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FOR THE RECORD

Tickets Issued by Dwight Police
Sept. 3: Daniel J. Goudzwaard, 21, Bolingbrook, suspended, revoked driver's license, expired registration sticker, in-state warrant.
Sept. 7: Gerald D. Sadnick, 53, Dwight, driving under influence of alcohol.
Sept. 8: Tony O. Pegues, 29, Pontiac, possession of cannabis/over 30 gms., mfg. del. poss. w/intent to d/m over.

Accident Investigated by Dwight Police
Tuesday, September 7, 2010, 3:56 p.m., 213 E. Mazon Ave., Dwight – Officer Watson McKee: Gerald D. Sadnick of Dwight, driving a tan 1997 Ford Taurus, collided with Donna Vegter of Frankfort, according to the police report.

Ambulance Runs by Dwight EMS
Sept. 2: Mazon Ave., trauma, Morris; Mazon, medical, Pontiac.
Sept. 3: James, medical, refusal; Mazon, medical, Morris; Trojan Dr., medical, refusal.
Sept. 4: Union, medical, MCH.
Sept. 6: Mazon, trauma, Riverside; Main, medical, MCH.
Sept. 7: Mazon, trauma, Morris.
Sept. 8: John St., medical, Riverside; Mazon, trauma, refusal; John, medical, Morris; Seminole, medical, Morris.

Odell Town-Wide Garage Sales October 1-2
Odell town-wide garage sales will be Friday, October 1, from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturday, October 2, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Anyone interested in having an address put on the list for fall sales should call 815-998-2738 by September 28. A fee applies, which covers advertising and printing of lists.

700 Visit Ambler/Becker Station During August
August was a busy month at the Ambler/Becker Route 66 Welcome Station in Dwight. Approximately 700 tourists stopped in August, bringing the total for the year to 2,300 visitors. These visitors represent 31 countries and 46 states with only Alaska, Hawaii, Delaware and Vermont not represented.
The station will be open Friday through Sunday in September and October. Volunteer opportunities are still available. Call 584-3296 to sign up.



DWIGHT CORRECTIONAL CENTER offenders and staff take time out for a photo during the recent Job Partnership program graduation.

DCC Offenders Learn a New Way to Work
The Illinois Department of Corrections is partnering with a faith-based organization, Job Partnership, to teach inmates how to be better citizens upon their release from incarceration. Fifteen currently incarcerated women participated in the current program at Dwight Correctional Center and received their diploma at a graduation ceremony held in the prison the week of August 15.
“This program is designed to allow offenders to gain positive work habits through a Biblically based program during a 12-week course,” said Dwight Correctional Center Warden Sheryl Thomson. “Offenders are specially chosen for the program with emphasis on their release date to ensure that when they graduate from Job Partnership, they will be ready for the work force upon re-entry into the community. These inmates gain a sense of self-worth as they participate in the program.
“Offenders come into our facility every day and they are released on parole every day; we must do everything we can to ensure they do not re-offend when they are sent back to the community. This program allows offenders to be productive citizens and is an asset to reentry programming,” said Thomson.
Job Partnership is currently being used at the Pontiac and Dwight correctional centers. This month, the program will be expanding into the Decatur Correctional Center. Fifty-four inmates have graduated from the program. Development and work skills training is provided by Illinois Central College. Currently the program works with employers in the Peoria and Bloomington areas to have jobs available for inmates upon their release, and they are hoping to expand to other counties in Illinois.

Temps - 2010
Sept. 1 – high 80°, low 66° 1.12” precip.
Sept. 2 – high 86°, low 57° 1.15” precip.
Sept. 3 – high 73°, low 50°
Sept. 4 – high 69°, low 46°
Sept. 5 – high 79°, low 47° .05” precip.
Sept. 6 – high 88°, low 62°
Sept. 7 – high 79°, low 48°
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Dwight Harvest Days September 17-19

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Are you a qualified voter for the upcoming **GENERAL ELECTION**? This election will be on **NOVEMBER 2, 2010**

If you are **not** registered and correctly registered as to name, address, precinct, etc., you are **NOT** eligible to vote a full ballot at this upcoming election.

REGISTRATION WILL CLOSE ON OCTOBER 5, 2010

YOU MUST REGISTER IF: You have changed your name by marriage or otherwise; you become 18 years of age on or before the date of the General Election **NOVEMBER 2, 2010**, and if you are a new resident of the County, provided you will have lived in the precinct 30 days before the date of the upcoming election as stated above.

OCTOBER 5, 2010, is the last day for new registrations and transfer of registrations. **YOU MUST TRANSFER** if you have moved from one residence to another (even if it is within the same precinct) 30 days before the stated election date. If you were registered in another county, you must re-register in Livingston County.

REGISTRATION can be done in person in the County Clerk's Election Office, at the Courthouse, 112 W. Madison St., Pontiac, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. When registering, please bring two forms of identification, one showing where you live in Livingston County.

GRACE REGISTRATION AND VOTING will begin October 6 through October 26. This will be for unregistered qualified voters, who wish to vote this election. The voter will register or change their registration and vote at that time, as long as they have resided at the address for 30 days prior to the upcoming election.

NOTE: IF YOU HAVE APPLIED FOR AN APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION AT THE SECRETARY OF STATE'S OFFICE AND HAVE NOT RECEIVED A VOTER ID CARD, IT IS IMPORTANT THAT YOU CONTACT THIS OFFICE TO MAKE SURE YOU ARE REGISTERED. There are many locations in Livingston County that in-person registration can be done. For more information on these locations or any questions pertaining to any present registration or new registration, please contact the County Clerk's office at 815-842-9318, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

EARLY VOTING will begin October 12 through October 28, and will be done in the County Clerk's Office. The clerk's office will be open every Wednesday evening from 4:30 to 6 p.m. starting October 13 and every Saturday starting October 2, 2010, 9 a.m. to noon, until the election. The office will offer two methods of voting, the Accu vote optical scan and TSX electronic voting system.

Kristy A. Masching
Livingston County Clerk

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Gardner All-town Fall Garage Sales

There seems to be interest in having a Gardner all-town fall garage sale to sell and/or buy fall and winter school clothes and decorations.

If you are interested in having a sale, contact Barb Phillips at 815-237-8305 by Friday, September 24, to be put on the map. The date will be set for Saturday, October 2, starting at 9 a.m.

Garage sales are an opportunity to sell good, usable items; get great deals; and see your neighbors and friends.

New Books at Prairie Creek

The following books have been added to the selection at Prairie Creek Public Library, Dwight:

"A Call from Jersey" by P. F. Kluge; "The Darling Dahlias and the Cucumber Trees" by Susan Wittig Albert; "A Colorful Death" by Carola Dunn; "Betrayers" by Bill Pronzini; "Freedom: A Novel" by Jonathan Franzen; "The Thorn" by Beverly Lewis; "Portobello" by Ruth Rendall; "Bleed a River Deep" by Brian McGiloway; "Heartsick" by Chelsea Cain; "The Mob and Me: Wiseguys and the Witness Protection Program" by John Partington; "With Love and Laughter, John Ritter" by Amy Yasbeck.



THE TIGER TALK BOOK CLUB at Gardner Grade School recently received a grant from the Omicron Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma. The grant was used to purchase all 240 books to be used for the 2010-2011 book club meetings. Tiger Talk Book Club sponsors are Sharen Sovey, Laura Mund, Gigi Pierard and Janelle Biros.

Fossil Ridge Library to Introduce New Director

The Fossil Ridge Public Library Board of Trustees invites the public to a reception introducing the library's new director, Anna Yackle, to the community. The reception will be held from 3 to 5 p.m. Thursday, September 16, at the library, 386 Kennedy Rd., Braidwood.

Yackle began her library career about 26 years ago, working in a law firm library. She received her bachelor's degree in political science from the University of Colorado and her master's degree in library science

from the University of Illinois.

Yackle has held a wide variety of positions in law, academic and public libraries. Her most recent position was public library liaison in the North Suburban Library System. As the new Fossil Ridge Library director, she will be responsible for the daily operations of the main library and five branch library facilities.

"I believe in the power of public libraries, their ability to change lives and that they act as the vital heart of a

community," Yackle said. "This reception is a great opportunity for people to become re-acquainted with their library. I look forward to meeting members and discussing their thoughts on how the library can better serve them."

Dwight Seniors Duplicate Bridge Results

Duplicate bridge was played September 9 at the Dwight Senior Citizens Center with the following results:

North-South: first, Dorothy Christenson and Norma Houck; second, Liz Houck and Marge Mueller; third, Ellen Galeaz and Jan Kresl.

East-West: first, Delores Slattery and Lee Fuerstenberg; second, Barb Christensen and Leila Patchett; third, June Miller and Janyce Gross.

The next game will be played at the senior center on Thursday, September 23.

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Southeastern Grundy Seniors Prepare for ‘Night on the Town’

On September 3, the Southeastern Grundy County Senior Citizens met for their regular monthly meeting with 19 members and one guest, Barbara Chandler.

A table prayer was given by Leah and after lunch that was the choice of each member ordering off the menu and served by Kim.

President Lorraine Hansen called the meeting to order with the rap of her gavel. The Pledge of Allegiance was said by all; those who could, stood.

Evelyn Howland read the minutes and said cards were sent. Treasurer Wavel Needy gave her report. There was much talk about the club's finances. Questions were asked about whether the club should continue with table favors. Hansen tabled the subject until the next meeting.

The concern of Donna Bexson's extended illness was brought before the group. There was a motion to send a monetary gift to be hand-delivered by Virginia Meditz, who is a neighbor of the Bexsons.

Birthdays for the month were Barbara Broak and Betty Huston.

Shut-ins registered were Alra, Lenora, Vi and Betty.

At the birthday card party, nine members played pinochle, etc.

The community event, "Gardner's Night on the Town" September 22 was talked about, asking all to

attend. The event is hosted by Standard Bank.

Interment services for Veronica Tyler at Braceville-Gardner Cemetery were well attended by the seniors.

Char Sorensen brought news that a flu shot clinic will be held at the Church of Hope on Thursday, October 7, from 9 to 11:30 a.m. You must present your Medicare or Medicaid card to get fall shots. Fee applies. Children from six months to 18 years are free; donations will be accepted. Refreshments will be served by the deacons of the Church of Hope. Jackie Marks offered to help.

Leah Christensen read an article, "We Are Survivors," to which the seniors related.

Each place setting received a magnet made by Jackie Marks' relative who has plants in China.

Anyone interested in joining the club who is 55 years or older is welcome. The first Friday of each month is the designated meeting day at the Gardner Restaurant.

Grundy County Board of Health to Meet Sept. 15

There will be a meeting of the Grundy County Board of Health at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, September 15.

The meeting will take place in the Grundy County Administration Center, 1320 Union St., Morris.

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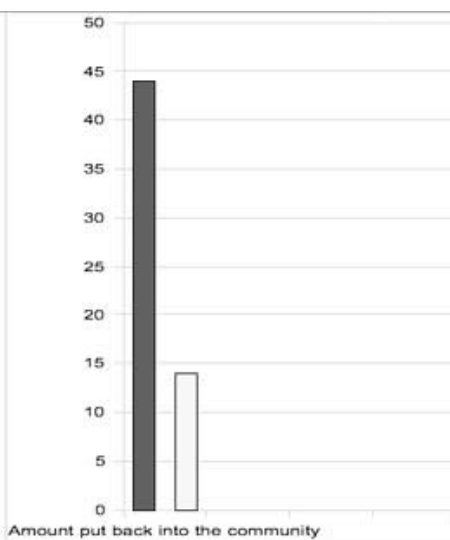
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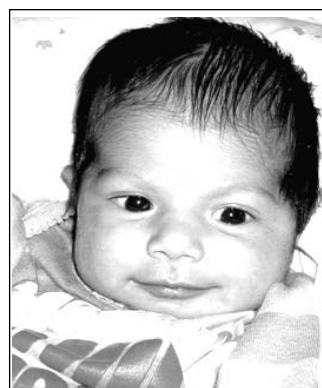
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Sofia Grace Abraham

A girl!

Jeneson and Sandy Abraham of Forest Park are proud to announce the birth of Sofia Grace on August 4, 2010.

She was born at 1:45 a.m., weighing seven pounds, one ounce. Sofia was 21 inches long.

She was welcomed home by her big brother, Josiah, and big sister, Lydia.

Grandparents are Joe and Sandy Kokaly of Dwight and John and Amini Abraham of Mumbai, India. Great-grandparents are Joe and Delores Kokaly of Alamogordo, N.M.

Sofia was born on her Uncle Kurt and Auntie Katy McCormick's third wedding anniversary.



Jack Robert Wren

A boy!

Bobby and Amanda Wren of Coal City are happy to announce the birth of their son, Jack Robert.

He was born July 27, 2010, in Morris Hospital. Jack weighed seven pounds, 11 ounces and was 21 1/4 inches long.

Jack was welcomed home by his big sister, Lillie.

Maternal grandparents are Rick and Tammy Reyes of Coal City. Paternal grandparents are Wayne and Debbie Wren of South Wilmington.

Maternal great-grandparents are Ken Atkinson of Morris and the late Dixie Atkinson, and Rico and Jova Reyes of La Grullo, Texas. Paternal great-grandparents are Elmer and Janice Wren of South Wilmington, Leonard and Mary Mahler of Dwight and the late Bob Horrie.



Shelby Jayne DeLong

A girl!

Jeremy and Sarah DeLong of Dwight announce the birth of their daughter, Shelby Jayne DeLong.

Shelby was born at 6:45 p.m. Friday, August 6, 2010 in Loyola University Medical Center. She weighed six pounds, three ounces and was 19 inches long.

She was welcomed by her brother, Maddox.

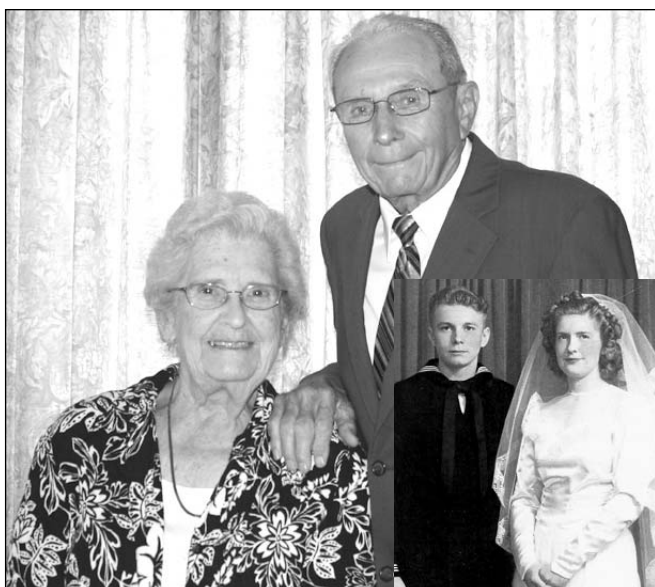
Maternal grandparents are Lynn Gassman of Dwight and Eugene Briner of Dwight. Paternal grandparents are Randy and Cindy DeLong of Dwight.

Melissa White Earns Degree from WIU

Nearly 500 students earned academic degrees after the 2010 Summer semester at Western Illinois University, Macomb and Quad Cities.

Bachelor's degrees were awarded to 375 students. Master's degrees were awarded to 115 students.

Melissa J. White of Dwight earned a Bachelor of Science degree in exercise science.



Betty and Jim Bunting

Jim and Betty Bunting to Celebrate 65th Anniversary

Jim and Betty Bunting of Dwight will celebrate their 65th anniversary with a family dinner in Toluca.

Jim Bunting and Betty Swartz were married September 16, 1945, at the Emington Congregational Church in an 8 p.m. candlelight service. Their attendants were Gladys Gassman Kohrt and LaVern Weller.

They are the parents of Lee (Marie) Bunting, Dwight; Elaine (Jerry) Ro-

berts, Camargo; Don (Marcia) Bunting, Odell; Art (Kathy) Bunting, Dwight; Barb (Dave) Thompson, Dwight; and Linda (Tom) Brady, Dwight. They have 16 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Jim has been a farmer since returning home from Navy service in 1946. He also worked at Caterpillar, retiring in 1985. Betty retired from the Fox Developmental Center in 1987.

Easter Seals to Offer Free Screenings

Easter Seals, Joliet Region will offer free developmental screenings for Grundy County children ages birth to 36 months on Wednesday, September 15, from 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Morris Area Public Library, 604 N. Liberty St., Morris.

Screenings are by appointment only and are conducted by credentialed early intervention developmental therapists. Appointments may be made by calling Brenda at 815-416-6410.

The screenings are offered on a quarterly basis and are supported by the Morris Rotary Club and the Morris Hospital Foundation in collaboration with the Grundy Partnership for Children.

Dwight's Christmas For Kids is accepting donations at all Dwight Banks.

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- Sept. 17-18: Banking for Books bake sale, Odell Bank, benefits library
- Sept. 17-19: Dwight Harvest Days
- Sept. 19: St. Paul Booster Breakfast, St. Pat's Hall, Dwight, 8 a.m.-noon
- Sept. 24-25: Cullom-Kempton Town-wide Garage Sales
- Oct. 1-2: Odell Town-wide Garage Sales
- Oct. 2: Gardner All-town Garage Sales
- Oct. 3: Dwight Decorated Dog Preview Party
- Oct. 9: South Wilmington All-town Garage Sales
- Oct. 26: Bazaar, Dwight United Methodist Church, 7 a.m.-2 p.m.

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Morris Hospital Names September Fire Starter of the Month

Ever since she was a little girl, Cindy Hill of East Brooklyn has been all about helping others. Whether it's people or animals, she experiences great satisfaction knowing she has made someone's life a little bit better.

Hill brings that same dedication to her role as a clerk in the Laboratory at Morris Hospital, where she was recently selected as Fire Starter of the Month for September.

"I rely on Cindy's abilities every day," says Kimberly Wolfer, Laboratory Manager at Morris Hospital & Healthcare Centers. "She's one of the rocks in the Laboratory. Because of her incredible knowledge, she is a go-to person, and she is always willing to take on new projects. She is the type of person who looks outside the box to see if there is a better way to do things."

Hill first joined Morris Hospital in the Registra-



Cindy Hill

tion/Scheduling department in 1996 and transferred to the Laboratory as Histology secretary about 18 months later. She eventually evolved into the role of Laboratory clerk, where she is responsible for processing specimens into the department and moving them on to the appropriate section of the Laboratory. She checks orders for medical necessity, provides results to physician offices, and prepares special billing. She also serves on the department's Accounts

Maintenance team.

"One of the goals of any Laboratory is to keep things constantly moving so there are no peaks or valleys in the work flow," says Wolfer. "Cindy is instrumental to that process."

Like most Fire Starters, Hill is humble about her contributions and says working "behind-the-scenes" suits her just fine. She says she wanted to work in healthcare because she saw it as an opportunity to do what she enjoys most - helping others. She also keeps the patient at the center of everything she does.

"I try to make improvements where I can, so things are easier for everyone," says Hill. "No matter what I'm doing, I always try to look at the situation as if I'm the patient. I would want to get my results in a timely manner. When the person I'm helping is happy and satisfied, that's pretty rewarding for me."

As Fire Starter of the Month, Hill received a Grundy County Chamber of Commerce gift certificate, a special "Fire Starter" lapel pin, and a designated parking spot for the month. Morris Hospital & Healthcare Centers is the largest employer in Grundy County with over 940 employees.

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Upcoming Meetings

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- Sept. 21: Dwight Woman's Club Opening Dinner, Country Club, 6 p.
- Sept. 21: Dwight Sons of the American Legion Mtg. at VFW, 6:30 p.
- Oct. 7: Divorce Support Group, 1802 N. Division, Morris, 7-8:30 p.m.

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Godley.

For more information or an application, contact Angie at 815-458-6129, ext. 224. Vendor applications along with payment are due by Friday, October 8.

Tri-Point FFA Extends Flower Sale

The Tri-Point FFA Annual Flower Sale will be extended until Friday, September 17. Those interested may order flowers and arrange for pick-up by calling the Tri-Point High School agriculture department at 815-689-2110, ext. 301, or by contacting any FFA member.

In addition to mums, an assortment of miniature Indian corn and gourds is available.

70th Cullom Jam

The 70th Cullom Jam will take place Sunday, September 26, from 5 to 8 p.m. at the Cullom Community Building. This is sponsored by the Citizens for Cullom.

Come to jam or come to listen. Admission is a free-will donation. Lunch is available at break time.

There are two door prizes given away, and you can win a "full meal deal" for the next month.

Jams are held the fourth Sunday of every month except December. This is an open stage and a time for music and fellowship. Jammers come from far and near.



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apply on Sunday. Food booths will also be set up between the craft show and flea market.

Kids can head to Harmony Park Saturday for the petting zoo that runs from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. **There will be no petting zoo Sunday.** At 10 a.m., kids can join in free *puppet play time and crafts* in the Harmony Park shelter or participate in kiddie games, with prizes to be won by all.

A baby changing and toddler potty station will be housed in TuTu Much Dance Company Saturday from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sunday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Entertainment on the downtown stage Saturday will include Rob Thompson,

“funny magicguy,” providing family entertainment at 11 a.m.; 4 *Cryin’ Out Loud*, a local rock-n-roll band celebrating 20 years, at noon; and the newly formed Livingston Leapers jump rope club performing stepping skills at 2 p.m.

At 3 p.m., the second annual junior karaoke championship will feature 15 local children singing for cash prizes.

The Big Boyz Toyz Third Annual Hot Dog Eating Contest will take to the stage at 5 p.m. “Local celebrities” will devour hot dogs for charities in this auction-style fund-raiser.

At 7 p.m., 10 pre-qualified singers will compete in the Harvest Days \$1,000 Karaoke Championship.

The three newest quali-

fiers are: Michelle Mortensen, Erin Madden and Don Hileman. They joined Wayne Bacigalupo, Ben Brady, Gwen Edwards, Holly Thomason, Kim Mauser, Dan McConnell, Mary Mansfield and “Sister Act”.

Following the karaoke championship, at 9 p.m., the Rock Star Live Karaoke Band will provide backup music for anyone in the crowd who wants to sing on stage like a real rock star.

Sunday, September 19, tractor enthusiasts can view – or participate in – the tractor show to be held from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. at 313 S. Prairie Ave., in the law office parking lot.

From 8 a.m. to noon, St. Paul School, Odell, will host a pancake and sausage breakfast at St. Patrick’s Parish Hall on West Mazon Avenue.

The car show will again roll into Renfrew Park starting at 9 a.m. Sunday. Awards will be given, DJ music will fill the air and snacks will be on hand.

At 9:30 a.m., an ecumenical worship service will be held downtown with the theme “Amazing Grace.”

There will not be a band following the church service.

There will not be an open house at the Fox Developmental Center.

At 12:45 p.m., the 13th Annual Illinois Basset Waddle steps off at the corner of Washington Street and West Mazon Avenue. Hundreds of bassets, some dressed for the “Swingin’ Waddle Weekend” theme, will be led by “Shooter,” the

basset owned by Chicago Blackhawks hockey star Patrick Sharp.

At the same time, the parade will start at the Dwight schools and proceed north on Washington to Mazon Avenue, east on Mazon to Chicago Street, south on Chicago to Philmar and back to the schools. The parade theme is *superheroes*, and Dwight’s emergency service personnel will be honored as parade marshals.

After the parade, at 4 p.m., 10 bands will compete in the Harvest Days Invitational Band Competition at Oughton Athletic Field, Dwight Township High School. The awards ceremony will be held at approximately 7:45 p.m.

Following the band show, there will be a drawing for three \$100 prizes for lucky Harvest Days button purchasers, along with the split-the-pot 50/50 drawing winner.

Throughout the weekend, the official Harvest Days tent, at the center of East Main Street (downtown park), will be headquarters for fun and the opportunity to win prizes. At the tent, you can vote for your favorite in the new “cutest baby contest” (Saturday only); you can also purchase Harvest Days buttons for a chance to win the \$100 button drawings or purchase 50/50 tickets for your chance to win one of 6 new \$100 “cash dash” drawings. If your name is chosen for a “cash dash” drawing, you have 31 minutes to return to the Harvest Days tent and claim your prize.



Parade Theme to Honor Dwight’s ‘Superheroes’

Harvest Days will wrap up this year with a parade of heroic proportions. The theme of this year’s parade is “Superheroes.”

Harvest Days President Jerry Beier said the theme was chosen following the June 5 tornado, when the community demonstrated its super spirit.

“It showed a lot of heroism,” he said. The theme is “a reflection of how every-

body came together and worked through this whole mess.”

Beier said the theme provides a lot of options for superhero-themed parade entries. Representatives from Dwight’s emergency services have been asked to be this year’s Harvest Days Parade marshals.

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washed in an old wringer Maytag and imagine what life was like before perma-press, or for that matter, electricity!

The museum, housed in the Dwight Depot, will be open Saturday, September 18, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sunday, September 19, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Demonstrations will be on Saturday.

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Harvest Days Hot Dog Eaters Speak Frankly About Contest

by Meta Machulis

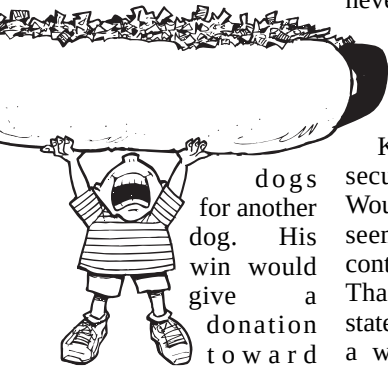
It's time for a few ambitious, hungry people in the Dwight community to study the technique of Joey Chestnut, the winner of this year's Nathan's Famous Fourth of July International Hot Dog Eating Contest. The competition promises to be just as intense at the Big Boyz Toyz Third Annual Hot Dog Eating Contest, to be held at 5 p.m. Saturday, September 18, on the downtown stage during Dwight's Harvest Days Celebration.

Nine contestants are preparing their appetites for the contest and talking a little smack to intimidate their fellow eaters. And they have good reason to be so "frank" — through audience contributions, the hot dog eating contest raises funds for a charity of the contestant's choice. Half the amount raised will be given to the chosen cause, while the other half will go to the winning bidder.

Cami Parks will eat to raise money for Dwight Sports Boosters. Time spent at the ballpark might give her a competitive edge, and she warns, "I won't chew."

Ben Samples will down the dogs to bring up some funds for Dwight Harvest Days. He pledges, "I won't be the first loser this year!"

Gary Beier, ironically, will try to exchange several



dogs for another dog. His win would give a donation toward bringing a drug-sniffing dog to the Dwight Police Department. Beier warns, "It's a dog-eat-dog world, and I'm wearing Milkbone undies."

Todd Weikum hopes to catch the competition off guard with his casual attitude, stating simply, "I am all about a free meal."

Catie Anderson will eat for Ronald McDonald House, and she's no McChicken when it comes to competition. She states, "Fact: I will win."

James Meece might be eating dogs for IMPACT Dwight, but he plans to float like a butterfly and sting the competition like a bee. He warns, "I am the Muhammad Ali of hot dog eating."

Rick Bovelle would relish a win to raise money for Dwight tornado victims. Competitors beware — he states, "Danger Dick has no fear."

Christian Kulla may be a student at Dwight Township High School, but one should

never underestimate the ability of a teenage boy to eat. In his effort to raise funds for Team Taylor, he vows, "I will do it."

Kevin Drechsel will try to secure some cash for the Wounded Warrior Project. It seems the hot dog eating contest will serve as his early Thanksgiving meal, as he states, "I plan on gobbling up a win and asking for seconds."

A final contestant will be selected just before the contest, when a seat is auctioned off to a member of the crowd. Are you up to the challenge?



THE LIVINGSTON LEAPERS Rope Jumping Club performed at the August 21 Dwight Main Street Market. Many family members and friends were on hand to see what members of the recently formed club have learned. They will be performing during Harvest Days on Saturday at 2 p.m. They will be at the downtown stage area.

Children's Games Saturday at Harmony Park

The Harvest Days Children's Games will again be held in Harmony Park, across Mazon Avenue from the Fox Center, from 10 a.m. to noon on Saturday, September 18.

Children age two through second grade will play fun and easy games, while an obstacle course will be set up for children in third through fifth grade. The games are free, and everyone earns a prize. There will be balloons and a bounce house, too!

Both age groups can participate at the same time. Families can come together any time during the two-hour period, play and then be on their way to enjoy the rest of Harvest Days. Last year, 225 children participated, and even more are expected this year.

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BRACEVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT this year welcomes Mrs. Amy Boersma, resource teacher (left); and Mrs. Dawn Ladzinski, cross category teacher.



NEW TEACHERS at Dwight Grade School are Mrs. Amy Kargle (left), pre-school for all teacher; and Mr. David Allen, first grade teacher.



RANSOM GRADE SCHOOL staff for the 2010-2011 year includes, left to right, front row: Mary Pat Baima, Jim Fruland, Lindsey Paul, Erin Genseke and Carole Scheuer; middle row: Brad Coughlin, Mary Jane Yedinak, Anita Dally, Nicole Hall and Julie Richards; back row: Melinda Stevens, Marsha DeWalt, Janell Satler, Leslie Coughlin and Amanda Esgar.



STACEY ATKINSON joins Herscher Grade School this year as a third grade teacher.



MICHELLE VINCENT, left, is the new principal and **Jason Ronna**, right, is the new assistant principal at Herscher Grade School.



HERSCHER GRADE SCHOOL welcomes district veteran **Bruce Richardson** (left) as music teacher and **Josh Youngs** as band teacher with the start of the school year.

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There will be separate pricing for adults and for children age 12 and younger.



THE REDDICK GRADE SCHOOL faculty gained a new face this year — resource teacher **Rob Grosso**.

I want to thank everyone for their prayers, calls, visits and cards that I received while I was in and out of the hospital.

*Thanks again,
Wayne Sorensen*

Thank you seems so little to say for all the kindness and caring shown to us while Ralph was in the hospital and since returning home. We appreciate all the prayers, cards, visits, hugs, food and flowers.

Special thanks to Pastor Ognoskie for the prayers and visits; to the Dwight Ambulance Crew, they are the best.

We are blessed to have such good friends to care for us.

*Thanks again,
Ralph Burger and Sylvia*



ALLYSON LEWIS is the new fifth grade teacher at Reddick Grade School.

Cullom Senior Citizens Hear Patriotic Musical Presentation

The Cullom Senior Citizens kicked off their new year Wednesday, September 8, with a potluck dinner in the Cullom Community Building. President Judy Ehlers welcomed the 15 members and one guest and led the dinner prayer. The committee for the day was Red and Jean Floyd and Carol Tharp.

Following the meal, Ehlers called the meeting to order. All stood in silence in remembrance of 9/11. The pledge to the flag was said. A humorous reading, "No One Believes Seniors," was given by Ehlers.

The August and September birthdays and anniversaries were noted, and "Happy Birthday" was sung.

Co-secretary Edna Hayslette read the June minutes and correspondence. Treasurer Linda Vercler gave the treasurer's report, and bills were approved to pay.

"Thank yous" were given to the committee and those who helped set up and take down tables and chairs. Hostesses are needed for the year, along with program ideas.

A possible barn quilt tour was discussed and tabled until spring. Pat Fagan, card chairman, had cards to be signed for members of the community who can't be present at club meetings. She gave a report on those sent in July and August.

It was announced that Sunday, September 26, from 5 to 8 p.m., will be the Cullom Jam in the Cullom Community Building. Many local talents will take part.

The program for the afternoon was given by Navana Ahrends of the Graymont area. She gave a musical presentation in honor of "9/11," now known as "Patriot Day."

The next meeting will be Wednesday, October 13, at noon with a potluck. The program will be by Marion Shier, crops unit educator for the Livingston County Extension, on "Barns of Livingston County." All are welcome to attend this presentation.

All senior citizens who are 55 or older are invited to join for food and fellowship. Just bring a dish to share and your own table service.

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OBITUARIES

Deane J. Dixon

DWIGHT – Deane J. Dixon, 72, of Amarillo, Texas died Thursday evening, September 9, 2010 at 11:25 p.m. surrounded by his loving family, after a long, courageous battle with cancer.

Visitation will be from 4 until 6 p.m., Thursday, September 16, at Hager Memorial Home, Dwight.

His Funeral Mass will be at 11 a.m., Friday, September 17, in Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Campus. Father Michael Bies will officiate.

Burial will be in Sacred Heart Cemetery, Campus. Military rites will be accorded by Dwight American Legion Post 486 and Dwight VFW Post 2608.

Deane was born January 16, 1938 in Campus, Illinois.

He is survived by his wife, Julia Dixon; a daughter, Tracy Trewartha of Dwight; a son, Michael D. Dixon and wife, Margo, of California; and a stepson, Steven Rupp and wife, Jennifer, of Anaheim, California.

Also surviving are three brothers: Richard Dixon and wife, Beverly, of Joliet; Robert Dixon and wife, Jane, of Dwight; and Joe Dixon of Wisconsin; a brother - in - law, Kenneth Mc-Knight and wife, Carole, of Amarillo.

Four grandchildren: Erin, Ryan, Chloe and Quinn; and numerous nephews, nieces and cousins also survive.

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David W. Thorson

KEMPTON – David W. Thorson, 58, of Kempton, died Tuesday, September 7, 2010 at his residence.

Visitation was Saturday, September 11, from 11 a.m. until the hour of the funeral service at 1 p.m. at the Kempton Church of the Nazarene with Rev. John Mohler officiating.

Burial was in Kempton Hill Cemetery, Kempton.

David was born April 13, 1952 in Kankakee, a son of Sherwood W. and Edith Arnold Thorson. He married Akiko Matsuoka on June 15, 1996 in Kankakee. She survives in Kempton.

He is also survived by his sons, Joshua and Nicholas Thorson, both at home; his mother, Edith Palermo of Kempton; three sisters: Linda



(Ken) Smith of Brookport; Betty (John) Porter of Mountain Grove, Mo.; and Joyce (Walt) Running of Kankakee; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father and by his brother, Gerald Thorson.

David graduated from Kankakee High School. He served our country in the United States Marine Corps. He had worked for 38 years as a driver for Security Lumber in Kankakee. He attended the Kempton Church of the Nazarene. David loved his family very much.

Memorials in David's name may be made to an educational fund for his sons.

Martin Funeral Home in Cullom assisted the family with arrangements.

This obituary may be viewed and private condolences made at www.martinfuneralhomes.com

Martin A. Residori

SOUTH WILMINGTON – Martin A. Residori, 92, of South Wilmington passed away Saturday, September 11, 2010 at Heritage Manor Nursing Home in Dwight.

Funeral services will be from the R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd., South Wilmington Chapel, today, Wednesday, September 15, at 9:30 a.m. to St. Lawrence Catholic Church in South Wilmington for a Mass of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. Rev. John Hornicak will officiate.

Interment with military honors will be in the Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery, Elwood.

Visitation was Tuesday from 5 until 8 p.m.

Martin was born August 21, 1918 in South Wilmington to Tulio and Anne Cornale Residori.

He was a lifelong resident of South Wilmington; a veteran of the United States Army Air Force, serving during World War II; a member of St. Lawrence Catholic Church in South Wilmington and the Gardner American Legion; and former member of the Braidwood Knights of Columbus #1574.

He ran Oxeys Tavern in South Wilmington for several years, and retired from Mobil Chemical after numerous

years of employment. Martin was an avid gardener.

Surviving are one son, Peter (Michele) Residori of South Wilmington; two daughters: Pamela (Peter) Smith of Guilford, Connecticut and Patricia (James) Dinelli of Dwight; one son-in-law, Dennis (Sue) Turner of Cleveland, Tennessee; ten grandchildren: Melissa (Brad) Wagner, Megan (Will) Martin, Kelly Stevens, Dylan Turner, Mike (Tami) Dinelli, Katie (Andrew) Horan, Anne Dinelli, Patsy (Eric) Bell, David (Nurys) Smith, and Haley Residori.

Also surviving are five great-grandchildren: Adam, Anthony and Isabella Dinelli, and Grace and Vivian Bell; one brother, Tom Residori of Bourbon-nais; and a sister-in-law, Genevieve Residori of South Wilmington.

Preceding him in death were his wife Marguerite Glasgow Residori, to whom he was married February 8, 1948 in Coal City; one daughter, Martina Turner; and two brothers, Joe and Vern Residori.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in his name may be directed to the St. Lawrence Catholic Church in South Wilmington or the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.

Emerson L. Wiemken



STREATOR – Emerson L. Wiemken, 83, of Streator died Thursday evening, September 9, 2010 at his home.

Funeral services will be held today, Wednesday, September 15, at 11 a.m. at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Streator, with Rev. John Gutz officiating.

Burial with full military rites conducted by members of American Legion Post #217 and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #1492 will be in Riverview Cemetery, Streator.

Pallbearers will be Norval, Lisa and Pieter Emerson Wiemken; Jason Farris; Shay Russell and Sally Henderson. Honorary pallbearers will be Bob Houser, Calvin Applegate, Julie Atherton, Charles Rinkenberger, Robert Sproule, Bill Evans, Joseph Zima and Elido Alvarado.

Visitation was Tuesday from 5 until 8 p.m. at Hagi Funeral Home, Streator.

Emerson was born November 21, 1926 in Dwight, a son of Richard and Florence Haig Wiemken. He married Lydia Jean Novak December 30, 1950 in Trinity Lutheran Church, Streator.

Emerson was a retired State of Illinois employee, working as a plumber at the Dwight Correctional Facility and a plumber by trade. He was a member of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, where he served as a Sunday School teacher and usher. He was a former coach and president of Streator Youth Baseball and was a member of Ameican Legion Post #217.

A veteran of World War II, he served with the U.S. Marines from December 10, 1943 until November 7, 1945 in Fifth Marine Division, 28th Marine Corps, 1st Battalion Company "C", and at age 17, participated in action against the enemy at Iwo Jima, where he was wounded in action and a first wave survivor.

He attended Dwight grade schools, was a graduate of Dwight High School, and participated in trade courses at Bradley University, Peoria.

He is survived by his wife, Lydia Jean Wiemken of Streator; two daughters: Connie Russell, St. Petersburg, Florida; and Lisa Wiemken, formerly of Atlanta, Georgia, who resided in Streator while providing Emerson's care; two sons: Thomas (Ells) Wiem-ken of St. Petersburg, Florida; and Rick (Lisa) Wiemken of Pearl City; five grandchildren: Shay Russell, Emily and Pieter Wiemken, all of St. Petersburg, Florida; Isabel and Max Wiemken, Pearl City.

Also surviving are one sister, Beverly (Glen) Nelson of Springfield, Missouri; two nieces, Susan Wiemken, Texas; and Sally Henderson, Dwight; one nephew, Norval Wiemken, Dwight, as well as other extended relatives and close friends and loved ones.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers: Calvin and Thomas Wiemken.

Memorials may be made to the Good Samaritan Fund at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church.

Dale B. Olson

MORRIS – Dale B. Olson, 71, of Morris, passed away Wednesday afternoon, September 8, 2010, at Morris Hospital with his loving family by his side.

Visitation was from 9 a.m. until funeral services at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, September 11, at Peace Lutheran Church with Pastor Jeffrey K. Chubb officiating.

Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery, Morris.

Military services were provided by the Morris Color Guard.

Born February 7, 1939 in Plattville, Dale was the son of Edward and Mabel Olson. On June 13, 1959, he married his sweetheart, Verneda Walters, and they spent the next 51-plus years together.

He is survived by his wife, Verneda, of Morris; one son, Dale "Pete" (Kelly) Olson of Dwight; two daughters, Lisa Moran of Romeoville and Susan (Chris) Eggleston of Battle Creek, Mich.; and six grandchildren: Emily, Nathan, Kady, Michael, Ryan and Gabby.

He was educated in Newark schools and spent his younger years working at the family business, Newark Redi-Mix. Dale was a 30-plus-year employee of Caterpillar Tractor Company in Aurora and a U.S. Army veteran with active duty overseas.

In his retired years, he enjoyed spending time with family, especially his adoring grandchildren and friends; collecting knives; and was an active participant on swap shop for many years. In addition, he enjoyed working on small engines, fishing, hunting with his son, camping and going for drives.

He fought a brief and courageous battle with cancer with a never give up attitude. His infectious smile, witty sense of humor and positive attitude will be missed by all whom he touched. He truly lived his life by his own saying, "Any job worth doing is worth doing right." Dale loved talking to everyone and made friends wherever he went – he never met a stranger.

He was a member of the American Legion and Morris Rod and Gun Club.

Memorials may be directed to Peace Lutheran Church, the American Cancer Society or the Morris Fire Department.

Sign the private online guestbook at www.frulandfuneralhome.com

Fruland Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Where Do You See Dwight in 50 Years?

I've heard some of the comments from the September 7 meeting. From what I understand, the two sides went in with their minds already made up. Nobody was able to say what the problem was, or why they disagreed. One side is basically made up of younger citizens, who would like to see the town grow and prosper; the older citizens would like to see the town stay the same.

I would like to ask everyone a question. Where do you see Dwight in 50 years?

I believe we should have a historical board, but it should not have the power to override the village board, or take on something after the fact. The new board should get buildings on the historical register.

The IMPACT team went through the proper channels to get this project done, with village board approval. They had articles in *The Paper* to try and get ideas for the depot area. That was the time to say your objections, or creative ideas.

I was born on the corner of Franklin and William. I am an older Dwight citizen, and I think what the younger

people are doing is great for the village and the growth of the town. They want to make the town more appealing to new people. Why would anyone want to move into a town that is not willing to make small changes to improve its image? If the new board says to redo, then let them get the money to do it, and maintain it. IMPACT can use the rest of the money on bushes.

Thank you,
Jerry Wahl

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vs. MICHAEL C. ROEDEL, DIANA ROEDEL, UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, UNDER HUD MORTGAGE RECORDED AS DOCUMENT NUMBER 00581603, NONRECORD CLAIMANTS, UNKNOWN TENANTS AND UNKNOWN OWNERS, Defendant(s).

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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 October 6, 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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Public Invited

Preview Party for Decorated Dogs

A public Preview Party for 11 artistically decorated fiberglass dogs will be held Sunday, October 3, in the Garden Room of the Country Mansion in Dwight beginning at 4 p.m.

The dogs' artists and sponsors will be present. The dogs will be displayed around Dwight in the spring of 2011 as part of an IM-PACTDwight project.

A silent auction of the framed original artwork for the 2010 Dwight Harvest Days button will be held.

A similar auction will take place for the six pink Chihuahua banks that were located in Dwight businesses to collect donations for the decorated dogs project.

Light refreshments will be offered during the showing.

Everyone is invited to come out and enjoy the hundreds of hours of original artwork represented by the dogs.

You can vote for your favorite bow-wow.

St. Paul School Welcomes Ed Condon as Principal

(continued from page 1)

he appreciates the parents of St. Paul students for their sacrifices and investment in Catholic schools and education.

Another one of Condon's goals is to work on websites for both the school and the parish in order to increase communication with both current and prospective St. Paul families.

"We've got everything that's really important," Condon said of the school as a whole, "but we still need to improve where we can."

Condon earned a bachelor's degree in secondary education from Northern Illinois University and a master's degree in counseling psychology from Illinois State University. From Northern, he also earned CAS specialization to be a school superintendent. He explained that in Catholic schools, principals also serve the role of superintendents.

From 1971 to 1985, Condon was a teacher, counselor and assistant principal at Ottawa Junior High. From 1985 to 1996, he served as principal of St. Columba School in Ottawa. He was then principal of Saratoga Middle School, Morris, from 1996 to 1999. From then until 2008, he was principal of the Cathedral of St. Raymond School, Joliet; and most recently, from 2008 to earlier this year, he was principal of St. Mary's Catholic School, Plano. He has also served as an adjunct instructor at the University of St. Francis and at Illinois Valley and Waubesa community colleges.

Condon is also a veteran of the U.S. Army and a member of the American Legion. He is a member of several educational associations and serves on the St. Mary's Hospital Advisory Board and Catholic Charities of Joliet Diocese Governing Board. He has been a Eucharistic minister and lector at two parishes. He has also won several awards in the field of education.

He is married to a dental hygienist, and the couple has three daughters and four sons, all of whom graduated from Marquette Catholic High School in Ottawa. One is now a teacher in Chicago. All the children still live in Illinois, and Condon said he and his wife still see them on a regular basis.

"We're lucky," he said.

"Every individual has a place to fill in the world and is important in some respect whether he chooses to be so or not." — Nathaniel Hawthorne

New Veterinarian Takes Over Happy Tails, Blackstone

by Meta Machulis

Tails are wagging for Dr. Dan Bieck, who recently stepped in as owner and veterinarian at Happy Tails Pet Hospital, rural Blackstone.

Bieck, or "Dr. Dan" as he is called by his patients' owners, took over Happy Tails in July. He bought the business from the previous veterinarian, Dr. Laura Buscher, who moved to be closer to her family.

Dr. Dan, who grew up in Rockford, recently moved to Blackstone with his wife, Jenny, and two-year-old son, Noah. The family also has a dog named Bear, an "Iowa farm dog" who's "just as mutt as you can get," according to Dr. Dan; and a "neurotic" black and white cat named Mutton.

As for Happy Tails, "Not a whole lot of things have changed" since Dr. Buscher's departure. Most of the staff remains the same as before, and the prices and type of medicine practiced remain similar to those offered by Dr. Buscher, according to Dr. Dan.

"I think she did a darn good job," Dr. Dan said of Dr. Buscher. "She was a great vet."

The only real difference, Dr. Dan said, is that he does not use steroids to treat pets' skin conditions. There will also be no animal boarding services or after-hours emergency treatment.

Dr. Dan said the well-trained staff and use of new technology make Happy Tails the vet of choice for many residents of Streator and Pontiac, as well as towns including Dwight, Cornell, Flanagan, and even "a good number from the Bloomington and Chicago areas."

"I can't stress enough how good the staff members are," he said. "We just do good quality medicine, but because of the area, it's substantially cheaper." Although

he said Happy Tails does not obtain its supplies for a cheaper cost than other vet offices, "it's just not practical to charge an arm and a leg" in a rural setting.

Dr. Dan earned his degree from Iowa State College of Veterinary Medicine in 1998 and had been practicing as an associate veterinarian at an office in Charleston, S.C. since graduating. However, with family scattered throughout the Midwest, and because he wanted to spend more time with his wife and son, the family decided to move back to Illinois and buy Happy Tails.

"My priorities are, I'm a Christian, I'm a husband, I'm a father, I'm a family man and then I'm a veterinarian," Dr. Dan explained.

One of his goals is to "develop a family-type atmosphere" at Happy Tails.

He said pet owners have greater trust in a veterinarian's advice when that type of relationship is in place.

Happy Tails also recently became a member of the Streator Chamber of Commerce and wants to join the Pontiac chamber as well.

"The biggest thing I'm looking forward to doing is just getting more involved in the community," Dr. Dan said. An avid sports fan, he looks forward to area athletic events and also wants to participate in fund-raisers and find a home church.

Happy Tails is located at 29005 N. 1100 East Rd., southwest of Blackstone. Office hours are Monday through Wednesday and Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Saturday, 8 a.m. to noon. For more information, check out www.htph.com



DR. DAN BIECK stands by the sign at Happy Tails, Blackstone, where he is the new owner and veterinarian.

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The Cullom Fire Protection District is preparing a cookbook of your favorite recipes to celebrate its 55th anniversary.

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E-mail recipes to chris.harenfarms@yahoo.com or mail them to Attn: Chris, Cullom Fire Protection District, P.O. Box 231, Cullom, IL 60929. The following businesses will also accept recipes on behalf of the fire protection district: Vermillion Valley Bank, Cullom Community Market and Krause Survey.

The deadline for recipes is Thursday, September 30.

Pre-ordered cookbooks are also being sold.

Permits Issued in Dwight

The following permits were recently issued by the Village of Dwight.

June 29: Steve Leonard, 311 W. William St., electrical; Terry Helms, 220 W. South St., garage and electrical.

July 7: Amy Livingston, 804 Sunset Dr., fence/pool/pergola – tornado damaged.

July 8: Larry and Tracy Deterding, 100-A Susan Dr., fence; Fisher Auto Parts, 129 E. Mazon Ave., electrical.

July 12: EMC Mortgage Corporation, 322 S. Franklin St., electrical.

July 13: Marla Haggerman, 315 W. William, fence – tornado damaged; Blake Becker, 104 E. Seminole St., deck; Danny Elsey, 111 E. North St., pool/electric.

July 14: Suzanne Michaels, 114 S. Franklin St., sign/occupancy; Scott Ragan, 211 W. Mazon Ave., deck addition; Don Branz, 110 W. South St., electrical.

July 15: Chuck and Kim Trainor, 1 Gooseberry Lane, demo and re-build porch – tornado damaged.

July 19: Pat Flores, 104 E. Waupansie St., deck.

July 27: Dwight High School, 801 S. Franklin St., concession stand addition; cafeteria addition.

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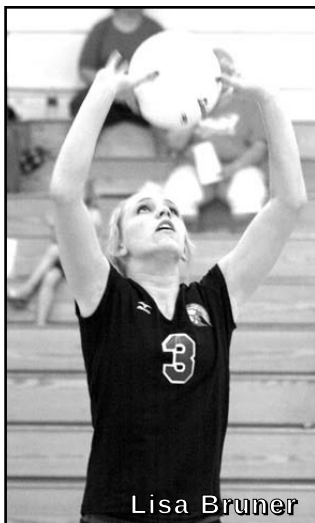
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The Paper SPORTS

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DTHS JUNIOR VARSITY LADY TROJAN ASHLEY DRONENBERG, left, attacks the ball while setter Lisa Bruner looks on. Find stats for the Lady Trojans on page 14.



Lisa Bruner



Regina Dawson



Bowling at Victory Lanes, Dwight

Wednesday Aft. Bowlers

Men: HG, 177, Scot Banks and Jerry Curtis (tie); HS, 497, Jerry Curtis. Women: HG, 203, Marilyn Christiansen; HS, 524, Julie Marx. HTG, 661, Splitters; HTS, 1806, Becker's.

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Kelly Electric	3	1
Splitters	3	1
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Wm. J. Hooker	2	2
Becker's	2	2
Vigna's	1	3
Champions	1	3
R+B Repair	1	3
Pin Pals	1	3



ODELL RAMGALS SOFTBALL

September 7 Ramgals vs. St. Anthony

The Odell Ramgals defeated St. Anthony, 17-8.

Lauren Cassady, starter, 2IP, 1K; Ashley Fox, relief, 5IP, 6K.

Hitting for the Ramgals were: Jordan Grieff, 2B, 1B, 2R; Ashton Farris, 2-1B, 3R; Cassady and Amy Wyant, 2-1B, 2R; Fox, 1B, 4R; Alyssa Bryan, 1B; Charlotte Somodi, Braxton Thweatt, Nickole Oxendine and Gabby Deceatis, 1R.

September 11 Ramgals vs. Flanagan

The Ramgals softball team defeated Flanagan, 10-0, in Regional play.

Ashley Fox got the win with 11K and 1BB.

Odell offense: Amy Wyant, 1B, 3B, 2RBI; Kelly Pagel, 2B; Braxton Thweatt, 1B, 2RBI; Ashley Fox, 1B.



GSWB LADY LIONS SOFTBALL

September 3

Lady Lions vs. Minooka B

The GSWB Lady Lions 'B' softball team was defeated by Minooka B, 13-1, in five innings.

Sydney Perkins took the loss for the Lady Lions.

"Even though the girls took the loss, I saw some good things come together tonight. They never gave up and worked as a team," stated Coach Faletti. "Every member of our team has grown in one way or another through this season and I am proud of them."

September 4

Lady Lions vs. Dwight

The GSWB Lady Lions 'A' softball team beat Dwight, 11-0, in five innings during conference tournament play.

Emily Foley, 11-1, picked up the win with 5IP, 3H, 0R, 4K, 0BB.

Helping with the victory were: Maranda Residori, 3-3, 3B, RBI, 2R; Julie Chambers, 2-3, 2B, 2RBI, 1R; Lexi Posing, 2-3, RBI, 2R.

"We did a good job scoring early and often," stated Coach Lardi.

September 4

Lady Lions vs. Shabbona

The Lady Lions won the

IVC Conference Tournament after defeating Shabbona, 6-3.

Emily Foley got the win with 7IP, 9H, 3R, 1ER, 2K, 1BB.

Top hitters were: Mady Patten, 2-3, 3B, RBI, 1R; Maranda Residori, 2-3, 2RBI; Makayla Residori, 2-3, 1R.

"I unfortunately couldn't be at this game, but I'm proud of the girls for coming through and winning the IVC Conference Tournament," commented Coach Lardi.

September 7

Lady Lions

vs. Pontiac St. Mary's

The 'A' GSWB Lady Lions softball team defeated Pontiac St. Mary's, 18-3.

Emily Foley picked up the win with 4IP, 3H, 3R, 2ER, 6K, 0BB.

Hitting for GSWB were: Emily Foley, 3-3, 3B, HR, 5RBI, 4R; Kaitlyn Dennett, 2-3, 2B, 2RBI, 2R; Maranda Residori, 3-4, RBI, 2R.

"The girls had a lot of nice hard hits that were productive. Hopefully this will set us off on the right foot for Regionals," stated Coach Lardi.

**GO,
LADY LIONS!**



GSW PANTHER CROSS COUNTRY

September 3

Twilight in the Woods, Seneca

"This meet had outstanding competition on a great and true cross country course. The runners did a great job in stepping up and racing smart on this hilly layout. We are showing continued improvement in our third meet," stated Coach Larry Lane.

Team results- Varsity boys: (Yorkville, 60 points, first)

GSW, 246 points, ninth place; fresh/soph boys: (Pontiac, 36 points, first) GSW, 112 points, third place.

Girls results: Chelsea Schultz, 24:46, 13th; Rachel Groll, 27:04, 38th; Alyssa Brownlee, 27:11, 40th; Nicole Glab, 27:13, 41st; ReAnn Scoggin, 27:13.6, 42nd; Kitrina Hayner, 30:28, 61st.

Boys results: fresh/soph- Lane Hoffman, 17:54, sixth; Ryley Christoff, 19:38, 19th;

Stinnett Gettinger, 20:24, 30th; Jon Scudieri, 20:43, 36th; Austin Walsh, 20:54, 37th; Brayden Cain, 21:04, 40th; Ryan Cookingham, 21:14, 41st; Troy Magers, 21:44, 54th; Hunter Eutsey, 22:13, 63rd; varsity- Brian Scoggin, 16:39, ninth; Dalton Wright, 19:56, 21st; Quinn Trewartha, 18:32, 36th; Jake Schultz, 19:19, 61st; Brad Haller, 20:05, 75th; Sam Perschnick, 21:22, 97th; Joey Wren, 22:16, 113rd.

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TRI-POINT LADY CHARGERS VOLLEYBALL

September 7
Lady Chargers vs. Watseka

The Tri-Point Lady Chargers volleyball team was defeated by Watseka, 14-25 and 14-25.

Stats for the Lady Chargers: Brooke McInerney, eight points, two aces, two digs, one kill, one block; Tanya Ifft, five points, two

digs, one ace; Rachael Kerrins, four points, one ace, one kill; Jerica Williams, four points, six kills, one assist, one dig; Kenzie Krause, three points, two assists, two digs; Brooke Shelby, three points, two digs, one kill, one assist; Krystal Brown, one point, two digs.

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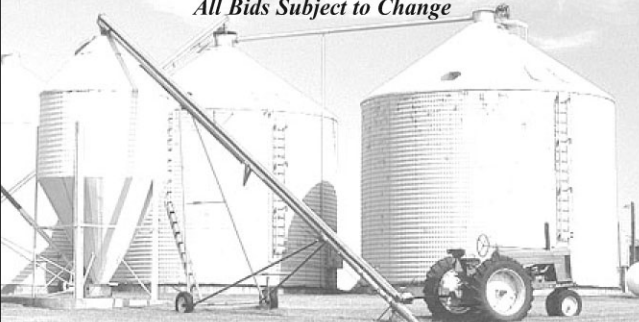


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DTHS TROJANS FOOTBALL

September 10

Trojans vs. Seneca

The DTHS varsity Trojans were defeated at Seneca, 32-6.

The Trojans lone score was a seven-yard pass from Dan Hansen to Richard Boys.

Topping the stat book for the Trojans were: *Rushing*- Dan Hansen, 55 yards; Nate Riegel, 52 yards; Scott Severson, 23 yards; *Receiving*- Richard Boys, 25 yards; Wes Lehman, 10 yards; Alec Frazier, nine yards; *Tackles (solo/assisted)*- Kulla, 5/5; Murphy, 1/4; Haacke, 0/4; Broeksmit, 0/1; Sassenger, 1/6; Ferrari, 2/2; Arnold, 3/2; Frazier, 4/3; McMeen, 3/8; Severson, 1/0; Riegel, 2/2; Fink, 0/1; Mack, 0/3; Boys, 0/1; Lehman, 0/1; *Punts*- Hansen, 47 yards; *Kickoff*- Kulla, 110 yards. *Kickoff returns*- Ferrari, 70 yards; Severson, eight yards; Lehman, six yards; *Passing*- Hansen, 13 attempts and six complete for 50 yards; long gain, 18 yards; Riegel, one attempt.

The Trojans junior varsity fell to Seneca.



DTHS TROJANS SANDWICHED!

The DTHS Trojans junior varsity football team crosses the line of scrimmage, above. RIGHT: DTHS Trojan #22 Schlabbowski carries the ball to get a first down. The junior varsity was defeated by Sandwich, September 3.



DTHS LADY TROJANS VOLLEYBALL

September 7

Lady Trojans vs. Herscher Junior Varsity-

The DTHS junior varsity Lady Trojans volleyball team fell to Herscher, 16-25 and 19-25.

Lady Trojans stats: Regina Dawson, five points, two aces, one dig; Lindsay

Kaiser, three points, three digs, two kills, one ace; Jamie Stanton, three points, three assists, one ace, one dig; Ashley Dronenberg, three points, one kill, one block; Lisa Bruner, two points, three digs, two kills, one assist, one block; Megan Jensen, one point, four digs; Skylar Krople, two kills; Mandy Holmes, two digs.

Kaiser, three points, three digs, two kills, one ace; Jamie Stanton, three points, three assists, one ace, one dig; Ashley Dronenberg, three points, one kill, one block; Lisa Bruner, two points, three digs, two kills, one assist, one block; Megan Jensen, one point, four digs; Skylar Krople, two kills; Mandy Holmes, two digs.

freshman volleyball squad was defeated by Herscher, 25-9, 25-20 and 15-9. Stats for DTHS: Hannah Trainor, five points, two kills, one block, one ace, one dig; Alyson Wiemken, five points, two aces, one dig, one kill; Jessica Butterfield, four points, two aces; Savannah Schuler, three points, two kills, one ace, one dig; Andrea Flynn, two points, three assists, one ace, one dig; Erica Flynn, two points, three assists; Amanda Boys, two kills.

Lady Trojans vs. Peotone Freshman-

The DTHS freshman volleyball team fell to Peotone, 22-25 and 21-25.

Stats for the Lady Trojans: Hannah Trainor, 10 points, four aces, one kill, one block; Savannah Schuler, six points, three aces, one kill; Alyson Wiemken, three points, one kill, one ace, one dig; Jessica Butterfield, two points, two digs; Erica Flynn, two points, one assist; Andrea Flynn, four assists.

Varsity-

The DTHS varsity Lady Trojans volleyball team fell to Herscher, 10-25 and 22-25.

DTHS stats: Maddie Freeman, five points, two blocks, two aces; Hailey Hoegger, three points, one ace; Lindie McCarthy, two points, three assists, two digs; Kate Pfeifer, one point, four digs; Aly Ferrari, one point, three digs, one kill; Hayley Sparrow and Kiley Colebank, two kills each; Claire Elsey, two assists; Kaitlyn Colebank, two digs.

September 8

Lady Trojans vs. Herscher Freshman-

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When you were in school, you had to concentrate on your studies. When you began your career, you had to concentrate on your work. In fact, in just about every endeavor in life, concentration is essential for success. However, as an investor, you may find that you actually don't want to concentrate too much.

That's not to say you shouldn't concentrate on your investment decisions — you should. But if you concentrate too much money in one investment, or one type of investment, you could run into problems.

Suppose, for example, that your portfolio is almost entirely devoted to growth stocks. During a good economy, growth stocks generally tend to do well, so if we're enjoying a period of sustained growth, your portfolio might show some good returns. But if the economy slumps while you own only growth stocks, you could sustain losses that may take a long time from which to recover. On the other hand, if you over-concentrate on fixed-income investments, such as bonds, your principal value might increase when interest rates are falling (as interest rates and bond prices are inversely related), but when interest rates rise, your bond portfolio will likely lose principal value.

To help avoid the problems of over-concentration, it's important to own a range of investments, which may include stocks, bonds, government securities and certificates of deposit (CDs). While this type of diversification cannot, by itself, guarantee a profit or protect against loss, it can help reduce the effects of volatility on your portfolio.

Of course, how you choose to allocate your assets will depend on a variety of factors, including the following:

- Your goals — Your ultimate objectives should help govern your investment strategy. If you are planning to retire early and then start a new business, you may need to invest more aggressively than, say, your neighbor, who wants to work as long as possible and then stay close to home, pursuing inexpensive hobbies.
- Your risk tolerance — Just as we all have different personalities, we have different tolerances for investment risk. If you can assume greater risk in exchange for potentially higher returns, you may be a more aggressive investor. Conversely, if you're willing to take lower returns as a trade-off for greater protection of your principal, you're probably a more conservative investor. However, to achieve your goals, you may consider moving outside your investment "comfort zone" from time to time.
- Your time horizon — Your stage of life will also affect your investment choices. If you are just starting your career, you can probably afford to invest more aggressively than if you are nearing retirement, at which time you may want to cut down on risks.

To build a diversified portfolio that reflects your goals, risk tolerance and time horizon, you may want to work with a professional financial advisor — someone who can assess your situation and recommend choices that are appropriate for your needs. By concentrating on a unified investment strategy — instead of over-concentrating on a specific type of investment — you can focus on where you want to go and what you need to do to get there.

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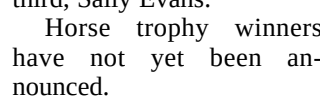
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Livingston County Bird Tests Positive for West Nile Virus

Donnie Simmons, Livingston County Public Health Department environmental health director, announced September 3 the first bird in Livingston County testing positive for West Nile virus this year was found in Pontiac. Test results for the bird, a large crow collected in Pontiac, came back from the laboratory positive for West Nile virus.

"Although most cases of West Nile virus are mild, the virus can cause serious, life-altering and even fatal disease," Simmons said. "That is why it is so important to protect yourself against mosquito bites by wearing insect repellent and getting rid of any standing water around your home."

Surveillance for West Nile virus in Illinois, including Livingston County, began on May 1 and includes laboratory tests on mosquitoes, dead crows, blue jays, robins and other perching birds as well as the testing of sick horses and humans with West Nile-like disease symptoms. Citizens who observe a sick or dying crow, blue jay, robin or other perching bird should contact the health department, which will determine if the bird will be picked up for testing.

West Nile virus is transmitted through the bite of a mosquito that has picked up the virus by feeding on an infected bird. Most people with the virus have no clinical symptoms of illness, but some may become ill three to 15 days after the bite of an infected mosquito. Only about two people in 10 who are bitten by an infected mosquito will experience any illness. Illness from West Nile is usually mild and includes fever, headache and body

aches, but serious illness, such as encephalitis and meningitis, and death are possible. Persons older than 50 years of age have the highest risk of severe disease.

The best way to prevent West Nile disease or any other mosquito-borne illness is to reduce the number of mosquitoes around your home and to take personal precautions to avoid mosquito bites. Precautions include:

- Avoid being outdoors when mosquitoes are most active, especially between dusk and dawn.

- When outdoors, wear shoes and socks, long pants and a long-sleeved shirt, and apply insect repellent that includes DEET, picaridin, oil of lemon eucalyptus or IR 3535 according to label instructions. Consult a physician before using repellents on infants.

- Make sure doors and windows have tight-fitting screens. Repair or replace screens that have tears or other openings. Try to keep doors and windows shut, especially at night.

- Eliminate all sources of standing water that can support mosquito breeding, including water in bird baths, ponds, flower pots, wading pools, old tires and any other receptacles. In communities where there are organized mosquito control programs, contact your municipal government to report areas of stagnant water in roadside ditches, flooded yards and similar locations that may produce mosquitoes.

Additional information about West Nile virus can be found on the Illinois Department of Public Health's website at www.idph.state.il.us/envhealth/wnv.htm

LIHEAP Energy Assistance Offered to Area Residents

The Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity offers the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) to area residents.

September and October are priority periods, when the program is offered to seniors 60 years of age or older, along with disabled households receiving SS, SSI or VA disability benefits or with verification of a current disability claim pending with Social Security. During these months, energy reconnection assistance is available for disconnected households.

In October, emergency furnace assistance will also become available for low-income homeowners if the furnace is non-operational or has been red tagged by the utility. Households with a child four years old and under also become eligible in October.

In November, the program will open to all low-income households. Reconnection assistance will be available for income-eligible disconnected households or imminent disconnect households. In the case of an imminent disconnect, the homeowner must provide verification of a scheduled disconnection.

To be eligible for LIHEAP, 30-day gross income must be at or under the listed amounts: \$1,354 for one-person household; \$1,821 for two-person household; \$2,289 for three-person household; \$2,756 for four-person household; \$3,224 for five-person household. For each additional household member, add \$467.50.

To apply for LIHEAP, the following documentation is necessary:

- Previous 30-day gross income for all household members 18 and over
- Verification of Social Security income (bank statement, SS letter or copy of a recent check)
- SSI income verification (must be dated within previous 60 days)
- Social Security cards for all household members
- Current heat/light bills
- Disability documentation, if applicable
- Current medical cards (DHS) or QMB, if applicable
- Rent receipt or lease, if landlord pays utilities

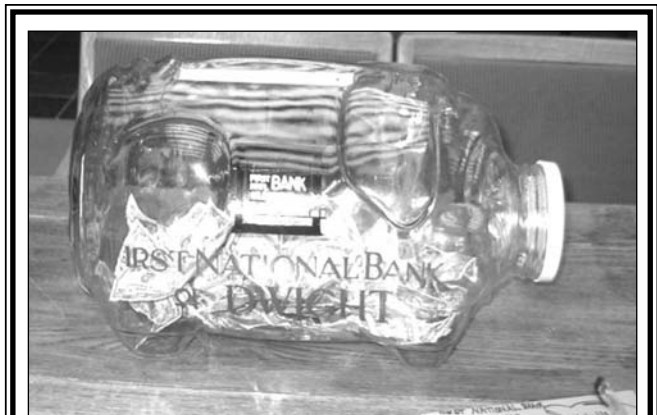
For more information, contact Mid Central Community Action, Inc., 741 W. Washington St., Pontiac, IL 61764; phone 815-844-3201; or visit www.MCCAinc.org



THE CIVIL WAR "LIVING HISTORY" and re-enactments by the 104th Illinois Infantry and Artillery Unit, Battery G, entertained area spectators during the Saunemin Summer Celebration, August 27-29.



DWIGHT YOUTH BASEBALL recently received a \$1,500 donation, which will be used to repair tornado damage at Garret Park. Joey Stevenson, left, is a Dwight native who is groundskeeper for the Indianapolis Indians baseball team. He raised the funds through Indians connections and on September 7 presented the donation to Dwight Mayor Bill Wilkey. Donors include Cisco Companies, Nature Safe Fertilizer, the Kansas City Royals, Paul Drew, Automatic IRR, Reynolds Farm Equipment/John Deere, Fuller Sports, the Indianapolis Indians and Joey Stevenson. J&D Turf and Diamond Pro have volunteered to help with new construction and materials.



HOW BIG IS THE PIG?

The First National Bank of Dwight placed an unknown amount of money in the pig. The community has also been donating to the pig. All the money in the pig including a bank donation of \$100 will be given to the Dwight Christmas For Kids Organization.

Now is your chance to come in and guess how much money will be in the pig at the close of business on Sat., Sept. 18, during Harvest Days. The closest guesser will win a \$100 savings account and the second closest will win a \$50 savings account.

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Charlotte Plan-Its 4-H Club Prepares for Upcoming Year

The Charlotte Plan-Its 4-H Club held a short get-together for those who could attend September 8 at the Cullom Community Building. There were four 4-Hers, two leaders and three parents/grandparents present.

The county awards forms and project award forms were filled out. The new folders and project books were also given out.

It was reported that Achievement Night will be Monday, November 22, at 7 p.m. at Pontiac Bible Church. Family and friends

are welcome.

4-H Week window displays will be the week of September 13 through 17.

Wednesday, October 13, at 6:30 p.m. will be the Plan-Its kickoff meeting for 2010-2011 at the Cullom Community Building. Leaders are Erran Melton, Nancy Flessner and Michelle Francis.

There are two groups: Cloverbuds, ages five to seven as of September 1; and 4-H members, ages eight to 18 as of September 1. All are invited to come and take part.

McDaniels Attend National Boy Scout Jamboree

Harry McDaniel and Trevor McDaniel of Gardner Boy Scout Troop 463 went to the 2010 National Scout Jamboree at Fort A.P. Hill, Va. This jamboree, held July 26 through August 4, celebrated 100 years of Boy Scouting. More than 40,000 scouts from across the country showed up at the jamboree.

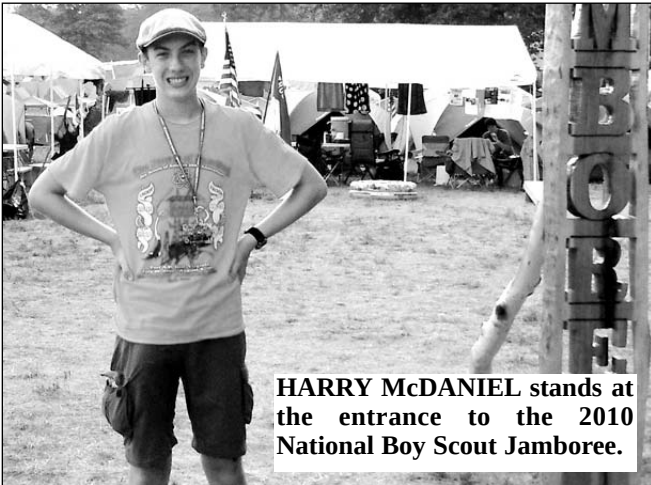
Harry was with Jamboree Troop 1019 and Trevor was with Jamboree Troop 1020 of the Rainbow Council. At the jamboree, Harry and Trevor saw Mike Rowe of the "Dirty Jobs" TV show. Trevor saw Shaun White, Olympic snowboarding gold medalist, when he went

mountain boarding.

Harry did the following at the jamboree: scuba diving, confidence course, shotgun, archery and patch trading. Trevor did scuba diving, archery, patch trading, and Action Alley.

Before and after jamboree, the boys went to the Cedar Point Amusement Park; Ace Company for white water rafting; and Washington, D.C., where they toured the Capitol Building.

They said, "This was the best trip, and we want to go to the next jamboree in 2013 at The Summit, West Virginia."



HARRY McDANIEL stands at the entrance to the 2010 National Boy Scout Jamboree.



TREVOR McDANIEL stands under the Rainbow Council sign at the 2010 National Boy Scout Jamboree.



CAMPUS DAYS TRACTOR PULL winners in the zero to 40 pound weight class were, left to right: first, Layne Cuddy; second, Braden Joyce; third, Hayden Kuhlman.



WINNING THE TRACTOR PULL at Campus Days in the 41 to 55 pound weight class were, left to right: first, Wyatt Kuhlman; second, Clay Schultz; third, Miles Hoffman.



TRACTOR PULL WINNERS in the 56 to 70 pound weight class at Campus Days were, left to right: first, Austin Joyce; second, Chloe Walsh; third, Isabella Fritz.



TAKING HOME TROPHIES in the Campus Days tractor pull 70-plus weight class were, left to right: first, Nora Turner; second, Maggie Thompson; third, Kyler Masching.

LEGAL NOTICE

Nominating petition forms for the April 5, 2011 School Board Election in Gardner Grade School District 72C are now available. Forms may be picked up in the office of the Board Secretary, at Gardner Grade School, 598 N. Elm St., Gardner, IL, on any business day between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

A School Board candidate's petition must be filed in the same office no earlier than 8:00 a.m., Monday, December 13, 2010, and no later than 5:00 p.m., Monday, December 20, 2010. Nominating papers may be filed by the candidate in person, by mail or by an agent. Candidates' names will appear on the election ballot in the order in which their nominating papers are received in the secretary's office.

Four seats on the seven-member Board of Education will be filled at the April 5, 2011 election. Candidates elected will serve four-year terms expiring in April, 2015.

To be eligible to serve, a school board member must be, on the date of election, a citizen of the United States, at least 18 years old, a registered voter, and a resident of the State of Illinois and the school district for at least one year immediately preceding the election.

Elections are nonpartisan and board candidates do not indicate a political party affiliation. Candidates should be aware of financial conflict-of-interest limitations set forth in state law.

Other important dates for candidates are:
• December 28, 2010: last day for filing objections to nominating papers in the office of the board secretary.
• January 27, 2011: last day for candidates to withdraw from nomination.

Further information on becoming a candidate in the April 5 Board Election may be obtained by contacting Kimi Monferdini, Board Election Secretary at 815-237-2313.

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Nominating petition forms for the April 5, 2011 school board election in South Wilmington Grade School District #74 will be available by Wednesday, September 8. Forms may be picked up in the office of the Board Secretary at 375 Fifth Avenue, South Wilmington on any business day between 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Candidates may begin circulating the petitions on Tuesday, September 21.

A school board candidate's petition must be filed in the same office no earlier than 8:00 a.m., Monday, December 13, 2010, and no later than 5:00 p.m., Monday, December 20, 2010.

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Nominating papers may be filed by the candidate in person, by mail or by an agent. They consist of the following:

- 1) Nomination petitions signed by a least 50 voters residing within the district. Petitions must be securely bound together with pages numbered consecutively, and each page must carry the notarized signature of the petition circulator.
- 2) Statement of Candidacy, which included a request that the candidate's name be placed on the official ballot, the address of the candidate, the office sought, and a statement that the candidate is qualified for the office and has filed (or will file before the close of the petition filing period) a statement of economic interests as required by the Illinois Governmental Ethics Act.
- 3) A receipt from the county clerk showing that the candidate has filed the statement of economic interests.
- 4) A loyalty oath, which is optional. A candidate may choose to file it or not.

Other important dates for candidates are:

- **Thursday, January 27, 2011:** last day for filing objections to nominating papers in the office of the board secretary.
- last day for candidates to withdraw from nomination.

Further information on becoming a candidate in the April 5 board election may be obtained by contacting Tami Finn, 375 Fifth Avenue, South Wilmington, IL 60474.

Further information about the nature and duties of serving on a school board, contact the Illinois Association of School Boards for a free booklet, "Your School Board and You." Write: IASB: 2921 Baker Drive, Springfield, Illinois 62703. The booklet also is available at the Association's web site: www.iasb.com/training/community_resources.cfm

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Village of Dwight is inviting sealed Bid Proposals from interested and qualified parties for a **150kw 277/480 3-phase automatic natural gas Onan standby generator**, installed at Well 9. The generator will be set outside on a concrete pad (provided). Installation of a 200 amp 3-phase automatic transfer switch is also needed. All labor of this installation must correspond with the current prevailing wage.

Sealed bid proposals will be received in the office of Village Clerk, 209 S. Prairie Avenue, Dwight, Illinois until **Tuesday, September 21, 2010, at 11:00am CST.**

Additional information and review of the site may be obtained by contacting the office of the Director of Public Works, 712 S. Old Route 66, Dwight, Illinois, 815-584-1128.

The Village of Dwight reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in the bidding. After receipt of the bids and completion of the review process, the Village of Dwight may award a contract to the low bidder that, in its judgment, will provide a combination of the best services and the lowest cost.

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The Village of Dwight, in accordance with the laws of the State of Illinois, hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that the contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder without discrimination on the grounds of race, color, sex or national origin.

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by: Patricia E. Drechsel, Clerk

'Autumn Splendor 2010' Quilt Show to be Presented

The Kankakee Quilt-makers will present the "Autumn Splendor 2010" quilt show Saturday and Sunday, September 25 and 26, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Kankakee County Fairgrounds Expo Center located at Interstate 57 at exit 308, one mile south on Route 45 to Airport Road, then west. Admission will be charged at the door.

Quilt raffle tickets will be sold at the door, and the drawing will be held at 4

p.m. Sunday, September 26.

Four hundred quilts will be on display, along with bed turning at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. There will be a silent auction, quilt vendors and food concessions.

The Kankakee County Convention and Visitors Bureau will offer mini tours of barn quilts. Each tour will last about an hour. Fee applies. Tours will leave at 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 and 2:30 p.m.

S. Wilmington All-town Garage Sales to be October 9

All-town garage sale day in South Wilmington will be Saturday, October 9, beginning at 8 a.m.

Lunch will be served at the South Wilmington United Methodist Church, where garage sale maps will also be available. The lunch

menu will include barbecue, hot dogs, chips, dessert, lemonade and coffee. A bake sale will also be held at the church.

For more information, call Kristen at 815-252-7947.

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Revenue to Audit fund from taxes \$1,898.10 and expenses were \$2,100.00, income to the Liability fund from taxes was \$20,647.20 and expenses were \$4,228.00. Revenue to Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund was \$5,838.02 and expenses were \$5,166.00. Revenue to the Social Security fund was \$20,526.16 and expenses were \$13,138.39. Total funds in excess of revenue for Fiscal Year 2009-2010 were \$51,151.70.

Subscribed and sworn to me this 7th day of September, 2010.

Barbara E. Picco, Treasurer

I, Barbara Wilkinson, secretary of Prairie Creek Public Library District, Dwight, Illinois do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the Annual Treasurer's Report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010.

Barbara Wilkinson, Secretary

State of Illinois
Livingston County
NOTICE OF PUBLICATION – PERSONS
SELECTED BY THE COUNTY BOARD
AS ELECTION JUDGES

Notice is hereby given that the Livingston County Board has duly selected persons as Election Judges, as provided by law. A list of judges of election is available for public inspection in the office of the election authority, Kristy A. Masching, Livingston County Clerk, at the Livingston County Courthouse, 112 West Madison Street, Pontiac, Illinois.

Application for confirmation and approval has been made to the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of said County. Judge Jennifer H. Bauknecht has set the date for the hearing on objections to the confirmation and approval of those prospective judges on September 23, 2010 at 9:15 a.m. in Room 203 of the Livingston County Courthouse, 112 West Madison Street, Pontiac, Illinois.

Anyone having knowledge of any reason why these individuals should not be confirmed and approved by this Court must file his objection, in writing, on or before the opening of Court on said day.

Notice is further given that, if no cause to the contrary be shown as specified; such appointments shall be confirmed by Order of the Court, as provided by law.

Date: September 8, 2010.

Kristy A. Masching
Livingston County Clerk

Odell Grade School Shows Strength Despite Tough Times

by Madelyn Fogarty
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With many schools across the nation struggling, one small area school is doing well both financially and academically.

"We are pretty solid and hoping we can continue to stay that way," Jim Davis, Interim Superintendent for Odell Grade School told The Paper. Mr. Davis, a former Cornell school superintendent, has taken some time out of retirement to help out the district until a permanent replacement is found following the resignation of Odell's former superintendent/principal.

Working with an approximate \$1.7 million budget and a proposed deficit budget last year, Odell Grade School managed to end the fiscal year financially in the black.

"We broke even and that is pretty good for a small school in Central Illinois under the State budgeting system that we had," said Davis.

In addition to coming out better than budgeted last year, the school has a substantial \$1.8 million of carry over money providing a financial cushion in the event the school does hit a rough spot – a full year's budget sitting in reserve. And, with wind farm revenues soon to be realized it looks like things will only improve. There are approximately 62 wind turbines on line within the Odell Grade School District with more to come, providing a fresh revenue source and financial opportunity for the district.

"We have just begun to reap the benefits of the wind farms," said Davis. "If we are strong now, we should just get stronger."

Davis credits some of the school's current financial security to tough decisions made some years ago when Odell High School consolidated with Pontiac High School.

Losing a high school can be hard on a community, but Davis called the move a "good choice" that allowed Odell Grade School to remain alive and well instead of risking the loss of both schools.

"The high school is the center of most communities. If you can't have that, the junior high becomes the hub," said Davis. "Communities that don't have any school system in it, a building in it, tend to disappear over time,"

said Davis.

Like many schools, Odell Grade School is seeing a decline in its student enrollment with numbers falling approximately 20 students over the last three years.

"All of that breaks down into dollars and cents," explained Davis.

Currently, the district has around 145 K – 8 students in addition to its Pre-K program.

The Odell Grade School district has a total EAV of \$23,563,590 with a current tax rate of \$3.46202. The approximate \$1.7 million 2010-11 budget has been proposed with a \$70,000 deficit across all funds reflecting conservative projections. However, Davis is optimistic that, in spite of the proposed projected deficit, the year could end in the black as well explaining that "late state funds throw off the financial snapshot." The board is expected to pass the budget at its next regular meeting on September 15.

In addition to remaining financially stable, the school is performing well academically as reflected in the 2010 report of government mandated Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) which focuses on Reading and Math skills. The AYP target for Illinois schools in Reading was 77.5% with Odell GS students achieving 84.8%. In Math, the State AYP target of 77.5% was well surpassed by Odell's score of 95.7%.

Davis finds that having another state mandated program in place, Response to Intervention (RTI), has been good for determining where they need to focus more attention.

"RTI is a focus to find a way to really give a quick assessment, three times a year, to see if students are where they should be and have skill sets in place to do the kind of work," he explained stressing that it is critical in the younger grades. "It allows us to really zero in if some of those skills are lacking...we hopefully catch them early."

The district employs 18 classroom and specialized teachers with class sizes ranging from ten to twenty-seven students. Each grade has only one section. Programs outside of standard academics, such as band and physical education are an important part of the curriculum and extracurricular sports and activities

help keep Odell Grade School students active and well rounded. The school also extends some programs to Odell's St. Paul's Catholic School students.

Davis credits the well blended staff of younger, middle range and more experienced teachers for the academic success of the students.

"I have been impressed with the staff. The staff here is optimistic. They are excited about teaching," said Davis. "The test results tell me they are doing some right things."

Keeping up with advancements in technology has also been an important focus for Odell Grade School. In the classroom, SMART Board technology provides teachers and students a powerful interactive teaching and learning experience. The school also has a computer lab with 26 workstations in addition to a mini lab in its library with eight more computers.

Simply the building itself, while not new, has been well maintained with no Life Safety issues that need addressing. And, while there might be a couple of wish list items, the school is a very

adequate facility to accommodate its students.

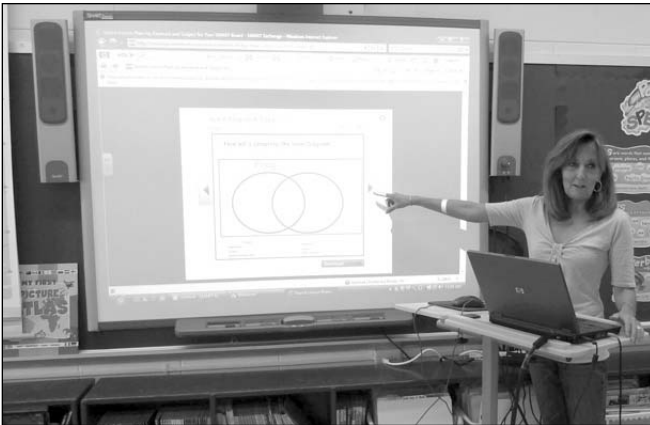
Despite the many positives going on at Odell Grade School, Davis noted some challenges facing today's schools and teachers. One big change is the widening of ability levels in the students.

"These days, we have a larger pool of kids that need to catch up," said Davis.

Behavior problems have also increased among students and positive behavior programs are in place to help address this concern.

Davis indicated that there are numerous issues in today's society contributing to these challenges including an increase in single parent families or the need for double incomes pushing both parents into the workforce and potentially leaving some children with less structure at home.

While things are looking pretty good for Odell Grade School, Interim Superintendent Davis is quick to acknowledge that things can change quickly and keeping a close watch is important – a task the school's Board of Education takes on diligently. For now, however, Odell residents can take comfort in the



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305 E. William, Dwight: Two-story 4 bdrm, 3-car attached garage. Total 11 rooms. Elegant executive home with all the amenities and then some, beautiful landscaping, above ground pool with surround deck, fireplace, ceramic tiles, oak hardwood floors and oak trim throughout. Lots of storage space and closets, floored attic.Asking \$259,900

819 S. Sunset Dr., Dwight: Brick ranch home, 4 bedroom, 3.5 bath, 2 fireplaces, formal dining and family rooms, wetbar in basement, offices, huge utility room, wld room, 2.5-car attached garage, large deck overlooks adjacent lot negotiable with offers. Quality throughout.....Asking \$262,000

320 S. Division St., Braidwood: LAKE FRONT PROPERTY! 3 Bedroom, 3 Bath, fireplace, huge kitchen w/islnd, Diamond Lake in back off of walkout doors from dining area. Excellent view of area in Master bedroom, walkout deck again overseeing Lake. All appliances stay!Asking \$279,000

204 Ken St., Dwight: Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath, ranch home. Move-in condition! Amenities include: central vac, all appliances, beautiful custom cabinets, laundry room, sunroom, huge back porch, new carpet/paint, in '09. This is a must see to truly appreciate! Lot next door negotiable for you to consider!Asking \$279,900

34934 S. Center St., Braidwood: LAKE FRONT PROPERTY! 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath, Log Cabin with 2-car underground attached garage. Wood fireplace, cathedral ceilings, huge deck, 2 porches, 3-car detached garage, private lake dock, party pavillion, this property shares 38.36 acres of which contains 20.77+- acre lake, 17.59 timber wooded acres, less .71 acre per home lot. Ski, hunt, fish and explore this paradise!Asking \$359,900

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Sept. 15: 7 p.m., Trustees.
Sept. 16: 1 p.m., Make and bake rhubarb and raisin pies.
Sept. 17: 8 a.m., Bake blueberry, cherry, apple and peach pies.
Sept. 18: 8:30 a.m.-3 p.m., Workshop w/Rev. Dan Smith in Lockport; Harvest Days Activities: Set up at 6 a.m.; Serving shifts, 8-11 a.m., 11 a.m.-1 p.m., 1-3 p.m.; Clean-up shift, 3-4 p.m.
Sept. 19: 9:30 a.m., Harvest Days Ecumenical Worship; Harvest Days Activities: Set up at 6 a.m.; Serving shifts, 8-11 a.m., 11 a.m.-1 p.m., 1-3 p.m.; Clean-up shift, 3-4 p.m.
Sept. 20: 8-9 a.m., Exercise; Carlinville Prof. Leadership Retreat through Sept. 21.
Sept. 21: 9 a.m., Dorcas Circle.
Sept. 22: "Epistle" Deadline; 8-9 a.m., Exercise; 10 a.m., Heritage Manor HC service; 4:45-6:15 p.m., Confirmation; 5:45-6:15 p.m., Junior Choir; 6 p.m., Anna Circle.
Sept. 23: 1:30 p.m., Sarah Circle at church - hosted by Meletta Schou.
Emmanuel Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod)
325 E. Mazon Ave.
Dwight
584-3433, church
584-1291 fax
584-1023, parsonage
Rev. Daniel Ognoskie, Sr. Pastor
Rev. Jacob Ehrhard, Assoc. Pastor
Sept. 15: 1 p.m., Mary/Martha Silent Auction; 3:30 p.m., Weekday School; 5:45 p.m., Bells; 6:30 p.m., Choir.
Sept. 18: 5 p.m., Worship with Holy Communion.
Sept. 19: 9 a.m., Bible Study/Sunday School; 10:30 a.m.,

Sept. 19: 9:30 a.m., Uptown Ecumenical Service.
Sept. 21: 8:30 a.m., Bible Study, Karla B.; 9 a.m., Bible Study, Jean V.; 4 p.m., Trustees.
Sept. 22: 8:30 a.m., UMW Mission Team; 3-4:30 p.m., Jr. UMYF; 5:30-8:30 p.m., Sr. UMYF; 7 p.m., Bible Warriors; 8:30-9:30 p.m., UMYF Bible Study; 9:30 p.m., Sr. Hang.
Sept. 23: 7 p.m., Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal.
St. Patrick Catholic Church
Mazon and Prairie Avenues, Dwight
Rev. James Rickey, Pastor
584-3522, Rectory
Sept. 18: 4-4:45 p.m., Reconciliation; 5 p.m., Mass.
Sept. 19: 8 a.m., Mass; 10:30 a.m., Mass.
First Baptist Church
401 N. Clinton St.,
Dwight 584-3182
Daniel L. Woodward, Pastor
Sept. 19: No Sunday School; 10 a.m., Special Harvest Days Service; 6 p.m., Sunday Evening Service.
Sept. 22: 7 p.m., Wednesday Evening Service.
New Life Assembly of God
903 S. Old Route 66
Dwight
Angel Escamilla, Pastor
584-3430
www.nlaonline.net
Sept. 15: 4:30 p.m., Leadership Council Meeting; 7 p.m., Worship Practice.
Sept. 16: 6:30 p.m., Xtreme Youth.
Sept. 18: 10 a.m., Host Harvest Days Kids Games at Harmony Park.
Sept. 19: 7 a.m., Church Fellowship Breakfast.
Sept. 19: 8 a.m., Early Church Service; 9:15 a.m., Harvest Days Ecumenical Service downtown. No Pre-K Church, Kids Church or Sunday Night Prayer Group.
Sept. 20: 5:30 p.m., First Place.
Sept. 21: 6 p.m., Truthseekers Bible Study.
St. John's Lutheran Church
511 W. Jackson, Cullom
Rev. Trudy Foote, Pastor
689-2120, church
st.johns@frontiernet.net
Sept. 15: 9:15-9:30 a.m., Prayer Group resumes.
Sept. 18: 9 a.m.-3 p.m., Pr. at CSIS; 5 p.m., Worship/H.C.
Sept. 19: 9 a.m., Sunday School; 10 a.m., Worship.
Sept. 20: 8:30-11:30 a.m., Friendship Day.
Sept. 22: 9:15-9:30 a.m., Prayer Group.
Braceville United Methodist Church
POB 46, 106 Goold St.
Church: 815-237-8512
Pastor Andrea Boggs
Sept. 15: 3-4:30 p.m., J.A.M. (Kindergarten-5th grade) and E.D.G.E. (5th-6th grades) After School Programs; 6-8 p.m., S.T.A.T.I.C. Youth Group (7th-12th grade) with dinner.
Sept. 16: 9-10 a.m., Exercise.
Sept. 17: 8 p.m., Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting.
Sept. 19: 8:15 and 10 a.m., Sunday Worship Services.



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Maintenance/Public Works Employee

Full-time position for person with experience and mechanical ability. Requires CDL and willingness to obtain water/sewer plant operation licensing.

Submit resume to: Village Clerk, Village of Gardner, 302 N. Center St., P.O. Box 545, Gardner, IL 60424.

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Gardner United Lutheran Participates in 'Night-On- The-Town'

The United Lutheran Church in Gardner will be participating in the "Gardner-Night-On-The-Town" event on Wednesday, September 22, hosted by the Gardner Standard Bank. They will be selling kringla and pecan pastries at a booth. Look for a listing of where the booth is located.

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