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Public Auction
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Seller: Dan S. Burda,
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Sun., May 16, 10 a.m.
Odell Comm. Building, Odell
Seller: Anne Withrow
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Pontiac

Home Auction
Thursday, May 20, 1 p.m.
Hilton Chicago
2855 N. Milwaukee Ave.,
Northbrook
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Texas

Public Auction
Sat., May 22, 10 a.m.
Seller: Alice Janssen
Terry Wilkey Auction
Service, El Paso

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Essex All-Town
Garage Sales,
June 26

Essex All-Town Garage
Sales will be Saturday, June
26 from 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Lists
of the sales will be available
the day of the sale.

To be put on the list, or
for more information, call
Diana Coffey at 815-922-
6002 or Julie Smith at 815-
365-2050.

DTHS
Principal
Richardson
Resigns

by Madelyn Fogarty
madelynfogarty@yahoo.com

Dwight Township High
School Principal Robert
Richardson has resigned
effective June 30.

Principal Richardson
came to DTHS in 2006,
replacing then-Principal Eric
Flohr who left Dwight after
nine years for a position at
Collinsville High School.
Richardson will also move
on to a larger school as he has
accepted a position as
Principal at Taylorville High
School which boasts a school
population about three times
that of DTHS.

This is an opportunity to
be closer to my family, a
great opportunity profession-
ally and a great opportunity
for my daughters — two who
will be in high school next
year, Richardson told *The
Paper*. It was an opportunity
I could not pass up.

Formerly a farmer for 15
years, Mr. Richardson came
to Dwight from Maroa, IL

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IT WAS 'PRIDE IN DWIGHT DAY' as volunteers
worked in inclement conditions Saturday, May 8, clip-
ping, sweeping, raking and picking up litter in the down-
town area. DTHS Honor Society members assisted in the
cleanup and are pictured with several of the other volun-
teers, above. At left are two of the youngest stick pickers,
Avery and Brynn Connor, daughters of Rodney and
Destiny Connor. Main Street organized this first month-
ly cleanup. Below, "Cute Up the Curb" at Dwight's
Renfrew Park south entrance.

Ransom Residents Irritated by Grain Elevator RedDog Dust



by Meta Machulis

Progress in business is
something most small towns
hope to see, and Ransom has
seen it in Grainco FS — the

village grain elevator, which
upgraded in 2004 to begin
loading rail cars.

However, that progress
has come with a negative
side effect for many nearby

residents. As the volume of
grain handled at the facility
has increased in recent years
with the switch from truck to
train shipping, so has the
amount of red dog, or
grain dust, inadvertently
released by the facility dur-
ing the drying process.

Several Ransom residents
who live near the elevator
complain that an unreason-
able amount of dust covers
their property during the
fall-winter drying season.

Millie Larsen, who lives
near the Grainco FS eleva-
tor, said she has to have her
furnace cleaned once or
twice a year and gutters
cleaned every six months
due to the amount of red

dog that lands on her prop-
erty.

It gets just like cement
when it gets wet, she said.

Larsen doesn't open the
windows in the warmer
weather — instead, she runs
the air conditioning every
warm day.

And because she has
asthma, she wears a mask
when going outdoors, or
avoids the outdoors al-
together, when drying opera-
tions are in effect at Grainco.

One (doctor) told me
one time, Move, but I can't
afford to move, Larsen
said.

When Larsen first moved
to Ransom, she said the ele-
vator was small and didn't

cause her such problems, but
that since the elevator has
expanded its operations, she
notices three or four or five
times more dirt in the air.

I used to work at a grain
elevator, and I've lived in
other towns with elevators,
and I don't see that much red
dog in other towns, Larsen
said.

She said the situation is
worst when the wind is
blowing toward town. Since
it also seems to get worse
later in the season, she said,
I just wonder if they don't
clean it good or something.

Larsen doesn't believe
Grainco FS has heeded resi-
dents' complaints about the

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Getting Their Kicks
on Route 66

The Red Carpet Corridor 2010





BRACEVILLE RESIDENTS painted over 45 hydrants throughout their village over the past two years. Patriotic, ani-
mals, florals and other designs were completed for the 2010 Red Carpet Corridor. SUNDAY, MAY 2, GARDNER RES-
IDENTS participated in a Rock-A-thon during the Red Carpet Corridor with proceeds to benefit the Gardner Church
of Hope and United Lutheran Church of Gardner parking lot funds. Over \$3,000 was raised during the event.

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FOR THE RECORD

Tickets Issued by Dwight Police

May 2: Lourdes Lopez, 31, Bloomington, No Valid Driver's license; James N. Lena, 21, Algonquin, Speeding (Radar) 45/30; Kimberlee D. Moraga, 34, Beecher, Speeding (Radar) 72/55.

May 4: Sheldon W. Upchurch, 43, Ft. Myers, FL, Speeding (Radar) 67/55.

May 5: Sergio A. Rivera-Valenzuela, Morris, No Valid Driver's License, In-State Warrant; Jessica M. Boyd, 28, Dwight, Expired Registration Sticker.

Ambulance Runs by Dwight EMS

Apr. 30: Spencer, Trauma, Refusal.

May 1: Chippewa, Medical, Morris.

May 2: Union, Citizen's Assist, Refusal; Seminole,



Open House, Health and Safety Checks for Dwight EMS Week

May 16 through 22 is Emergency Medical Services Week, and the community is invited to visit the Dwight EMS at the Public Services Complex. It is located at 209 S. Prairie Ave., Dwight, and will be open to the public from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, May 17 through 21.

During the week, the Dwight EMS will provide free blood pressure checks and blood sugar and cholesterol level checks. Child care seat safety checks will be provided by appointment. There will also be free giveaways for those attending.

This week is to honor the members of the Dwight Emergency Medical Services who are ready to provide lifesaving care to those in need, 24 hours a day, seven days a week. "Anytime, any-

Trauma, Morris; Union, Medical, Provena/St. Mary's.

May 3: Mazon, Medical, Morris; Mazon Medical, Morris; Main St., Medical, Morris; John St., Medical, St. James, Pontiac.

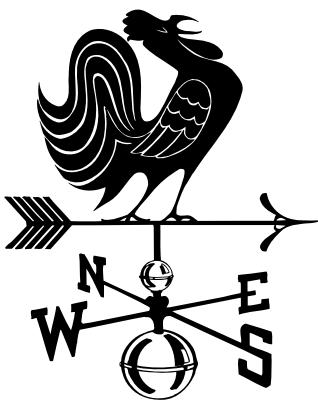
May 4: 3200 N., Medical, St. James, Pontiac; Franklin, Medical, Morris; Mazon, Medical, Morris; I-55, Fire.

May 5: 3200 N., Medical, Morris; John, Medical, Riverside.

May 6: Seminole, Medical, St. James.

7 Warnings Issued by Dwight Police

Speeding (radar), 2; Obstructed Windshield &/or R. Window, 1; No Rear Registration Plate Light, 1; Improper Lighting, One Headlamp, 1; Disobeying Traffic Control Device, 2.



Temps - 2010

Apr. 28 – high 65°, low 36°
Apr. 29 – high 79°, low 48°
Apr. 30 – high 81°, low 62°
.10" precip.

May 1 – high 69°, low 52°
.30" precip.

May 2 – high 66°, low 49°
Trace of precip.

May 3 – high 72°, low 48°
May 4 – high 79°, low 51°

One Year Ago - May 12, 2009
high 69°, low 53°
1.35" precip.

Red Cross Blood Drive in Kempton

An American Red Cross blood drive will be held Thursday, May 20, from 1 to 6 p.m. at the American Legion Hall located at the corner of First and Kempton streets, Kempton.

Bring a photo ID or Red Cross Donor Card. You're eligible if you donated on or before March 25, 2010.

For an appointment, call Doris Lowe at 815-949-1530 and leave a message.

Outdoor Warning Siren Test Reminder

Illinois law requires tests of outdoor warning sirens to be conducted at 10 a.m. on the first Tuesday of each month.

Should the outdoor warning siren system sound at any time other than for the monthly test, tune to local radio stations for the latest information and possible emergency instructions.

Dwight Lions To Sell Brooms May 22

Dwight Lions Club will be going door-to-door selling brooms on Saturday, May 22, beginning at 9 a.m. The Lions plan to sweep the town with push brooms, regular brooms (house and warehouse) and whisk brooms.

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SATURDAY, MAY 1, THE RED KNIGHTS, a national all-firefighters motorcycle riders organization, was in Dwight to raise money for the Fallen Firefighters Foundation. The United States Congress created the foundation to lead a nationwide effort to remember America's fallen firefighters. Since 1992, the tax-exempt, nonprofit foundation has developed and expanded programs to honor our fallen fire heroes and assist their families and co-workers. The ride was sponsored by the Red Knights chapters in Kankakee County. It began at the Kankakee County Fairgrounds and ended in Crescent City, with stops in Morris and Dwight along with other area fire departments. While in Dwight the riders were served hot dogs, chips, potato salad and a can of soda. All proceeds received were returned to the riders by the Dwight Firefighters as a donation to the foundation.

photo by Marilyn Kolthoff



THE INTERSECTION of Routes 47/66 was the scene of a car/truck collision Sunday, May 9, at approximately 7:45 a.m. According to Dwight police, a 1995 Chevrolet automobile driven by Haley Laughlin, 17, of Pontiac failed to stop at Rt. 47 while heading eastbound on 66. The Chevrolet collided with a 2008 Peterbilt tractor/trailer driven by Michael Huffman of Farmington, Missouri. Laughlin was transported to St. James in Pontiac and Huffman to Morris Hospital. Four traffic signs were damaged.



photo by Marilyn Kolthoff

Free Blood Pressure Screenings in Dwight and Gardner in May

In recognition of National Blood Pressure Awareness Month, Morris Hospital & Healthcare Centers is offering free blood pressure screenings at numerous locations during the month of May.

Blood pressure screenings will be offered on Wednesdays in May from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Dwight Healthcare Center, 101 S.

Prairie Ave., and from 1 to 2 p.m. at the Gardner Healthcare Center, 409 N. Route 53.

The American Heart Association recommends having your blood pressure checked at least once every two years by a physician or other qualified health professional and more often if it's high.

For adults, a blood pressure reading below 120 or over 80 mmHg is considered optimal, although unusually low readings should be eval-

uated. A systolic pressure (the first number) of 120 to 139 mmHG, or a diastolic (the second number) pressure of 80 to 89 mmHg is considered "prehypertension" and should be watched carefully. A blood pressure reading of 140 over 90 or higher is considered elevated (high).

Appointments are not needed for the free blood pressure screenings. For directions to the locations, go to www.morrishospital.org

Grundy Co. Board of Health To Meet

There will be a meeting of the Grundy County Board of Health at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 19. Emergency Preparedness Volunteers will be recog-

nized before the meeting at 6 p.m. The meeting will take place in the Grundy County Administration Center, 1320 Union St., Morris.

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To start with, let's quickly look at some of the most common forms of investment risk:

- Risk of losing principal — This is the type of risk most commonly associated with investing. You could lose some, or even all, of your principal if you sell an investment, such as a stock, whose value has dropped lower than the purchase price. You can't eliminate the risk of losing principal, but you may be able to reduce it by buying quality stocks and holding them long enough to overcome short-term market drops.
- Inflation risk — With an investment that pays a fixed rate of return, such as a certificate of deposit (CD), you run the risk of not keeping up with inflation, which means you could lose purchasing power over time. Consequently, it's a good idea not to "overload" on these types of investments.
- Interest-rate risk — When you own a bond, your investment is somewhat at the mercy of changing market interest rates. For example, if you buy a bond that pays four percent interest, and market rates rise so that newly issued bonds pay five percent, the relative value of your bond will go down; no one will pay you face value of your bond when they can get new ones that pay higher rates. Of course, if you hold your bonds until maturity, which is often a good idea, you can avoid being victimized by interest-rate risk.
- Concentration risk — This type of risk occurs when you have too much of your money concentrated in one area, such as in a particular stock or in one industry. If a downturn strikes that stock or industry, your portfolio could take a big hit. To combat this type of risk, you need to diversify your holdings among stocks, bonds, government securities and other investments. While diversification, by itself, cannot guarantee a profit or protect against a loss, it can help reduce the effect of volatility.

In addition to understanding the above types of risk, you also need to be familiar with your own risk tolerance and how it affects your investment strategy. If you are constantly worried about "the market," you've probably got too many investments that are at risk of losing principal. At the other end of the spectrum, if you're always concerned that your portfolio won't grow enough to generate the income you'll eventually need for retirement, you may be investing too conservatively — and, as a result, you're inviting inflation risk.

Ultimately, you need to match your own risk tolerance with a strategy that allows you to achieve your goals. This will require self-awareness, patience, discipline — and, at times, a willingness to move outside your own "comfort zone." By learning to balance and manage risk, you can ultimately put yourself in a position to pursue your investment strategy.





DTHS MATHLETES took ninth in state on Saturday, May 1. Participating in the state competition were: front row, l-r, Brady Foose, Lindie McCarthy, Becca Cain, Sam Rybacki, Amy Froelich, Gabby Davis, Karly Feddersen, Kate Tock, Mallorie Rosales; back row, l-r, Michael Muzyka, Dan Hansen, John Broeksmit, Doug Black, Ryan Kaiser, Joel Kelleher, Mike Halloran, Alec Frazier, Matt Hansen, Carson Banks, David Reamer, Austin Gantzert, and Soren Jessen. Not pictured: Stephanie Goley and T.J. Parks.

DTHS Mathletes Place Ninth in the State; Seniors Take Third

Twenty-three Dwight Township High School Mathletes brought home medals from the ICTM State Contest at the University of Illinois Saturday, May 1, earning Dwight's best ever finish at the state finals. The team placed ninth overall out of fifty-nine participating schools. Dwight's Pre-Calculus team took third place in the state. Pre-Calculus team members included seniors Doug Black, Karly Feddersen, Mike Halloran, Ryan Kaiser, Michael Muzyka, and Kate Tock.

Dwight's Algebra 2 team, consisting of juniors John Broeksmit, Becca Cain, Dan Hansen, Joel Kelleher, Lindie McCarthy, and Sam Rybacki, took fifth. The DTHS Calculator Team also took fifth in the state. The Calculator Team consisted of seniors Karly Feddersen and Kate Tock, junior Joel

Kelleher, and sophomore Amy Froelich.

Dwight's freshman-sophomore team earned ninth place medals in the competition. Members of the freshman team included sophomores Gabby Davis, Brady Foose, Alec Frazier, and Matt Hansen, and freshman Carson Banks, Austin Gantzert, Stephanie Goley, and David Reamer.

Senior Mike Halloran, who was assisted by junior Joel Kelleher, took fourth place in the oral competition with a presentation on Graph Theory. Dwight seniors Ryan Kaiser and Michael Muzyka took seventh place in the two person competition. Joel Kelleher earned the seventh place trophy for his individual performance in the Algebra 2 contest.

The DTHS mathletes are coached by Carrie Fraher, Karen Zabel and Margie Ehrhardt.



Gardner Lions Beautification Corner

by Barb Phillips

We had fun selling baked goods and flowers during the Red Carpet Rt. 66 weekend and also meeting tourists passing through Gardner. Mayor Tom Wise handed out town puzzle pieces. People signed in, where they were from and what kind of car they were driving. We had close to 200 people. Not all stopped on their way through town, but it was the first attempt to know how many traveled the Red Carpet Corridor.

The Gardner Fire Angels did well selling delicious hot dogs and hamburgers from the grill along with hand-made lawn furniture.

Vino's restaurant sold out of their Special 66 cent hamburgers, fries and drink.

The churches Rock-a-thon on Sunday was very successful with over \$3,000 realized for church parking lots. Thank you to all who sponsored the efforts.

The flowerpots have been planted and the new welcome

banners have been placed around town. Thank you to Commissioner Mike Serena and Dean Rankovich for volunteering their time and to Grant Construction for use of their truck lift to get the banners done before this past weekend.

We are trying to improve our entry into our downtown area where they are working on a new mural painted on the wall by the lion fountain across from the gazebo. The existing mural has faded and is starting to peel and needs a new look. We have permission from the owner to paint, so watch for some action on the corner. If you have not been to Pontiac to see the Wall Dogs murals, take a ride through their business district. They are amazing. Maybe Gardner can have one as equally amazing.

If anyone is interested in helping or being part of our committee, please contact Pat Malinowski, Ida Schopp or Barb Phillips. We need and thank you for your support.



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DTHS Principal Richardson Resigns — —

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where he was an agriculture instructor at Maroa-Forsyth High School. Along with his teaching certificate, he holds a Masters of Science Degree in Plant and Soil Science and General Agriculture. He completed a second Masters of Science Degree in Education Administration through Eastern Illinois University in 2006.

Richardson expressed his thoughts about Dwight High School.

I think that Dwight has a tremendous teaching staff and a lot of hard working students, said Richardson. It was a tough decision to make. It is not that things are looking bleak in Dwight — I am not running away, I am just running toward an opportunity.

That opportunity will also have challenges as Taylorville High School has not met government mandated Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) in two years. While Dwight has been making AYP, Richardson believes it will get more challenging in Dwight as well.

I think it will be difficult for Dwight to continue to meet AYP, said Richardson. We have held on a lot longer than most schools. We have been very successful. We have a great system, great people instructing and great students. But, the State and Federal government have put in unrealistic standards .something has to change.

He is looking forward to the challenge presented at Taylorville.

I am coming in [to Taylorville] to help push everybody to be the best they can be, said Richardson. That is how I quantify the success of a school — everyone being the best they can be.

According to Dwight Schools Superintendent Dale Adams, the DTHS Principal's position will be posted internally and externally. Following a screening of all candidates, Adams will narrow the selection for interviews. The final candidates will be interviewed by a team comprised of the superintendent along with various teachers, parents, students and board members. Adams hopes to have a new principal in place by July.

Superintendent Adams, who will be retiring from DTHS in June 2011, wished Richardson success in his new role.

It has been a pleasure, said Adams of working with Richardson. He is going to a larger district and I think that fits into his plan for his life. I wish him well.

In a closing statement Principal Richardson told *The Paper*, It has been four years of an awesome opportunity for me. I was given a chance to learn things that I didn't in my program. The things I have learned have made me a better administrator. I am going to miss a lot of things about Dwight.



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ELLA LEGNER and LILLY DUFFY of Dwight string beads during God-with-Us Preschool registration Tuesday, May 4, at Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Dwight. Classes for 3 and 4-year-old children are available. Registration is now open by calling the church office at 584-3433.



ILLINOIS STATE REP. SHANE CULTRA was the featured speaker at the annual Livingston County Bankers Association meeting held April 26 at the Dwight Country Club. Cultra spoke about the state budget woes and the looming issue of redistricting. This year's meeting was hosted by the First National Bank of Dwight and Bank of Dwight, inviting all banks in Livingston County to a dinner meeting and get-together to discuss area banking issues. Fifty-three people attended the meeting.

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Quiltmakers Guild to Meet May 13

The next meeting of the Quiltmakers Guild will be May 13 from 6 to 9 p.m. at Grace Community United Methodist Church, 735 Main N.W., Bourbonnais. Note the earlier starting time. Installation of newly-elected officers will be held during the May banquet. Quilt tops made from the progressive quilt blocks will be auctioned off.

If you have any questions, call Karen at 815-942-0766.

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Ginger Connor to Retire as Education Director at St. Patrick Catholic Church

by Meta Machulis

After 13 years as director of religious education at St. Patrick Catholic Church, Dwight, Ginger Connor will retire Thursday, May 27. A party was held May 2 in her honor.

Connor taught CCD for 20 years. During the past 13 years as religious ed. director at St. Pat's, she has overseen all aspects of the education program for kindergarten through high school, including finding about 15 to 30 adult teachers and student helpers each year; organizing and holding vacation Bible school, registration, services, a yearly seder meal and first Communion and bi-yearly confirmation; and much, much more.

There's just a lot of little things throughout the year, Connor said. We've had, in the past, an outing out at our place, hayrack rides, wiener roasts and bonfires, she said. Some other programs of note, Connor said, include a program a few weeks ago when third graders said the Rosary and fourth graders, in costume, presented the Mysteries of the Rosary. Second graders have also held a Last Supper program.

Connor has attended many meetings and two-day summer institute programs during her career as director of religious education. Her working life has also included substitute teaching and house cleaning. She also formerly headed the Dwight Christmas for Kids program and has assisted Dave Bossert with keeping track of families for the holiday Love Boxes program.

I'll probably stay involved with the Love Boxes, she said.

Connor's family joined St. Patrick Catholic Church about 18 years ago, she said, when St. Bernard's in Sunbury closed. Connor and her husband, Art, live in rural Blackstone and have

five grown children — three of whom live in Dwight, one in Blackstone and one in Bloomington. The Connors have 13 grandchildren.

I couldn't have done any of this without them, Connor said. Art gave up a lot of evenings, and the kids, when they had birthday parties — sometimes they sandwiche it in between the two CCDs that I'd have on Wednesday. Although Connor's job often required her family to change plans according to her schedule, she said they never complained.

Family is one of the main reasons Connor decided to step down now — she said she wants to spend more time with her grandchildren and be more available for her daughter in Bloomington, whom she doesn't get to see as often as she'd like. Connor also hopes to spend time quilting and organizing photo albums.

It just seemed like it was time, Connor said of her decision to retire. She said she was starting to feel her age, and I just feel they need some younger blood in here.

That younger blood will be Heather Boucher, who has been chosen to take over as director of religious education.

She'll do a good job, Connor said, noting that Boucher has taught the eighth grade class at St. Pat's several times.

Boucher said she is excited about taking over the position.

I'm looking forward to vacation Bible school, she said — this summer's VBS program will be her first duty as director of religious education. Boucher will also be forming a youth group soon.

Boucher lives in Dwight with her husband, Matthew, and their three children.

Father James Rickey, pastor of St. Patrick Catholic

Church, said of Boucher,

We're very happy to get a parishioner and mother with kids as the director of religious education. He believes her experience with children will provide her with valuable insight when choosing programs for the children of St. Patrick Catholic Church.

Connor is now showing the ropes to Boucher and recalled her own days teaching CCD and learning to instruct religious education under the supervision of her mentor, the late Dorie Krischel.

She was a lovely lady and very dedicated, Connor said. She taught me a lot.

And although Connor is now ready to retire, there are things she will miss about the job.

I'll miss the people, she said. I met some wonderful, dedicated people along the way. And those people weren't only in the Catholic church — they were in the surrounding churches that I was able to be introduced to.

Connor also recalled fond memories, such as an incident when kindergarteners were taking a tour of the church.

Father was late, and when he went by the window, they were already in the church. The kids saw him go by the window and they said,

There's God! There's God! she laughed.

She also enjoyed taking teens on ski trips.

But you know, I think the biggest thing about this job is that you see kids grow, Connor said. You see them in kindergarten, and you see them change all the way through (the years). It's fascinating to see how much they change.

Connor said her experience as director of religious education at St. Pat's has been very rewarding.

Father Rickey said Connor has been greatly



Ginger Connor

appreciated, noting her dedication and willingness to teach by example as two of her best qualities. Although he said he understands her reasons for retiring, She'll be missed.

When you teach a CCD class, Connor said, you learn 10 times as much as the kids. When you're in this position, double it. I've just learned so much in this program, and I hope to be able to pass it on through my daily life.

Gardner Fire Department and EMS Calls

Tues., May 4: Medical, Route 66.

Thurs., May 6: Fire, Stonewall Road.

Fri., May 7: Medical (MVA), I-55 224sb.

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Sun., May 9: Brush fire, I-55 220nb.

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Small Talk

by Anne Shaw Heinrich



A few weeks ago, I had the chance to go back to my Alma Mater, Eureka College, for the 100th anniversary of my sorority, Delta Delta Pi.

As the time for the event approached, I juggled feelings of excitement and dread. I've always loved the opportunity to go back to that tiny campus where I learned so much about myself and about what mattered to me. I used to scoot around the campus in my noisy, sputtering, green VW bug like I owned the place, but this time, I was turning toward campus in a silver minivan--a new, and definitely settled set of wheels. My once naturally-blond hair needs all kinds of chemical encouragement, my forehead could use some botox and frankly, my body isn't what it used to be. During the last twenty years, I've morphed into one of those older alumni who used to come poking around the campus for no good reason.

What worried me most about running into some of my old sorority buddies sounds vain, but I can't imagine that I was the only one thinking it. Would my old friends still recognize me? Would they understand that the homecoming queen had, after all, given birth to three children? Would I need to explain that sometimes I've failed to put sunscreen on my face and that every once in awhile, I go to bed with my make-up on, which might explain some of the creases that have appeared on my face? Would they recognize me on the inside? Would the twenty years that had passed somehow have driven a wedge between me and my old roomies? Would we still have anything to discuss or laugh about, or would we be staring at one another across a buffet lunch with nothing to say?

Silly me. We hugged and greeted one another as if no time had passed at all, as if far too much time had passed, as if time had indeed been suspended. The afternoon flew by. Nobody really wanted to go home. We lingered at the house, looking at composite photos of our younger selves, and wondering out loud whatever

happened to some of us. The truth is, we all looked pretty darn amazing. And we've all grown up into real women. Many of us have children who are practically grown themselves. We're working inside and outside our homes with some very defined ideas of right and wrong. We're smarter and more confident. We're better listeners, and our hearts have softened right along with our midriffs.

We used to do crazy things as college girls. We stayed up half the night on most nights. We didn't even start getting ready for an evening until well after nine or ten o'clock. One night I remember eight or nine of us decided to give ourselves home perms. We started this project well after midnight and awoke the next morning with frizzy heads and smelling like a beauty parlor. We'd go on midnight runs for pizza, and drag ourselves across campus for class. We traipsed across graveyards with flashlights and did just about everything with the spirit of fun. We were the first to arrive at the parties, and often the last to leave. Many of us were in each other's weddings. We were wise enough to cry upon graduation, knowing that we would scatter, that things would never, ever be the same for all of us as right then, right there in that place again.

Until twenty or so years later, at an afternoon luncheon, we were suspended in time, and I think many of us were reminded how special our friendships had been. We left promising to stay in touch, and hoping that we would.

We left realizing how much had changed, and how much had really stayed the same.

Anne Shaw Heinrich is a freelance writer living in Dwight. Each time Small Talk is published, The Paper donates \$100 to an area organization or non-profit effort. Proceeds from this month's Small Talk will benefit the Dwight Senior Center.

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Loren Unland
and Jason Klinker

Loren Unland Engaged to Jason Klinker

Robert and Cheri Regan of Morris and Bill and Cindy Klinker of Verona would like to announce the engagement of their children, Loren Unland and Jason Klinker, both of Morris.

The bride-to-be is a 2007 graduate of Morris Community High School and is currently attending Joliet Junior College. The prospective groom is a 2004 graduate of Seneca High School and is currently employed at U.S. Cold Storage in Minooka.

A spring 2011 wedding is being planned.



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K. Christenson, D. Patten Announce Engagement, Approaching Marriage



Doug Patten
and Kathy Christenson

Tom and Becky Christenson of Dwight are happy to announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathy, to Doug Patten. Both are of Dwight. Doug is the son of Lee and the late Margaret Patten.

A July 24 wedding is planned at Dwight United Methodist Church.

Kathy graduated from Dwight Township High School in 2003 and from Northern Illinois University in 2006 with a degree in family and consumer sciences. She is employed at Dwight Township High School as a family and consumer science teacher and FCCLA advisor.

Doug graduated from Dwight Township High School in 2002. He is currently employed at Stoller International as an agricultural parts sales manager.

May Activities at Fossil Ridge

The following events and classes are being held this month at Fossil Ridge Public Library, 386 W. Kennedy Rd., Braidwood.



Amber Milbauer
and Robert Marx

Amber Milbauer Engaged to Robert Marx

Amber Lynn Milbauer and Robert Aldo Marx, both of Dwight, announce their engagement and upcoming marriage.

Amber is the daughter of Jeffrey and Tammy Milbauer of Dwight, and Robert is the son of Robert and Kim Marx of Morris. The bride-to-be's grandparents are Jennings and Barbara Milbauer of Dwight and Mary Ellen and the late Dean Darm of Morris. Grandparents of the groom are Ellen and the late Robert Marx of Morris and the late Virginia Zinanni.

A September 25 wedding is planned at 2 p.m. at the Godley Park, with a reception at 5 p.m. at the Gardner American Legion.

The prospective bride is a 2004 graduate of Dwight Township High School and works in food service at the Dwight Country Club. The bridegroom-to-be is a 1998 graduate of Morris High School and the Universal Technical Institute. He is employed as a diesel fleet mechanic at Mahoney Environmental.



Bryce Ayden Rock

A boy!

Jody and Arica Rock of Cullom are proud to announce the birth of their son, Bryce Ayden Rock.

Bryce was born Friday, April 16, 2010 at 4:17 p.m. at Riverside Medical Center, Kankakee. He weighed nine pounds, two ounces and was 22 1/2 inches long.

He was welcomed home by his brother, Gabe, and two sisters, Danielle and Addisyn.

Maternal grandparents are Diana and Merle Jehle of Cullom and Mark and Pam Moore of Emington. Paternal grandparents are Tom and Sue Rock of Atalissa, Iowa.



Laura Ridings

U of I Chicago Graduate

Laura Ridings of Herscher was among the graduates at commencement ceremonies at the University of Illinois-Chicago on Sunday, May 9.

She is the daughter of Jim and Janet Ridings of Herscher.

Marjorie J. Martin Scholarship Awarded to 19 Odell Students

The Marjorie J. Martin Scholarship trustees announced the recipients of the fourth Marjorie J. Martin Scholarships on May 1, 2010. The trustees awarded \$40,000 to 19 students from Odell.

Scholarships were awarded in recognition of academic and extracurricular excellence. To be eligible for the scholarships, students must live in the area currently served by the Odell Fire Protection District, Odell Public Library District, or the Odell Grade School District.

The recipients for the 2010 scholarships are:

Kevin Cassady, son of John and Jeanne Cassady. Kevin attends Southern Illinois University, Carbondale; Amy Davis, daughter of Jim and Bonnie Davis. Amy attends the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; Grace Dwyer, daughter of Michael and Donna Dwyer. Grace attends Bradley University; Anthony Easton, son of Diana Easton and the late Kenneth Easton. Anthony attends DePaul University.

Michael Gall, son of John and Jan Gall. Michael attends the Nebraska College of Technical Agriculture, a branch of the University of Nebraska; Brianna Grieff, daughter of Rich and Deb Grieff. Brianna attends Joliet Junior College; Jill Grieff, daughter of Brad and Sue Grieff. Jill attends Joliet Junior College.

Lindsey Hoegger, daughter of Jim and Shari Hoegger. Lindsey attends Illinois State University; April Hogan, daughter of Sheri Hogan. April plans to attend the University of Illinois, Springfield; Lee Hogan, son of Sheri Hogan. Lee attends Southern Illinois University,

Edwardsville.

Amanda Humbert, daughter of Lacey Humbert. Amanda plans to attend Florida Gulf Coast University; Katherine LaBorence, daughter of Jeff and Susan LaBorence. Katherine plans to attend Illinois State University.

Kathryn Legner, daughter of Frank and Nancy Legner. Kathryn plans to attend Illinois State University; Brittney Rentz, daughter of Daniel and Elaine Rentz. Brittney attends the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign.

Karen Ribordy, daughter of Denise and Rich Ribordy. Karen attends Western Illinois University; Brittany Snyder, daughter of Ron and Deb Snyder. Brittany plans to attend Illinois State University; Renee Tucker, attends Illinois State University; Sarah Verdun, daughter of Glen and Cindy Verdun. Sarah attends Illinois State University; Lindsey Vogt, daughter of Robert and Debbie Vogt. Lindsey attends Heartland Community College.

Martin, a life-long resident of Odell and a teacher in the Odell public schools for 32 years, died March 31, 2004. She stipulated that a scholarship be granted to high school graduates seeking to continue their educations at accredited colleges or universities in the fields of liberal arts, music, science, nursing, business or engineering.

Martin was responsible for the choral and instrumental music programs at Odell Grade School and Odell Community High School for 32 years. In addition to her responsibilities for the music program, she served as the faculty advisor for the yearbook for many years.

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Chris Irvin

GSW HS Student Spotlight

Gardner South Wilmington High School is proud to wrap up another year of its student of the week with Chris Irvin, who will complete his four years at GSW HS soon.

Chris has been involved in, and often times excelled in, many activities including sports, Student Council and National Honor Society — just to name a few. Chris has always been willing to pitch in and help out whenever needed and always does it with a smile. He has also succeeded academically at GSW High School.

The GSW community appreciates Chris for all he's done for GSW High School in the past few years — from his leadership skills to his record-breaking basketball games — and believes he should be proud of his accomplishments, wishing him the best as he heads off to college.



Stephany Small

DTHS Names Student of the Month

Dwight Township High School would like to congratulate Stephany Small on being named DTHS senior student of the month for May.

She is active in Band, DTHS photography and is an honor roll student.

Stephany is the daughter of Treva Small of Dwight.

Dwight Invitational Golf Tournament Rescheduled

The 37th Annual Dwight Invitational Golf Tournament has been rescheduled to Saturday, May 15.

Tee times still available by calling 815-584-9825.

Megan Houchin of Mazon Earns ISA College Scholarship

Grundy County Sheriff Terry Marketti announced last week that two Grundy County high school seniors have been awarded \$500 scholarships through the Illinois Sheriff's Association (ISA) College Scholarship Program.

This year's recipients are McKenna C. Sheridan, a senior at Coal City High School, and in *The Paper's* circulation area, Megan L. Houchin, a senior at Seneca Township High School.

Megan Houchin is the daughter of Kirk and Cindy Houchin of Mazon. She will attend Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, during the upcoming school year to pursue a career in the biology/pre-med field.

During her high school days at Seneca, Houchin was a two-year member of the National Honor Society and participated in the Worldwide Youth in Science and Engineering Program (WYSE) as a varsity team member in the biology and English categories. She was also a member of the Health Occupation Students of America (HOSA), TRUST (Teens Resisting Unhealthy

Social Temptations) and the Family, Community and Career Leaders of America (FCCLA). She received numerous academic honors and awards during her career at Seneca Township High School, culminating with her nomination to the HOSA Leadership Conference in her senior year.

The Illinois Sheriff's Association College Scholarship Program was established in 1979. Scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$1,000 are awarded to students who demonstrate outstanding scholastic, extracurricular and character qualifications. Each Illinois county whose sheriff participates in the Associate Member program receives at least one \$500 scholarship to be awarded to youth in that area. The ISA scholarships will help pay for tuition, books and fees at an institution of higher learning within the state of Illinois.

Dwight Seniors Duplicate Bridge Results

The results of the duplicate bridge game played May 6 at the Dwight Senior Citizens Center are:

North-South: first, Dorothy Christenson/Darlene Drechsel; second, Liz Houck/Marge Mueller; third, Ellen Galeaz/Janet Kresl.

East-West: first, Janyce Gross/June Miller; second, Norma Houck/Lee Fuerstenberg; third, Barbara Christensen/Leila Patchett.

The next game will be played at the senior center Thursday, May 20.

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May 19: Carryout Chicken Dinner, Heritage Woods of Dwight, 5-7 p.m.

May 21-22: DTHS Jazz Show, DTHS Auditorium

May 22: Dwight Lions Door-to-Door Broom Sale Starts at 9 a.m.

June 11-12: Gardner All-Town Garage Sales

June 26: Golf 'Fore' St. Paul Grade School, Odell, Wolf Creek, Cayuga

June 26: Essex All-Town Garage Sales, 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

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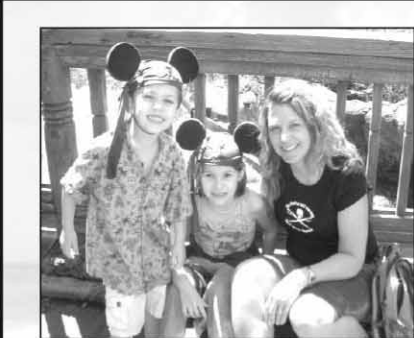
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Upcoming Programs and Events at Odell Public Library

The next Odell Library adult book club program will feature Julie and Julia, written by Julie Powell. Copies of the book are available for checkout; on Wednesday, May 26 at 2 p.m., the movie based on the book will be played. Refreshments will be provided, and a short discussion comparing the book and movie will follow.

The next Odell Library Old-Time Radio & TV Club program will be held Wednesday, May 26, at 6 p.m. Classic television episodes of Star Trek and The Andy Griffith Show will be played. Food will be potluck, and refreshments will be provided by the library.

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Mjellma Asllani, Hannah Baker, Christian Banks, Ryan Bartz, Anthony Bauer, Keegan Bedeker, Zachary Bookwalter, Maddie Bossert, Amanda Boys, Jessica Butterfield, Janessa Carman, Kathryn Castillo, Lukas Charlton, Collin Csecsinovits, Amber Curl, Mitchell Deterding, Nathan Dettmann, Triston Dircks;

Kevin Ely, Jacob Ender-son, Alex Feddersen, Ryan Folkers, Cheyenne Fontaine, Talia Franson, Andrew Froelich, Abigayle Groves, Donald Harvey, Kitrina Hayner, Jeremy Heikkila,

Rebecca Holmes, Wade Jones, Skyler Kern, Karsen Kopmann, Cody Krause, Mason Krischel, Demi Krug, Jennifer Kuta, Justin Lockhart;

Cody Mahoney, Laura McDaniel, Rebecca Metroz, Tiffany Michalski, Danielle Miles, Andrew Mireles, Jacqueline Mitchell, Josh Moore, Trevor Morris, Bryce Mortensen, Nicole Murphy, Owen Perschnick, Harrison Riccolo, Amanda Richardson, August Rieke, Chad Rieke;

Ryan Schell, Ryan Schlabowske, Savannah Schuler, Summer Schuler, Beverly Shumaker, Jacob Snyder, Emily Soto, Brianna Swoke, Hannah Trainor, Brandon VanAmburgh, Briana Wilson, Aaron Wyllie, Danielle Young.

18 to Graduate from Odell
Grade School

The following students are completing requirements to graduate with the Odell Grade School class of 2010 Tuesday, May 27 at 7 p.m.:

Samantha Battle, Zachary Brockman, Miranda Brown, Aaron Buchheit, Dillon Colman, Haley Dyke, Rachael Fearman, Andrea Flynn, Erica Flynn, Jesse Giles, Nicole Gutt, Matthew Hilleary, Kaela Hodges, Katelynn Howard, Daniel O'Connor, Tyler Schmoeger, Alijha Shrum, Kyle Tucker.

Five Students to Graduate
from St. Paul

St. Paul School, Odell, will hold its eighth grade graduation ceremony Wednesday, May 26, at 6:30 p.m. in St. Paul Church, Odell. Students graduating with the class of 2010 and moving on to high school are:

Daniel Dwyer, Julie Hogan, Emily Leonard, Anna Stevenson and Alyson Wiemken.

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ODELL COMMUNITY BUILDING BOARD OF MANAGERS TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT			
I, Amiel Gernentz, Treasurer of the Odell Community Building Board of Managers, Livingston County, Illinois, being duly sworn, depose and say that the following statement is a correct report for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2009 and ending March 31, 2010.			
BEGINNING BALANCE April 1, 2009		\$30,299.32	
Property Tax	\$12,664.38		
Rentals	\$4,820.00		
Interest Income	\$346.26		
TOTAL INCOME:		\$17,830.64	
EXPENDITURES			
Insurance	\$1,150.00		
Maintenance and Repairs	\$3,028.00		
Utilities	\$5,789.80		
Salaries	\$1,020.00		
Randy Fearman	\$300.00		
Paul Birkett	\$300.00		
Amiel Gernentz	\$420.00		
All Less than \$1,000.00 per voucher	\$1,282.87		
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$12,270.67		
ENDING BALANCE March 31, 2010	\$35,859.29		
Amiel Gernentz, Treasurer Odell Community Hall			
Subscribed and sworn before me, this 3rd day of May 2010.			
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40 Mazon-Verona-Kinsman
Eighth Graders to Graduate

The following students anticipate graduating Friday, May 21, from Mazon-Verona-Kinsman Middle School:

Jacob Alley, Scott Anderson, Ariel Brozovich, Alexandra Burba, Caroline Collet, Bridget Cook, Terah Coughlin, Taylor Creed, Brittany Crowley, Paige Finch, Callie Foster, David Frye, Jasemin Gilmore, Chance Gonnam, Mackenzie Granby, Alexis Harty, Danielle Hauch, Justin Heinze-

roth, Brian Kluckhohn, Jade Kryzak;

Jake Leake, Devin Leo, Danielle Marques, Thaddeus McCormack, James Miller, Mallory Misener, Alexandra Mueller, Amber Munster, Kailey Norton, Joseph Olson, Brandon Pasdertz, Erik Ramirez, Faith Regan, Cheyne Robinson, Tasha Smith, Anna Starichkova, Margaret Thomas, Elizabeth Treadway, Selena Venecia, Bradley Wyss.

Tri-Point Junior High School
to Honor Eighth Graders

Tri-Point Junior High School eighth grade students will be honored Thursday, May 27, at 7 p.m. in Piper City. Prospective graduates are:

Felecia Brown, Cheyanne Clark, Tiffany Craig, Amber Crouch, Terrence Crowley, Emmalie Davidson, Miguel Dettloff, Tabatha Dziuban, Mitchel English, Katelyn Feldkamp, Joshua Flessner, Brooke Haag, Celeste Hamilton, Derek Hay, Justin Johnson, Kadie King; Faith Martinez, Danielle Mauricio, Racheal Miller, Dayna Moritz, Kyle Moritz, Bradley Mosier, Alexander Ogle, Kayla Opperman-Burton, Samantha Pepin, Brianna Pultz, Sydney Rasmussen, Jenna Reinagle, David Roof, John Ruder;

Christopher Scott, Benjamin Sievert, Wade Stephens, Ashley Strong, Shea Sunday, Bethany Swanson, Adrian Tamayo, Zachery Taylor, Tiera Turner, Breann Watenpauigh, Andrew Watts, Terra Wilhelm and Ty Zanardelli.

17 Students in
Braceville Class of 2010

Braceville Elementary School's eighth grade graduation ceremony will be held Thursday, May 27, at 7 p.m. at Gardner South Wilmington High School. Prospective graduates include:

Katherine Ayersman, Corey Canterbury, Daytona Fisher, Kelsey Galan, Shane Giasson, Sephanie Heelan, Lucas Jones, Justine Juricic, Kristian Kinder, Jordin Kirk, Tristan Noonan, Kenneth Paterson, Johanna Sandeno, Hannah Shiner, Daphne Smith, Jamie Trimble and Emily Wachowski.

Ransom 8th Graders
to Graduate

Eight students will graduate from Ransom Grade School on May 25 at 6 p.m. Students moving on to high school include:

Kimber Daly, Nick Hardgrove, Jesse Jaworski, Mason Kling, Kylie Murphy, Brittany Shannon, Elizabeth Trowbridge and Jose Zamores.

I want to thank everyone who came to Turtle's on May 5 for my 21st birthday... especially Turtle for letting me have a party there. Thanks to Kandi and everyone that had to work that night, Amie, Mary Boma, Mathien, Tic-Tock, F.U.B.A.R., Dub Zero, Eric Ham, K.D. Murks, Jazz, all my family that attended, people I don't know and to everyone that I work with and all of my friends. I know it was on a Wednesday, but next year it will be on a Friday.

Thank You!

Willy Lee

Herscher Grade School Names
2010 Eighth Grade Graduates

Sixty students will graduate from Herscher Grade School during a ceremony Friday, June 4, at 7 p.m. Students expected to graduate include:

Timothy Atkinson, William Bankowski Jr., Samuel Benson, Courtney Bernicky, Blake Brenner, Kayle Coffman, Tylor Condon, Paige Coyne, Abigail Crane, Tobey Cummins, Michaela Daly, Taylre Devine, Taylor Dyer, Lindsay Elling, Collin Glas, Logan Gray, Eva Griffin Emily Hammond, Skyler Howdeshell, Lauren Jensen, Bobbi Jette, Morgan Johnson;

Alannah Kress, Megan Mahoney, Brandon Malone, Elizabeth Marcotte, Mac-

kenzie Marquis, Addie Masching, Nicholas Mascolo, Zachary Mau, Madeline McCue, Makayla McGrath, Brandi McPherson, Brooke McPherson, Joann McPherson, Cole Mills, Donald O'Brien, Timothy O'Brien, Bailey Ogrentz, Blake Patchett, Destiny Powell;

Roger Ribbke III, Braeden Richardson, Josephine Rosenboom, Rihana Simmons, Kyle Smolkovich, Molly Sperry, Jacob States, Jude Stewart, Dustin Svec, Mileena Tomasek, Emily VanGilder, Brice Wagner, Caroline Walsh, Catherine Walsh, Thomas Walsh Jr., Devin Ward, Victoria Webber, Kyle Whitlow, Kate Zimmer.

Gardner Grade School
Graduates

Nineteen eighth grade students from Gardner Grade School will graduate Saturday, June 5, at 2 p.m. They are:

Lucas Ellis, Autumn Harlan, Daniel Housman, Jeremy Kunz, Allyson Matthews, Jennifer McDilda, Jakob Nicoletti, Brittany O'Dell, Ryan Purkart, DeAnna Riggs, Ryan Riley, Nathan Ruffatti, Allison Scudieri, Jamie Sorensen, Noah Urban, Ann Webb, Cameron Webb, Jordan Wilkey, Mia Zazworsky.

South Wilmington
Class of 2010

South Wilmington Grade School will hold its eighth grade commencement exercises Saturday, May 29 at 5 p.m. Students graduating include:

Natalie Cash, Amanda Conger, Breann Fisher, Kaitlyn Grimler, Warren Kramer, Paige Lardi, Randi Olson, Samantha Schultz, ReAnn Scoggin and Kyla Urbasek.

Saunemin Grade School
Class of 2010

Ten Saunemin eighth grade students will graduate Wednesday, May 26, at 7 p.m. They are:

Rachael Baxter, Colin Danforth, Sabrina DeMarse, Brandon Duck, Logan Henady, Zak Holtz-Robisky, Bethany Horrie, Ashleigh Phipps, Nic Stephens and Michael Walter.



HERITAGE MANOR OF DWIGHT recently held some fund-raisers and was able to collect \$300 to contribute toward the Dwight Fourth of July fireworks. Administrator Randy Provence, left, gives the donation to Chamber board member Bill Hooker.

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OBITUARIES

Claude J. DeLong

DWIGHT — Claude Junior DeLong, 92, passed away peacefully at 2:00 p.m., Saturday, May 8, 2010 at home surrounded by his family.

Claude was born November 5, 1917 in Odell, a son of Claude C. and Mae Gill DeLong. He married Mary Dransfeldt March 3, 1947 in St. Louis, Missouri. She survives in Dwight.

Also surviving are one son, Ronald (Trudy) DeLong of Dwight; two daughters, Kathleen (Roger) Patterson, Shell Knob, Missouri; and Susan (Donald) Alger of Coral Springs, Florida; one daughter-in-law, Suzanne (Donald) DeLong of Dwight; one brother, James C. DeLong of Dwight.

Grandchildren: Ronald DeLong, Bloomington; Timothy DeLong, Stuart, Florida; Mari Patterson Jenner, Pompano Beach, Florida; Mark Patterson, Ward, Colorado; Jonathan DeLong, Dwight; Lindsay DeLong, Moline; Kristin Alger June, Hillsboro, Oregon; Stephanie, Amy and Ryan Alger, Coral Springs, Florida; two step-grandchildren: Brian Beling of Batavia and Stephanie Beling, Chicago; 10 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews also survive.

Preceding him in death were his parents; one son,

Donald; two sisters, Ella Fortner and Virginia Mathiesen; and one brother, Edward DeLong.

Junior graduated from Dwight High School in 1935. He served overseas in the First Armored Division of the U.S. Army during World War II. Upon returning from the war, he joined his father and brothers at DeLong Ford-Mercury and was a welder and machinist for 55 years before retiring.

He was a member of the Dwight United Methodist Church, Dwight American Legion and Dwight VFW Post 2608.

His favorite pastimes included spending time with his family, traveling, spending winters in Florida with his daughter, Susan, and family, and having morning coffee with his friends.

His funeral was Tuesday, May 11, at 11 a.m. at Hager Memorial Home with Pastor Heidi Punt of St. Peter's Lutheran Church officiating.

Visitation was at the funeral home from 10 until 11 a.m. Tuesday.

Burial: Oak Lawn Cemetery, Dwight.

Memorials may be made to OSF Hospice Homecare, 608 N. Ladd St., Pontiac, IL 61764; the Les Turner ALS Foundation, 5550 W. Touhy Ave., Ste. 302, Skokie, IL 60077-3254; or to the donor's choice.

Margaret Irene Drinan



DWIGHT — Margaret Irene Drinan, 88, of Dwight, passed away Tuesday, May 4, 2010 at Heritage Manor, Dwight.

Visitation was held Sunday, May 9, from 4-7 p.m., at Hager Memorial Home, Dwight, and one hour prior to the mass. A funeral mass was held Monday, May 10, at 11 a.m. at St. Patrick Catholic Church, Dwight with Father James Rickey officiating.

Burial was in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Dwight.

Margaret was born June 25, 1921 in rural Ransom to Carmie E. and Della U. Geheber Wright. She married Owen Joseph Joe Drinan on August 18, 1941, in the rectory of Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Kinsman. He preceded her in death March 21, 1995.

Surviving are her eight children, Sharon Dial, Dwight; Ron (Sue), Normal; Roberta Kinney, Waukesha, WI; Mark (Darci), Arlington Heights; Jeff (Mia), Memphis, TN; Kris (David) Cornale, Dwight; Dennis, Bloomington; Judy (Jim) Cherco, Lizton, IN; 12 grandchildren: Kim (Brian) Bennett, Lee (Scott) Kline, Paul (Molly) and Philip Drinan; Connor and Quinn Drinan; James and Diana Drinan; Kara Patten; Kylie,

Candice and Ian Cherco; three great-grandchildren, Kelsey, Jackson and Bryson Bennett; two sisters, Thelma Finley, Pontiac; Helen Thompson, Albuquerque, NM; and many nieces and nephews.

Preceding her in death were her husband, granddaughter Kerrin Kratochvil, her sister and brother, Ruth Vogel and Philip Wright, and her son-in-law, John Kinney.

Margaret was a 1939 graduate of Dwight Township High School and beauty school in 1940. She had her own beauty shop in Ransom prior to her marriage and children.

She volunteered for activities for her church, Dwight Senior Citizens, and Heritage Manor Nursing Home. In 1998, she was recognized as an outstanding volunteer by the Illinois East Central Area Agency on Aging. She was a member of St. Patrick Catholic Church, Dwight and its Altar and Rosary Society.

Margaret loved playing bridge, but her greatest joys were serving and caring for others including her husband, Joe, until his death.

Memorials may be made to a charity of the donor's choice or given to the family for contribution to St. Patrick Catholic Church.

Online condolences may be left at www.hagermemorialhome.com

Ruby Galbreath



COAL CITY — Ruby Kathryn Galbreath, 97, of Coal City and formerly of Westfield and Mattoon, passed away at 11 p.m., Friday, May 7, 2010 at Heritage Manor in Dwight.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, May 11, at the

Markwell Chapel in Westfield with burial in Kirk Chapel Cemetery, rural Robinson. Visitation was held preceding the service.

Memorials may be made to Kirk Chapel, Robinson, Illinois 62454.

Local arrangements were under the care of Reeves Funeral Homes, Ltd., Coal City.

Letters to the Editor

in *The Paper* should be limited to 250 words. Letters must be signed when submitted and received by Friday noon prior to Wednesday publication. Letters are limited to one every 60 days per household. Political letters will not run the week prior to an election. *We welcome your thoughts.*

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

BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation)
Plaintiff,)
vs.)No. 10-CH-34
EARL DAVID BERTSCHE, a/k/a DAVID BERTSCHE,)
BERTSCHE & BERRY, INC., an Illinois Corporation,)
JOHN R. BERTSCHE, unknown owners and non-record)
claimants,)
Defendants.)

NOTICE

Notice is given you Defendants, unknown owners and non-record claimants, that this action has been commenced in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, praying that a judgment of Foreclosure be entered against real estate legally described as follows:

Tract 1: The East 10 feet of Lot 1 and the East 10 feet of Lot 2 of the Subdivision of Lot 5 in Block 44; also the East 10 feet of Lot 3 and all interest in that part of the alley lying immediately East of the adjoining same and all of Lot 6, being all in the Subdivision of said Lot 5 all in Block 44 in the Original Town, now city of Pontiac, Livingston County, Illinois.

PIN: 15-22-402-008

Commonly known as: 319 W. Madison St., Pontiac, IL 61764

Tract 3: Lot 9 in Block 20 in Fell's First Addition to Pontiac, Livingston County, Illinois.

PIN: 15-22-333-001

Commonly known as: 110 N. Ladd St., Pontiac, IL 61764

The title holder of record to the above described real estate is JOHN R. BERTSCHE. The mortgage sought to be foreclosed is a mortgage executed on January 28, 2008. This mortgage was recorded on August 21, 2008, at the office of the Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 00589027. The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendant in Case No. 10-CH-34 is currently pending. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Donald R. McClarey, of the law firm of Strufe & McClarey, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

Consequently, unless you, unknown owners and non-record claimants, file your answer to the complaint in this action or otherwise enter your appearance in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, held in the Courthouse in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before May 30, 2010, a default may be entered against you at any time after that date and a judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of the Complaint.

Dated this 29th day of March, 2010:

Judith K. Cremer, Circuit Clerk
Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial
Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Slow-moving Vehicle Signs Are Being Used Incorrectly

I'm writing this letter to address my concern that the public, especially the non-farm public, is misusing the SMV (slow-moving vehicle) sign.

It is a law that farmers must have a SMV emblem/sign on all farm tractors, wagons, planters, combines, plows, discs, four-wheelers, lawn mowers — in general, anything that is a *slow-moving vehicle*. We can be stopped and given a ticket for not having the new, brighter emblem on our equipment. These signs are to alert anyone coming up behind us that we are moving much *slower* than they are.

I am very upset that people are purchasing these signs and using them to mark the entrance to their driveways! These people obviously do not know what these signs mean. How are we going to educate teenage drivers that they are to *slow*

down when they see these signs, if they see them everywhere marking driveways?

I hope that the people who are doing this and read or hear about my letter will remove them ASAP. I also hope that someone with the authority will write them a letter explaining why they should remove them, and if they don't comply, that they will be issued tickets until they do. Farmers are doing everything we can to be safe while we are on the road going from field to field to get our crops planted and harvested. Thank you very much for allowing me to express my concerns about this problem.

Sincerely,
Julie Kurtenbach
Piper City

Editor's note: The slow-moving vehicle sign is a reflective, orange, triangular sign.

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

DEUTSCHE BANK NATIONAL TRUST
COMPANY, AS TRUSTEE IN TRUST FOR
THE BENEFIT OF THE CERTIFICATE-
HOLDERS FOR ARGENT SECURITIES
TRUST 2004-W9, ASSET-BACKED PASS-
THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2004-
W9, ASSIGNEE OF ARGENT MORTGAGE
COMPANY, L.L.C.,
Plaintiff(s),
vs.
DANIEL E. DURBIN, NICOR GAS
COMPANY, UNDER MEMORANDUM OF
JUDGEMENT RECORDED AS DOCUMENT
NUMBER 00594500,
Defendant(s),

09CH 121
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment heretofore entered by the said Court in the above entitled cause, the Sheriff of Livingston County, Illinois, will on June 16, 2010, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., at the Livingston County Courthouse, 112 West Madison Street, Pontiac, Illinois 61764, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, all and singular, the following described premises and real estate in the said Judgment mentioned, situated in the County of Livingston, State of Illinois, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said Judgment, to wit:

PART OF OUTLOT 1 IN THE WEST HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 30 NORTH, RANGE 3, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF OUTLOT 5 IN THE TOWN OF COALVILLE; THENCE NORTH 24.36 FEET PARALLEL WITH THE WEST LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2 TO THE TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUE NORTH 135.0 FEET PARALLEL WITH THE WEST LINE OF NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2 TO A POINT; THENCE NORTH 86 DEGREES 50 MINUTES 30 SECONDS EAST 553.0 FEET PARALLEL WITH THE SOUTH LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2 TO A POINT; THENCE SOUTH 135.0 FEET PARALLEL WITH THE WEST LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2 TO A POINT; THENCE SOUTH 86 DEGREES 50 MINUTES 30 SECONDS WEST 551.0 FEET PARALLEL WITH THE SOUTH LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 2 TO A POINT OF BEGINNING, BEING SITUATED IN READING TOWNSHIP; SITUATED IN LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

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P.I.N. 01-01-02-152-003

Contact the Law Offices of IRA T. NEVEL, LLC, 175 North Franklin, Suite 201, Chicago, Illinois 60606, (312) 357-1125, for further information. The terms of the sale are cash. The property is improved by a single family residence, together with all buildings and improvements thereon, and the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging and will not be available for inspection prior to sale.

Attorney No. 06185808
LAW OFFICES OF IRA T. NEVEL, LLC
175 North Franklin Suite 201
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Gerald A. Hulbert

PONTIAC — Gerald Allen Hulbert, 55, of Pontiac died Saturday, May 8, 2010 at ASTA Care Center of Pontiac.

He was born July 20, 1954 in Joliet, a son of John Stanley and Ellen Louise Davies Hulbert.

His mother survives in Pontiac. Also surviving are one son, Eric Paul (Heather) Hulbert, and one daughter, Sarah Beth Hulbert, of Davenport, Iowa; one brother, Gary (Lou Ann) Hulbert of Monticello, Indiana; and one sister, Pamela (Michael) Grieff of Mazon.

Preceding him in death were his father and two brothers, Bradley and

Patrick Hulbert.

Gerald was employed at Rock Island Arsenal Plant, where he worked in supply.

He was a 1972 graduate of Dwight Township High School.

A 10 a.m. Memorial Mass was Tuesday, May 11, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Pontiac, with Monsignor Thomas Mack officiating.

There was no visitation. Duffy Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

The family suggests that all memorials be made to your local Multiple Sclerosis Foundation.

Online condolences may be made at
duffyfuneralhome.com

News — Ads — Coverage!

The Paper 815-584-1901

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

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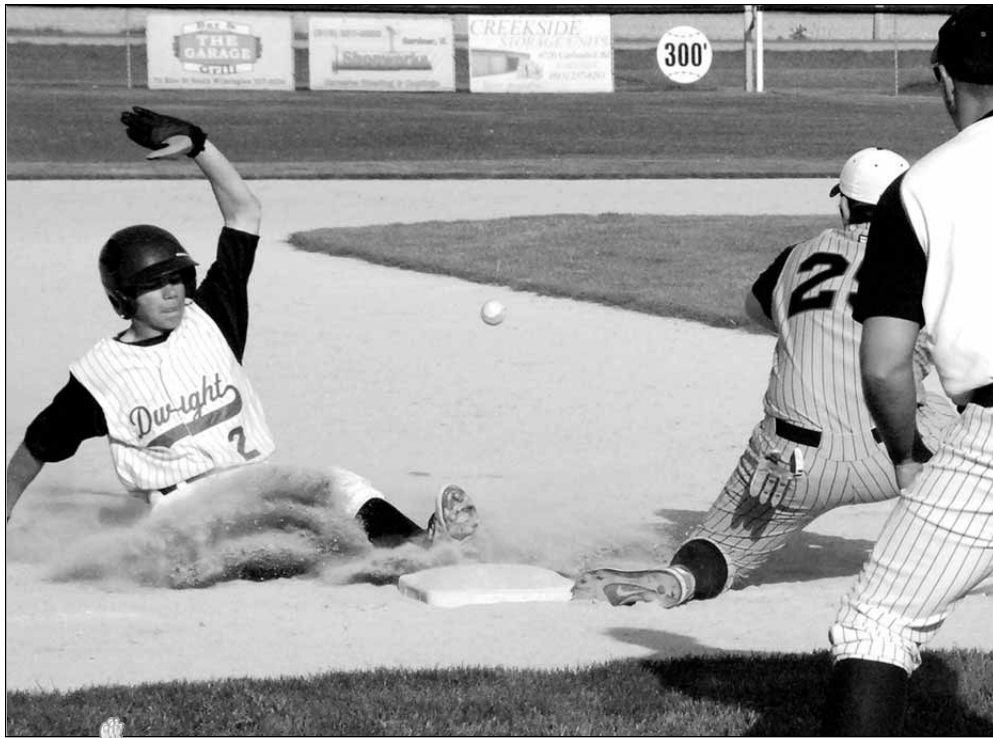


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He's Safe!

DWIGHT's #2 Troy Hogan slides safely into third base after hitting a triple in the sixth inning against GSW in junior varsity baseball action May 6.



Jim Anderson Knocks in a Hole-In-One

Jim Anderson of Dwight sank his first hole-in-one at the Dwight Country Club, Saturday, May 1.

Anderson used a 6-iron on the 130-yard ninth hole. The ace was witnessed by his wife, Donna, and verified by the Ely boys.

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Gus Macker Registration Deadline Approaching

The countdown has begun, and the registration deadlines for the 8th Annual Gus Macker Morris 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament are not far away. Local organizers are reminding all players that deadline for entry by mail is Friday, May 14. Online registration for the event will continue through midnight on Monday, May 17, on the official Gus Macker website, www.macker.com

Entry forms are still available throughout Morris and at participating sponsor locations including: D. Construction, Shaw Stone and Webster Construction, Inc., Rezin Orthopedics, WCSJ/WJDK and the Morris Daily Herald.

For more information or to receive an application, contact the Morris Downtown Development Partnership, Inc. at 815-942-0245.



GSW PANTHERS BASEBALL

April 30

Panthers vs. Iroquois West
The GSW Panthers varsity baseball team defeated Iroquois West, 8-1.

Shane Harty, 3-2, picked up the win with 5IP, 1H, 0R, 0ER, 4BB, 4K; relief, Ben Crater, 2IP, 5H, 1R, 1ER, 0BB, 3K.

Offense for GSW: Sean Elens, 3-4, RBI, 1B; Hector Ruiz, 2-4, 1R, RBI; Brandon Riggi, 2-4, 1R, 2RBI; Harty, 2-4, 1R, RBI; Chris Irvin, 2-4, 2R, 1B; Tyler Posing, 2-4, 2RBI.

We hit well up and down the lineup tonight. Shane also pitched extremely well giving up only one hit in five innings, stated Coach Jon Posing.

May 5

Panthers vs. Donovan
The Panther baseball team preyed on Donovan, 12-7.

Shane Harty picked up the win, 7IP, 11H, 7R, 7ER, 3BB, 12K.

Key hitters for GSW: Brandon Faletti, 1-3, 2R, 3RBI, 2B; Chris Irvin, 2-3, 3R, RBI; Harty, 1-3, 2R, 2RBI.

Shane really battled tonight. I was really happy with his effort, I blame myself for a couple of the home runs hit. Our offense took a couple innings off in the middle of the game, but finished strong, commented Coach Posing.



DTHS TROJANS TRACK & FIELD

May 3

The home meet went well with many improving efforts by our athletes. The team continues to get better and better, stated Coach Larry Lane.

The girls took third place with 41 points to Central's 63. Individual results: long jump, Jasmine Lemke, 12' 7", fourth; shot, Lindie McCarthy, 25', fourth; 4x800m, 11:16.96, second; 4x100, :56.241, third; 110HH, Kacy Murphy, :18.25, third; 800m, Tilley, third; 4x200m, 2:03.30, second; 400m, Haley Residori, 1:14, first; 300IH, Chelsea Schultz, :51.6, first; 1600m, Miranda Faletti, 6:19, second; Nicole Glab, 6:25, third; 200m, Lemke, :31.7, third; Sarah Beier, :32.0, fourth; 4x400m, 4:33, second.

The boys claimed fourth with 43 points to Morris' 83. Individual results: discus, Christian Kulla, 25' 7", first; Tyler Halloran, 97' 7", fourth; long jump, Rem Riccolo, 16' 9", second; shot, Kulla, 41' 4", second; 4x800m, 9:00, second; 4x100m, :48.77, third; 4x200m 1:49, third; 400m Jordan Kohrt, :51.69, first; Brian Scoggin, :56.0, third; 300IH, Riccolo, :44.0, second; 1600m, Lane Hoffman, 5:24.45, fourth; 4x400m, 3:43, first.



GSW LIONS TRACK & FIELD

May 1

The GSW Lions track and field team participated in the Saunemin Jamboree, May 1.

Fifth grade girls individual results: shot, Kira Gleason, fourth; long jump, Gleason, fourth; Marlana Ferrari, fifth; 800m, Gleason, third; discus, Ferrari, first; hurdles, Ferrari, fourth; 400m, Ferrari, third; 4x200m, Ferrari, Gleason, Nicollette Shelton and Caryl Bernardy, third.

Sixth grade girls results were: discus, Kayla Garrett, fourth; hurdles, Garrett, second; 200m, Garrett, third;

Kylie King, sixth; long jump, Mady Patten, fifth; 800m, Patten, sixth; 1600m, King, second; 4x200m, Dana Wright, Patten, Garrett and King, third.

Fifth grade boys individual results: discus, Alec Beasley, fourth; hurdles, Beasley, second; 1600m, Beasley, third; Mike Wise, fifth; 200m, Beasley, fourth.

Sixth grade boys results were: Michael Mankowski, high jump, second; hurdles, Mankowski, fifth; 1600m, Mankowski, third; 800m, Mankowski, second; Scott Horrie, third.

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DTHS LADY TROJANS SOFTBALL

**April 30
Lady Trojans vs. Lisle
Junior Varsity-**

The DTHS Lady Trojans junior varsity softball team was defeated by host Lisle, 7-6.

Maddie Rodosky took the loss with 7K, 0BB.

Hitting for the Lady Trojans were: Hayley Sparrow, 3-4, 3-1B; Alyssa Brownlee and Lauren Seanard, 2-3, 1B, 2B each; Rodosky, 2-3, 2-1B; Megan Jensen, 1-4, 3B; Haley Hansen, 1-2, 1B.

Dwight was down in the top of the seventh, 3-4, and fought back to take a 6-4 lead, but Lisle fought back to take the 7-6 win, stated Coach Julie Jensen.

Varsity-

The DTHS varsity girls softball team fell to Lisle, 6-3.

Erin Gaston, 14-4, took the loss with 7IP, 4ER, 2BB, 2K.

Offense for the Lady Trojans: Kolby Hoffman, 1-3, HR; E. Gaston, 1-3, 2B; Jamie Stanton, Chaney Tambling, Haley Gaston and Claire Elsey, 1-3, 1B.

**May 1
Lady Trojans
vs. Streator-Woodland
Junior Varsity-**

The Lady Trojans junior

varsity was defeated 15-3 by Streator-Woodland, in the first game of doubleheader action.

Maddie Rodosky took the loss with 4K, 3BB.

DTHS offense: Rodosky, 2-2, 1B, 2B; Aly Ferrari, 1-3, 1B; Mandi Holmes, 1-2, 1B; Hayley Sparrow, 1-4, 1B.

In game two, the Lady Trojans fell to Streator-Woodland, 5-3.

Maddie Rodosky took the loss with 4K, 0BB.

Hitting for the junior varsity: Rodosky, 2-3, 2-1B; Megan Jensen, 1-3, 3B; Lisa Bruner, 1-2, 3B; Lauren Seanard, 1-3, 3B; Alyssa Brownlee, 1-3, 1B; Aly Ferrari, 1-2, 1B; Haley Hansen, 1-1, 1B.

The team played better defense in the second game, commented Coach Jensen.

**Lady Trojans vs. Newark
Varsity-**

The Lady Trojans marched over Newark, 10-2, in game one of doubleheader play.

Erin Gaston picked up the win with 7IP, 1ER, 7BB, 12K.

Offense for the varsity: Jamie Stanton, 3-4, 1B, 2B, HR; Kate Pfeifer, 2-3, 1B, HR; Chaney Tambling, 2-4, 2-1B; E. Gaston and Haley

Gaston, 1-4, 1B; Brooke Sassenger, 1-3, 1B; Kolby Hoffman, 1-4, 1B.

In game two, the Lady Trojans defeated Newark, 13-3 in five innings.

Kate Pfeifer picked up the win with 2IP, 0ER, 0BB, 0K.

Hitting for the Lady Trojans were: Erin Gaston, 2-2, 1B, 3B; Kolby Hoffman, 2-3, 2-1B; Jamie Stanton, 2-4, 1B, 2B; Tori Grzincic and Pfeifer, 1-3, 3B; Claire Elsey and Aidan Connolly, 1-3, 1B each; Chaney Tambling, 1-4, 1B.

**May 3
Lady Trojans
vs. Reed Custer
Junior Varsity-**

The DTHS junior varsity girls softball team defeated Reed Custer, 20-15.

Maddie Rodosky picked up the win with 3K, 5BB.

Offense for the Lady Trojans: Megan Jensen, 4-5, 1B, 2-2B, 3B; Alyssa Brownlee, 4-5, 3-2B, 1B; Rodosky, 4-5, 2-2B, 1B; Lisa Bruner, 4-5, 3-1B, 2B; Mandi Holmes, 3-4, 3-1B; Hayley Sparrow, 3-5, 3-1B; Aly Ferrari, 2-5, 1B, 2B; Lauren Seanard, 1-4, 1B.

Varsity-

The DTHS varsity girls softball team defeated Reed Custer, 13-1 in five innings.

Erin Gaston picked up the win 5IP, 1ER, 2BB, 3K.

Hitting for the Lady Trojans were: Jamie Stanton, 3-4, 2-1B, 3B; Kate Pfeifer and Chaney Tambling, 2-3, 2-1B; Kolby Hoffman and Tori Grzincic, 2-4, 1B, 3B; Claire Elsey, 1-2, 1B; Gaston, 1-3, 1B.

**May 4
Lady Trojans
vs. Reed Custer
Junior Varsity-**

The Lady Trojans junior varsity beat Reed Custer, 18-17, in the bottom of the eighth.

Maddie Rodosky picked up the win with 6K, 6BB.

Hitting for DTHS were: Alyssa Brownlee and Mandi Holmes, 4-5, 3-1B, 2B each; Megan Jensen, 3-4, 2-2B, 1B; Lauren Seanard, 3-4, 2-2B, 1B; Aly Ferrari, 3-4, 3-1B; Hayley Sparrow, 2-6, 2-1B; Hailey Hoegger and Rodosky, 2-4, 1B each; Haley Hansen, 2-4, 2-1B.

The team fought from behind twice to earn the win in the bottom of the eighth in an exciting ending, stated Coach Jensen.

Varsity-

The Lady Trojans varsity softball team beat Reed Custer, 17-0.

Erin Gaston, 17-4, picked up the win with 5IP, 0ER, 2BB, 9K.

Offense for DTHS: Chaney Tambling, 4-4, HR, 2-2B, 1B; Sarah Butterfield, 3-3, 3-1B; Kolby Hoffman, 3-4, 3B, 2B, 1B; Kate Pfeifer, 3-4, 2B, 2-1B; E. Gaston, 3-4, 2-2B, 1B; Haley Gaston, 2-4, 2B, 1B; Jamie Stanton, 1-2, 2B; Tori Grzincic, 1-3, 1B.

**May 6
Lady Trojans vs. GSW
Varsity-**

The varsity girls softball team defeated GSW, 5-2, improving its record to 23-5 overall and 9-3 in the conference.

Erin Gaston picked up the win with 7IP, 2ER, 5BB, 13K.

Hitting for Dwight were: Chaney Tambling, 3-3, 3-1B; Jamie Stanton, 2-3, 2-1B; Tori Grzincic and Kate Pfeifer, 1-2, 1B each; Gaston, 1-3, 1B; Kolby Hoffman, 1-4, 3B.



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DTHS Trojan Travis Roeder, left, and Michael Halloran, above, field the ball during the DTHS-Lisle match-up, April 30. The Trojans defeated Lisle, 13-7.



DTHS TROJANS BASEBALL

April 30

Trojans vs. Lisle Junior Varsity-

The DTHS junior varsity Trojans baseball team took its third straight victory, by defeating Lisle, 13-10.

Hitting for the Trojans were: Troy Hogan, 3-3, HR, 2B, 3R; Luke Arnold, 2-3, 2B, RBI, 3R; Tyler Hogan, 1-4, 1R; Jake Thomas, 2-3, 2B, RBI, 1R; Ryan Kodat, 1-3, RBI, 1R; Blake Huseman, 1-4, 2B, 2RBI, 1R; Aaron Boma, 2-3, HR, 2RBI, 2R; Jack Steichen, 1-3, 2B.

Varsity-

The DTHS varsity Trojans baseball team marched over Lisle, 13-7.

Nolan Hoffman, 3-0, picked up the win with 4.2 IP, 5R, 5ER, 6H, 3K, 1BB; relief, Jeremy Fracaro, 0.2 IP, 2R, 2ER, 4H, 0K, 0BB; save, Alec Frazier, 1.2 IP, 0R, 0ER, 1H, 0K, 0BB.

Offense for Dwight: Mike Halloran, 2H, 3RBI, 2-2B; Mike Taylor, 1R, 2H, 3RBI; Frazier, 2R, 2H, 1BB, 3RBI, 2B; Aaron Murphy, 2R, 2H, 1BB, RBI, HR; Dan Hansen, 2R, 2H; Cal Vigna and Pete Moyemont, 1R, 1H each; Hoffman, 1R, 1H, RBI; Trent Wiles, 2R, 1H; Travis Roeder, 1R, 1H, RBI.

Hoffman gave us 4.2 good innings on the mound with good defense behind him tonight. We got a lot of solid contact on the ball with our bats, which was a good sign

for us moving towards the post season, stated Coach Dan Kaiser.

May 3

Trojans vs. Reed Custer Junior Varsity-

The DTHS boys junior varsity baseball team fell to Reed Custer, 6-4.

Jake Thomas took the loss with 6IP, 3ER.

Hitting for the Trojans were: Tyler Hogan, 2-4, RBI, 1R; Thomas, 2-4, 3B, RBI; Ryan Kodat, 1-4, 2B, 1R; Ben Trainor, 2-4, 2B, RBI; Pat Gliwa and Ryan Armour, 1R each.

Varsity-

The Trojans varsity team was defeated by Reed Custer, 18-15.

Alec Frazier, 5-3, took the loss with 4IP, 13R, 10ER, 16H, 2K, 4BB; relief, Mike Taylor, 2IP, 5R, 4ER, 2H, 3K, 1BB; Nolan Hoffman, 1IP, 0R, 0ER, 0H, 0K, 1BB.

Hitting for DTHS: Pete Moyemont, 2R, 1H, 2BB, 2RBI; Dan Hansen, 1R, 1H, 3RBI; Cal Vigna, 3R, 2H, 2BB, RBI; Travis Roeder, 1H, RBI; Trent Wiles, 3R, 3H, 1BB, 3RBI, 2-2B, 3B; Wes Lehman, 1R, 1H, 2B; Aaron Murphy, 1R, 1H; Taylor, 1H, RBI, 2B; Frazier, 1R, 1H, 3RBI, HR; Hoffman, 1R, 1BB; Mike Halloran, 2R, 1H.

May 4

Trojans vs. Herscher Junior Varsity-

The junior varsity baseball team defeated Herscher, 14-5, improving its record to 10-9 overall.

Matt Hooker picked up the win with 5IP, 5ER, 5H, 5BB; relief, Ben Trainor, 2IP, 0R.

Hitting for the Trojans were: Troy Hogan, 2-4, 3B, 2RBI, 3R; Pat Gliwa, RBI; Luke Arnold, 2-4, 2B, RBI, 1R; Tyler Hogan, 3-4, 2B, 1R; Carson Banks, 1-1, 2B; Jake Thomas, 2R; Ryan Kodat, 2-3, 3RBI, 2R; Blake Huseman, 1-3, RBI, 1R; Trainor, 3-4, 2B, 2R-HR, 5RBI, 2R; Aaron Boma and Jack Steichen, 1-3, 1R each.

May 6

Trojans vs. GSW Junior Varsity-

The junior varsity Trojans baseball team defeated GSW, 6-3.

Ryan Kodat started with 5IP, 0H, 0ER, 5K; relief, Ben Trainor, 2IP, 1ER, 2B, 2K.

Hitting for the Trojans were: Troy Hogan, 2-3, 3B, RBI, 2R; Tyler Hogan, 2-3, 2-2B, 1R; Jake Thomas, 2-3, 3RBI, 2R; Trainor, 2-4, RBI; Quinn Trewartha, 2-3, 2B, RBI, 1R.

Varsity-

The Trojans varsity baseball team defeated GSW, 5-2.

Aaron Murphy, 2-2, picked up the win with 5IP, 2R, 0ER, 1H, 8K, 4BB; save, Alec Frazier, S-4, 2IP, 0R, 0H, 2K, 0BB.

Offense for the Trojans: Travis Roeder, 2R, 1H, 3SB; Mike Taylor, 1R, 1H, RBI; Frazier, 1R, 2H, RBI, 2SB; Nolan Hoffman, 1R, 2H, 3RBI, HR.

Aaron Murphy gave us a big lift with the five innings of one-hit ball to go along with eight strikeouts. Once he tired, Frazier stepped up and allowed nothing for the next two innings. Hoffman turned the momentum into our favor in the fourth with a massive two-run homer, commented Coach Kaiser.



DTHS Trojan varsity pitcher, Alec Frazier.

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GSW LADY PANTHERS SOFTBALL

April 30
Lady Panthers vs. Morris
The GSW Lady Panthers defeated Morris, 7-6.

Amber Eisha, 17-6, picked up the win with 3K, 1BB, 12H.

Hitting for GSW: Eisha, 3-5, 2B, HR, 2RBI, 2R; Jamie Esparza, 3-5, 3-1B, 2R; Rachel Mack, 2-4, 2B, 1R, 3RBI.

We did a good job executing early and often on offense. We struggled a little on defense early, but seemed to work things out throughout the game. The girls did a great job hanging in there and pulling through in the end, stated Coach Michelle Lardi.

May 3
Lady Panthers vs. Beecher
The GSW girls softball team fell to Beecher, 9-0.

Amber Eisha took the loss with 0K, 0BB, 10H.

Offense for GSW: Katie Gretz, 2-3; Rachel Mack, 1-3; Alison Serena, 1-4.

We had too many errors on defense, and Beecher took advantage of them. We had runners on base many times, but couldn't get the hits to score any runs, commented Coach Lardi.

May 5
Lady Panthers vs. Donovan

The Lady Panthers preyed on Donovan, 5-3, improving their record to 19-9 overall.

Amber Eisha, 18-7,

picked up the win with 10K, 1BB, 6H.

Key hitters for GSW were: Eisha, 3-4, 2-2B, 2R; Allison Perkins, 2-3, 2B, 1R; Katie Gretz, 2-3, 3RBI.

We are 8-2 in the conference. Kailyn Schultz and Katie Gretz had key hits to get us our runs. We didn't necessarily play our best game, but it is always great to come out with a win, stated Coach Lardi.

May 6
Lady Panthers vs. DTHS
The Lady Panthers were defeated by DTHS, 5-2.

Amber Eisha took the loss with 3K, 2BB, 9H.

Offense for GSW: Jamie Esparza, 1-3, 2B, 1R; Katie Gretz, 1-3, RBI, 1R; Rachel Mack, 1-4, 2B, RBI.

We definitely had our chances to get ahead tonight, but did not take advantage of them. We had the bases loaded a couple of times and were not able to execute. We need to work on bunching our hits together and coming through with runners on, commented Coach Lardi.



DTHS TROJAN TRACK AND FIELD

Tyler Halloran, above, tosses the discus. Right: Jasmine Lemke puts the shot. Below: Sam Perschnick flies down the track. Left: Stinnett Gettinger speeds during his leg of the relay, May 3.



DGS REDBIRDS TRACK & FIELD

April 27
The DGS Redbird track and field team faced Pontiac, Saunemin and Woodland. The seventh grade boys finished first with 68 points; eighth grade boys took first place with 72 points.

Seventh grade boys individual results: hurdles, Caleb Boma, :20.11, third; Chris Peck, :21.52, fifth; 100m, Ryan Beier, :13.71, fourth; 1600m, John Carter, 5:39.99, first; Zander Harris, 6:28.18, fourth; 4x200m, 1:57.9, first; 4x100m, 1:00.08, second; 400m, Peck, 1:05.05, first; Jayson Powell, 1:09.62, fourth; 200m, Beier, :28.11, second; Drew Jensen, :29.88, sixth; 800m, Devin Connolly, 2:57.89, second; Timi Asllani, 3:02.46, fifth; 4x400m, 4:36.81, first; shot, Matt Dahlstrom, 34 1 1/2, first; Ryan Gaston, 26 10 1/4, fifth; Dahlstro, discus, 105 5, first; Gaston, 93 7, third; Harris, 72 1, sixth; long jump, Collin Irvin, 14 5 1/4, third; high jump, Jace Kennedy, 4 2, fifth; Connolly, 4 0, sixth.

Eighth grade boys results: hurdles, Trevor Morris, :17.24, first; Triston Dircks, :18.08, second; 100m, Karsen Kopmann, :13.61, second; Pierson Ellis, :13.9, third; 4x200m, 1:51.43, first; 400m, Morris, :59.4, first; Ryan Schlabowske, 1:00.92, third; 200m, Collin Irvin, :27.34, second; 800m, Zander Harris, 3:01.62, third; Caleb Boma, 3:14.49,

fourth; 4x400m, 4:25.49, first; shot, Gus Rieke, 45 91/2, first; Drew Harvey, 27 7 1/2, sixth; discus, Kopmann, 116 4, first; Rieke, 101 6, third; long jump, Schlabowske, 15 1, fourth; Dircks, 14 6, fifth; high jump, Kopmann, 4 6, first.

May 3
The DGS Redbirds hosted the Salem s Relays meet, May 3. The Redbirds placed third overall with 187 points to Coal City s 220. The six-team meet included: Gardner, Coal City, Mazon, Saratoga and Wilmington.

May 4
The DGS Redbirds track and field team competed against Morris Shabbona and Morris Saratoga. The seventh grade girls took home third with 27 points to Shabbona s 53; eighth grade girls placed second with 30 to Shabbona s 77.

Seventh grade girls results: discus, Harley Ledwa, 53 8, second; Miranda Paige, 45 5, third; shot, Paige, 18 1, third; Desirae Lowry, 15 4 1/2, fourth; long jump, Anna Richardson, 11 3, fifth; 100m, Lexi Hauert, :14.31, fourth; 1600m, Libby Beyer, 6:47.00, first; Richardson, 7:05.12, fourth; 4x200m, Rachel Gschwendtner, Kapri Krople, Molly Rodosky and Hauert, 2:17.12, second; 4x100m, 1:07.88, third; 400m, Krople, 1:15, second;

Richardson, 1:21.25, fourth; 200m, Gschwendtner, :33.88, fifth; Rodosky, :34.56, sixth; 800m, Ledwa, 3:22.82, first.

Eighth grade girls individual results: discus, Cheyenne Fontaine, 59 9, second; Amanda Boys, 53 8, third; Jackie Mitchell, 39 11, fifth; shot, Boys, 20 4 1/2, second; Fontaine, 20 2 1/2, third; long jump, Hannah Trainor, 13 1, second; 100m,

Trainor, :14.12, third; Jessica Butterfield, :14.76, fifth; 4x200m, Emily Soto, Trainor, Summer and Savannah Schuler, 2:10.43, second; 4x100m, 1:06.88, third; 400m, Schuler, 1:13.68, third; 200m, Trainor, :31.09, third; Butterfield, :31.91, fourth; 800m, Jackie Mitchell, 4:06.72, third; 4x400m, Soto, Sa, Schuler, Su, Schuler and Amber Curl, 4:59.84, first.

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Tri-Point Students Prepare to Launch Altitude Weather Balloon May 14 in Piper City

Two seventh grade students at Tri-Point Junior High are preparing to launch a weather balloon and capsule to almost 100,000 feet to take pictures of the curvature of the earth and the upper atmosphere. Katy Haag and Lauren Mohler, students in Mr. Saffer's enrichment science class, have been working on this project for several months, and have gotten all the grades in their school involved in planning this project. They will literally take their project to the stratosphere. They were inspired by a group of students at MIT who designed a similar project, and also by Disney Pixar's movie UP. They have a planned launch date of Friday, May 14, at 9 a.m., if the winds and weather permit.

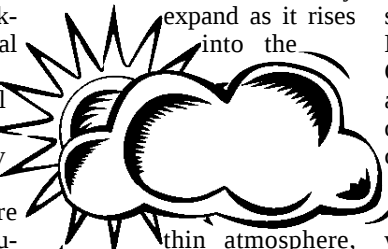
With support from the enrichment program at Tri-Point, some fund-raising, and donations from local businesses like Jamie's grocery store in Forrest and Radio Shack in Fairbury, they have been able to put together a capsule in a Styrofoam cooler that will carry a digital camera and a GPS tracking device. It will be carried aloft by a helium filled weather balloon and has a parachute attached to slow its fall. The girls were able to purchase a camera on Ebay, and using

special software, programmed it to take pictures every ten seconds for several hours. This will be built into a modified Styrofoam cooler, which will also carry insulation and hand warmer pads to keep everything from freezing at high altitude. The balloon will slowly expand as it rises into the thin atmosphere, until it finally ruptures and parachutes down. The SPOT GPS device will transmit its location, so the recovery crew can pick it up and finally see the pictures it has captured.

Students from pre-school to eighth grade have been involved in the development of this project. Haag and Mohler have presented their project to all the grades and worked with the other students to prepare for the launch. Students from the elementary grades have written notes which will be packed in the capsule, that will also act as cushioning and insulation. Fourth grade students in Mrs. Walter's and Mrs. Lane's classes have studied the chemistry of the hand warmers and investigat-

ed whether they will work in the thin air at high altitude. Fifth graders in Mrs. Zimmerman's and Avery's class helped drop-test the capsule from the third floor window, and the sixth graders in Mrs. Porth's science class are helping with the weather forecast. Seventh grade social studies students in Mr. Keever's class have studied GPS and mapping software, and will be tracking the device to guide the search crew towards its recovery. Eighth graders in Mrs. Mogged's math class worked on calculating the volume of helium needed for the balloon, and its lifting capacity.

Prior to the launch, Mr. Saffer will contact the FAA to notify them of their plans, so they can keep the airspace around the balloon clear and alert airplanes. Haag and Mohler have included a metallic reflector to allow the balloon to be picked up by radar. The girls will enter their data into a flight program that will calculate an approximate landing site. Once it's launched, Mr. Saffer, Haag, Mohler, and chaperones will then drive out to recover the capsule. Mr. Keever's class will be tracking it on GoogleMaps and will report its location to the recovery crew and the students at school. The recovery crew will use GPS units to pinpoint its location. The girls are hopeful that it will be easy to recover. Once the capsule is recovered, Haag and Mohler will post the pictures to the school's website. The project can be followed at www.tripointschools.org/vnews/display.v/ART/4be0f0709cd1c



Notice of Public Hearing ON ROAD DISTRICT BUDGET

Notice is hereby given that a Tentative Budget and Appropriation Ordinance from the Mazon Township Road District, in the County of Grundy, State of Illinois, for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2010, and ending March 31, 2011, will be on file and conveniently available to public inspection at Mazon Township Hall from and after 4 p.m. on May 14th, 2010.

Notice is further given hereby that a public hearing on said Budget and Appropriation Ordinance will be at 8 p.m., June 14, 2010, at Mazon Township Hall and that final action on this ordinance will be taken at a meeting to be held at Mazon Township Hall at 8 p.m., June 14th, 2010.

Dated this 12th day of May, 2010.

Roger L. Schlickman, Supervisor
Charles E. Adkins, Clerk

Notice of Public Hearing ON TOWNSHIP BUDGET

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Notice is further given hereby that a public hearing on said Budget and Appropriation Ordinance will be at 8 p.m., June 14, 2010, at Mazon Township Hall and that final action on this ordinance will be taken at a meeting to be held at Mazon Township Hall at 8 p.m., June 14th, 2010.

Dated this 12th day of May, 2010.

Roger L. Schlickman, Supervisor
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DECEASED.)

CLAIM NOTICE

Notice is given of the death of ALICE HAREN of ASTA CARE CENTER, 300 West Lowell Avenue, Pontiac, Illinois.

Letters of Office as Independent Executor were issued to DONNA BUCKLER of 901 Countryside Lane, Pontiac, IL 61764, and MARJORIE HAHN of P.O. Box 355, Cullom, IL 60929, whose attorneys are CAUGHEY, LEGNER & FREEHILL, 204 North Main Street, Pontiac, Illinois.

Claims may be filed on or before the 12th day of November, 2010. Any claim not filed on or before that date is barred. Claims may be filed in the Office of the Clerk of this Court at Livingston County Courthouse, Pontiac, Illinois, 61764, or claims may be filed with the Personal Representative or both. If filed with the Clerk, the claimant must, within ten (10) days, mail or deliver a copy of the claim to the Personal Representative and to his attorney and file with the Clerk proof of such mailing or delivery.

Dated: May 12, 2010

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901 Countryside Lane
Pontiac, IL 61764

MARJORIE HAHN
P.O. Box 355
Cullom, IL 60929

CAUGHEY, LEGNER & FREEHILL
Attorneys for the Estate
204 North Main Street
Pontiac, IL 61764
(815)842-1112

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

DTHS Spring Fine Arts Shows ¥ Art and Music ¥



TUTU MUCH DANCE COMPANY, Dwight, held a Daddy Date Night on March 23. Above, dance students in attendance are pictured in front of their fathers.



THE SECOND GRADE classes from Gardner Grade School participated in many Earth Day activities such as cleaning up the park and planting a tree in front of the school. A Thornless Cockspur Hawthorn tree was donated by Spring Grove Nursery.

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THE 20TH AG JEOPARDY COMPETITION sponsored by the Grundy County Farm Bureau was held on April 30. The Gardner Ag Team placed 2nd in the 12 team competition. Members of the Gardner 4th Grade Team are: Front Row (L-R): Mariah Anderson, Troy Speed, Sarah Schultz. Back Row (L-R): Sean Hansen, Spencer McDaniel, Josh Pearson, Coach Sharon Sovey. Coach Sovey was presented with a May Day flower arrangement for her 20 years of participation as a coach for Ag Jeopardy. Congratulations, GGS Ag Team members!



Area Churches

First Congregational United Church of Christ
200 W. Delaware St., Dwight
Phone 584-1260, church
Pastor Patricia Morton
May Mission: Blanket Sunday
May 12: 6:30 p.m., Mother/Daughter Banquet.
May 16: 10:15 a.m., Worship; 2 p.m., Heritage Manor Worship.
May 18: 9 a.m., Newsletter articles are due.

Emmanuel Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)
325 E. Mazon Ave., Dwight
584-3433 • 584-1291 fax
584-1023, parsonage
Rev. Daniel Ognoskie, Sr. Pastor
Rev. Jacob Ehrhard, Assoc. Pastor
May 12-13: 8:30 a.m., Preschool.
May 13: 5 p.m., Evang. Mtg.; 6:30 p.m., Stewardship Mtg.; 7 p.m. Ascension Service with Communion; Council Mtg. After Church.
May 15: 5 p.m., Worship.
May 16: 9 a.m., Bible Study/Sunday School; 10 a.m., Fellowship/Coffee; 10:30 a.m., Worship; Preschool kids to sing/cookies and punch following worship; 1 p.m., Voter's Meeting.
May 19: 1 p.m., Mary and Martha.

St. Peter's Lutheran Church
326 W. Chippewa, Dwight
Pastor Heidi Punt • 815-584-1199
www.stpeterselca.com
May 12: 8-9 a.m., Exercise; 10:45 a.m., HC Heritage Woods; 5-6:30 p.m., Confirmation.
May 13: Ascension of Our Lord.
May 14: 8-9 a.m., Exercise; 8 p.m., AA Meeting.
May 15: 2 p.m., Prairie View National Nursing Home Event.
May 16: 8:15 a.m., Worship; 9:15 a.m., Sunday School; 10:15 a.m., Council Minutes; 10:30 a.m., HC Worship.
May 17: 8-9 a.m., Exercise.
May 18: 9 a.m., Dorcas Circle at St. Peter's; 5 p.m., Bell Choir.
May 19: 8-9 a.m., Exercise; 5-6:30 p.m., Confirmation; 6 p.m., Anna Circle.
May 20: 1:30 p.m., Sarah Circle at St. Peter's; Synod Assembly, Springfield, through Saturday.

Dwight United Methodist Church
701 S. Columbia, Dwight
584-3420 • 584-3425 fax
584-1554, parsonage
Pastor: Rev. William Leppin
May 13: 7 p.m., Sanctuary Choir.
May 15: 6 p.m., YAGOs at Rentz's in Odell.
May 16: 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; 8:30-10:30 a.m., UMYF Coffee Shop; 9:15 a.m., Sunday School, Praise and Worship Team Rehearsal; 10:30 a.m., Praise and Worship Service, Graduate Recognition Sunday; 11:30 a.m., Graduate Reception in Fellowship Hall; 5:30 p.m., Prayer Group.
May 17: 8:30 a.m., UMW Mission Team Meeting.
May 18: 8:30 a.m., Bible Study, Karla B.; 5:30-7 p.m., First Place 4 Health; 7 p.m., SPRC.
May 19: 3-4 p.m., Children's Choir (Final Rehearsal); 3-4:30 p.m., Jr. UMYF; 4:45 p.m., Confirmation; 5:30-8:30 p.m., Sr. UMYF; 7 p.m., Bible Warriors, GLOW (Night Out); 8:30-9:30 p.m., UMYF Bible Study; 9:30 p.m., Sr. Hang.
May 20: 6:30 p.m., Sanctuary Choir; 8 p.m., AD Council.

St. Patrick Catholic Church
Mazon and Prairie Avenues, Dwight
Rev. James Rickey, Pastor
584-3522, Rectory
May 15: 4-4:45 p.m., Reconciliation; 5 p.m., Mass.
May 16: 8 a.m., Mass; 10:30 a.m., Mass.

First Baptist Church
401 N. Clinton St., Dwight
815-584-3182
Rev. Daniel Woodward
May 16: 9:45 a.m., Sunday School; 10:45 a.m., Sunday Morning Service BIG DAY — Join us for a dinner after the morning service!; 6 p.m., Evening Service.
May 19: 7 p.m., Wednesday Evening Service and King's Kids Children's Program.

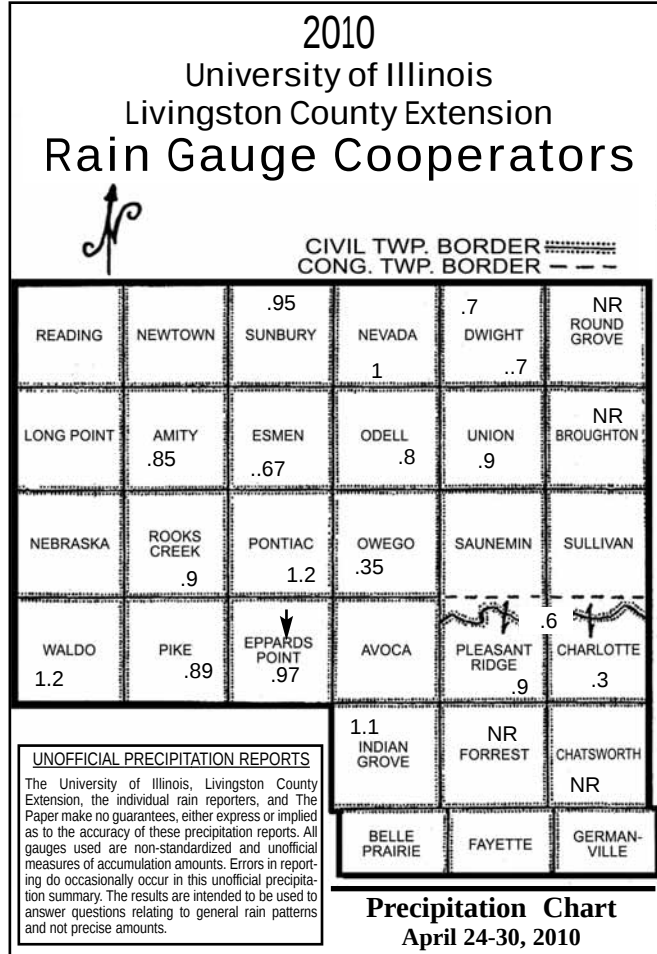
JIMMY HAMMORTREE, 23, left, an Ultimate Fighter Season 11 Contender, poses with wanna-be junior fighter Frankie Bruner of Cabery. Hammortree held a meet and greet at Willy's Pub in Dwight Wednesday, May 5, before the airing of another episode of the Ultimate Fighter. The show was filmed for six weeks, from January to March, in Las Vegas, Nevada. He was one of twenty-eight contestants. Jimmy was a Dwight Junior High wrestler before moving to Ocala, Florida his eighth grade year.

New Life Assembly of God
903 S. Old Route 66, Dwight
Angel Escamilla, Pastor
584-3430
www.nlionline.net
May 12: 10 a.m., Women of Focus Bible Study; 4:30 p.m., Leadership Meeting; 6:30 p.m., Impact Girls Club Final Meeting—will resume in the fall; 7 p.m., Worship Practice.
May 13: 6:30 p.m., X-treme Youth.
May 14: 6 p.m., Scrapbooking.
May 16: 9 a.m., Sunday School for all ages; 10 a.m., Church Service, Pre-K Church (age 3-5), Kids Church; 6 p.m., Sunday Night Prayer Group.
May 18: 6 p.m., Truthseekers Bible Study.

St. John's Lutheran Church
511 W. Jackson, Cullom
Rev. Trudy Foote, Pastor
689-2120, church
stjohns@frontiernet.net
May 12: 9:15-9:30 a.m., Prayer Service; Adult Ed. after PS; 7:30 p.m., Food Stand Mtg.
May 14: 2 p.m., P View Nursing Home Week Celebration.
May 15: 9 a.m., Inactive Ministry Prep.; 5 p.m., Worship/HC.

POB 46, 106 Goold St.
Church: 815-237-8512
Pastor Andrea Boggs
May 12: 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 13: 9-10 a.m., Exercise.
May 14: 8 p.m., Alcoholics Anonymous meeting.
May 16: 8:15 and 10 a.m., Sunday Worship Services.
May 18: 9-10 a.m., Exercise.
May 19: UMW Salad Luncheon; 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 20: 9-10 a.m., Exercise.

The Church of Hope Presbyterian Church (USA)
Monroe & Jefferson
P.O. Box 248, Gardner
815-237-8312
Janet Chandler, Pastor
May 12: 8:30 a.m., Pastor's Lectionary Group Meeting; 4 p.m., Choir Practice.
May 16: 9 a.m., Sunday School and Confirmation Class; 10:15 a.m., Worship Service/Sunday School Program.
May 19: 8:30 a.m., Pastor's Lectionary Group Meeting; 4 p.m., Choir Practice.



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AN ARBOR DAY POSTER CONTEST was recently held by Heritage Woods of Dwight. First through fifth grade students at Dwight Grade School were invited to enter. Winners, pictured left to right are, front row: Daly Galloway, Andrew Harsh, Kayla Kodat, Isavel Lopez and Avery Ohlendorf; back row: Kade Ohlendorf and Bryson Connor. Each child received a \$10 gift certificate to Dairy Queen. Winning posters were displayed during Heritage Woods Arbor Day celebration Friday, April 30.

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vs.
DANIEL E. DURBIN, NICOR GAS COMPANY, UNDER MEMORANDUM OF JUDGEMENT RECORDED AS DOCUMENT NUMBER 00594500, Defendant(s),
09CH 121
NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment heretofore entered by the said Court in the above entitled cause, the Sheriff of Livingston County, Illinois, will on June 16, 2010, at the hour of 10:00 a.m., at the Livingston County Courthouse, 112 West Madison Street, Pontiac, Illinois 61764, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, all and singular, the following described premises and real estate in the said Judgment mentioned, situated in the County of Livingston, State of Illinois, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said Judgment, to wit:

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DWIGHT CORRECTIONAL CENTER participated in Take Your Child to Work Day Thursday, April 22. Above, DCC staff members and their children gather during the annual event.



THE ANNUAL BRING YOUR KID TO WORK DAY was observed Thursday, April 22, at Dwight Dairy Queen. Above, left to right, DQ kids Brenda, Johnny, Josie and Kaylie take a break. Below, Johnny and Brenda greet customers and serve food.

Ransom Residents Irritated by Grain Elevator RedDog Dust

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amount of dust released by the elevator.

They're not doing anything about it," she said, adding, "I don't really complain because I knew (the elevator) was there when I moved here, so I've got to put up with it."

Charlotte Blair, who lives with husband John a block south of Grainco, is also upset about the level of debris.

There's people who live in town who see no problem with it, but it's not in their backyard," she said.

Blair said the dust has always been present — as in any town with an elevator — but it became a problem when Grainco installed the rail spur for loading trains.

If I go out in the yard now, like to mow, and all that dust blows up in my face, I get sick from it," Blair said. She added that her husband has been told by a lung specialist to wear a mask if he is outside when the elevator is drying grain.

We try to keep our property in decent shape, and with the red dog, our vehicles are always covered," Blair said.

She agreed that the problem is worst when the wind is blowing in their direction, when they're drying a tremendous amount of grain and especially when they're loading the trains. While Blair said she realizes that last year's unusually wet weather meant more corn had to be dried for longer than normal, "I've worked in other towns that have large elevators that don't

have near the problems we have here," she said.

So what does Grainco have to say about all this?

I'm quite aware that there's a challenge in any town with a grain elevator," said Bill Stahler, risk and regulation manager at Grainco FS. This is an ongoing challenge that everyone in the community has.

Stahler said he has checked with engineers about possible solutions to the dust problem, but "We're not aware of any technology that can 100 percent eliminate that," he said.

Stahler noted that Grainco works with the National Illinois Grain and Feed Association and inquired to them about possible upgrades or solutions, but found again that "we have the latest available technology."

He said the elevator in Ransom is also compliant with Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and manufacturer's standards. Although Stahler said the facility still uses the same equipment it did prior to the rail upgrade in 2004, that upgrade required new permits, which Grainco has obtained.

Stahler said the workers at the facility do make an effort to alleviate the problem, including sweeping up some of the dust that lands outside the elevator and trying to dry grain when the wind is blowing in the opposite direction of the village. However, because grain must be dried before it rots, "There are times when we get caught and the wind is in

the wrong direction, but our hands are tied at that point."

Stahler said he is open to ideas for solutions to the red dog problem.

If I knew of something else to do, we'd certainly give it consideration," he said.

Blair said she's wondered if a bigger, better housing shed at the elevator would help keep the dust level down, allowing the doors to be closed more often, and she's even pondered whether large fans could blow the dust away from the village. However, "I'm not an expert," she said.

She does think Grainco seems to be a little more conscientious about it than the last company but feels more can be done.

I would think that if (Grainco) can invest millions of dollars in (the elevator), they can invest more to help with the pollution," Blair said. She added, "There's just got to be something they can do with their equipment."

Ransom Mayor John Rzasa agreed that the red dog has been a problem since the circle train track was installed, saying, "It's not a very good situation. At times, it's been bad for the whole town." He said representatives from Grainco FS have come to village board meetings and said they wanted to help remedy the situation, but he doesn't know of any specific action Grainco has taken.

If they've done anything more, they haven't informed me or the village," Rzasa said. But Rzasa did notice that

the elevator doesn't seem to have been drying grain for the past six or seven weeks — meaning drying stopped about the same time several residents issued complaints at once, according to Rzasa. He was one of those residents — "I went down there and raised holy heck," he said.

Rzasa isn't sure whether the cease in drying was due to residents' complaints or other factors, such as a lack of material needing to be dried.

He said the air pollution issue at Grainco is now in the hands of the EPA.

Charlotte Blair said she has contacted both State Rep. Caren Gordon's office and the Illinois EPA regarding the high levels of dust coming from Grainco FS, but although both said they would look into the matter, "I felt like I was hitting a brick wall with it."

Maggie Carson of the Illinois EPA said the EPA is currently investigating the Ransom grain elevator. Although she could not give details of the case, she said the same type of complaint has been issued numerous times.

Carson noted that several EPA violations by the previous owners have been resolved and that the current owners appear to be trying to make the effort to resolve these issues.

Carson noted that the EPA is a compliance-based agency and does not issue fines.

She said it will be a couple weeks before the current investigation of Grainco FS in Ransom is complete.



Dwight is a doggone good town

BOW - WOW!

Pink Chihuahua banks are in place at six Dwight business places so people can make donations to the artistically-decorated dogs project that is underway.

Eleven dogs have been ordered from their manufacturer in Chicago.

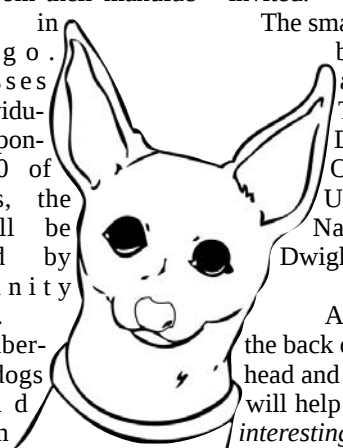
Businesses and individuals are sponsoring 10 of the dogs, the 11th will be sponsored by community donations. The fiberglass dogs should arrive in

about one month, when 11 local artists have agreed to begin their individual artwork.

A preview showing is planned for later this year, to which the public will be invited.

The small pink Chihuahua banks are located at Emling Florist, Turtle's, Bank of Dwight, Streator Onized Credit Union, First National Bank of Dwight, and Centurie.

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