COLLECTIBLES
Lot Pyrex Pink Gooseberry 404, Pink Mixing Bowl, Cake Plates, Pie Platter
3 Full Nesting Sets
Divided Plates
Some Fireking Fiesta
Lot Corningware, Correlle
Guardianware
Carnival Glass
Longaberger Basket
Some Cast Iron Skillets
Blue Fruit Jars, Zinc & Glass Lids
Some Pocket Knives
2-3 Oil Lamps
Flat Top Trunk
Sewing Machine Frame
Other Misc.

Household Items Are All Clean & Well-Kept. Good Auction

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Junior & Wanda Sherman Estate

Public Auction

TWIN LOGS LANE, EDWARDS MO. 65326

Directions: South of Warsaw, from hwy 65 & South 7 hwy intersection go East on 7 hwy 13 miles to DD hwy. turn Left (North) on DD 2 miles to Twin Logs Lane on Right & Auction on Left. Watch for signs on Sale Day.

As I am liquidating excess, we will sell the following at public Auction on:

Saturday, May 24th • 10 am



FIREARMS

Heritage .22cal revolver long barrel pistol, **Heritage** .22cal revolver short barrel pistol, J-Stevens single shot breakerover (wall hanger) **Smith & Wesson** M&P 9mm pistol, **Smith & Wesson** M&P .45cal pistol, Spania model 71/84 (Barrel) 12ga Belgium, Lot ammo

VEHICLES, TRAILERS & MISC.

2000 GMC 2500 4x4 pickup auto, long bed, camper shell, (title), **2001 Chevrolet** Tracker 4x4 auto (title), **1997 Ford** F-150 4x4 auto. 4.6 V-8 (title) Bumper hitch 7'x12' equipment trailer (title), Bumper hitch 6'x18' flatbed trailer good tires (no title), Bumper hitch 4'x7 1/2' utility trailer (no title), Bumper hitch 14' old camper trailer (needs love) (No title) Bumper hitch 6'x10' trailer (no title), Bumper hitch heavy iron tandem axle equipment trailer (no title) Portable deer hunting shack on trailer, (no title) **1972 Suzuki** 125 Street/trail motorcycle (no title), **1970s Honda** dirt bike (parts), paddle boat, 14' aluminum v-bottom boat, 6 - push mowers (all run), electric mower, Stihl

chain saw, heavy iron dock cart, **Miller** "Dial-arc 250" AC-DC stick welder, **Craftsman** 5600 watt generator, 2 - pressure washers, **Lincoln** 225amp AC welder, 22gal **Kobalt** air compressor, 4pr. ATV ramps, **Weber** gas BBQ grill, Playground Merry-go-round (assembly required, Lg lot long handled tools, lot misc. hand tools, lot 20gal propane bottles, lot metal & plastic fuel jugs, electric pole saw, several air compressors, Lg lot scrap-iron, lot ammo boxes, tins, park bench, **O'douls** neon sign, **Olympia beer** sign, Misc. signs, lg lot electric power tools, fishing poles & tackle, lg lot deer antlers, 300+/- gal fuel tank, 05 Dodge dually truck bed, 90s Chevrolet tailgate, 3 - alum. camper shells, 3 - galvanized stock tanks, 80s for pickup brush guard, classic chassis jack, lawn cart, 37 - 55gal barrels, 6' fiberglass step ladder, child's springy play horse, dorm fridge, lot truck tires, 3 - metal deer stands, lot chains & boomers some hose tack, 2 - antique parlor stoves, HD ele. winch, **Dynamark** tiller, lg job box

Auctioneer Note: This is a large Auction many more items to be unpacked & discovered Hope to see you there.
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MLS #10027 - ALWAYS WANTED THAT AFFORDABLE LAKE GET-AWAY, NOW IS YOUR CHANCE! This beautiful 3-bdr, 2 bath home on 1.4 acres with 30x40 detached garage & 30x50 Quonset Hut is move in ready! Newer flooring in living room, kitchen & bedrooms. Plenty of cabinets & seating in this spacious kitchen/dining area with pellet stove for those chilly nights. The open floorplan is great for entertaining after a long day on the lake. The large master bedroom includes cedar lined walk-in closet, garden tub & walk-in shower. The split floorplan gives privacy to the other two bedrooms & full bath. Spend your evenings on the expansive covered deck, watching the wildlife wander in from the 367 acres of CORP GROUND or watching the sunset over your winter lake view. The totally redone 30x40 outbuilding includes, a framed & stubbed bathroom, new metal siding, new concrete flooring, spray foam insulated, pellet stove and a beautiful new living area to include, kitchen area, dining area & living/bedroom area (water is installed). Just below the shop is 14x30 basement with stainless sink. Guest will enjoy their own private deck off the back of this beautiful new outbuilding. The massive 30x50 Quonset Hut will hold tractors, boats & lake toys. Owners have done many upgrades including lighting, ceiling fans, keyless entry, electrical service line, new A/C, faucets, handles & so much more! This fantastic property is just minutes from Berry Bend boat ramp. If you are looking for a fulltime home, lake get-away or great short term investment property, this home has it all at a great price! This sweet deal won't last! \$249,900.

MLS #100205 - This farm consists of 164 acres of gently rolling land with fencing and most of it is being used as pastureland for cattle. There are some timber/trees which provide shade for cattle and a great deal of wildlife running. There are two metal barns, both with partial concrete floors. One is currently being used to store farm equipment. The home was custom built and is a one owner home. The covered front porch is so inviting as you walk into this country home. It features three bedrooms. The master with an ensuite is on the main floor. There are three and a half bathrooms. What a living area with a tall fireplace and vault ceiling which can be overlooked from the second level. You can access a covered deck from the living room. The kitchen has been remodeled with granite countertops and has custom cabinets. The laundry room is spacious and has a huge pantry. Still want room for the family room, storage, or mancave, you've got it! You can have it all with this basement. It is hard to find large pieces of land with a nice home! Want to get away on your land? There is a stocked lake which has a pavilion with a concrete floor for entertaining. The perfect fishing and entertaining getaway! Contact Lora Anstine for your personal showing!

MLS#100239. A 9-acre parcel of gently rolling land that is mostly timbered. A deep lot that makes it perfect for building a home back in the timber if you want privacy being surrounded by nature! Close to boat ramps to Lake of the Ozarks for all your fishing and fun adventures! Not far off the paved road. \$45,900.

MLS# 100004 - Calling all lake lovers! Take a look at this exceptionally well maintained 2nd-tier home overlooking the Lake of the Ozarks! Peaceful community and close to the community boat ramp! Homes like this don't go on the market every day! Call me today for your tour. - \$ 235,900

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Country Living just outside city limits! This 5Bdrm / 3Ba home with a park-like setting boasts 5 Apple Trees, 1 Pear Tree, 3 Rose-of-Sharon shrubs, Raspberry, Blackberry, & Gooseberry bushes and so many mature trees. This ranch home includes a red potting shed, 24 x 24 detached 2-car garage (with electric and concrete floors), another 12x9 shed just to the west, and 3 established planter boxes. It is wheelchair accessible throughout the main level, a walk-out basement, and the washer/dryer/refrigerator/pool table all convey. 3Bdrm-2Ba are on the main level along with hardwood floors and a dining area just off the kitchen. New roof & gutter guards - April 2025. You don't want to miss this home! MLS #100167 \$399,900

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Kingsville Livestock Auction
Kingsville, MO

Located 45 mi. S.E. of Kansas City, MO. On 58 Hwy. East at Modern Kingsville Livestock Auction Center in Kingsville, MO

Market Report: **Kingsville Livestock Auction Tuesday, May 6, 2025** Sold 3,130 head.

Last Week: 4,986 head. Compared to last week, steer calves sold 5.00 to 18.00 higher, yearlings sold steady to 10.00 higher. Heifers sold steady to 15.00 higher. Slaughter cows sold steady, bulls sold \$2-\$4 lower.

Steers	Load Lots of Yearlings	Slaughter Cows
300-400 \$385-\$520	Heifers 2 loads-709lbs @ \$320.00	High Yielding \$152-\$161
400-500 \$370-\$521	Steers 3 loads-776lbs @ \$322.50	Medium Yielding \$141-\$151
500-600 \$305-\$420		Low Yielding \$115-\$140
600-700 \$310-\$377.50		Slaughter Bulls \$140-\$210
700-800 \$288-\$322.50		
800-900 \$275-\$308.50		
900-1000 \$230-\$262		
Heifers		
300-400 \$375-\$490		
400-500 \$350-\$429		
500-600 \$300-\$395		
600-700 \$280-\$337		
700-800 \$265-\$320		
800-900 \$255-\$275		
900-1000 \$230-\$269		

Every Tuesday Feeder Sale @ 10:30 am
Special Cow & Bull Sale - Friday, May 16th @ 5pm
Anstine Auction, LLC
"2" Day Memorial Weekend Auction - May 24th & 25th @ 9am

****Feeder Cattle that are short weaned or new crop calves that have not had shots or are lesser quality will be lower than the reported amounts.**

Kingsville Livestock Auction

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**30743 Secluded Loop
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**3 Bedroom, 2 Bath home in
the country on 3 acres. Home
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and a new HVAC system. MLS
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915 Sycamore Drive Warsaw, MO
80' X 163' lot in the town of Warsaw.
**Previous home burned down and all other
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sewer and electric are all on site, and there
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access to Hwy 65, Drake Harbor and all of
the amenities in town.
MLS #99704 \$25,000**



**30689 Secluded Loop
Lincoln, Mo**
**3 Bedroom, 2 Bath home in
the country on 3 acres. Home
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Check out this beautiful Lake of the Ozarks cottage/bungalow! Enjoy your morning coffee on the large screened in porch with one of the best views you can get on the lake. This home features a large sunroom and open living room giving you ample room to host family and friends. This property also comes with a dock right on the water, perfect for spending long summer days out on the water. This home is located just 5 minutes from Warsaw. Call Luke to schedule your showing! \$219,900 – MLS #100227



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This updated 3-bed, 1-bath brick home features a metal roof, stylish bubbly siding, and sleek vinyl floors throughout. Enjoy a landscaped front yard with a shade tree and a fenced backyard with a large deck—perfect for relaxing or entertaining. A perfect mix of charm, comfort, and curb appeal!



\$325,000

Custom built in 2021, this 3bd/2ba home offers rustic charm and quality craftsmanship. The master suite features a walk-in closet and a master bath with a walk-in shower. The efficient gallery kitchen is paired with a large laundry room, and the home is move-in ready. Sitting on 1 acre at the end of a dead-end road, it offers privacy with trees, wildflowers, and easy access to the school.



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WATERFRONT! MLS #99547 \$429,900



WONDERFUL RANCH HOME, located on Gatliff Lake, with 200 ft of water frontage. Several updates to this 4 BR, 3 BA home, with upper & lower-level family rooms. Sunroom overlooks the Lake, kitchen with skylight, lovely wood cabinets, quartz countertops, beautiful hardwood floors, Geo-Thermal ground source Heat-pump, Air Conditioning & Hot Water Tank Heating System, Reversed Osmosis Water Filter System, 2 Pellet Stoves, Storm Safe Room, 24x30 Detached Garage, Fenced Back Yard and 12x12 Garden Shop, all on a well maintained lot with amazing landscaping. This is a Must-See Home close to town, Lake of the Ozarks & Truman Lake.

NEW WINDOWS! MLS #99255 \$245,900



BEAUTIFUL RANCH HOME. Large Lot, with circle drive and fenced in back yard! 3 large BR, 2 -1/2 BA. New kitchen cabinets and counter tops, stainless-steel appliances. Beautiful hardwood floors, new laminate flooring in all bedrooms, roof installed mid-2023, new windows thru out home and newer siding. 2 car attached garage. Full basement that can have bedrooms or family room, and workshop! Gorgeous, landscaped yard. Brand new deck on front porch just built. This would make a great Family home!!!

SUNROOM! MLS #99230 \$239,000



DON'T MISS THIS NEWLY RENOVATED HOME in Warsaw. This home has over 1900 sf of main floor living space with a full unfinished basement. The Sunroom, on the east side of the home, is a must see. Fitted with 14 new windows, this space is a great place to start your day and a wonderful place to relax. The main floor received many renovations including new windows, lighting, flooring, paint, kitchen upgrades, and two completely renovated bathrooms with laundry service on the main floor. The unfinished basement is nearly a blank canvas. Large lot in town.

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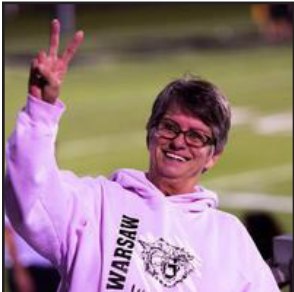
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Patricia Anne Daleske



Patricia “Pat” Anne (Rollins) Daleske, age 73, passed away at her home on May 3, 2025.

Pat was born on St. Patrick’s Day, March 17, 1952, in Springfield, Missouri, and was raised in Branson by her loving parents, Don and Eudece Rollins. Growing up in the Missouri Ozarks with her seven siblings, Pat spent her youth exploring the woods, playing with friends, and building lifelong memories with her family.

A 1970 graduate of Branson High School, Pat married Micheal Connor in 1973, and they welcomed a daughter, Mikel Anne (Connor) North. In 1984, she married Jeff Daleske, with whom she shared two sons, Billy and Charlie Daleske. Pat spent most of her life in Warsaw, Missouri, where she raised her sons and remained involved in the local community with her friends and family. She worked for over 20 years as a receptionist at the Alcantara Veterinary Hospital. Through her work, Pat formed meaningful relationships with many in the Warsaw community- both two-legged and four-

legged.

Pat retired in 2022 to focus on her favorite role: being a grandmother. She spent time playing with her grandchildren in Warsaw, traveling to the Ozarks to visit her siblings, and making trips out east to visit her daughter and grandchildren in Ohio. She was an enthusiastic supporter of her children and grandchildren, rarely missing a game, match, or event. Whether it was football, wrestling, or baseball, Pat could be found cheering from the sidelines with fierce pride and unwavering love. In the early 2000s, she became a familiar figure on the track at Warsaw Wildcat football games, faithfully pacing with the ball and encouraging her sons from kickoff to the final whistle.

Throughout her life Pat was a faithful follower of Jesus Christ. She let her faith in the Lord guide her decisions and was always willing to share His word with anyone willing to listen. She drew strength from her relationship with God and her devotion had an enduring impact on those around her.

What made Pat truly special was her boundless capacity for love. She welcomed everyone with open arms, and if she loved you, she loved you like family. Her kindness, loyalty, and laughter left a lasting mark on all who knew her.

Pat was preceded in death by her parents, Don and Eudece Rollins, and her brother, Mark Rollins. She is survived by her six

siblings: Judy Sanford (Mike), Joellen Hamilton, Robyn Carr, Lori Willadson (Marty), Fred Rollins, and Donel McCauley (Mark); her daughter, Mikel Anne North; her sons, Billy Daleske (Kensie) and Charlie Daleske (Megan); eight grandchildren: Jacob Donaldson (Samantha), Hailee North, Regan Daleske, Reese Daleske, Axen Daleske, Palmer Daleske, River Daleske, and Carter Howell; and one great-grandchild, Raelynn Donaldson.

A memorial service to celebrate Pat’s life will be held at 11:00 A.M. Saturday, May 24, 2025 at the Cedar Grove Baptist Church near Warsaw with Pastor Barry Edwards officiating. Visitation will be held one hour prior from 10:00 until 11:00 A.M. Memorial contributions can be made to the Benton County Cancer Fund or Meals On Wheels c/o the Reser Funeral Home 101 W. Main Street Warsaw, Missouri 65355.

She will be deeply missed and forever remembered for her generosity, strength, and the immense love she shared with her family and friends.

Martha Ann Weller



Martha Ann Weller, 78, of rural Mora, passed away Sunday, May 11, 2025, at the Loving Arms Senior Care Center in Sedalia. She was born on January 6, 1947, in Sedalia, Missouri, a daughter of William R. and Dorothy L. (Shepard) Sands.

Martha grew up in a military family and she lived in many beautiful locations including the states of Washington, Hawaii, California, Texas, and Florida. Martha graduated from Robert E. Lee High School in Jacksonville, Florida, in 1964, where she participated in Spanish Club, the National Honor Society, and the Future Teachers of America. After high school, she returned to Missouri to attend Central Missouri State College in Warrensburg. While in college, Martha achieved her dream of becoming a

teacher by studying Spanish and education; she earned her teaching certificate upon graduation in May of 1968.

After college, Martha obtained a Spanish teaching position at Benton County R-1 School in Cole Camp, Mo, where she met the love of her life, Frank Weller, who was also working at the school. Martha and Frank were united in marriage on January 11, 1969, at Warsaw, Missouri, and they were blessed with the gift of two sons, Danny and Ted.

Martha resigned from her full-time teaching position to raise her sons full time on the farm in Mora. When her sons were older, Martha returned to work as a substitute teacher for many school districts in the area. Martha loved interacting with children of all ages and found joy in helping them learn numerous subjects, especially Spanish.

Martha loved her family dearly and was always willing to lend a hand to anyone in need. She had a special gift of always remembering birthdays, anniversaries and other special occasions with cards, gifts or a cheerful phone call. Martha never knew a stranger and she could strike up a conversation with anyone. She enjoyed spoiling her children and grandchildren; gardening; tending to countless litters of kittens on the farm; sewing and crafts; reading; writing stories and poetry; watching classic westerns and movies; and listening or dancing to the music of Elvis Presley and Kenny Rogers.

Martha was an active member of St. John's Catholic Church in Bahner, Missouri, where she was president of the Altar Society for many years. She also was a regular Mass lector and CCD teacher there.

Martha is survived by her husband of 56 years, Frank Weller of the home; sons, Danny Weller and Susan of Boulder, Colorado, and Ted Weller and Crystal of Sedalia, Missouri; sister, Barbara Shaw of Clinton, Indiana; grandchildren, Ireland Weller, Allie Offineer, Ashton Walker,

and Kendell Potts and Blake, all of Sedalia, Missouri, Gracie Weller of Boulder, Colorado, and Sarah Weller of Norristown, Pennsylvania, Joey Weller of Sedalia, Missouri, and Clark Patton of Missoula, Montana; sister-in-law, Joyce Casey and Richard of Bel Air, Maryland; brother-in-law, Edward Weller and Ruth of Mora, Missouri; three great-grandchildren, Briley Potts, Wyatt Potts, and Kohen Burlingame; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents William R. and Dorothy L. Sands; her father and mother-in-law, Edward and Genevieve Weller; and her brother-in-law, James Shaw.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, May 21, 2025, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Sedalia with Father Gregory Clever officiating with the family to receive friends beginning at 10:00 a.m. and the rosary to be recited at 10:40 a.m. Burial will be in St. John's Catholic Cemetery in Bahner. Pallbearers will be Danny Weller, Ted Weller, Joey Weller, Blake Potts, Mark Weller, Gunner Williams, Clark Patton and Matt Chmelir.

The family suggests memorial contributions be given to St. John's Cemetery Fund at Bahner or Sacred Heart School in care of the Fox Funeral Home, Cole Camp. Online condolences may be left at www.foxfuneralhomecolecampmo.com.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK
JOHNIE J. LOGUE

Master Secrets of Prayer

I have probably read more books on prayer and have more books in my personal library on the subject than anything else. In all honesty, I do not claim to know any more about prayer than when I started my prayer journey some 45 years ago.

I have a little book called, Master Secrets of Prayer by Cameron V. Thompson in which he speaks of the

legendary man of prayer, George Mueller, who ran an orphanage. Mueller was said to have prayed four hours a day and experienced many miraculous answers to prayers.

His secret? He didn't have one. What he did do was read the Bible for an hour or two before he prayed in the morning. He felt this filled his mind with scripture and he was apt to pray more according to the purposes of God.

Now for my master secrets of prayer. Please write this down. I don't have any. Raymon Tracy and Wm. E. Fortson, my first two pastors, seemed to pray heaven down and get the attention of God. So it seemed.

Missionary Clint Holcomb would cry for an extended time in prayer. Bible professor Leo Thompson could pray a beautiful prayer as could several other men I have known. Women can really pray passionately. Probably more so than any man I have ever heard. The prayers of children are the sweetest by far.

In truth, man looks on the outward appearance and God alone looks on the heart. He is after faith, honesty, humility, brokenness, persistence and a clean heart. The latter is only by the grace of God when we pray.

You want to know about prayer? Look to the Lord Jesus in Mathew chapters 6 and 7. After that, Luke 18, Philippians 4 and James 5. Go to your prayer closet and never stop praying on any given day.

I am Pastor Johnnie J. Logue and you can reach me at (660) 281-4775. We pray daily on Facebook. Come and pray with me.



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In 1 Corinthians 5:6-12, Paul continues to address a problem of sin in the church in Corinth. God's intent is for the church to take sin seriously. The church continues to celebrate bad behavior. They should be confronting sin not only as individuals but as a group of people. This is about the Lord's Supper, be careful what you encourage. They're not even gathering correctly. They looked down on some, they look up on others, and they condemn some who are poor. The sin of pride, who's our pastor, who's our teacher, who do we listen to. Ignoring all the others, it's about their teacher instead of Jesus. Now it's sexual immorality, greed, slander, cheating. Meanwhile the church in Corinth keeps bragging about how great their church is. The only church that was not being persecuted because they looked just like everyone else. They did not stand out.

Even today in modern day America, we don't want to take sin seriously. We need to ask ourselves some serious questions and be honest. Racism should have been called out. We were excited about taking sin seriously outside the church. We need to be honest about sin in our midst. If we condemn the world, we will miss sin in our own hearts. If we acted like Jesus, it might have a greater impact on the world. If we took Jesus seriously, the world would be a different place. It's so much easier to think everyone else is the problem. Engage in a process of drawing someone out of the pit instead of tossing them out. Our goal is to be more like Jesus as a group! Sometimes this requires us to have uncomfortable conversations. The church looks more like the culture than what the church should look like. We don't confront sin, because it's easier to pretend it doesn't exist. Caring for people who are hurting and no one else wants to touch. That's Jesus! It's starts with us, doing what Jesus wants us to do.

Join us weekly for Sunday School at 10:00 AM, Worship at 11:00 AM, and Children's program and Bible study at 6:00 PM Sundays and Wednesdays. Business Meetings are the second Wednesday each month. No Wednesday service this week due to Osceola Baccalaureate.

WARSAW CHRISTIAN CHURCH

So Jesus called them together and said, "You know that the rulers in this world lord it over their people, and officials flaunt their authority over those under them. But among you, it will be different. Whoever wants to be a leader among you must be your servant"
-Mark 10:42-43, NLT2

It is true, isn't it? Worldly leaders who possess power and authority love to flaunt that authority. They want us peons to know that they are in charge. Pride and arrogance are all too commonplace among those who wield authority. Many have had to face the powers that be and either bow to their authority or receive the consequences. I ran into this years ago when I worked for the State of Illinois. I disagreed with a supervisor, and he went ballistic! How could I dare question his authority? Maybe some of you have had a similar experience.

We have a saying, "You can't fight city hall." City Hall has the authority, and they love to flaunt it. Sadly, I have even encountered this in church. I have seen assistant pastors crushed by senior pastors who would not tolerate anyone questioning their decisions (Not in our church!).

Jesus is clear. In His church, things are to be different. To be a Christian leader, you must be a servant to others. Christian leadership is entirely different than secular. Christian "leaders" who flaunt their authority are not true leaders. They are imitating the ways of the world. True Christian leaders may not receive much recognition because they humbly serve others. They may never receive much adoration from others. That is not what Christian leaders desire. They are more interested in God's approval. Whenever you are a servant to others, you are a true Christian leader. Our example? Jesus.

LINCOLN FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

I hope every mother had a great Mother's Day. The eldest mother was Louese Bistline and the youngest was Heather Sterling. Each received a lovely gift. Happy anniversary to Rick and Nancy Winn. Celebrating birthdays were April Jacobs and Loretta Szobodi. Worship attendance was down today. Many were gone celebrating Mother's Day. Mothers received a nice gift from the church.

Matthew 7:7 was the text for today. If you had a pair of gloves and only one hand one of the gloves would be useless. Life without Jesus is useless. There are books and the Bible that prove Jesus was here. Part of verse Matthew 7:7 says "Ask and it will be given." We can't have unless we ask. Mothers should tell their children about Jesus. If we teach our children about Jesus even though they stray they will return. We should always pray for them.

In verse Matthew 7:18 it says "A good tree cannot bare bad fruit, and a bad tree cannot bare good fruit." If you are bad you won't bare any good fruit. It says "By their fruit you shall know them" in Matthew 7:20. Always keep praying for your loved ones. Have a great week and see you in church.

UNITY OF THE LAKES

This Sunday ordained Unity Minister. Reverend Jen Dickey will be with us: Knock, knock. Who's There?

No, this is not a joke. Spirit (opportunity) is always knocking. But are we listening? Most importantly, are we responding? Together we'll peer into the possibilities that come when our hearts and minds are open to the truth that the Universe has your back and is ever conspiring in your favor!

"You will succeed in whatever you choose to do, and light will shine on the road ahead of you." -Job 22:28

Unity of the Lakes welcomes you to join us at 11:00 AM, Sunday, May 18 for our service and fellowship. All are welcome!

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LINCOLN

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repaired washouts and have power washed buildings in preparation for painting, to name just a few of the ongoing tasks.

Police Chief Andrew Breshears reported total calls for service to be 49, 160 traffic stops, 15 reports taken and 2 vehicle accidents. Breshears reported, "Lincoln Officers have done a great job of slowing down property crimes, as we only had one report of shoplifting over the past month. The suspect was identified and charged with possessing and passing a counterfeit \$20 bill that was passed during the same incident."

Officers continue to enforce traffic which is vital to curb drug activity and property crimes within the city. During these stops officers have made five warrant arrests on individuals with outstanding warrants for their arrest. The department will again be working on overtime grant opportunities this next month with the Click It or Ticket campaign. This campaign is geared toward traffic safety efforts and awareness, as seat belts are a person's single greatest

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THE BENTON COUNTY Collector's Office has an opening for Deputy Collector. Good customer service skills, computer knowledge and experience in handling money are required. Previous experience with banking, Microsoft Word, Outlook email, and Excel would be a plus. Must meet requirements to be bonded. Full-time position would be 37.5 hours per week, with starting salary of \$17.30/hr. with increase after 6-month probation period. Applications are available in the Collector's Office at the Courthouse and will be accepted until May 30, 2025 B-PU-5/16

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defense in the event of a crash.

The Police Department has brought on David as a full-time officer. David has shown strong dedication and support to the department and the community throughout his training stage of employment. David and his K-9 partner will be a great addition to the community moving forward.

The Lincoln Police Department continues to look for ways to improve safety efforts. In doing this, Chief Breshears asked the council for their support to become a MISSOURI BLUE SHIELD community. This program is a community dedication to improving public safety and supporting law enforcement in efforts to build a safer community. Council supported and approved the request.

No one appeared for the citizens comments session and the Park liaison, Seth Casey had no report to be given. With no further business scheduled on the agenda, the meeting adjourned.



YARD SALE, Friday and Saturday, May 16-17, 8:30 AM-4:00 PM, 16288 Waggoner Road in Warsaw, Wood picnic table, Tools, Yard stuff, Clothes, Lots of stuff P-PU-5/16

GARAGE SALE

CLINTON RED ROOF Flea Market, Saturday, May 24, 9:00 AM-4:00 PM, 1201 E Ohio, Call for vendor info (661) 351-4299 P-PU-5/23

GARAGE SALE, May 23-24, 21417 Lost Valley Road in Warsaw, 8:00 AM-4:00 PM, Tools, Wrenches, Woodworking, Ryobi, Craftsman, Delta, Sanders, Nailer, Rotozip log chains, Smoker/Fryer, Miscellaneous P-PU-5/23

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GARAGE SALE, Friday, May 16, 34147 Peters Avenue in Warsaw, Starts at 8:00 AM, Craftsman portable air compressor, 23 gal, Lots of ladies and mens



*David K. Brodersen
Collector of Revenue
Benton County*

David Brodersen, Benton County Collector would like to remind everyone that the last day to apply for the Senior Tax Relief Program is May 31, 2025. The program also known as Senate Bill 190 or 756, will freeze the property tax amount on your primary residence at the 2024 level. This program was passed as an Ordinance by the County Commissioners in October of 2024. This will protect seniors from future increases in taxes (some exclusion apply). To qualify, you must be 62 or older before Jan. 1st of 2025, own your home and live in Benton County full time. If you only have a weekend home here, you should apply in your primary home county. Applications can be picked up at the Benton County Collector's Office. For more information, call (660) 438-7721.

clothing-very reasonable, Solar outdoor items, and all kinds of yard decorations, Throw rugs and area rugs-priced to sell, Special indoor decorations and pictures, Lots of miscellaneous, Cheaply priced items P-PU-5/16

We will have a redo of our massive sale as a do over on May 16-17, 8:00 AM-2:00 PM, More crappie plastics, Golf, Golf pull cart, Golf travel covers, Disc golf goals, Trail cameras, More fly-tying materials, Hard lures (75+), Prop baits, Swim baits, Bass plastics, Berkley, Big Bite, more (all \$3 per pkg), Weights, Large and small jig hooks (100+), Large and small hooks (100+), Fluorocarbon, 100+ Terminal tackle, Plastic storage, 8" Lucky Craft wiper lures, Tackle boxes, Few rods, Tackle bags, Delta dust collector, Grills, Much more than fishing, 90%+ never used - No junk! 316 Shawn Avenue, Lincoln, MO, Direction signs by Tollivers on Hwy 65 P-PU-5/9



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