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Eagles Pick Harbor

by Tim Gliwa
for *The Paper*
Seven years ago, Clay Harbor sat in his Dwight home watching the 2003 NBA draft. A friend in the room said, "I call a seat at your table when you get drafted, Clay." His friend had the right idea, but it was the wrong sport. On Saturday, the twenty-fourth of April, DTHS alumni, Clay Harbor, was drafted in the fourth round of the 2010 NFL draft as the one-hundred and twenty-fifth overall pick by the Philadelphia Eagles. When the phone rang, I thought it was the Cowboys since they had the next pick, and they seemed like one of the most interested teams, said Harbor. Much to his surprise, it was the head coach of the Eagles, Andy Reid. How would you like to be a Philadelphia Eagle? asked Reid. Being a small school prospect, for his entire athletic career, Harbor is proud (continued on page 3)



CLAY HARBOR, second from left, CELEBRATES WITH FAMILY Saturday, April 24, after hearing that he was drafted to play football for the Philadelphia Eagles. Pictured above, seated, Grandma, Dorothy Norman. Front row, l to r, Cindy Norman, Jessica Norman, Sheri Norman, Jack Norman, Jana Norman holding Tristan Larkin, Jolynn Kramer, Sandy Gardner and Tim Rogers. Back row, l to r, Mom, Donna Harbor; Clay, Joey Norman, Jake Norman, Frank Legner, Cory Harbor, Brian Gardner and Dave Gardner.



MAMA? This baby owl was rescued by Gerry and Kim Von Qualen after falling from a tree in their yard in Gardner March 29.

Not Your Typical Rescue Mission Gardner Couple, Fire Chief Save Baby Owl

by Meta Machulis
Things have been a hoot lately for a Gardner couple who rescued a baby owl. It all started on March 29, when Gerry and Kim Von Qualen saw something white lying in their yard. At first, we thought someone had thrown garbage or a large rock onto our property, but upon walking closer, we found a baby Great Horned Owl had fallen out of its nest, Gerry said. The baby owl, or owlet, was nearly the size of a football and completely covered in down. Concerned about the safety of the owlet, Kim called the Grundy County Sheriff's Department, who connected the Von Qualens with the Illinois State Police, who had an officer from the Department of Natural Resources call the couple within ten minutes. We were told the best thing to do would be to let nature take its course — the mother would take care of the baby on the ground and protect it from most predators, Gerry said. But by Saturday, April 3, the owlet — still too young to fly — had walked to within ten feet of the street. When I saw that little ball of fluff, I couldn't just let it die! Kim said. Not knowing what to do, Gerry went online and visited owlpages.com to research the Great Horned Owl. I found a couple in Connecticut had a similar experience and had fastened a basket in a tree to place the baby in, Gerry said. I also learned that a full-grown owl had 500 pounds per inch of power in their talons, so, not having gloves heavy enough to protect my hands, I went to the Gardner Fire Department to see if I could borrow some heavy gloves. Fire Chief Randy Wilkey offered his assistance and helped Gerry fasten an Easter basket in a tree, and Wilkey carefully placed the youngster in the basket. It was not your typical rescue mission for the fire (continued on page 3)

DTHS Cafeteria Expansion Project Pushes Ahead

2010 — 2011 School Calendar Approved

by Madelyn Fogarty
madelynfogarty@yahoo.com
Despite some electrical issues created when the ground collapsed around a transformer causing a power outage at the school several weeks ago, the cafeteria expansion project at Dwight Township High School is close to being on schedule. The estimated \$1,250,000 project which began in early March includes expanding the current cafeteria area along with kitchen and serving line upgrades. Lite Construction from Montgomery, IL was awarded the contract. The current 1,836 square foot cafeteria will increase to approximately 3,000 sq. feet and will boost seating capacity from approximately 248 to 325 students. In addition to the cafeteria expansion, a 900 foot classroom is being added south of the current Band room and the back canopy entrance will be enclosed. The second phase of the school's roof replacement, which began last summer, is also included as part of the project. At the April 19 board session, the board reviewed options for relocating the utility transformer to south of the current parking lot which will require a new main electrical service feed to be run. With the board's long term goal being to air condition the entire school building, the board decided now was an opportune time to upgrade the present 1,200 amp service board to a 2,000 amp main service at a cost of \$122,972. Other project changes included a cafeteria service line production change that will provide a \$15,446 credit; additional steel window frame reinforcements at a cost of \$3,000; repositioning of a sump pump at \$550; installation of sleeves through the foundation wall for moving the transformer at \$4,624; soil boring and testing at \$10,628; and approval of up to three power shutdowns at a potential cost of \$4,500. The project is projected to complete August 2. In other business, Principal Dale Adams reported to the board on the current situation regarding late State of Illinois payments. According to Adams, \$64,500 is owed by the State to the District's Education Fund along with \$62,000 owed to the Transportation Fund for a total of \$126,500 in missing State mandated categoricals and grants. State aid payments have been on time. Currently, (continued on page 5)

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 Apr. 17: Kimberly K. Gulas, 49, Joliet, speeding (radar), 60/45.
 Apr. 18: Ryan Feddersen, 18, Dwight, burglary from motor vehicle; Christian Ford, 19, Dwight, burglary from motor vehicle.
 Apr. 21: Rebecca A. Christenson, 27, Verona, suspended, revoked driver's license, operating vehicle when reg. suspended/non-I.
 Apr. 17: Bannon, trauma, Morris; Mazon, trauma, Streator.
 Apr. 18: Mazon, medical, refusal; Linden, citizen assist, refusal; Mazon, medical, Morris; Clinton, medical, St. James; Prairie, citizen assist; DPSC, medical, refusal.
 Apr. 19: Locust, medical, refusal, mutual aid to Campus; 3200 N., medical, St. Mary's, Streator.
 Apr. 20: Route 17, well-being.
 Apr. 21: Union, fire.
 Apr. 22: Union, medical, refusal.

Ambulance Runs by Dwight EMS
 Apr. 15: 3200 North, fire.
 Apr. 16: 3200 N. Rd., medical, Morris; W. Main, medical, MCH; Chicago St., trauma, Morris; Chicago St., trauma, refusal.

Car Seat Safety Check-up in Dwight May 1

The State Farm Community Car Seat Safety Check-up event will be Saturday, May 1, from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the parking lot of St. Patrick Catholic Church on Mazon Avenue (Route 17) in Dwight. Accredited child passenger technicians will check for proper installation of car seats in vehicles and offer help in making sure all seats and harnesses are properly adjusted. The inspection is free and open to the public. Call sponsor Jerry Danko's State Farm office at 584-1120 with any questions.

Emington-Campus Fire Dept. Plans Golf Outing

The Emington-Campus Fire Department will host a golf outing fund-raiser Sunday, June 6. Proceeds will be used to purchase equipment for the department's trucks. The golf outing is a four-man scramble and includes 18 holes of golf, a cart and a meal. The event will be held at Wolf Creek Golf Course, 21062 N. 1850 East Rd., Pontiac (Cayuga). Registration information and payment must be submitted by Thursday, May 27. For more information, contact Jason Simmons at the Emington-Campus Fire Department, 815-343-0873.

Temps - 2010

Apr. 14 - high 84°, low 46°
 Apr. 15 - high 81°, low 57°.02" precip.
 Apr. 16 - high 67°, low 36°.10" precip.
 Apr. 17 - high 62°, low 30°
 Apr. 18 - high 60°, low 31°
 Apr. 19 - high 62°, low 35°
 Apr. 20 - high 67°, low 37°
One Year Ago - Apr. 28, 2009
 high 53°, low 44°.10" precip.

Dwight Garage Sales This Weekend

Dwight all-town garage sales are this weekend, Friday through Sunday, April 30, May 1 and 2. The scheduled time is from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. each day, but look for the Route 66 Red Carpet Corridor Garage Sale signs — they indicate when sales are open. Look for a separate ad in this issue of *The Paper* for a list of addresses. A more detailed list of items for sale with the addresses will be available beginning Thursday, April 29, and throughout the weekend at the Dwight Public Services Complex.

Pontiac F.D. Pancake and Sausage Breakfast

The Pontiac Fire Department will host its Seventh Annual Pancake and Sausage Breakfast Sunday, May 16, from 7 a.m. to noon at the Pontiac Sportsman's Club. Prices are separate for adults and children age six to 10. Children five and under eat for free.



THE VILLAGE OF DWIGHT, along with Dwight Tourism, recently hosted a volunteer appreciation kick-off luncheon for the Ambler/Becker Station Welcome Center volunteers. The station will be open during the Red Carpet Corridor Festival, May 1 and 2. Beginning Memorial Day weekend, the Ambler/Becker Welcome Center will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily. Volunteers to greet the many visitors who stop at this Dwight Route 66 attraction are needed for two-hour shifts daily. To volunteer, call the Dwight Main Street Office at 584-1830.



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Dwight Seniors Duplicate Bridge Results

The results of the duplicate bridge game played April 22 at the Dwight Senior Citizens Center are:
 North-South: first, Ellen Galeaz/Jane Kresl; second, Dorothy Christenson/Darlene Drechsel; third, Lee Fuerstenberg/Delores Slatery.
 East-West: first, Carol Bush/Norma Houck; second, Judy Gillespie/Leila

Patchett; third, Loisanne O'Connell/Mary Drinan.
 The next game will be played at the senior center Thursday, May 6.



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GARDNER S ADVENTUROUS OWLET sits in his makeshift home, an Easter basket, in a tree outside the home of Gerry and Kim Von Qualen.

Not Your Typical Rescue Mission

(continued from page 1) department, Kim said.

Over the next few weeks, the Von Qualens, along with neighbors and friends, enjoyed watching the owlet grow. They soon discovered that the baby owl had brothers or sisters — Kim said two more, larger owlets are in a nearby tree. As owls are nocturnal, the mother owl comes to feed her offspring every night, but the mother and babies seem to have friends. Kim said she has seen as many as seven owls in the yard at night.

I s fascinating to watch them, she said.

But the first owlet, which Kim calls her baby, had not yet retired from its adventures. On Tuesday night, April 20, Kim went out with her binoculars and found that the owlet had again fallen out of its nest and had walked to the lot of a church across the street.

We told him he was too little to cross the street by himself, she joked.

So the Von Qualens rescued the young thrill-seeker a second time, this time placing it in a pet carrier kennel so it would be protected from predators and not fall out of its nest again. Since this limited the mother owl s access to her baby, the Von Qualens have been feeding the baby owl items such as sausage and chicken livers, which Kim said the owlet seems to enjoy.

Although the couple enjoys caring for the owlet, Kim said the owls hoot



GARDNER FIRE CHIEF Randy Wilkey places a baby owl in its new Easter basket home. The owl fell from its nest and had walked dangerously close to the street.

loudly at night and sometimes keep the couple awake.

As of April 22, the Von Qualens estimated the owlets to be about seven weeks old, the age at which owls typically begin to venture away from their nest. The other two owlets have made it out of their nest and into other trees, Kim said. The Von Qualens learned that owls usually begin flying at about nine weeks old, so it s expected that the feathered explorer will be able to fly and fend for himself any day now.

(continued from page 1) to have overcome the overwhelming odds to be in the position he is in today. He expressed this to the DTHS football squad late last week.

I basically told [the team] that there is no reason why they can t be better than any other team that they play, said Harbor. You ve got to play with confidence, and go out there every time with the mentality that you re better than the player across from you.

Harbor said that this mentality has helped him succeed, and he thinks it will translate well into his professional career.

I s going to be good showing the people in Philadelphia what I can do, said Harbor, shaking off the nap he had just taken. Harbor needed some rest after spending the past several weeks working out for various NFL teams including the San Francisco 49 ers, New York Jets, Arizona Cardinals, Minnesota Vikings and Dallas Cowboys.

He flew from city to city while the teams he tried out for paid his way to and from destinations.

I built up quite a few of those frequent flyer miles, joked Harbor.

His plan is to catch the Eagles staff off guard with his athletic ability, work ethic and drive to be an elite player in the NFL. He ll get the chance to put this plan into action when he reports to rookie training camp this Thursday, the twenty-ninth.

Harbor has been scouted as a hybrid-type player with the ability to play multiple positions ranging from tight end, to fullback, to a slot receiver. Although Harbor hasn t had any in-depth discussions with the Eagles coaching staff, he is sure they will like his versatility on the offensive side of the ball.

They ll probably want me to do some different things on offense but I m ready to do whatever they ask, he said.

The Eagles has been an elite NFL team for the past decade and has been making its roster younger over the past few years.

With the trade of Donovan McNabb to the Washington Redskins, three-year veteran, Kevin Kolb, will take over the quarterback role for the Eagles this year.

I m excited to go to Philly and help start something new, said Harbor, of the young Philadelphia team. He knows it is in a tough division, but thinks that it will be a great learning experience. Especially working with Brent Celek, a tight end entering his fourth season for the Eagles. I can learn from [Celek], and hopefully he can show me what I need to do to become an elite tight end in the NFL, said Harbor.

If Harbor makes the 53 man roster for the Eagles by opening day, he ll make his first sideline appearance on Sunday, September the twelfth, in Philadelphia against the Green Bay Packers. In week twelve, he would make his return to Illinois against the Chicago Bears at Soldier Field on the twenty-eighth of November.

Harbor was caught by surprise at the idea that he could be lining up across from the Bears new defensive end Julius Peppers, a five-time NFC Pro-Bowl player.

Ididn t even think about that, but I look forward to playing against one of the best defensive ends in the league, he said. That s why I train. I ll be able to make it hard for him to do what he wants to do. I ll hold my own.

Harbor hasn t given much thought as to what he is going to spend his first NFL paycheck on, but off the top of his head, he thought a new car might be nice.

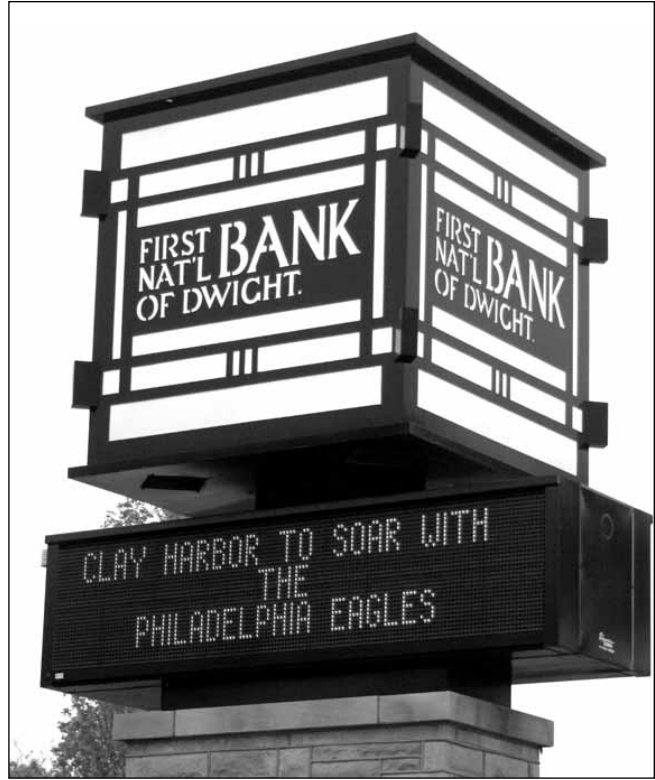
Maybe something a little nicer than the Mercury Mystique, he said.

Preferably something that gets from zero to sixty quicker than nine seconds.

From the DTHS Trojans, to the MSU Bears to the Philadelphia Eagles, Clay Harbor undoubtedly has the village of Dwight swelling with pride. After the standing ovation Harbor received while entering a local bar this past weekend, there is no doubt that he will have a strong fan base no matter which uniform he wears.



CLAY HARBOR JOINS A FAMILY GROUP in Dwight celebrating his selection by the Philadelphia Eagles. Clay, left, is pictured with his Mother, Donna Harbor, brother, Cory and Grandma Dorothy Norman, seated.



THE WHOLE TOWN IS TALKING ABOUT CLAY HARBOR.

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Illinois Main Street Program Endangered

A list of the state s 10 most threatened historic sites was announced April 20 at a press conference at the state capitol in Springfield. Among the items on the list is the statewide Illinois Main Street Program.

Now in its 16th year, the statewide endangered list calls attention to historic resources in dire need of assistance in the form of responsible stewardship, critical funding or creative reuse plans. This year, a number of the sites listed have fallen victim to the poor economic climate, which has resulted in property foreclosures and restric-

tions in available financing.

The Illinois Main Street Program, a state-run program, is the only one of its kind in Illinois geared toward preservation-based downtown economic development. It was established in 1993 to assist local communities with historic Main Street improvement efforts.

Over its lifetime, the nearly 70 participating communities, from Carbondale to Rockford and Danville to Quincy, have benefitted from architectural services and training. The program has generated more than \$400 million in downtown reinvestment and created over 4,800 jobs.

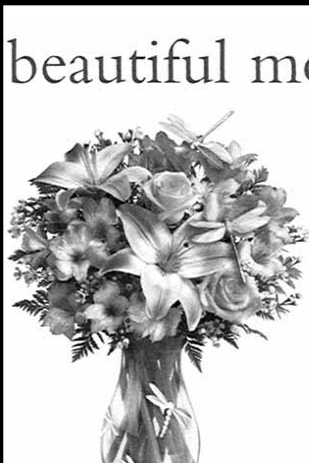
Recent state budget cuts have eliminated all technical assistance services and the annual statewide conference, while greatly reducing the number of staff. The National Main Street Center in Washington, D.C., which provides unified marketing and development strategies to downtown Main Street programs, has placed the Illinois program on suspension until it can meet national standards.

The complete list, including photos of endangered sites, is available at www.Landmarks.org through the Press Room link.

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God-with-Us Preschool Open House and Registration

God-with-Us Preschool, Dwight, will host an open house and registration for the 2010-2011 school year on Tuesday, May 4, from 5 to 7 p.m.

God-with-Us Preschool is a DCFS licensed facility and follows the Illinois Early Learning Standards. Pre-school classes for three-year-olds are held two mornings per week, and classes for four-year-olds are held three mornings per week.

The preschool is located at Emmanuel Lutheran Church at the corner of routes 47 and 17 in Dwight. Call 584-3433 for more information.



SAUNEMIN GIRL SCOUT TROOP 1144 is raising money for Haiti earthquake relief with a children's carnival Saturday, May 1. ABOVE, scouts pictured left to right are, front row: Emily Mansfield, Lydia Evans, Taylor Nelson, Aubrey Graves, Julianna Meier, McKenzie Chatman and Hailey Riley; back row: Dana Watts, Ali Carpenter, Brianna Chatman, Rebecca Melvin and Ali Gonzalez. BELOW, scouts left to right are, front row: Anna Stevenson, Katie Melvin, Alexis Durham and Maggie Melvin; back row: Samantha Barcikowski, Trinity Riley, Baylee Newman, Kaytrin Iverson and Brenda Palmer.



Saunemin Scouts To Hold May 1 Children's Carnival

After hearing about how a young Girl Scout in Haiti barely survived the recent earthquake and then went out to help others, Saunemin Girl Scout Troop 1144 showed its commitment to the Girl Scout Law, which asks that each scout be a sister to every Girl Scout and make the world a better place, by making various crafts, cookies and brownies at troop meetings to be sold

at a community chicken supper. They raised \$75 to be sent to World Vision to help the people of Haiti.

Again on May 1, from 9 to 11 a.m. at the school track field, they will show their dedication to the Girl Scout promise — in which they pledge to help other people at all times — by holding a children's carnival, with all profits to be sent to Haiti relief.

Everyone is invited to come out for a fun time.

Shriners to Host Free Children's Mini Clinic

The Mohammed Shrine Hospital Committee and the Red Fez Shrine Club will have a free mini clinic Saturday, May 1, from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Pontiac Masonic Lodge, 220 W. Washington

St., Pontiac.

The clinic is open to children under 18 who may be afflicted with congenital orthopedic deformities, burns, crippling conditions or other problems. A pre-screening examination will be conducted, with information sent to the Shriners Hospital for evaluation. Those accepted to the hospital receive free medical care.

Parents or guardians should accompany children and provide a copy of the child's birth certificate and immunization record.

For more information, contact Shriner Dale Campbell at 815-844-5361.

DTHS Greenhouse Opening

Opening day at the Dwight Township High School greenhouse will be Saturday, May 1, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Park on the southeast side of the school.

Items for sale include geraniums, double impatiens, cascade petunias, dragon wing begonias, chenille plant, dahlias, angelonia, diascia, cauliflower and broccoli. Baskets and planters are available.

Dwight Senior Citizens Hold April Meeting

The Dwight Senior Citizens met April 13 at the senior center with 28 members and seven guests present.

President Barb Christensen conducted the meeting.

A program of memories of Dwight was given by Marilyn Thorsen.

Door prizes were won by Carol Hemenover, Carol Bush, Shirley Ivey, Norm Lewis and Jo Murphy.

A report was given for the month of March of Berkot's Sharing.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, May 11, at the senior center.

Edward Jones Gets Number 2 Ranking

The financial services firm Edward Jones ranked number two on FORTUNE magazine's 100 Best Companies to Work For 2010 list in its 11th year on the prestigious list, according to Dale Coughlin, Dwight. Edward Jones also ranked number one for large-sized companies.

The full list and related stories appear in the February 8 issue of FORTUNE and are online at www.fortune.com/best-companies

Marine Corps League Detachment Forming in Dwight

Attention on deck The Marines are coming!

The Marine Corps League members join together to promote the interests of the U.S. Marine Corps, banding together those who are now serving in the USMC, those who have been honorably discharged, and Navy FMF Corpsmen who proudly wear the eagle, globe and anchor.

If you are a Marine, past or present, or a Navy FMF Corpsman and are interested in establishing a Marine Corps League Detachment in the Dwight area, call Harold Schreiner at 584-2153.

A Marine may leave the Corps, but the Corps will never leave the Marine. Semper fi.

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Gardner Fire Department and EMS Calls

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Wed., Apr. 21: Medical, E. Main St.

Fri., Apr. 23: MVA, Braceville Road.

Sat., Apr. 24: Medical, Peck St.

Sun., Apr. 25: Medical, South East St.

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DTHS Cafeteria Expansion Project Pushes Ahead

(continued from page 1)
State payments are being received, but are behind with no payments received yet for this fiscal year. Depending on when and if the monies are received, Adams is projecting a fund deficit of \$250,000 or a surplus of \$170,000.

The State's financial crisis had not drastically impacted DTHS District #230 since it relies mostly on local sources for its revenue, such as property taxes, and less on state funds.

Board President Irv Masching expressed his concerns about the possibility of running on a deficit and the unreliability of State monies.

Board member Kathy Perry recommended that the board be cautious with future spending and advised against putting more burden on taxpayers.

We need to put more pressure on the legislature, said Perry. It can't be on the backs of our taxpayers.

The 2010-11 school calendar was approved with the following key dates:

¥ Monday, August 23, 2010 — first full day of student attendance
¥ December 18, 2010 — January 2, 2011 — Christmas

break
¥ Friday, January 14, 2011 — End of First Semester
¥ March 19 — 27, 2011 — Spring Break
¥ Friday, May 27, 2011 — Last day of Student attendance pending 0 snow days
¥ Friday, May 27, 2011 — DTHS Graduation at 7 p.m.

The board also:
¥ accepted the resignation of Angie Goley as Football, Basketball and Competitive Cheerleading Sponsor. The Cheerleaders' accomplishments under Goley's guidance were recognized.
¥ approved the resignation of Chris Moeller as Freshman Volleyball coach.
¥ approved Missy Ferrari as volunteer softball coach.
¥ discussed an option to move to a debit card system for cafeteria purchases and other student purchase transactions but no action was taken to move forward at this time.



Dwight Township High School's cafeteria expansion is projected to be complete by August 2.

actions but no action was taken to move forward at this time.

¥ approved cafeteria project pay request #2 for \$34,920 to Lite Construction.

¥ elected to keep closed session meeting minutes from July 2009 to present closed.

¥ rescheduled the June board session to Monday, June 14.

Adams also announced that a special meeting of the Dwight Grade School Board for April 28 has been cancelled and will be rescheduled as a special joint session with the DTHS board at a date to be determined.

The next regular session of the DTHS Board of Education will be Monday, May 17, at 7 p.m. in the DTHS Board Room.



THE STAFF OF HERITAGE WOODS of Dwight holds a puzzle piece staff members decorated for Supportive Living Week. The piece was displayed around town the week of April 19.

Spring Grove Nursery Plants Trees at Two Area Schools

Spring Grove Nursery, Mazon, has been supporting Arbor Day for many years and again this year is helping to educate area youth about the importance of planting trees in our communities.

For the past seven years, Spring Grove has planted a tree at area grade schools with the students. This year, the nursery is donating and planting with the students a native Thornless Cockspur Hawthorn at each participating school.

Students and nursery workers planted a tree April 23 at Gardner Grade School and will plant another Friday, April 30, at Mazon-Verona-Kinsman Elementary School. The nursery also planted trees at four other Grundy County schools.

Another way to spell Successful Advertising is **The Paper**

We Care Mobile Food Pantry to be Held May 12 in Gardner

The next We Care mobile food pantry is sponsored by Morris Hospital and will take place Wednesday, May 12, at the Gardner American Legion, 426 Industry Ave., Gardner.

Registration will begin at approximately 3:45 p.m., and at least the first 100 numbers for a place in line will be drawn by lottery. The distribution will begin at 5 p.m. All mobile pantries for 2010 are scheduled to take place on the second Wednesday of each month.

Any family that resides in Grundy County and is in need of assistance with food is welcome to come to these food distributions. Recipients are asked to provide

proof of their residency either with a valid driver's license, state I.D. or utility bill with their current Grundy County address. Every person in line will be asked to show this proof, even if they have been to a mobile food pantry in the past.

Those interested in attending are encouraged to bring a container to carry the items they will receive; plastic laundry baskets and wheeled carts work well for this purpose. It is not necessary to let We Care know if you plan to attend the distributions, but if you have any questions, call the We Care office at 815-942-6389.

IMACTDwight T-shirts on sale at The Paper.

Available in adult sizes: S, M, L, XL
1 for \$15 or 2 for \$25

Gus Macker Tourney Again Coming to Morris

The original three-on-three basketball tournament known to all as Gus Macker will hit the streets of downtown Morris again this year. The Morris Downtown Development Partnership, Inc. is proud to host the event which in 2009 attracted more than 1,000 players and thousands of spectators from eight states and 116 Illinois communities.

The three-day festival of basketball begins Friday, June 4, with early registration and continues through the division championships Sunday, June 6. The tournament is open to boys and girls in age brackets from 10 and under, 11-12, 13-14, 15-16 and 17-18. Adult divisions are open to men and women in

age brackets that range up to 40, 50, 60 and over, with all levels of experience encouraged and welcome to play.

The Morris Downtown Development Partnership, Inc. hosts the tournament, but it would not be possible without the support of local sponsorship. D Construction, Shaw Stone and Webster Construction, Inc. and Rezin Orthopedics and Sports Medicine are this year's presenting sponsors.

Julie Applegate, tournament director, noted that Gus Macker Morris has meant more than just a weekend of basketball to many in the community. In fact, over the past seven years, nearly \$78,000 has been given back

to local organizations that have volunteered their time to work at the tournament.

Application brochures are currently available at participating sponsor locations, as well as many area businesses. Deadlines for registration are May 14 for postmarked applications or May 17 for those submitted online. Online registration will be accepted through the official Gus Macker website, www.macker.com

Anyone seeking more information about the tournament or wanting to request an application is welcome to contact the MDDP office by calling 815-941-0245 or by sending an e-mail to mddp@downtownmorris.com

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Dwight s Jayne Tyler Recognized at Cubs Game

Jayne Tyler, a seventh grader from Dwight, was recently recognized at a Chicago Cubs baseball game.

It all started with a visit to Culver s Restaurant the Saturday before Easter. Jayne filled out a contest form for the Culver s Kid of the Day and mailed the form the same day. The following Thursday, she received a phone call from the Cubs head office telling Jayne she was the first winner selected as the Culver s

Kid of the Day.

On Sunday, April 18, Jayne traveled to Wrigley Field with her dad, Jay, and sisters, Abby and Donna, and met with a representative who gave her a Culver s gift pack with a shirt, hat and gift certificate for a kid s meal. During the game, her name was shown on the scoreboard, with the crowd applauding her while she stood in the on-deck circle. She will also receive a Cubs hat in the mail.

Jayne and her family

watched the game from their seats behind home plate, under the broadcast booth. It was a chilly 42 degrees there, but luckily, the stadium gave out free scarves that day. The family had a great time in the very friendly confines.



FOUR MEMBERS OF THE TYLER FAMILY of Dwight attended the April 18 Cubs game at Wrigley Field, Chicago, when Jayne Tyler was named the Culver s Kid of the Day. Left to right, Abby, Jayne and Donna stand on the field in front of their father, Jay.



John Christensen and Kelly Stirbis

Kelly Stirbis to Wed John Christensen

August 7, 2010 is the date chosen for a very joyous occasion — our wedding! John Wendell Christensen and Kelly Marie Stirbis wish to announce their engagement.

Kelly is the daughter of William and Valerie Stirbis of Joliet, and John is the son of Brian and Debbie Christensen of rural Gardner.

Both the bride and groom are members of Laborers Local 75.

The outdoor wedding ceremony will take place at the home of Mrs. Charlotte Fatlan. Invitations will be sent.



Victorya Leeann Morales

A girl!

Loreli Holmes and Anthony Morales of Dwight announce the birth of their daughter, Victorya Leeann Morales.

Victorya was born Tuesday, February 16, 2010 at 8:15 a.m. She weighed eight pounds, 12 ounces and was 18½ inches long.

She was welcomed home by her aunts: Gerry, 17; Mandy, 15; Becky, 13; Cassie, 9; and her maternal grandparents.

Maternal grandparents are Geraldine and William Holmes of Dwight. Paternal grandparents are Stacy and Lou Morales of Dwight.

Maternal great-grandparents are Geraldine and Thomas Coughlin of Mokena; Jess and Patty Manos of El Cajon, Calif.; and Lucille Holmes of Yucca, Arizona and the late Simon Holmes. Paternal great-grandparents are Ginny and Ray Sharer of Diamond.

Girls Day Out Scrapbooking in Cullom

A Girls Day Out will be held Saturday, May 1, from 10 a.m. to noon at the Cullom Community Building. Participants will make scrapbooks from everyday items; learn some life lessons; and hang out with the girls.

There is no cost. There will be snacks and fun! This is for girls in third through eighth grade and for moms and grandmas too.

The Cullom HCE Unit is the sponsor. With questions, contact President Erran Melton at 815-867-0452.

May Day Egg Hunt

The Reddick Lioness will host a May Day egg hunt Saturday, May 1, at 10 a.m. at Reddick Grade School.

The hunt is open to babies through 13-year-olds. Bring a basket or bag to collect your eggs.

If raining, go to the Reddick Lions Hall to collect a goody bag.

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- Apr. 28: Open House and Ice Cream Social, Heritage Woods, 1-4 p.m.
- Apr. 29: Spring Cleaning recycling drive, Heritage Woods, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
- Apr. 30: Dwight All-Town Garage Sales, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Apr. 30: Arbor Day Celebration, Heritage Woods of Dwight, 9:30 a.m.
- May 1: Dwight Senior Breakfast, Old Rt. 66 Family Restaurant, 8 a.m.
- May 1-2: Route 66 Red Carpet Corridor Festival
- May 1-2: Dwight All-Town Garage Sales, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
- May 4: God-with-Us Preschool Open House and Registration, 5-7 p.m.
- May 7: Cullom-Kempton Townwide Garage Sales, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.
- May 8: Cullom-Kempton Townwide Garage Sales, 8 a.m.-2 p.m.
- May 11: Dwight Senior Citizens Meeting with Catered Dinner, noon
- June 11-12: Garder All-Town Garage Sales
- June 26: Golf 'Fore' St. Paul Grade School, Wolf Creek, Cayuga
- July 17: Dwight Lions Kids Fishing Derby, Lions Lake, Reg. 9-10 a.m.

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Martin Brown and Echo Lucas

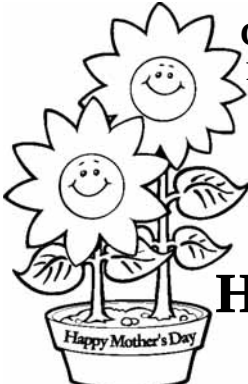
Echo Lucas Engaged to Martin Brown

Roger and Mary Lucas of the Emington-Pontiac area announce the engagement of their daughter, Echo Gabriella Lucas of Emington, to Martin Brown of Cardiff, son of Marshall Brown and Christine and Erik Nielsen of Cardiff (Joliet).

The couple will be married Monday, May 3, 2010 at 1:15 p.m. in the Livingston County Courthouse.

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The national celebration of Arbor Day happens on the last Friday of April, although some states have designated different dates for their own Arbor Day observances. Over the years, Americans have planted millions of trees on this day, improving the environment, reducing erosion and leaving an invaluable gift to future generations. But the concepts behind Arbor Day can also be transferred to other realms — such as investing. So, this year, why not take steps to establish your own Financial Arbor Day?

Here are some ideas to consider:

• Plant some seeds. Even the mightiest trees started out small and the same is true of the investment portfolios of many successful investors. If you're just beginning to invest, put whatever you can afford, however minimal, into an IRA and a 401(k) or other employer-sponsored retirement plan. If you've been investing for a while but still need to move closer toward your goals, you may have to seek out some new fields of opportunity and invest in them.

• Nurture the roots. To grow, tree roots need to be fed through water, oxygen and minerals. And once you've planted the seeds of your investments, they need to be nourished, too. So, for example, once you've opened your 401(k), boost your contributions whenever you get a salary increase. Also consider fully funding your IRA until you've reached the annual limits.

• Seek out variety. If you look around your neighborhood, you will likely find many different types of trees. And that's a good thing, because when Dutch elm disease or some other ailment strikes one type of tree, you and your neighbors still have others that can thrive. And the same principle applies to investing — if an economic downturn or some other event primarily strikes one type of asset, and most of your money is tied up in that asset, you could run into trouble. That's why you need to diversify your investment dollars among stocks, bonds, certificates of deposit (CDs), Treasury bills and other securities. While diversification, by itself, cannot guarantee a profit or protect against a loss, it can help reduce the effects of volatility on your portfolio.

• Be patient. When you plant a seed, you know it will take many years for your efforts to reach fruition. Over time, your tree will lose some branches and bark, and it will be buffeted by heavy winds, scorching sun and driving rains. However, if it has a strong set of roots, it can survive and grow. You need to show the same patience with your investment portfolio, because it, too, will face a variety of challenges over the years, and at times it may appear beaten down. But if you follow a consistent strategy, supported by a mix of quality investments that reflects your risk tolerance, time horizon and long-term goals, and if you have the patience and discipline to ride out downturns, you can help yourself reach your objectives.

When people use their shovels and hoes on Arbor Day, they create something that will literally last a lifetime. And the same thing can happen when you declare your own Financial Arbor Day — so get out your investment tools and get to work.



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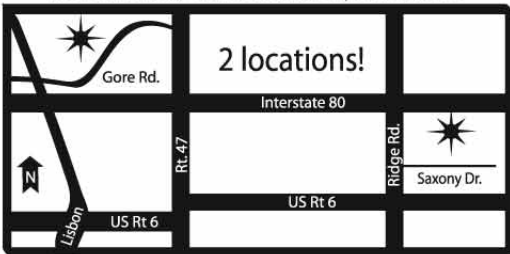
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MICHAEL HALLORAN of Dwight received one of 16 national RR Donnelley scholarships for children of employees. He was congratulated and presented with a certificate of recognition at the RR Donnelley Dwight Division on Wednesday, April 21. Pictured left to right are his father, Tim Halloran; mother, Sarah Halloran; Michael Halloran; and RR Donnelley Vice President of Operations Bruce Lipscomb.

Michael Halloran Earns National Scholarship

Michael Halloran, a senior at Dwight Township High School, has been named the recipient of a national, renewable college scholarship from RR Donnelley.

RR Donnelley sponsors college scholarship awards for children of its employees or of its majority-owned subsidiaries through an annual nationwide competition conducted by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation.

Eligibility is open to dependent high school children of current employees who have at least three years

of full-time service with the company, and children of deceased or retired employees who had at least 10 years of full-time service with the company.

All RR Donnelley Scholarship winners are chosen from a group of candidates who scored high on the 2009 PSAT/NMSQT and are notified by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation that they may receive further consideration for a scholarship by meeting several academic and other requirements set by NMSC. All phases of the scholarship competition, including the

selection of winners and payment of scholarship stipends, are handled for RR Donnelley by the National Merit Scholarship Corporation.

Halloran is one of only 16 students nationwide chosen for the award (RR Donnelley employs about 60,000 people).

At DTHS, Halloran has been a member of the Scholastic Bowl, baseball, basketball and golf teams and the band. He plans to further his education at the University of Illinois, studying engineering.



Gabby Davis

DTHS Names Sophomore of the Month

Dwight Township High School would like to congratulate Gabby Davis on being named DTHS sophomore of the month for April.

She is active in DTHS Mathletes, Scholastic Bowl, band, FCCLA, Drama Club, Teens 4 Green, Library Club, Spanish Club, Peer Advisors, National Honor Society, swim team and is a Board Scholar.

Gabby is the daughter of Tom and Jill Davis of Dwight.

WISHIN FOR A CURE Randy Sorensen of South Wilmington, a seven-year cancer survivor, has made small wishing wells to gather donations for Relay for Life. So far, there is a well at Wolf Creek Golf Course, Cayuga, and Sorensen is making another for the Cancer Center of Morris. Donations will be given to the Relay for Life in the county in which the well is located.

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Fiscal year ending 3/31/10					
REVENUE SUMMARY: Property Tax 136107.10; Replacement Tax 2079.72; Interest income 665.44; Misc. income 13858.10					
COMPENSATION SUMMARY: Jason Bunting 15343.29; Mike Haberkorn 5270.82; LaVerne Canham, Jr. 4617.48; Carol Jones 1616.12; Skip Jones 424.80; Vernon Malone 424.80; Warren Sancken 313.98; Carrie Fraher 434.02; Martin Malone 92.35; David Masching 92.35; Marlin Donley 92.35; Gretta Giacometti 30.00; Darrell Satterfield 77.57; Brian Haren 542.99; Patrick Clark 73.88					
TOTAL COMPENSATION: 29446.80					
EXPENDITURE SUMMARY: TOIRMA 6526.00; Campus State Bank 29296.99; Dibble Enterprises 1379.16; Hampton, Lenzini & Renwick 1899.36; Meier Oil 1777.65; Broughton Cemetery 2500.00; Freestar Bank 8098.07; Prairie Material 1116.42; Randy’s 2380.94; Bunting Bros. 1420.00; Towanda Company 36699.61 MTN Pumps 3887.50; All other disbursements less than (\$1000) 24807.01					
TOTAL EXPENDITURES 121788.71					
SUMMARY STATEMENT OF CONDITION					
	General	Special Revenue	Debt Capital Service	Project	Enterprise
Beginning Fund Balance	37621.10	102765.04	-0-	-0-	-0-
Revenues	50913.30	108856.77	-0-	-0-	-0-
Expenditures	51623.28	99612.23	-0-	-0-	-0-
Other Financing					
Sources	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Uses	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Ending Fund Balance	36911.12	112009.58	-0-	-0-	-0-
Subscribed and sworn this 20th day of April 2010					
LaVerne Canham, Jr. - Treasurer					
I, Carol Jones, Clerk of Broughton Township, Livingston County, Illinois do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the Annual Treasurer’s Report for the fiscal year ending 3/31/10.					
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OBITUARIES

William Thomas Boundy

SANTA CLARA, Calif. — William Thomas Bill Boundy, 67, died at 9:15 a.m. Saturday, April 17, 2010, at Mission Skilled Nursing and Subacute Center in Santa Clara, Calif., after an extended battle with Alzheimer s disease.

A private inurnment service will take place at a future date.

Bill was born June 12, 1942, in Pontiac to Donald and Esther Rowland Boundy. He attended Dwight schools and played football, basketball and ran track in high school. He attended the University of Illinois and graduated from DeVry Technical Institute. Bill worked for Control Data Corporation after graduation, relocating to Silicon Valley in the early days of computing. He remained in California after his retirement.

Bill is survived by a brother, Roger (Linda); a niece, Amy Gavin; a nephew, Chris Boundy; and many cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents and many aunts and uncles.

Remembrances may be made to a charity of the donor s choice.

Dian Goodwin

BROWNSBURG, Ind. — Dian Goodwin, 51, of Brownsburg, Ind., died at home on Wednesday, April 21, after a battle with cancer. She was married to Mike

Ice Cream Cone Sales, Hats to Benefit Team Taylor May 7

Friday, May 7, is Team Taylor Day in Dwight, when Dairy Queen and Dwight schools will hold separate fund-raisers for brain cancer research.

Team Taylor is composed of Taylor Gettinger, a Dwight Township High School senior who has been diagnosed with a brain tumor, and her friends and family.

Purchase any size ice cream cone May 7 at Dwight

Dwight public school students are also participating in the Third Annual Team Taylor Hat Day May 7. Wearing a hat to school is normally against the dress code, but that day, any student who donates a dollar to brain cancer research will be allowed to wear a hat.

Assumed Name Publication Notice

Public Notice is hereby given that on April 22, 2010, a certificate was filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Livingston County, Illinois, setting forth the names and post-office addresses of all the persons owning, conducting and transacting business known as Morris Drapery and Blinds, located at 1203 S. Union St., Dwight, IL 60420.

Dated this 22nd day of April, 2010.

Kristy A. Masching,
Livingston County Clerk

Mona Township Road District Notice to Bid

1994 310D John Deere backhoe, 2800 hours, serial #T0310DB789384. For more information or for an appointment to view machine call 1-815-685-0299 Gary Hamilton.

Bids will be accepted until 7:30 p.m. June 3, 2010. Bids will be opened at 7:30 p.m. with a minimum bid of \$12,850.00. Mona Township, P.O. Box 96, Kempton, IL 60946. Mona Township Road District has the right to accept or deny any or all bids. Bidders can raise bid.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 11TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
LIVINGSTON COUNTY - PONTIAC, ILLINOIS

US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR ASSET-BACKED PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES SERIES 2006-WFHE3
PLAINTIFF
VS
AARON SIWINSKI AKA AARON M SIWINSKI;
ASHLEY SIWINSKI; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF AARON SIWINSKI, IF ANY;
UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS;
DEFENDANTS
09CH 97

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE UNDER ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE ACT ***THIS DOCUMENT IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT ON A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE*** PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered by said Court in the above entitled cause on December 18, 2009, SHERIFF IN LIVINGSTON County, Illinois, will on June 2, 2010, in LOBBY OF THE Courthouse, 112 W. Madison, Pontiac, IL61764, at 10:00 AM, sell at public auction and sale to the highest bidder for cash, all and singular, the following described real estate mentioned in said Judgment, situated in the County of LIVINGSTON, State of Illinois, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said Judgment:

THE EAST HALF OF LOT 13 AND ALL OF LOT 14 IN BLOCK 39 IN THE VILLAGE OF CHATSWORTH, LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

TAX NO. 27-27-03-314-009 COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 312 EAST OAK STREET CHATSWORTH, IL 60921 Description of Improvements: VYL SINGLE FAMILY FOR SALE The Judgment amount was \$73,365.90. Sale Terms: This is an "AS IS" sale for "CASH". The successful bidder must deposit 25% down by certified funds; balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. NO REFUNDS. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate, water bills, etc., and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to plaintiff. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the bid amount, the purchaser shall receive a Certificate of Sale, which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. The successful purchaser has the sole responsibility/expense of evicting any tenants or other individuals presently in possession of the subject premises. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For Information: Visit our website at http://service.atty-pierce.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only - Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn, Chicago, Illinois 60602. Tel. No. (312) 372-2060. Please refer to file #PA0924681 Plaintiff's attorney is not required to provide additional information other than that set forth in this notice of sale.

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Samuel Carter Barber

MORRIS — Samuel Carter Barber, 90, of Morris, formerly of Decaturville, Tenn., passed away Monday, April 19, 2010 at his home.

Visitation was Wednesday, April 21, from 4 to 8 p.m. at Reeves Funeral Home, Morris, and again Saturday, April 24, from 11 a.m. until the time of funeral service, 1 p.m., at Reed s Chapel, Decaturville, Tenn.

Burial was in Mount Carmel Cemetery, Decaturville, Tenn.

Born October 3, 1919 in Selmer, Tenn., Samuel was a son of Jeff Barber and Minnie Ester Kennedy. He was raised and educated in Decaturville by his mother and stepfather, Frank White, and was a graduate of Decaturville High School. On August 16, 1940, Samuel married Claudia Blakeman in Corinth, Miss., and they were married for 65 years. Claudia preceded him in death on February 24, 2005. Samuel was a member of Ironworkers Local #393 in Aurora, from where he retired. He was known for his love of horses, cattle and dogs, and also enjoyed coon hunting and raising coon hounds.

Survivors include his son, Frank (Sally) Barber of Morris; two grandchildren: Greg (Mandy) Barber of Farmersville, Texas, and Lori (Danny) Hill of Verona; five great-grandchildren: Franklyn, Benjamin, Timothy and Rebecca Barber and Daniel Hill; one brother, Bobby N. (the late Patricia) White of Decaturville, Tenn.; and two sisters-in-law: Bonnie (Loy) Blakeman of Huntingdon, Tenn., and Beatrice (Troy) Blakeman of Spring Valley, Tenn.; as well as several nieces and nephews.

Samuel was preceded in death by his wife, Claudia; and several half brothers and sisters, including Maxine (Chet) White-Howard.

Memorials may be made as gifts in Samuel s memory to Grundy Community Volunteer Hospice, 518 W. Illinois Ave., Morris, IL 60450 or We Care of Grundy County, 520 W. Illinois Ave., Morris, IL 60450.

Friends may sign the online guest book or send private condolences to the family by logging onto: www.ReevesFuneral.com

Keith Houchin

MAZON — Keith Houchin, 77, of Mazon passed away Thursday, April 22, 2010 at Morris Hospital and Healthcare Centers in Morris.

Funeral services will be today, Wednesday, at Osborne-Nelson Funeral Home, Seneca, with the Rev. Winn Alley officiating.

Visitation was from 4 until 8 p.m., Tuesday, with Masonic Services at 7 p.m. at the Funeral Home.

Burial will be in Oakwood Memorial Park, Ottawa, with military services.

Pallbearers will be Brian and Cory Wahl, Michael Unger, Jason, Daniel and Mathew Houchin.

Honorary pallbearers: Jerry Farber, Dick Esgar, Jerry Barla, George Oswald, Larry Ahearn, Don Ahearn, George Dennis and Paul Burkhardt.

Keith was born August 19, 1932 to Earl and Gladys Walker Houchin. He graduated from Seneca High School with the Class of 1950. He married Beverly Pearson Christmas Eve in 1954 at Trinity Lutheran Church, Ottawa.

He attended Illinois State University and graduated in 1954. He was involved with ROTC while at ISU, and served in the United States Marine Corps during the Korean War as a 2nd Lieutenant from 1952-1956, attaining the rank of Captain.

He started his teaching career in Waverly, Illinois. He taught most of his career at Mazon-Verona-Kinsman High School. He retired from his teaching career in 1993 at Seneca High School. He was an English teacher. During his years of teaching, he coached football, track, golf, basketball, baseball and served as Athletic Director.

Keith was a member of Mazon Masonic Lodge #826, Bloomington Consistory and Mazon American Legion. He also was an avid supporter of the Shriners Hospitals, a Grand Lecturer, and was District Deputy Grand Master for the State of Illinois. He enjoyed fishing, golfing, playing bridge, was a lifetime Cubs fan, and loved his grandchildren most.

Keith is survived by his wife, Beverly of Mazon; two daughters, Keri (Greg) Wahl of Streator, and Kelli (Mike) Unger of Coal City; three sons, Keith (Chris) of Minooka; Kirk (Cindy) of Mazon, and Kris (Patty) of Morris.

Also surviving are 13 grandchildren: Brian and Cory Wahl; Ali (Mark) Dunlap; Leslie, Natalie and Michael Unger; Jason Houchin; Kara (Matt) Mejia; and Daniel, Megan, Amanda and Mathew, and Steffanie Houchin; and one great-granddaughter, Samantha Dunlap; one sister, Marilyn (Steve) Wallace of Ottawa; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Gerald R. Houchin; and four grandchildren in infancy.

Memorials may be directed to the family to establish a scholarship in his name.

The online guestbook may be viewed and remembrances shared at www.ottawafuneralhome.com

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 11TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
LIVINGSTON COUNTY - PONTIAC, ILLINOIS

NATIONAL CITY MORTGAGE CO
PLAINTIFF
VS
DAVE PHILLIPS AKA DAVID PHILLIPS;
UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF DAVE PHILLIPS, IF ANY; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON RECORD CLAIMANTS ;
DEFENDANTS
09CH 00101

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LOTS 5 AND 6 IN BLOCK 6 IN CONTINUATION TO THE SOUTH ADDITION TO THE VILLAGE OF FLANAGAN, LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

TAX NO. 13-13-22-412-003 COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 304 SOUTH MAIN STREET FLANAGAN, IL 61740 Description of Improvements: 1 STORY SINGLE FAMILY HOUSE WITH DETACHED GARAGE The Judgment amount was \$62,385.23. Sale Terms: This is an "AS IS" sale for "CASH". The successful bidder must deposit 25% down by certified funds; balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. NO REFUNDS. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate, water bills, etc., and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to plaintiff. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the bid amount, the purchaser shall receive a Certificate of Sale, which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. The successful purchaser has the sole responsibility/expense of evicting any tenants or other individuals presently in possession of the subject premises. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For Information: Visit our website at http://service.atty-pierce.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only - Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn, Chicago, Illinois 60602. Tel. No. (312) 372-2060. Please refer to file #PA0925242 Plaintiff's attorney is not required to provide additional information other than that set forth in this notice of sale.

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AREA CHURCHES

First Congregational United Church of Christ
200 W. Delaware St., Dwight
Phone 584-1260, church
Pastor Patricia Morton
April Mission: *CUE Seminaries*
May Mission: *Blanket Sunday*
Apr. 28: 1:30 p.m., Heritage Manor Bingo.
May 2: 10:15 a.m., Worship w/Communion.
Coming up — May 12: 10:15 a.m., Mother/Daughter Banquet.

Emmanuel Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)
325 E. Mazon Ave., Dwight
584-3433, church
584-1291 fax
584-1023, parsonage
Rev. Daniel Ognoskie, Sr. Pastor
Rev. Jacob Ehrhard, Assoc. Pastor
Apr. 28-29: 8:30 a.m., Preschool.
Apr. 28: 5:45 p.m., Bells; 6:30 p.m., Choir.
May 1: 5 p.m., Worship/Communion.
May 2: 9 a.m., Bible Study/Sunday School; 10 a.m., Fellowship/Coffee; 10:30 a.m., Worship with Communion; New confirmands First Communion and reception.
May 3-6: 8:30 a.m., Preschool.
May 4: 5-7 p.m., Preschool Open House.

St. Peter s Lutheran Church
326 W. Chippewa, Dwight
Pastor Heidi Punt
www.stpeterselca.com
584-1199
Apr. 28: 8-9 a.m., Exercise; 10 a.m., HC at Heritage Manor; 5-6:30 p.m., Confirmation; 6 p.m., Choir, WELCA Mother/Daughter Banquet hosted by Anna Circle; 6-7:30 p.m., Confirmation.
Apr. 29: Pastor-Confirmation Retreat in Springfield.
Apr. 30: 8-9 a.m., Exercise; 8 a.m., Mail Epistle; 9:30 a.m., Arbor Day Celebration at Heritage Woods; 8 p.m., AA Meeting.
May 1: Personnel Committee Meeting.
May 2: 8:15 a.m., Worship; 9:15 a.m., Sunday School; 10:30 a.m., Worship with Holy Communion; 11:30 a.m., Sunday School Staff Meeting; 1 p.m., New Member Class.

Dwight United Methodist Church
701 S. Columbia, Dwight
584-3420, church
584-3425, fax
584-1554, parsonage
Pastor: Rev. William Leppin
Apr. 28: 3-4:30 p.m., Children s Choir, Jr. UMYF; 4:45 p.m., Confirmation; 5:30-8:30 p.m., Sr. UMYF; 6 p.m., Trustees; 7 p.m., Bible Warriors; 8:30-9:30 p.m., UMYF Bible Study.
Apr. 29: 7 p.m., Sanctuary Choir.

May 2: 7:15-8:15 a.m., Set Up for UMYF Coffee Shop; 7:45 a.m., Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal; 8 a.m., Traditional Worship Service with Holy Communion; 8:30-10:30 a.m., UMYF Coffee Shop.
May 2: 9:15 a.m., Sunday School, Praise and Worship Team Rehearsal; 10:30 a.m., Praise and Worship Service with Holy Communion; 5:30 p.m., Prayer Group.
May 4: 8:30 a.m., Bible Study, Karla B.; 9 a.m., Bible Study, Jean V.; 5:30-7 p.m., First Place 4 Health.
May 5: 3-4:30 p.m., Children s Choir, Jr. UMYF; 4:45 p.m., Confirmation; 5:30-8:30 p.m., Sr. UMYF; 7 p.m., Bible Warriors; 8:30-9:30 p.m., UMYF Bible Study.

St. Patrick Catholic Church
Mazon and Prairie Avenues, Dwight
Rev. James Rickey, Pastor
584-3522, Rectory
May 1: 4-4:45 p.m., Reconciliation; 5 p.m., Mass.
May 2: 8 a.m., Mass; 10:30 a.m., Mass.

First Baptist Church
401 N. Clinton St., Dwight
815-584-3182
Rev. Daniel Woodward
May 2: 9:45 a.m., Sunday School; 10:45 a.m., Sunday Morning Service; 6 p.m., Sunday Evening Service.
May 5: 7 p.m., Wednesday Evening Service and King s Kids Children s Program.

The Church of Hope Presbyterian Church (USA)
Monroe & Jefferson
P.O. Box 248
Gardner
815-237-8312
Janet Chandler, Pastor
Apr. 28: 8:30 a.m., Pastor s Lectionary Group Meeting.
April 28: 4 p.m., Choir Practice.
May 2: 9 a.m., Sunday School and Confirmation Class; 10:15 a.m., Worship Service; noon-4 p.m., Church of Hope Rock-A-Thon.
May 5: 8:30 a.m., Pastor s Lectionary Group Meeting; 4 p.m., Choir practice.

Braceville United Methodist Church
PO Box 46,
106 W. Goold St., Braceville
815-237-8512
Pastor Andrea Boggs
Apr. 28: 3-4:30 p.m., JAM (K-4th grades) and EDGE (5th-6th grades) after school programs; 6-8 p.m., STATIC Youth (7th-12th grades).
Apr. 29: 9-10 a.m., Exercise.
Apr. 30: 8 p.m., Alcoholics Anonymous meeting.
May 2: 8:15 and 10 a.m., Sunday Worship Services.
May 4: 9-10 a.m., Exercise.
May 5: 3-4:30 p.m., JAM (K-4th grades) and EDGE (5th-6th grades) after school programs; 6-8 p.m., STATIC Youth (7th-12th grades).
May 6: 9-10 a.m., Exercise.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation,)
Plaintiff,)
vs.) No. 09-CH-50
)
JEFF STIELOW AND DENISE STIELOW,)
City of Pontiac, a Municipal Corp., and)
unknown owners and non-record claimants,)
Defendants.)

NOTICE OF JUDICIAL SALE

Public notice is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered by the court in the above entitled cause the property hereinafter described, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said judgment, will be sold to the highest bidder.

A. The name, address and telephone number of the person to contact for information regarding the real estate is: Donald R. McClarey, Attorney at Law, Strufe & McClarey, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009; (815) 584-1525.

B. The common address of the real estate is 701 E. Madison, Pontiac, IL 61764.

C. The legal description of the real estate is:
Lot 7 and all that part of Lots 8 and 9 lying West of the right of way of the Wabash Railroad, all in Block 8 in Buck s Second Addition to Pontiac, Livingston County, Illinois, together with all that part of the alley running East and West through Block 8 in Buck s Second Addition to Pontiac, heretofore vacated and lying West of the right of way of the Wabash Railroad.
PIN: 15-23-302-002

D. A description of the improvements on the real estate is: 2 story four-family conversion property with full basement.

E. The real estate may not be inspected prior to the sale.

F. The date, time and place of the sale are: May 25, 2010 at 10:00 A.M., first floor of the Livingston County Courthouse, 112 W. Madison St., Pontiac, IL 61764.

G. The terms of the sale are: 50% paid at sale and balance paid within 48 hours of sale, all in cash or certified funds. No refunds.

H. Title will be conveyed subject to all general real estate taxes which are a lien upon the real estate, but have not yet become due and payable, special assessments, if any, and easements and restrictions apparent and of record.

DONALD R. McCLAREY, Attorney for Plaintiff, BANK OF PONTIAC





GSW PANTHERS BASEBALL

April 17
Panthers vs. CPCI
Varsity-

The GSW Panthers varsity baseball team fell to CPCI, 8-6, in doubleheader play.

Dane Sorensen, 1-3, took the loss with 7IP, 6H, 8R, 0ER, 3BB, 8K.

Top hitters for GSW: Tyler Posing, 2-4, 1R, 2B; Mark Opyd, 2-4; Brandon Riggi, 1-3, RBI, 2B.

Hard to win when you hand the other team eight unearned runs! Dane pitched an excellent game, but five errors killed us, stated Coach Jon Posing.

In game two, the Panthers were defeated by CPCI, 11-4.

Joey Wren, 0-3, took the loss with 4¹/₂IP, 1H, 2R, 2ER, 4BB, 3K; relief: Shane Harty, 2¹/₂IP, 3H, 4R, 3ER, 3BB, 3K; Matt Grimler, 0IP,

3H, 3R, 3ER; Posing, 2³/₄IP, 3H, 2R, 1ER, 1BB, 1K. Hitting for GSW: Opyd, 2-3, 2R, RBI, 2B; Wren, 1-2; Mike Ruffatti, 1-1, 1R, RBI, 2B; Posing, 1-4, 1R, RBI.

April 19
Panthers vs. Donovan
Varsity-

The Panthers varsity defeated Donovan, 3-0.

Ben Crater, 1-1, picked up the win with 7IP, 2H, 0R, 0ER, 0BB, 16K.

Key hitters for the Panthers were: Brandon Riggi, 1-2, 2RBI; Matt Grimler, 2-3, SB; Crater, 1-2, 1R.

This was a well-pitched game for both teams. Ben threw a terrific game; he hit his spots all night, commented Coach Posing.

April 20
Panthers vs. Grace Baptist
Varsity-

The GSW varsity boys baseball team defeated Grace Baptist, 19-0.

Shane Harty picked up the win with 5IP, 0H, 0R, 0ER, 1BB, 11K.

Hitting for the Panthers were: Harty, 4-4, 3R, 5RBI, 2B, 3B; Matt Grimler, 2-3, 2R, 4RBI, HR; Chris Irvin, 3-5, 1R, 2RBI, HR; Brandon Riggi, 2-4, 3R, RBI, 2B.

Shane pitched an excellent game. A no-hitter is never an easy accomplishment, stated Coach Posing.

April 21
Panthers
vs. Illinois Lutheran

The Panthers defeated Illinois Lutheran, 3-2, in an eight-inning battle.

Chris Irvin, 4-1, picked up the win with 8IP, 8H, 2R, 2ER, 3BB, 13K.

Key hitters for GSW: Hector Ruiz, 2-3; Mark Opyd, 1-4, 3RBI.

What an unbelievable game! We continued to battle and never gave up. Their pitcher was terrific as was mine! Irvin threw his tail-end off. I couldn't have asked for anything more from him. He has been a horse for us, stated Coach Posing.



DIVISION COMMISSIONERS for 2010 Dwight Youth Baseball were recently elected. They are, left to right, seated: Jeff Nutting, Bronco, and Mike Calandro, Pinto; standing: Chris Mortensen, Pony; Scott Schultz, Mustang, and Jared Anderson, T-ball.



2010 DWIGHT YOUTH BASEBALL recently elected officers are, left to right, seated: Mike Calandro, vice president; Mary Schultz, secretary; and Brian Walkup, officer at-large; back row: Rob Pulver, president; and Bill Wilkey, treasurer.

Lady Redbird/
Trojan Basketball Camp
June 7-9, 2010 ¥DTHS-Kresl Gymnasium
For girls entering 4th-12th grade

The Dwight Lady Redbird/Trojan girls basketball camp stresses individual instruction and development with an emphasis on fundamentals. Instruction on passing, catching, ball handling, shooting, rebounding and defense along with training and practice skills will be provided.

COST \$40.00

Camp Hours: 8:30-10 a.m. (4-6th grades)
10:30 a.m.- noon (7 and 8th grades)
1-2:30 p.m. (9-12th grades)

ALL CAMPERS will receive: one Lady Redbird/Trojan Basketball Camp T-shirt and one basketball. For more information contact: Coach Jeff Froelich, 815-584-6207; Coach Dan Kaiser, 815-584-6225; Coach Chuck Butterbrodt, 815-584-6229

To Register, complete this application with cash or check made payable to: Dwight High School Girls Basketball

Camp fees are non-refundable.

Exception: Medical w/doctor's note.

Lady Redbird/Trojan Basketball Camp - June 7-9, 2010
Application must be returned by Friday, May 7, to ensure T-shirt!

Name _____
Address _____
Phone _____
Entering Grade _____ Birth Date _____

Shirt Size: (circle one) YS YM YL AS AM AL AXL

Disclaimer: I hereby authorize the staff of Lady Redbird/Trojan Basketball Camp to act for me according to their best judgment in any emergency requiring medical attention and hereby waive and release the Camp from any and all liability for any injuries or illnesses incurred while at Camp. I have no knowledge of any physical impairment that would affect the camper's participation, named to the above, in the camp program.

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____ Date _____



TRI-POINT LADY CHARGERS SOFTBALL

April 17
Tri-Point Invitational

The Lady Chargers hosted a four-school invitational April 17.

Game results were: Seneca, 3 vs. Tri-Point, 1; Hart-Em, 2 vs. Moweaqua A&M, 1; Seneca, 8 vs. Moweaqua A&M, 7; Hart-Em, 9 vs. Tri-Point, 7; Seneca, 2 vs. Hart-Em, 1; Tri-Point, 5 vs. Moweaqua A&M, 4.

Team records: Seneca, 14-5; Hart-Em, 8-9; Tri-Point, 9-8; Moweaqua A&M, 3-10.

April 19
Lady Chargers
vs. Grace Baptist

The Lady Chargers defeated Grace Baptist, 16-0.

Kaitlyn Krause, 3-2, picked up the win with 5IP, 1H, 10K.

April 20
Lady Chargers
vs. Clifton Central

The Lady Chargers softball team fell to Clifton Central, 2-1, dropping its record to 10-9 overall.

Hope Webster, 7-7, picked up the win.

April 22
Lady Chargers
vs. Clifton Central

The Lady Chargers were defeated by Clifton Central, 6-4.

Hope Webster, 7-8, took the loss with 6IP, 4H, 11K.

Top hitter for Tri-Point was: Kaitlyn Krause, 2-3, 3B, 1B, 2RBI.



GSW LIONS TRACK & FIELD

April 19

The GSW Lions track and field team faced Dwight April 19.

Seventh grade girls individual results: 1600m, Kylie King, 6:32, first; 200m, Garrett, :32.58, third; King, :33.84, fourth; hurdles, Garrett, :20.12, second; Marlana Ferrari, :22.50, fifth; discus, Garrett, 51' 7", fourth; 800m, Kira Gleason, 3:23, third; 100m, Dana Wright, :16.46, fourth; long jump, Mady Patten, 10' 5¹/₂", fifth; 4x200m, Garrett, King, Patten and Wright, 2:23, third.

Eighth grade girls individual results: 1600m, ReAnn Scoggin, 6:26, first; 800m, Scoggin, 2:59, first; Allison Scudieri, 3:08, second; long jump, Scoggin, 12' 2", third; hurdles, Caryl Bernardy, :28.12, fourth; discus, Bernardy, 33' 2¹/₂", fourth; 4x200m, Scoggin, Scudieri, Kira Gleason and Marlana Ferrari, 2:18, third.

Seventh grade boys individual results: hurdles, Jack Davidson, :16.49, first; Michael Mankowski, :22.49, fifth; 400m, Davidson, 1:00.65, first; Alex Bunna, 1:24, fifth; shot, Davidson, 27' 3¹/₂", fourth; 800m, Seth Patterson, 2:58, first; Scott Horrie, 3:00, second; 100m, Patterson, :15.35, fifth; hurdles, Mankowski, :22.49, fifth; 4x200m, Davidson, Horrie, Mankowski and Patterson, 2:16, third.

Eighth grade boys individual results: 800m, Nathan Ruffatti, 2:32, first; hurdles, Mike Wise, :29.62, third.

April 21

The Lions track and field participated in the IVC meet.

Seventh grade girls individual results: 400m, Marlana Ferrari, 1:14, sixth; discus, Kayla Garrett, 59' 10¹/₂", second.

Eighth grade girls individual results: 400m, Mia Zazworsky, 1:09, seventh; 1600m, ReAnn Scoggin, 6:33, eighth; 4x200m, Zazworsky, Marlana Ferrari, Scoggin and Allison Scudieri, 2:14, eighth.

Seventh grade boys results: 400m, Jack Davidson, :58.09, second; hurdles, Davidson, :19.15, third; shot, Davidson, 29' 5¹/₂", sixth; high jump, Michael Mankowski, 4' 2", eighth; 4x200m, Davidson, Scott Horrie, Seth Patterson and Mankowski, 2:08, eighth.

Eighth grade boys individual result: 800m, Nathan Ruffatti, 2:36, eighth.

Bowling at
Victory Lanes,
Dwight

Howard's League

HSG, 255, Doug Gassman; HSG, 200, Sheila Woodcock; HTG, 784, Gassman's

League Standings	W	L
2 PLUS 2 (A&S)	43	21
JT's Saloon	42 ¹ / ₂	21 ¹ / ₂
Gassman's	39	25
Perkins Wood/Glass	34	30
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Sportsman's League

Final Standings

High average, Jim Petry, 213; most improved bowler, Chris Coyne, 27.38 pins.

Final Standings	
J.F. Recycling	1
Victory Lanes	2
DeLong Ford	3
Jensen's BP	4
Willy's Pub	5
K & D Detailing	6
Dwight Trucking	7
McArdle Grain	8
Starr Trucking	9
Smoke Wrench	10

Commercial League

HG, 289, Doug Gassman; HS, 764, Doug Gassman; HTG, 1033, Meier Bros.; HTS, 2999, Meier Bros.

League Standings	W	L
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Meier Bros.	40	20
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THE DWIGHT SPARTANS captured the spring warm-up round robin in Dwight with a perfect 4-0 tournament record, April 16-18. Pictured team members, front row, left to right, are: Mike Doran, Blake Graham, Hunter Simon, Austin Kavanaugh, Gerritt Frazier, Nick Schultz; middle row: Noah Nutting, Andrew German, DJ Branz, Braden Marks, Tyler DeMoraes, Collin Schroeder, Wesley Pulver; back row: Coaches Mike Graham, Tom Simon, Scott Schultz, Rob Pulver and Jeff Nutting.



DWIGHT SPARTANS BASEBALL

April 16-18 Spartan Spring Warm-up Round Robin

The Dwight Spartan 11-and-under baseball team held a round-robin tournament with Prairie Central, Monticello, Mokena and Bloomington.

The Spartans defeated Prairie Central, 6-4, in game one. Hunter Simon picked up the win; relief, Tyler DeMoraes got the save.

Hitting for the Spartans were: Blake Graham and Noah Nutting, 2-1B each; Simon, Collin Schoreder, Andrew German and Mike Doran, 1B each; DeMoraes, 1B, 2B.

In game two, the Spartans claimed a 9-4 win over Mokena. Graham and Gerritt Frazier combined for a four-hitter on the mound.

Offense for Dwight: Wesley Pulver, 3B, 2B, 1B;

Simon and Schroeder, 2B, 1B each; Graham, 2B; Braden Marks, 2-1B; Nutting, 1B.

The Spartans clinched an 11-8 victory over Bloomington's Twin City Titans after a 6-0 struggle. Schroeder picked up the win; relief, Simon got the save.

Swinging for Dwight: DeMoraes, HR; Simon and Marks, 2-1B each; Schroeder, Andrew German, DJ Branz, Frazier and Nick Schultz, 1B

each.

After a 10-7 deficit in the bottom of the sixth, the Dwight Spartans rallied to an 11-10 victory over Monticello. Austin Kavanaugh, Marks and DeMoraes shared pitching duties on the mound.

Offense for Dwight: Marks, Schultz, 2-1B each; Kavanaugh, 2B; DeMoraes, Frazier, Pulver and Nutting, 1B each; Simon, 2-2B.

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DGS REDBIRDS TRACK & FIELD

April 19
The Redbirds hosted Gardner, Morris Shabbona and MVK April 19. Seventh grade girls tracksters took second place with 51.5 points to Morris 69.5. Individual results were: 110H, Harley Ledwa, :20.85, third; 100m, Lexi Hauert, :15.30, third; Kapri Krople, :16.78, fifth; 1600m, Libby Beyer, 6:44.62, third; Anna Richardson, 6:56.93, fourth; 4x200, Rachel Gschwendtner, Krople, Molly Rodosky and Hauert, 2:18.81, first; 4x100m, Payton Christensen, Gschwendtner, Lili Ferrari and Katie Hogan, 1:07.34, second; 400m, Hauert, 1:18.02, third; Beyer, 1:19.87,

fifth; 200m, Gschwendtner, :35.30, sixth; 800m, Ledwa, 3:07.27, first; Christensen, 3:39.05, sixth; 4x400m, Rodosky, Krople, Hogan and Hauert, 5:38.96, first; shot, Miranda Paige, 17 5 2 , fourth; discus, Ledwa, 64 2 , first; Paige, 46 7 , fifth; high jump, Krople, 3 8 , third; long jump, Richardson, 11 1 , fourth.

The eighth grade girls finished first with 77 points. Individual results: 110H, Emily Soto, :21.87, second; Amber Curl, :22.37, third; 100m, Jessica Butterfield, :15.55, fifth; Amanda Richardson, :16.14, sixth; 1600m, Madeleine Gartke, 7:27.23, second; Kitrina Hayner, 8:11.85, third; 4x200m, Butterfield, Soto, Summer Schuler and Savannah Schuler, 2:11.43, second; 4x100, Butterfield, Richardson, Kaitlyn Ludvigsen and Ledwa, 1:09.27, second; 400m, Richardson, 1:16.80, first; Soto, 1:21.18, fifth; 200m, Sa. Schuler, :30.30, second; Su. Schuler, :32.17, third; 800m, Curl, 3:13.08, third; Jackie Mitchell, 3:59.55, fifth; 4x400m, Soto, Curl, Sa. Schuler and Su. Schuler, 5:31.78, first; shot, Amanda Boys, 23 7 , first; Cheyenne Fontaine, 21 8 , second; discus, Boys, 55 6 , first; Fontaine, 52 2 1/2 , second; high jump, Sa. Schuler, 3 10 , third; Soto, 3 6 , fourth; long jump, Sa. Schuler, 12 4 , second; Butterfield, 11 3 , fifth.

The seventh grade boys finished first in the meet with 65 points. Individual results: 110H, Peck, fourth; 100m, Beyer, :12.84, second; Jensen, :14.68, fourth; 1600m, Carter, 5:41.80, first; Harris, 6:22.02, sixth; 4x200m, 1:59.40, first; 4x100m, :59.51, third; 400m, Peck, 1:06.18, second; Irvin, 1:07.18, sixth; 200m, Beyer, :29.46, third; Jensen, :29.98, fourth; 800m, Connolly, 3:02.08, third; Rosales, 3:23.37, fourth; 4x400m, 4:46.77, first; shot, Dahlstrom, 40 2 1/2 , first;

Gaston, 25 6 1/2 , fifth; discus, Dahlstrom, 97 6 , second; Gaston, 89 7 , third; long jump, Irvin, 14 0 , second; Beier, 13 4 1/2 , fourth; high jump, Kennedy, 4 0 , third; Connolly, 3 10 , fifth.

Eighth grade boys claimed first with 66 points. Results: 110H, Morris, :16.80, first; 100m, Kopmann, :13.58, fourth; Harvey, :13.74, fifth; 1600m, Connolly, 6:46.99, second; 4x200m, 1:48.30, first; 4x100m, 1:05.58, third; 400m, Schlabowske, :59.87, first; Morris, 1:03.78, second; 200m, Kopmann, :27.86, third; Harvey, :28.62, fourth; 800m, Harris, 2:59.71, third; 4x400m, 4:39.24, first; shot, Rieke, 43 1 , first; Harris, 26 10 , sixth; discus, Kopmann, 111 2 , first; Rieke, 98 9 1/2 , fourth; high jump, Kopmann, 4 6 , third; long jump, Morris, 15 7 1/2 , third.

April 21

The Redbird track and field team competed in the 13-team Illinois Valley Conference meet in Braidwood.

The seventh grade girls took 10th place. Individual results: discus, Harley Ledwa, 58 9 , third; 4x400m, Shanna Carman, Katie Hogan, Lexi Hauert and Kapri Krople, 5:21.57, seventh; 4x200m, Carman, Krople, Molly Rodosky and Hauert, 2:17.53, sixth.

Eighth grade Lady Redbird tracksters finished 10th. Individual results: 400m Savannah Schuler, 1:08.91, fifth; 4x200m, Hannah Trainor, Summer Schuler, Sa. Schuler and Emily Soto, 2:07.11, fifth; 4x400m, Amanda Richardson, Amber Curl, Sa. Schuler and Su. Schuler, 5:04.24, sixth.

Catch the Redbird tracksters Friday, April 30, for Salems Relays at the DTHS track; meet starts at 4 p.m. For previous track results check *The Paper's* website after April 30, www.the-paper1901.com



Rhiannon Johnson, Sydney Klingler and Brittany Soto

GSW HS Student Spotlight

Gardner South Wilington High School's Student Spotlight this week comes from Mrs. Wheeler, who nominated Rhiannon Johnson, Sydney Klingler and Brittany Soto.

Mrs. Wheeler said, These young ladies recently participated in the statewide initiative Project Sticker Shock sponsored by the Illinois Liquor Control Commission as a project for SADA (Students Against Drugs and Alcohol). These girls took time out of their spring break for this activity. The idea is to pass out mate-

rials and place stickers on packaged liquor to discourage legal-aged consumers from giving alcohol to minors. The girls posted materials at participating businesses in Grundy County which included a flier on the entrance that said,

Providing alcohol to minors is illegal, unhealthy and unacceptable. Then they placed stickers directly on packaged liquor warning that felony charges are possible and encouraged consumers not to provide liquor to people under age 21.



DTHS BOOKMARK DESIGN contest winners (front row, left to right) Kate Muller, Jasmine Lemke and Stephanie Fisher show off their page-retaining masterpieces as they are congratulated by art teacher Mark Fiske and media specialist Becky Trewartha (back row).

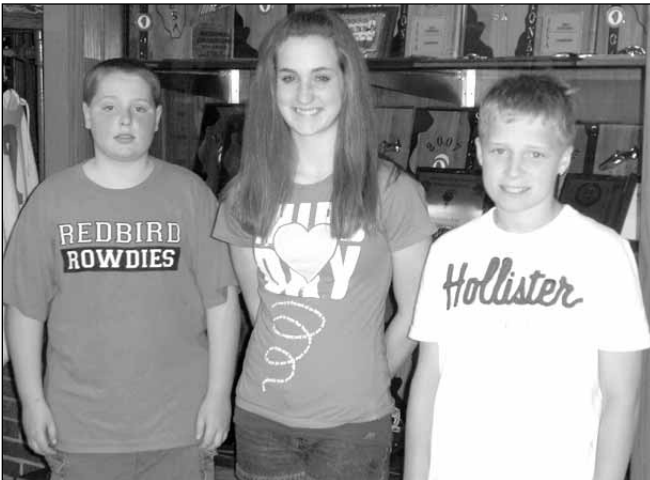
DTHS Celebrates Library Week with Bookmark Design Contest

In celebration of National Library Week, April 11-17, the Dwight Township High School Library Club and art department co-sponsored a bookmark design contest.

Students and staff were invited to create a bookmark depicting the theme, The Library at the Roots of Its Community. All Art 3 and Art 4 students were required to submit an entry as an assignment in that class. All designs were to be in colored pencil.

Entries were judged by art teacher Mr. Fiske, who chose the top three designs: first prize, \$20, Jasmine Lemke; second prize, \$10, Kate Muller; and third prize, \$5, Stephanie Fisher. The cash prizes were provided by the Library Club.

Copies of all three prize-winning designs are available at the circulation desk in the high school library.



THREE DWIGHT GRADE SCHOOL students participated in the IVC Spelling Bee in Elwood on Tuesday, April 13. Joey Mosier (sixth grade), Amanda Richardson (eighth grade) and Drew Jensen (seventh grade) proudly represented Dwight Grade School by taking home a third-place award at their grade levels. The students did a fantastic job with some very difficult words.

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THE DWIGHT-ODELL TITANS placed second in a round-robin held April 17-19 in Odell. Team members are, front row, l to r: Ryan Gaston, Sam Riefsteck, Seth Galloway, Drew Jensen, Joe Galeaz, Chance Carlson and Devin Connolly. Back row, l to r, Caleb Boma, Jace Kennedy, Wade Pritchard, Colton Fieldman, Owen Pulver and Chris Peck.



DWIGHT-ODELL TITANS BASEBALL

April 16-18

The Dwight-Odell Titans 13-and-under traveling baseball team held a five-team round robin, April 16-18, in Odell. Teams in the tournament were: Lockport, Homer, Lincolnway, Mokena, and The Titans. Home games are played in Odell.

In game one vs. Lincolnway - The Titans were defeated 6-4, behind six errors and seven walked batters. The Titans had eight hits with Drew Jensen and Colton Fieldman two each. Others with hits were Joe Galeaz(Dbl), Owen Pulver, Chance Carlson, and Wade Pritchard.

In game two, the Titans pulled out a 7-5 victory over Lockport in eight innings after Lockport tied the game in the 7th, 5-5, to send the game into extras.

Devin Connolly went seven strong innings with 5R, 10H, 4BB; Drew Jensen relieved in the 8th to pick up the victory.

The Titans turned three double plays and Owen Pulver threw out two runners at first bases from right field. The Titans collected 11 hits and three bases on balls. Collecting two hits each for the Titans were: Colton Fieldman two (Dbls), Jace Kennedy, and Pritchard. With one hit each were: Jensen, Carlson, Galeaz, and Chris Peck.

In game three - The Titans held on for a 10-9 win against Mokena, after Mokena made a great comeback in the last two innings. Caleb Boma started on the mound pitching two innings and allowing one run. Peck

threw three innings, allowing eight runs. The Titans scattered six hits along with five walks and five errors. Hitters for the titans were: Pulver, Kennedy, Jensen, Carlson, and Ryan Gaston. Connolly, Peck and Sam Riefsteck scored two runs each.

In game four - The Titans beat Homer 6-3 in their final game of the tournament. Galeaz continued on the mound for four and two-thirds innings. He allowed two runs on six hits and two bases on balls. Gaston pitched the last two and a third innings allowing one run, one hit, and two bases on balls. The Titans pounded out 10 hits led by Pritchard with three, including a double, and Kennedy with two. Others collecting hits were: Jensen, Gaston, Galeaz, Carlson and Peck.

The Titans tied Lockport with a 3-1 record. Since Lockport held the tiebreaker with more total runs scored, they were declared champions.

This is a very good start for the Titans, commented coach Lane Galloway.

We've been telling them all winter, they were ready to take the next step and

become a really good team. Playing and beating these northern area teams is a great confidence builder for us. Starting the season 3-1 shows how hard the boys have worked all winter. They just have to believe they are good enough to play with the better teams.

The Titans will play nearly 45 games this year with double headers and six tournaments. Everyone is invited to come watch the Titans home games in Odell.

The Titans are coached by Lane Galloway, Kent Jensen, Alan Crossfield, Don Kennedy, and Rob Pulver. You can follow the Titans at dwrightodelltitans.com



Dwight - Odell Titan Drew Jensen

Livingston County Health Dept. Announces Wellness Clinics

The Livingston County Health Department has appointments available for wellness clinics, which will be conducted at the health department on Wednesdays, May 5 and 19 and June 16. The wellness clinic is open to all adults in Livingston County.

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2010 TITAN SCHEDULE

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Bank of Dwight, Odell Bank Directors and Officers Elected

Pontiac Bancorp, Inc., parent company of Bank of Pontiac and Bank of Dwight, experienced another excellent year in 2009, as reported by William Kauffman, President & CEO, at the 28th annual meeting of stockholders. The meeting was held at the Pontiac Elks Country Club on Monday, April 19, with approximately 200 stockholders and guests in attendance. Pastor Brian Bill of the Pontiac Bible Church gave the invocation. Entertainment was Route 66 Revue provided by a few Vermillion Players.

During his address, Kauffman reported to stockholders that earnings for the year were \$3,490,760 or \$16.80 per share.

Assets increased by nearly \$13 million to \$354,713,773 and the equity or net worth of your banks grew to \$54,588,070, or over 15 percent of total assets, said Kauffman.

Kauffman announced the promotions of four Bank of Pontiac employees. Amy Brummel was promoted to vice president, lending; Jim Rebholz to vice president and manager of Odell Bank; Jeanne Gernentz to senior vice president, chief financial officer; and Robert Weiner to senior vice president, chief operating officer.

At a re-organizational meeting held after the meeting of stockholders, the election and re-election of directors and officers took place. Directors re-elected to the Pontiac Bancorp and Bank of Pontiac boards were: Wayne Taylor, chairman of the board; Jonathan Dewald, David Harding, Dr. Robert Heins, William Kauffman, Collins Miller, Myron Otto,



BANK OF PONTIAC has announced the promotion of four officers: (from left) Robert Weiner, senior vice president, chief operating officer; Amy Brummel, vice president, lending; Jeanne Gernentz, senior vice president, chief financial officer; and Jim Rebholz, vice president and manager of Odell Bank.

and Douglas Swartz; and Ronald Fellheimer, advisory director.

Pontiac Bancorp officers re-elected or newly elected were: Wayne Taylor, chairman and CEO; William Kauffman, president; John Marshall, secretary; and Michelle Schultz, treasurer.

Officers re-elected or newly elected for Bank of Pontiac were: Wayne Taylor, chairman; William Kauffman, president and CEO; John Marshall, senior vice president, chief lending officer and trust officer; Robert Weiner, senior vice president, chief operating officer; Jeanne Gernentz, senior vice president, chief financial officer; Kathy Francis, vice president and cashier; Michelle Schultz, vice president of operations and assistant cashier; Jim Rebholz, vice president and manager of Odell Bank; Troy Harms, vice president of real estate lending; Doug Durham, vice president of risk management analyst and compliance; Chris Clement, vice president of ag services and assistant trust officer; Mark

Donovan, vice president of installment lending; Amy Brummel, vice president of lending; Paul Miller, senior trust officer; Norma Weaver, trust officer; Sharon Wall, assistant cashier; Paula Cleary, assistant cashier; Andrew Weber, assistant vice president of lending; Ann Scholtes, assistant vice president of marketing; John Bowman, assistant vice president of information technology.

Directors re-elected for the Odell Bank were: Wayne Taylor, Thomas Doran, Ronald Fellheimer, Jeanne Gernentz, David Harding and William Kauffman.

Directors re-elected for Bank of Dwight were: Wayne Taylor, William Kauffman, Robert McNamara, Daniel Mehochko and Douglas Neville; and Advisory Director Ronald Fellheimer.

Officers re-elected for Bank of Dwight were: Robert McNamara, president; Paula Benjelloun, vice president and cashier; Joel Patten, vice president; and Diane Jensen, vice president.



MEMEBERS OF GARDNER SOUTH WILMINGTON High School s Students Against Drugs and Alcohol organization met with State Rep. Careen Gordon recently to discuss prevention programs in schools. Pictured left to right are students Rhiannon Johnson and Carley Shiner, State Rep. Careen Gordon, student Megan Chambers and advisor Tiffany Berger.

GSW Students Visit Springfield to Combat Drugs and Alcohol

Youth from across the state flooded Springfield on Tuesday and Wednesday, April 13 and 14, to take part in Dome Shift, an advocacy day sponsored by the Illinois Drug Education Alliance and Illinois Students Against Destructive Decisions.

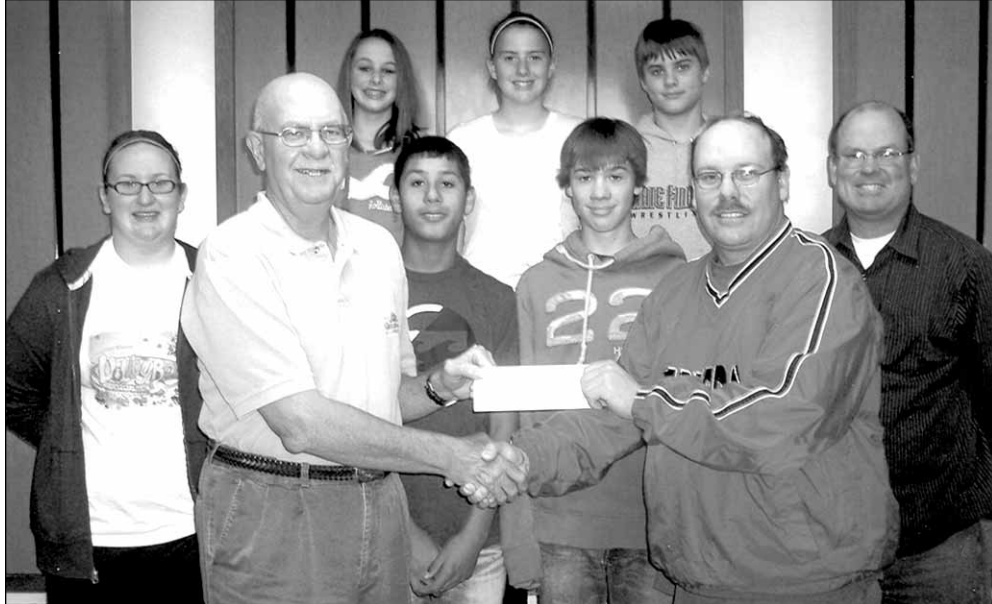
Among those in attendance were Mrs. Tiffany Berger, Megan Chambers, Rhiannon Johnson and

Carley Shiner of the Students Against Drugs and Alcohol organization at Gardner South Wilmington High School.

Dome Shift gave students the opportunity to receive training in advocacy and meet with their senators and representatives to share a little about what the prevention work they have been involved in has meant to

them. The students asked their congressmen to sign a letter urging Governor Quinn to support prevention efforts in the state.

The GSW students met with State Rep. Careen Gordon for about 40 minutes, asking her various questions on drug and alcohol issues within schools.



MASONIC LODGE #371 presented a \$1,294.80 check to the Dwight Grade School G.R.E.A.T. program April 23. The Masons sponsored a field trip that day for Dwight seventh-graders who successfully completed the Gang Resistance Education And Training program. Students were treated to a movie at the Morris cinema and lunch at the Dwight Dairy Queen. Pictured left to right are, front row: Shelby Anderson; Masonic Lodge #371 member Jerry Curtis; Austin Gutierrez; Collin Irvin; Dwight Schools Resource Officer Gary Beier; and Police Chief Tim Henson. Back row: Shannon Cain, Katie Hogan and Brandon Allen.

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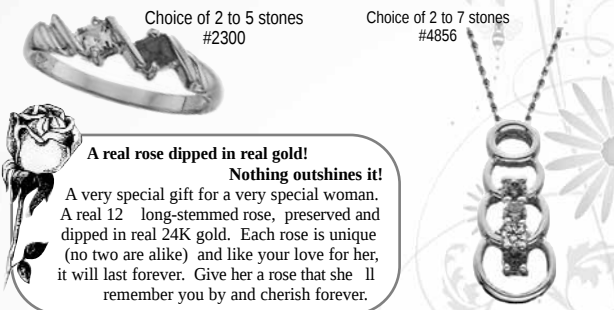
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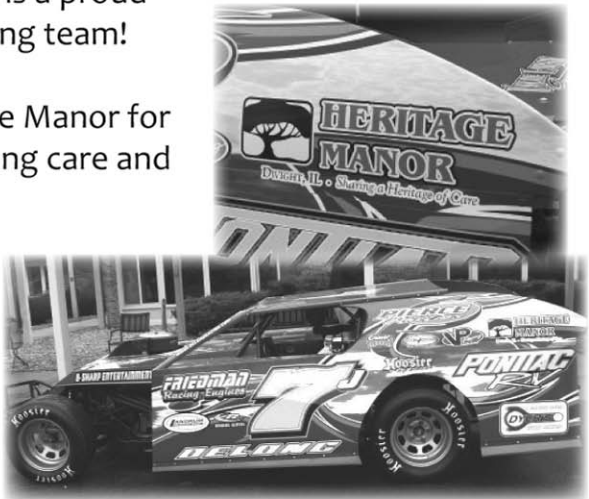
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Saunemin Legion Auxiliary Announces New Officers

The April 8 meeting of the Saunemin American Legion was called to order by Carol Cantrall, who led members in the opening ceremonies. Roll call was taken and there were nine members present. The minutes were approved as read. Treasurer Helen Brown gave the treasurer's report, which was filed for audit.

Debbie McKinney reported on the recent county meeting held at Cullom. The program highlighted the Freedom Flights made by World War II veterans to Washington, D.C. so they can view the WWII memorial and other historical sites. When these flights return home, the veterans have a mail call, and cards and letters are needed so each veteran receives some mail. Members decided to prepare some of these cards at the next meeting. The next county meeting will be Monday, May 31, in Fairbury.

Members began working on the annual reports. They will be completed shortly and mailed as soon as possible.

Helen McDowell reported that the group does not have a candidate for Girls State yet.

The Special Olympics

will be held June 11-12. Members voted to send another donation for the hospitality tent.

The auxiliary's next meeting, on Thursday, May 6, will be the annual potluck. Members are to bring a covered dish, their own table service and a white elephant gift for bingo. They are also to contact other auxiliary members to remind them of the event.

The group will observe Poppy Day on Saturday, May 29, with a coffee hour at 9 a.m. at the community building. Members will canvass the town with poppies for donations. Carol Cantrall and Helen Brown will supply coffee cakes for the coffee hour.

Plans for Memorial Day were discussed and will be reviewed at the May meeting.

The slate of new officers was announced as follows: President Debbie McKinney; Vice President Carol Cantrall; Treasurer Helen Brown; Secretary Maria Seibert.

Tray favors were made and a coin collection taken. Lunch was provided by Robin Holzhauser and Terry Lighty.



MARGE LUCHT, right, art teacher at Tri-Point Upper Elementary and Junior High School, recognized Arbor Day School Poster Contest winners recently. They are, front left: First place, Pavlee Singh; second place, Chelsey Weller; third place, Isaac Middleton; and fourth place, Shelby Cranford. Singh's poster will go to national competition. These fifth grade students are in the classes taught by Diane Zimmerman and Linda Avery.

Odell Tip Top Holds April 4-H Meeting

by Abby Snyder

Our April meeting was held on April 25, 2010 at 4 p.m. We started our meeting by having Charlotte Somodi say the American pledge and Kyle Tucker say the 4-H pledge. Our secretary, Amy, talked about the things we did at our March meeting, Lily gave us the treasurers report.

New business was discussed about work days at the 4-H park. Work days are for all 4-H members in Livingston County to come out and help clean up the park and get it ready for the fair.

The leaders report was given by our leader, Bonnie Davis. She talked a little bit about the newsletter, and then she handed out books to the members who hadn't been at the previous meeting.

Talks and demonstrations were given by Erica, Andrea, and Leah Flynn, Brittany, and Matthew Hilleary, Emily

Leonard, and Shayna Bolen. Erica talked about her new dog that she will be showing at the fair for the first time this year; Andrea talked about her old dog and how she has to give it medicine for arthritis. Leah showed us her blanket that she made and how she made it for the fair last year.

Brittany talked about and showed us pictures that she took for photography last year of movement; Matthew demonstrated how to feed baby lambs; Emily showed us her rabbits, and talked about how they need to be a certain weight in order to be in a certain class for showing, and Shayna demonstrated how to tag rabbits for showing.

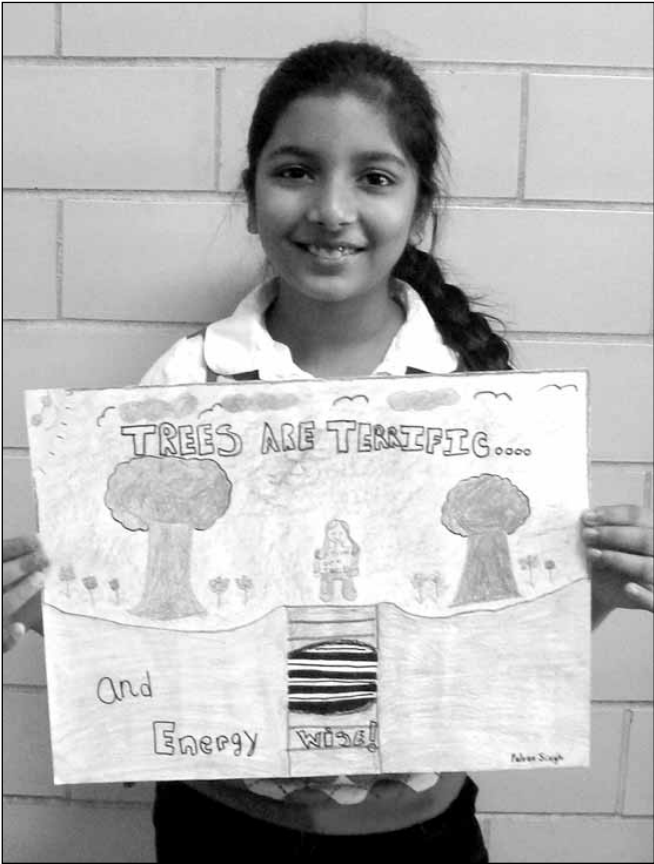
The meeting was then adjourned at 4:20 p.m.



MRS. CHRISTOFF'S FIRST GRADE CLASS at Gardner Grade School had a special visitor on April 16—a retired greyhound racing dog, Bea, owned by teacher Lauren Walsh. The class spent the week reading about service dogs and other types of dogs that work. Author Craig Pierce, who visited Gardner on an author visit a few years ago, inspired Mrs. Walsh to adopt a retired racing dog. Mrs. Walsh read Pierce's story, *A Greyhound's Tale: Running for Glory, Walking for Home*, and then answered questions about her dog.



BRACEVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL celebrated Earth Day on Tuesday, April 20, with a Walk to School Day. The purpose of walking to school is to teach safe walkways for students to use when walking or biking to school; to conserve fuel; and to promote physical fitness.



PAVLEE SINGH was the first-place winner of the recent Arbor Day School Poster Contest at Tri-Point Upper Elementary and Junior High School. Her poster will go to national competition. She is the daughter of Kulvir and Balwinder Singh of Piper City.

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Go, Trojans!

RICHARD BOYS, a DTHS Trojan track and fielder, hurls the shot during the DTHS track meet, April 20. The DTHS boys track team placed first in the meet with 72 points.

Catch the Trojans in action as they host Clifton Central, Fieldcrest and Morris at Oughton Athletic Field in Dwight, May 3. The meet begins at 4:30 p.m.



DTHS TROJANS TRACK & FIELD

April 20

With great weather, the Trojans had some outstanding performances. We are continuing to show awesome improvement, stated Coach Larry Lane.

The girls took second place with 39 points to Pontiac's 99. Individual results: discus, Lindie McCarthy, 65' 4", third; Jill Farrell, 57' 7", fourth; long jump, Jasmine Lemke, 12' 7", second; shot, McCarthy, 24' 8", third; McCarthy, 23' 10", fourth; 4x800m, 11:52.63, second;

4x100, :56.678, second; 110 HH, Kacy Murphy, :19.3, second; 100m, Haley Residori, :13.86, second; Sarah Beier, :15.48, fourth; 4x200, 2:06, second; 400m, Nicole Glab, 1:13, fourth; 300IH, Chelsea Schultz, :31.0, first; 1600m, Miranda Faletti, 6:28, first; Kaley Tilley, 6:56, fourth; 200m, Residori, third; 4x400m, 14:53, third.

The boys claimed first with 72 points. Individual results: discus, Christian Kulla, 146' 0", first; Rig Cruz, 91' 4", second; long

jump, Rem Riccolo, 16' 1", second; shot, Kulla, 43' 8", first; 4x800m, 9:44.02, second; 4x100m, :51.50, first; 3200m, Jon Scudieri, 12:33, second; 100m, Jordan Kohrt, :11.855, first; Eutsey, 36' 5", second; 800m, Jon-Paul Gallois, 2:14, third; 4x200m, 1:54, first; 400m, Kohrt, :55.69, first; Tony Cesares, 1:03, second; 110HH, Walsh, :19.11, first; 300IH, Austin Walsh, :47.06, first; 1600m, Brian Scoggin, 4:38, first; 200m, Kohrt, first; Cesares, :27.06, third; 4x400m, 3:53, first.

DTHS Softball Team Named Team of the Week

The Chicago Bandits of Elgin selected the Lady Trojans of Dwight Township High School as the high school team of the week April 16.

During March 29 to April 2, the Lady Trojans showed excellent defensive prowess by allowing only one run in each of the three games, stated Chris Hendrickson, Regional Sales Executive of the Chicago Bandits. They not only displayed excellent defense, but they have also been very aggressive at the plate and on the base paths, putting 45 hits on the board en route to three straight victories.

Their willingness to work together as a team and back up their pitchers with excellent defense makes the Lady Trojans the high school team of the week, continued Hendrickson.

For winning the team of the week, the Lady Trojans received tickets to a Chicago Bandits game this season, on-field recognition at the game, an on-field photo with the Bandits, as well as a plaque to honor the selec-

tion.

If you would like to nominate your team for the high school team of the week, download a form from chicagobandits.com/news

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