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## Tennis Shoes, DNA, End Denker Murders Investigation

by Tom Tock

Dwight Police Chief Tim Henson has announced a close to the investigation into the murders of Donna Denker, 60, and her daughter, Kelli Denker, 30, both of Dwight.

All evidence shows Joseph Sipple, 27, of Morris/Sheridan, acted alone in the murders of the Denkers and the wounding of a male from Dwight in the Denker home at 200 W. North St., Dwight, in the early morning hours of June 14, 2014. The male, who was able to call Dwight Police, later recovered after being taken to a trauma center.

Sipple, who died from a self-inflicted gunshot wound after a confrontation with LaSalle County Sheriff's Police June 26 south of Sheridan, was linked to the Denker shootings when ballistic tests showed his suicide weapon was the one used in the Denker murders.

The investigation also disclosed that Sipple was involved in a residential burglary at the Denker home in August of 2013.

Beginning July 28, a number of searches by law enforcement agencies took place in a large wooded area in Sheridan which Sipple was known to frequent, near his girlfriend's house. Canine units alerted on certain areas, and in one area gun cases and guns were recovered by Morris Police and identified as being stolen in Morris burglaries.

**Also discovered near the stolen guns** were a pair of white tennis shoes and several other items belonging to Sipple. Police had previously been told Sipple always wore white tennis shoes, confirmed by Sipple's girlfriend, Amy Rissman, and a family member.

The Illinois State Police Crime Lab confirmed October 21 that the white tennis shoes had the

Denkers' DNA on them. This effectively closed the investigation.

Chief Henson expressed his thanks to the law enforcement agencies who helped during the investigation. He personally recognized the Illinois State Police, Illinois State Police Crime Lab/ Crime Scene Technicians, Case Agent Sgt. Kim Cessna, Officers Mark Scott, Mike Nolan and Detective Gary Beier, who were instrumental in helping close the case.

He also thanked the Dwight Village Council and the community of Dwight for their support, patience, understanding, love and compassion shown to the Denker family in their time of need.

In closing, Henson asked that prayers be continued for Jack, Julie, Mark and others in the Schultz/Denker family and to all who helped make Dwight a better and safer place to live.



**MOTHER NATURE PAINTED** such an impressive picture, above, *The Paper* felt obliged to make 10,000 copies and send one to each of its readers.

## Dwight Historical Society Celebrates 50th Anniversary

The Dwight Historical Society celebrated its 50th anniversary during the most recent meeting on October 20.

The Dwight Historical Society was formed in September, 1964, by a group of people who were interested in the little church on the corner of Franklin and Seminole streets as being ideal for a historical museum. It was important to save that building which is one of Dwight's oldest structures, built in 1856-57 by the local Presbyterians. Its history included the visit of the Prince of Wales who worshipped in the little church while touring the United States in 1860.

The fledgling society was given professional advice by William Keller of the Illinois State Historical Library and by Richard Hagen, Official State Restorer from the Illinois Department of Conservation, who told them



**THE DWIGHT HISTORICAL SOCIETY** celebrated its 50th anniversary at their October 20 meeting. Pictured, l to r, are the officers elected to serve in 2015: Linda Emling - historian; Beverly Jensen - secretary/treasurer; Mary Flott - president; and Janice Lauritzen - vice president.

the church should be restored as it was a fine example of Victorian or "carpenter" Gothic.

By January 1966 it was evident that there was enough community interest and support for the Society to purchase the property from owner Oscar Jensen, even though it had been determined that it was not feasible to turn the church into a historical museum. Restoration continued and

over the years the church has been a meeting place for many purposes including The Dwight Historical Society. Due to costs beyond the resources of the Society, ownership of the Gothic Church was transferred to Dwight Township in 1977.

Quest for a museum location continued through the years and when the depot was restored and became the Dwight Town Hall, the Old (continued on page 3)

**FALL into WINTER Home Improvement**  
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**Day Light Saving Time Ends November 2**

Don't forget to fall back on Sunday, November 2!

At 2 a.m., Day Light Saving Time ends, and anyone who doesn't want to show up an hour early for work should remember to turn their clocks back an hour.

**Shop Inserts Today in The Paper**  
**Berkot's Super Foods**  
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## Life Given New Meaning Through Love After Death

by Bridget De Waard

"Searching for my purpose here, when all I've known is pain and fear, there must be more than what I see, blinded by my misery, I've tried to find the reasons why, I'd rather live instead of die, but each and every passing day, my reasons seem to fade away, lost within a darkened mind, there's no more happiness to find, no beauty left of any kind, in this hell I've been given."

*-Forsaken Heart- by Jeff Klimp*

The above poem, written by Jeff Klimp, embodies the thought and raw emotion put into every piece he creates, each interwoven with a piece of himself, and a testament to the idea that, even from the greatest suffering, something beautiful can emerge.

Klimp, originally from Orland Park, moved to Odell after his friends, Candace Mateljan and Doc, Candace's life partner, decided to support and invest in his art. "I always felt in my heart that we were going to come together," Candace said. "And, after visiting him in Vegas one year for New Year's, I felt the spark; seeing him still working, still creating such intense art...I knew this was something I wanted to be a part of."

Within two months, Klimp had moved back with Candace and Doc to Odell to start their business, 381 A.D. Klimp, who had practiced traditional taxidermy as a

teenager, had always been an animal lover since childhood.

"As an adult, one of my favorite hobbies became collecting exotic pets," Klimp said. "But just like every pet, of course they would eventually die." While continuing to practice and hone his skills, Klimp began freezing his deceased pets in the hopes of one day doing something with them to honor the joy they had once brought to his life.

"Many years later, I found myself with a few dead pets in my freezer, and a unique idea I had been kicking around for years about possibly mummifying them," Klimp commented. After some trial and error, he managed to come up with the techniques and methods he uses today, where, unlike traditional taxidermy, the animal's skeletons are preserved as opposed to the skin or body. In this way, the animal is still preserved, but in a way that is uniquely different and separate from the life they lived before.

Before moving to Odell, Klimp eventually began doing projects beyond his own fallen pets with help from his friends, Jeff Lodico and Brian Potter, owners of the pet store Chicago Reptile House, in Orland Park. After seeing a finished project, and the great potential in Klimp's art, they began providing him with supplies (such as any animal fatalities they unfortunately experienced) and space he needed to begin selling his art.

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## FOR THE RECORD

### Tickets Issued by Dwight Police

October 16: Dan J. Blunier, East Peoria, speeding (radar), 75/55; John R. Chiado, Granville, speeding (radar), 80/55; Joel C. Anders, Bolingbrook, speeding (radar), 74/55; Ivette M. Anderson, Kankakee, operate uninsured motor vehicle; Timothy S. Bast, Lombard, operate uninsured motor vehicle, poss. cannabis/30 gms or less.

October 18: Douglas A. Fulkerson, Essex, speeding (radar), 76/55; Nicholas P. Furlano, Dwight, in-state warrant.

October 19: Jason R. Shumard, Dwight, traffic sign violation, il. trans./poss. alcohol-drive; Jahanah J. Wallace, Homewood, speeding (radar), 75/55, violation of restriction.

October 20: Maurilio Serna-Romo, Bradley, speeding (radar), 45/30; Alyssa M. Rattin, Herscher, speeding (radar), 74/55; Douglas M. Herr, Chatham, retail theft.

October 21: Pamela D. Gurdak, Odell, suspended, revoked drivers license, operate uninsured motor vehicle.

October 22: James K.

Sassenger, Dwight, traffic sign violation, expired registration sticker, no valid driver's license, operate uninsured motor vehicle, poss. cannabis/30 gms or less, possession of drug equipment.

*Persons in the police report are innocent of any charges until proven guilty in a court of law.*

### Ambulance Runs by Dwight EMS

October 17: W. Delaware, 9:39 a.m., medical, refusal; Division St. - Verona, 9:44 a.m., medical, no pt. found, mutual aid to MVK EMS; Chippewa St., 9:51 a.m., medical, Pontiac/St. James, mutual aid Gardner EMS for station coverage; LaSalle Rd., medical, St. Mary's/Streator, mutual aid to Ransom; Scott St., 12:09 p.m., medical, St. James.

October 18: Scott Dr., 3:30 a.m., trauma, refusal; Bannon, 2:27 p.m., medical, Morris; Mazon, 7:44 p.m., medical, Morris.

October 19: Mazon, 10:04 a.m., trauma, Morris; Burkhardt Rd., medical, Morris, mutual aid to Mazon; John St., 4:29 p.m., medical, Morris, mutual aid

from Gardner.

October 20: Mazon Ave., medical, Morris.

October 21: Waupansie, 11:35 a.m., fire.

October 22: Mazon Ave., 7:09 a.m., medical, Morris; Pollard, 8:56 a.m., trauma, Morris.

October 23: South, 12:00 a.m., medical, no transport; 2900 N., 3:50 a.m., fire standby; Main St., 6:47 a.m., medical, Morris.

### 26 Warnings Issued by Dwight Police

Speeding (radar), 4; traffic sign violation, 1; failure to yield at intersection, 2; expired registration sticker, 2; no rear registration plate light, 3; driving w/o lights when required, 1; improper lighting - one headlamp, 3; muffler violations, 2; failure to notify SOS of change/address, 1; disobeying traffic control device, 1; only one red taillight, 5; unsafe equipment, 1.

### Accident Report

Friday, October 17, 2:35 p.m., Officer Michael Nolan reported a single-vehicle accident at 300 E. Spencer St. involving Donna M. Roland of Dwight, the driver of a 2002 International School Bus #239.

## Hydrants Being Flushed in Dwight Nov. 2-7

The Dwight Village Public Works Department will be flushing hydrants beginning Sunday night, November 2, from 10:30 p.m. to approximately 4:30 a.m.

Flushing will continue each night through Friday, November 7.



## Dwight EMS: Rob McGraw

Rob McGraw is someone you should know at Dwight EMS.

He works part-time for Dwight EMS, full-time with Duffy's in Pontiac, and part-time for Eureka EMS. Rob has been in the EMS field for 16 years, including nine years of military medicine, serving two tours of duty in Iraq as a medic. He has been with Dwight EMS for six months.

Rob is an instructor for Heartland Community College and OSF Saint James. He holds certificates as Lead Instructor 1 and 2, and BLS instructor. He is certified in ACLS, PALS and PEPP. He is also law enforcement trained.

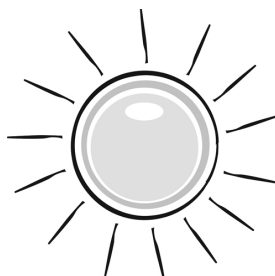
Rob has always felt drawn to emergency medicine. He states, "since I was 14, I wanted to be a paramedic." He trained as a medic in the Army and continued that love of emer-

gency medicine when he left the service.

He added, "I went away from full-time EMS for a bit, but I knew I had to get back into it. After having my daughter, Lily, I knew I could not tell her to chase her dreams if I hadn't. I got my paramedic license so I can tell her to chase her dreams."

He says that being in the back of an ambulance is his "natural space." He feels humbled daily to help people. He also enjoys teaching students new to EMS, seeing them develop and improve their skills. His personal goal in EMS is to get Critical Care training and become a flight medic.

Rob is married to Andi, a full-time paramedic with Dwight EMS. He has a five-year old daughter and a 19-year old stepdaughter. He enjoys off-road races and any other outrageous fun.



## Temps - 2014

Oct. 16 - high 56°, low 47° .05" precip.

Oct. 17 - high 59°, low 44° trace precip.

Oct. 18 - high 50°, low 30°

Oct. 19 - high 56°, low 31°

Oct. 20 - high 65°, low 41°

Oct. 21 - high 56°, low 32°

Oct. 22 - high 60°, low 31°

One Year Ago - October 29, 2013 high 55°, low 27°

## Free Workshop For Livingston County Residents Planning for the Future for Children and Adults with Intellectual and/or Developmental Disabilities

On Saturday, November 8, a Planning Seminar for children/adults with intellectual disabilities is being offered to the public at St. Patrick's Parish Hall, located at 118 W. Mazon Street, Dwight.

The workshop will be hosted by Livingston County Mental Health and Transition Planning Committee, and presented

by attorneys Brian and Benjamin Rubin, as well as qualified intellectual disabilities professional Sherri Schneider.

This half-day workshop will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Topics will include: Special Education in Illinois; government benefits and programs in Illinois for children and adults with special needs and how to

navigate the "Maze;" appropriate special needs estate planning necessary to qualify for, and in order not to lose government benefits, guardianship and alternatives; and guidance on preparing instructions and thoughts for future care providers.

Two of the aforementioned speakers are lawyers currently practicing in the Chicago area, with their focus on children and adults with special needs.

The targeted audience is

families with children or adults with special needs, special education teachers, social workers, psychologists, lawyers, trust officers, and agencies that provide supports to individuals with special needs.

Individuals from Livingston County are able to attend for free and must register directly with the Livingston County Mental Health Board at 815-844-7708. Registration covers the cost of materials, breakfast and snacks.

## CPR Training Course at KCC December 3

A CPR training course is being offered at Kankakee Community College.

The training will provide the information, demonstration and practice necessary to pass the CPR Healthcare Provider written examination and perform adult, child and infant cardiopulmonary resuscitation acceptable to the American Heart Association (AHA).

"CPR Healthcare Provider" will meet 5:00-9:00 p.m. Wednesday, December 3, in Room D123 at KCC. Registration deadline is November 21. No

refunds are given after the registration deadline. Course number is WELL 9006.Q33. A fee applies and includes the required textbook. Instructor: Sheree Wertz.

After successful completion, participants will receive an AHA certification card.

This course does not award college credit. To register or for more information, call 815-802-8207; go to [www.kcc.edu/comejoinus/](http://www.kcc.edu/comejoinus/); or visit Student Services on the second floor of the KCC Workforce Development Center.



DWIGHT EMS provided a CPR demonstration on October 16 in Mrs. Goodwin's seventh grade class. The students were shown how to perform CPR on an adult and the use of an AED. They were given time to practice CPR on the mannequins and shown how to help someone who is choking. Danielle is shown instructing the class with proper CPR technique.

## Identity Theft Program at Prairie Creek Nov. 4

Are you concerned about having your identity stolen?

JoEllyn Anderson of Centurie Bank and an officer from the Dwight Police

Department will be presenting ways to protect yourself from identity theft on November 4 in the community room of Prairie Creek Library, Dwight, at 6:30 p.m.



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## Dave Bossert Retires As Head of Love Box Program

Dave Bossert, who has been in charge of assembling and delivering Love Boxes to Dwight for just about 40 years, has decided to step down from his post this year.

Since 1976, Bossert has overseen the Love Box program, which helps those in need over the holidays by providing them food and other necessities.

"What I have enjoyed most about doing the Love Boxes for this community is giving others the chance and opportunity to volunteer and help their neighbors in need," Bossert said. The program delivered over 190 boxes last year, with just around 80 volunteers showing up to help pack as well as deliver the boxes.

"Last year, even in spite of the huge snow storm that hit

the night of delivery, we still had overwhelming community support show up to help get the boxes where they needed to go; it is memories like that I will cherish most."

The Love Boxes started out with a summer school class that had begun meeting in the kitchen at the Dwight Methodist Church. "They thought there might be a need for it in this community, and as it grew, eventually the Dwight Ministerial Association became involved," Bossert said. "I helped ensure that donations and boxes got where they needed to go as the program continued to grow."

Just last year, with the aid of the community, over \$2000 in food items were donated, and over \$10,000 worth of groceries were purchased

through cash donations. "I am so grateful for the support of the community, volunteers, and the church as well," Bossert said. "Without the DUMC, we wouldn't have had a place to store everything or a place to meet; it was always so neat to see the sanctuary full of presents before a Christmas for Kids delivery."

Max Sulzberger is the head of the new committee taking Dave's place as the program continues.

Any cash or food donations for the Love Boxes can be taken to Dwight United Methodist Church.

If you or someone you know is in need of a box, their name can be added to the list by contacting the DUMC at 815-584-3420.

## The Paper CALENDAR

### OSF Saint James Auxiliary's Holiday Bazaar and Bake Sale November 3, 4

OSF Saint James - John W. Albrecht Medical Center Auxiliary will hold its annual Holiday Bazaar and Bake Sale on Monday, November 3, and Tuesday, November 4, from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. in the medical center lobby.

New holiday gift items will be available from the gift shop as well as handmade crafts, baked goods and raffles.

All proceeds from the sale will benefit the programs and services provided at OSF Saint James.

### Cullom Library Chili/Soup Luncheon Nov. 8

A chili/potato soup luncheon is set for Saturday, November 8, at the Cullom Library from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Coffee, water and punch will be available.

There is no cost, but donations will be accepted.

There will also be a bake sale.

### Saunemin UMC's Chicken Supper Nov. 8

Saunemin United Methodist Church will hold a Chicken Supper on Saturday, November 8, from 4:30-7:00 p.m. in the Community Building.

The menu includes fried chicken, mashed

potatoes, gravy, green beans, roll, and drinks - along with their popular salad bar and homemade desserts.

A fee applies. Proceeds go to the building fund. Carry-outs will be available.

### Gardner Lions Club Breakfast

The Gardner Lions Club will serve breakfast at the Gardner American Legion Hall on Sunday, November 9, from 7 a.m. to Noon.

On the menu will be pancakes, French toast, eggs, sausage or bacon, biscuits and gravy, toast, coffee, juice and milk.

Funds raised will benefit the South Wilmington eighth grade class, the visually

and hearing impaired and any other community projects funded by the Gardner Lions.

A donation of canned food for the local Food Pantry would be appreciated. The club also accepts donations of used eye glasses, hearing aids and cell phones. Please support the local LIONS.

### 'Grand Old Homes of Herscher' Tour

On Sunday, November 16, the Herscher Area Historical Society and the Herscher High School Speech department will be presenting "Grand Old Homes of Herscher."

This virtual tour will be from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Herscher Legion Community Center. The program will feature a virtual tour of eight historical homes in Herscher.

There will be a power point presentation of photos of the homes then and now, with students from the HHS speech department portraying the homeowners and their families in the early

days of Herscher. Tickets are available for a fee, as well as a companion book for an additional fee.

Tickets can be purchased in advance by calling the museum at 815-426-2627 or at the door.

### Dwight 'Christmas for Kids' in 22nd Year

Christmas for Kids is a program started 22 years ago in Dwight to help families in need at Christmas. Using funds donated by various Dwight area organizations and individuals, a volunteer committee sends offers of help to in-need families who are parents or legal guardians of children living in the Dwight school district.

Those families are asked to fill out a "Wish List" of items needed and/or wanted by their children. These wish lists will be provided by the committee.

Once the "Wish Lists" are returned, the committee determines how much money can be contributed for each child, depending upon the funds available at that time.

Then the committee

needs your help! Volunteers are needed to shop for the children using the "Wish Lists" and funds from the Christmas for Kids committee.

The committee asks that gifts be returned wrapped and properly labeled. The committee then organizes the gifts to be delivered. Volunteers are again needed to help deliver the gifts before Christmas.

**To shop for a family:** Please go to the Dwight United Methodist Church, 701 S. Columbia St. (next to the Dwight Grade School) between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Thursday, November 13. Gifts will need to be dropped off at the church by Thursday, December 11, between 11 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

**To deliver gifts:** Go to the Dwight United Methodist Church on Saturday, December 13, at 9 a.m. Delivery of Christmas for Kids gifts is done along with the delivery of Love Boxes (a program that provides food boxes for families in need).

**Last, but not least: Monetary donations are needed!** The program buys gifts from each child's "Wish List" and therefore cannot accept donations of general items. Monetary donations are accepted at each of the four Dwight banks. Checks should be made payable to "Christmas for Kids."

If you have any questions, you may contact the Christmas for Kids Committee at 815-584-2179.

### Dwight Historical Society Celebrates 50th Anniversary — — —

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Town Hall on East Chippewa became a perfect location for the Society's museum. A heroic effort by

members of the Society allowed the museum to be open in time for Harvest Days 1990.

By the year 2000 a building had been built for

Village services and the Dwight Historical Society moved to the historic railroad depot where it now houses museum and research functions.

### Tri-Point Dist. #6J Board Meets, Approves Interfund Loan, Post-Prom Location

The Board of Education Tri-Point CUSD #6J held a regular meeting on October 20 in the Tri-Point Board of Education Room in Kempton.

Board members Ted Conkling, Kris Haag, Trisha Haag, Cherie Smolkovich, Amy Fecht, Lloyd Vaughn, and Sharon Mogged were present. Visitors included June Haeme, Jeff Kuhn, Shirley Knilands, and Sara Riebe.

Action by the Board included:

- Approved Consent Agenda.
- Approved work to create slope on the Band Room roof prior to installation of new roof.
- Moved to retroactively approve an interfund loan from Transportation to Tort in the amount of \$7,500 to be repaid when adequate funds are available.
- Moved to accept the 2014 Annual Financial Report.
- Moved to approve the purchase of a 1/2 page yearbook ad by the school board

in the 2014-2015 yearbook at a cost of \$135.

• Moved to let bids for snow removal service for the school district for the 2014-15 school year.

• Moved to approve Marchelloni's Pizza and Bowling Alley at the 2015 Post-Prom location.

• Moved to go into closed session at 8 p.m. for the A. appointment, employment, discipline, performance of

specific employees; B. Special Education program or matters relating to individual students in accordance with 5ILCS 120/2 (c) and (1) and (2) of the Illinois Open Meeting Act.

• Moved to come out of closed session at 8:35 p.m.

• Moved to approve a 14 week leave of absence for second semester of the 2014-15 school year for Samantha Holle.

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**Sunday, November 2**

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**A WOODEN COFFIN**, crafted in Dwight and presented to its Historical Society by Scott Hager, will be among the artifacts present for the Society's ghost walk to be held Saturday, November 1. Reservations are encouraged as numbers will be limited. Tours will begin at 6:00, 7:00 and 8:00 p.m.; with the possibility of a 9:00 p.m. tour if necessary. Each tour will begin on the Mansion patio where donations will be collected and tickets distributed. Participants are encouraged to dress for the weather and wear walking shoes. After leaving the Mansion, groups will proceed north to the downtown area and end with light refreshments in the park on Main Street. For reservations, call Bev Jensen at 584-3728.

## Dwight Historical Society Meets

The Dwight Historical Society met October 21 for its final business meeting of the year. The following officers were elected: Mary Flott - president; Janice Lauritzen - vice president; Bev Jensen - secretary/treasurer; and Linda Emling - historian. The Society celebrated its 50th anniversary with birthday cake and coffee following the meeting.

The Dwight Historical Society was organized in September 1964 when a group of people came together to save the Pioneer Gothic Church. Howard Paulsen was the first president, and his board consisted of Oscar Jensen, Delores Paulsen, CJ and Eulalie Ahern, John Gibbons, Olivia Scully, James Oughton, Alex McWilliams, Ruth Brendley, Alma Krudup and Tom Tock.

The Gothic Church was built by the Presbyterian congregation in 1856-57. The Prince of Wales (later King Edward VII) worshipped there in 1860 while

on a hunting trip to Dwight. He traveled incognito using the name Lord Renfrew. The church became home to several congregations before it was purchased from Oscar Jensen by the Historical Society largely through a gift from Charles McWilliams. After complete renovation, the deed to the church was presented to the Township of Dwight because the Historical Society lacked funds to maintain the building.



The Pioneer Gothic Church was placed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1983 as an example of Carpenter Gothic Architecture. Many such wooden structures of this era were destroyed by fire, however Dwight's Gothic Church survived four major fires between 1869 and 1891.

The Dwight Historical Society's purpose according to the by-laws is to "promote and preserve the history and culture that pertains to the Dwight community."

New members are always welcome.



**D60420 HAS RETURNED!** Following a serious accident on East Main Street that required months of rehabilitation, D60420 has rejoined the display of 11 artistically decorated dogs in Dwight. D60420 now graces the entrance to Coco's on West Main Street. Artist Jenni Hogan themed D60420 after the Dwight Correctional Center, and it displays several unique messages. Larry Seabert and Tech-Ni-Kolor performed surgical repair to D60420's broken leg, it was repainted by Jenni, and Rodney Connor remounted it near Coco's. It's worth a visit. The 11 dogs in Dwight were originally a project of IMPACTDwight, now a part of the Dwight Economic Alliance. Christopher B. Burke, village engineers, is the dog's sponsor.

## Kempton Legion Hall Halloween Party

On October 31, at 6:30 p.m., there will be a party at the Kempton Legion Hall starting at 6:30 p.m. Hot dogs, chips and soft drinks will be served. There will be prizes for ages newborn to fifth grade.

## Essex Lions Club Halloween Party and Movie

The Village of Essex and the Essex Lions Club invite all Ghosts and Goblins to a "Not so scary Movie" at the Essex Lions Community Center, October 31, at 6 p.m. Hot dogs and treats will be served. There will be a Costume Contest after the movie for ages 0 to eighth grade.

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## Trick or Treat Hours

More Halloween trick-or-treating hours for October 31:

- Braceville: 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.
- Carbon Hill: 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.
- Channahon: 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.
- Coal City: 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.
- Diamond: 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.

- Dwight: 4 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
- East Brooklyn: 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.
- Essex: 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.
- Gardner: 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.
- Kempton: 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.
- Kinsman: 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.
- Mazon: 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

- Minooka: 3:30 p.m. to 6 p.m.
- Morris: 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.
- South Wilmington: 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.
- Verona: 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.
- Unincorporated areas: 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

**Halloween Contest at HERITAGE HEALTH**  
*Therapy & Senior Care*  
**KIDS! Come in Costume Friday, October 31 4 to 6:30 p.m.**  
 and have your photo taken at Heritage Health.  
 Residents will vote for their favorite costumes and winners will be contacted.  
**So come in! You may win!**  
**300 E. Mazon Ave., Dwight**  
**815-584-1240**

**Dwight Lions Club Halloween Party**  
**Friday, October 31**  
**at Dwight Grade School**  
 Costume Judging Contest with cash prizes  
 Hot dogs and drinks for everyone.  
 Costume contest 0-2 yrs., 3-4 yrs., 5 yrs.-1st grade; 2nd & 3rd grade; 4th & 5th grade  
 Registration 6:30 - 7 p.m.  
 Judging starts promptly at 7 p.m.  
 Please NO LIVE Animals!  
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# Plan to Vote - November 4

by Scott R. Schultz

As the Fall colors reach their peak, the local parkways are full with fallen leaves, and of course the rainbow of additional colors provided by the array of local political signs. With the closing of October on the calendar, we approach the end of the political season culminating with elections on Tuesday, November 4.

We'll try and sort out the races and their respective players, to give you some idea of who is running for what, and where. Do your research, choose who best suits your views, and PLEASE VOTE!

On the Federal Level, for the United States Senate, incumbent Democrat Dick Durbin is seeking his 4th term, facing Republican Tea Party candidate Jim Oberweis and Libertarian candidate Sharon Hansen. In the Congressional race for the Sixteenth District, Republican incumbent Adam Kinzinger will face opposition from Democrat Randall Wade Olson.

With respect to the Illinois state-wide races, the incumbent Democrat Governor Pat Quinn will be facing challenges from Republican candidate Bruce Rauner, and Libertarian Chad Grimm.

Illinois will also be electing a new Treasurer. Democrat Michael Frerichs,

Republican Tom Cross, and Libertarian Matthew Skopic will seek to fill the vacancy left by Dan Rutherford's run for the Republican Gubernatorial nomination.

Democrat Lisa Madigan will be attempting to retain her seat as Attorney General, opposed by Republican Paul Schimpf and Libertarian Ben Koyl.

For Secretary of State, Jesse White looks to retain the office he's held since 1999, against opposition from Republican Michael Webster and Libertarian Christopher Michel.

Seeking to keep her position as Illinois Comptroller, Judy Baar-Topinka faces Democrat Sheila Simon and Libertarian candidate Julie Fox.

In the Illinois General Assembly races, Livingston County voters will be choosing a total of three representatives, depending upon their location in the County. Voters in the 76th District will choose between the incumbent Democrat Frank Mautino and challenger Republican Jerry Long. In the 105th District, Republican Dan Brady is running unopposed, and in the 106th District, Republican Tom Bennett is facing Democrat William Nutter to fill the seat held by Republican Josh Harms, who has opted not to run for

another term.

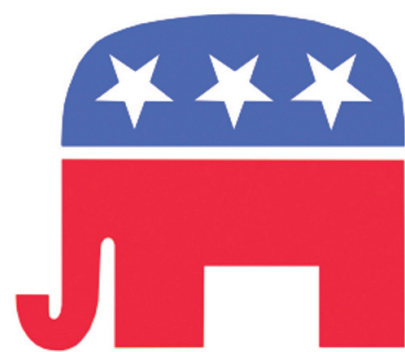
In Grundy County's 75th District, Democrat Martha Shugart will challenge sitting Republican John Anthony. Grundy and Kankakee County voters who share the 79th District, will decide on a new Representative selecting either Democrat Katherine Cloonan or Republican Glenn Nixon. The remaining voters in Kankakee County, those residing in the 34th District, will choose between incumbent Democrat Elgie Sims, Jr. and challenger Republican Mark Ekhoft.

In county wide races, Grundy County candidates are vying for positions of Sheriff, Treasurer and County Clerk. The Sheriff race finds the incumbent Democrat Kevin Callahan facing Republican candidate Ken Briley. Sitting Treasurer, Democrat Marcie Miller will face opposition from Republican candidate Lori Werden. For County Clerk, Democrat Kay Olson will square off against Republican Mary Roth.

Incumbent candidates for Clerk, Sheriff and Treasurer of in both Livingston and Kankakee Counties are running unopposed.

Once again, please do your research, make your choices, and be sure to VOTE on November 4th.

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For Representative in Congress  
16th Congressional District

For Secretary of State  
**Michael Webster**

**Adam Kinzinger**

For Comptroller  
**Judy Baar Topinka**

For Representative in General Assembly  
106th Representative District

For Treasurer  
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## Livingston County:

For County Clerk  
**Kristy A. Masching**

For Members of the County Board  
District Two

For County Treasurer  
**Barbara R. Sear**

**Joan Bullard**  
**Robert F. Weller**

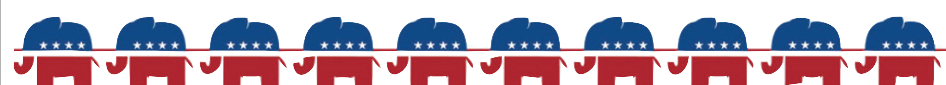
For County Sheriff  
**Tony Childress**

**Daryl N. Holt**  
**David W. Heath**



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## Consul General of Egypt Meets With Rotary Club of Dwight

by Jen Myzia

Rotarians and guests gathered on Wednesday, October 22 to welcome guest speaker, The Honorable Maged Refaat, Consul General of Egypt. Mr. Refaat spoke about Egypt's government, its relationship with Israel, and the history of religions in Egypt, Iran, Iraq regarding the Shia/Sunni divide.

Mr. Refaat gave Rotarians an informative view about Egypt's revolutions and what led up to the populous uprising. We learned that 40 percent of Egypt's population is aged 18-25. These young citizens want more freedoms and more involvement in their government's decision making process. Egypt has been ruled mostly by individuals who were heads of military with the reasoning that they knew everything that was going on and, therefore, would be good leaders.

When Mubarak was deposed and Morsi put into office, it was with the hope that he could bring the change the majority was yearning for. Upon discovery that Morsi was a Muslim Brotherhood plant, that same majority removed him from office. A new constitution was drafted and el-Sisi was voted in. Within the next six months a new Parliament will be voted in. Prior to el-Sisi, approximately five million citizens voted. With the deposition of Morsi, 55 million citizens were allowed to cast their ballot and vote for the leader who they believed would secure their future.

Rotarians learned that Egypt has had lasting peace with Israel since 1973. Mr. Refaat said that this is because the treaty is based on interests and not on sentiment. It is solid and it works.

What about the



**THE HONORABLE MAGED REFAAT, Consul General of Egypt, left, stands with Dwight Rotary President Lon Lovellette.**

USA/Egypt relationship? The U.S. has a mutually beneficial treaty with Egypt. We supply them with arms (which they also purchase from many countries) and in exchange we get clearance to use their airspace, our Navy has free passage on the Suez Canal, and there is joint cooperation in intelligence and anti-terrorism activity.

Mr. Refaat also explained the differences in religion and the problem that has risen from it. Basically, there are not doctrinal differences between Shia and Sunni Muslims. If one is born into a Shia household, they are Shia. Sunni Muslims beget Sunni Muslims. A person who wants to follow a different Imam (or priest), they would simply pledge money to that individual and change from Shia to Sunni or Sunni to Shia. The religion itself is not different in any way.

Egypt has not established an official religion. Ten percent of Egypt's population is Christian. Very much like the U.S., Egypt allows an individual to exercise the religion of his/her choice. Mr. Refaat stated that the problem has come mostly

from Iran and a little from Iraq.

Iran has set itself up as the head of the Islamic religion. Iran was not elected or invited to do so, but just did it, and as a result, contentions arise when Iran forces its authority where it has not been welcomed.

Mr. Refaat was a delightful speaker and the Rotary Club of Dwight is grateful that he was willing to join us for such an educational afternoon.

On October 29, Rotary Club welcomes Jenny Venecek, Midwest Peace Corp Recruiter and past volunteer. She will be speaking about her experiences as a volunteer in Malawi and Tanzania.

On November 5, Roy Glad, Consul-General of Israel, will join us to speak about Israel, its history, relationships with its neighbors, and its economy.

The public is welcome to join the Rotary Club for their speakers. They meet at The Country Mansion on Wednesdays at noon. There is a small fee for lunch, which is payable at the event.

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All residential, farm homes and home sites, commercial and industrial properties are to be assessed at 33.33% of its market value. The 2014 assessed values shown are based upon sales transactions from 2011-2013 and include the equalization factor, if applicable.

Assessment records of all parcels within your jurisdiction are available in the office of Supervisor of Assessments during regular business hours (8:00 AM - 4:30 PM). Information is also available on the Internet at livingston.illinoisassessors.com. Before filing an appeal, an attempt should be made to review the details of your property record card. If you are not satisfied with that informal review, you may appeal your assessment to the Livingston County Board of Review. Appeals must be filed in writing by the deadline of December 1, 2014 (30 days after publication date). If you file late, your appeal will not be heard. Contact the Livingston County Supervisor of Assessments for Rules and Procedures of the Board of Review and complaint forms. Complaint forms are also available on the internet at the address listed above.

Once a complaint is filed, the Board of Review will notify you of a preliminary decision. If you are not satisfied, a hearing may be requested. Attend the hearing to present evidence to support a change in assessed value. You may represent yourself or have an attorney represent you.

The Board of Review will send you a Notice of its final decision on the assessed value and certify those values to the County Clerk to extend taxes for the collection of property taxes. If the property owner does not agree with the decision of the Board of Review, an appeal can be filed with the Property Tax Appeal Board.

Property that is assessed according to market value is an estimate of the amount for which a property could be sold for on the open market. Fair market value is determined based in part, on market data, cost to rebuild the property, or the income the property can generate for its owner. Because there are different opinions of value, the Property Tax Codes require that three years of property sales information be used to make sure that all property is, on average, assessed at 33.33% of its fair cash value.

The equalized assessed value (EAV) is not final and may be increased or decreased if changed by the Board of Review or if an equalization factor is applied by the Supervisor of Assessment or Board of Review. The Property Tax Code requires that the Chief County Assessment Officer and/or the Board of Review apply an equalization factor, if needed, for all property except farmland, farm buildings, and any other property exempt from the application of the equalization factor by law, based on property sales data, to ensure all properties are, on average, assessed at 33.33% of its fair cash value.

The Property Tax Code also requires that the Illinois Department of Revenue to certify for each county a final multiplier (equalization factor) to equalize assessments between Counties. If the Department determines that all property in the county, on average, is assessed at 33.33%, the equalization factor is 1.0000. If properties, on average, are less than 33.33%, the Department certifies an equalization factor greater than 1.0000. If properties, on average, are greater than 33.33%, the Department certifies an equalization factor less than 1.000.

An example of how a tax bill is calculated is as follows:

Table showing tax calculation: 61,440 EAV by Board of Review, - 6,000 Owner-Occupied Exemption, 55,440 Taxable Value, x 10.00 Tax Rate, \$5,544.00

If you have any questions on this heading or on property assessed value, please feel free to contact the Office of Supervisor of Assessments at 815-844-7214 or by mail at 112 W Madison St, Pontiac IL 61764

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Supervisor of Assessments
Livingston County

The median level of assessments for Nevada Township for the 2014 assessment year (as determined by the most recent 3 year level of assessment to sale ratio study for sales that occurred in 2011, 2012, and 2013 as adjusted) is 34.24%. A multiplier of .9734 has been applied to the notice of assessment change and the publication list of said township. This multiplier has been applied to the land/lot and non-farm building assessed values for all properties for the 2014 assessment year. If you did not receive a notice of assessment change, the only change in the assessed value for the 2014 assessment year is the application of the township multiplier.

Table with 4 columns: Parcel #, Owner, Bldg AV, Total AV. Lists property details for Nevada Township.

The median level of assessments for Dwight Township for the 2014 assessment year (as determined by the most recent 3 year level of assessment to sale ratio study for sales that occurred in 2011, 2012, and 2013 as adjusted) is 35.75%. A multiplier of .9323 has been applied to the notice of assessment change and the publication list of said township. This multiplier has been applied to the land/lot and non-farm building assessed values for all properties for the 2014 assessment year. If you did not receive a notice of assessment change, the only change in the assessed value for the 2014 assessment year is the application of the township multiplier.

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Table with 4 columns: Parcel #, Owner, Bldg AV, Total AV. Lists property details for Round Grove Township.

The median level of assessments for Round Grove Township for the 2014 assessment year (as determined by the most recent 3 year level of assessment to sale ratio study for sales that occurred in 2011, 2012, and 2013 as adjusted) is 34.24%. A multiplier of .9734 has been applied to the notice of assessment change and the publication list of said township. This multiplier has been applied to the land/lot and non-farm building assessed values for all properties for the 2014 assessment year. If you did not receive a notice of assessment change, the only change in the assessed value for the 2014 assessment year is the application of the township multiplier.

Table with 4 columns: Parcel #, Owner, Bldg AV, Total AV. Lists property details for Round Grove Township.

The median level of assessments for Odell Township for the 2014 assessment year (as determined by the most recent 3 year level of assessment to sale ratio study for sales that occurred in 2011, 2012, and 2013 as adjusted) is 33.74%. A multiplier of .9878 has been applied to the notice of assessment change and the publication list of said township. This multiplier has been applied to the land/lot and non-farm building assessed values for all properties for the 2014 assessment year. If you did not receive a notice of assessment change, the only change in the assessed value for the 2014 assessment year is the application of the township multiplier.

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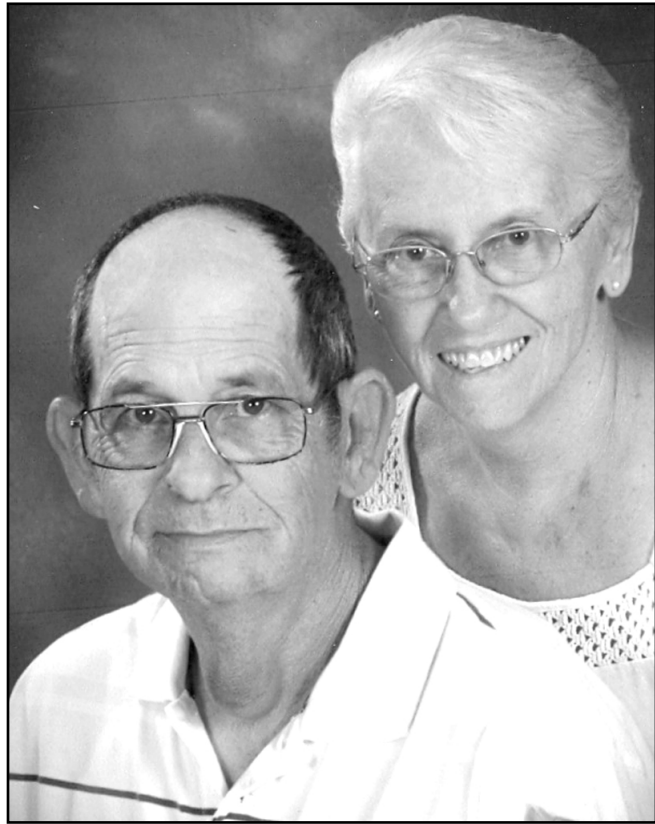
The median level of assessments for Union Township for the 2014 assessment year (as determined by the most recent 3 year level of assessment to sale ratio study for sales that occurred in 2011, 2012, and 2013 as adjusted) is 33.74%. A multiplier of .9878 has been applied to the notice of assessment change and the publication list of said township. This multiplier has been applied to the land/lot and non-farm building assessed values for all properties for the 2014 assessment year. If you did not receive a notice of assessment change, the only change in the assessed value for the 2014 assessment year is the application of the township multiplier.

Table with 4 columns: Parcel #, Owner, Bldg AV, Total AV. Lists property details for Union Township.

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Judy and Mike Mobley



**Mike and Judy Mobley to Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary**

Mike and Judy Mobley will be married 50 years on October 31. They will celebrate with family and friends on November 1. Mike Mobley and Judy Gochanour were married October 31, 1964, in St. Anthony Catholic Church in Streator. Their wedding attendants were Janie Gochanour and Mike Castiglia.

They are the parents of one son, Dan (Jill) Mobley of Dwight, and one daughter, Michelle Mitchell, of Belvidere. They have one granddaughter, Jacqueline Mitchell, of Dwight. Mike is retired from RR Donnelley in Dwight after 38 years. Judy is retired from the U.S. Post Office in Dwight after 32 years.

**Nathan Ruffatti Earns Presidential Scholarship to North Central College**

A Gardner resident has earned a Presidential Scholarship, awarded to academically talented and highly motivated students, to North Central College in Naperville.

The Presidential Scholarship is the top merit-based scholarship at North Central and is offered to less than 15 percent of the incoming class. The scholarship is based on a combination of a student's high school GPA from core academic classes and ACT/SAT test scores and is renewable for up to four years.

**Wepprechts' 60th Wedding Anniversary "Thank You"** 9-13-2014  
*to everyone for the telephone calls, beautiful cards and gifts. All of you helped to make our 60th Anniversary a wonderful event and beautiful memory.*  
 Love, John and Dee

**Save the Date!**  
*Christmas Under the Windmill*  
 Christmas Under the Windmill will be December 7, 7 p.m., at The Country Mansion. Tickets are on sale at Emiling Florist and The Country Mansion. The committee encourages everyone who wishes to attend to purchase tickets ahead of time.

**MVK Mavericks Vendor Fair November 8**

Over 25 vendors will be at the MVK Mavericks Vendor Fair on November 8, at MVK Middle School from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., which will include hand-made soaps, scarves, headbands, soy candles, stained glass and jewelry.

There will also be representatives from Avon, Miche, Tastefully Simple, Younique, Jamberry, Mary Kay, Pampered Chef, Norwex and more. For questions or more information, contact Emiley Steffes at 815-483-5296.

**Dwight Music Boosters Don't Miss a Beat, Plan for Upcoming Events**

The Dwight Music Boosters met October 6 in the DGS Library. The Marching Trojans have been performing at football games, two parades and have two competitions in the books for the 2014 season. They placed fourth in Pontiac and second in the Dunlap Marching Competitions. They are looking forward to seeing what the rest of the season brings.

The new uniform design for the Marching Band has been chosen and is on schedule to be ready for the St. Patrick's Day Parade in March 2015. Two band students and eight choir students practiced hard for the IMEA competition in Bloomington on October 13. Students were chosen based on their audition and will perform November 22 at ISU's Braden Auditorium. The choir's first performance was held on October 14 in the High School's Auditorium. Their next performance will be a Holiday Concert in December. The DGS Marching Redbirds did a wonderful job performing in the Harvest Days Parade and Homecoming Parade. The group extended their thanks to all who helped the Marching Redbirds and Trojans.

The DGS Pep Band is preparing for another season. You can catch their music at the following girls' and boys' basketball games: October 30; November 6 and 18; December 16 and January 22.

The DGS Choir has five students auditioning for the IMEA choir in Bloomington. Auditions were held October 13 and the students selected will perform November 22 in Bloomington. Community members can catch the DGS Band and Choir performing at the Veterans Day Ceremony at the Dwight Depot Tuesday, November 11.

Other important dates include the second and third grade music concert Monday, December 8, at 6:30 p.m. in the DGS Gymnasium; and the sixth through eighth grade Band and Choir Concert Friday, December 12, 7:00 p.m. in the DTHS Auditorium. The Dwight Music Boosters will be taking care of the DGS home volleyball games' concession stand this year. Watch the girls play and support the Music Boosters at the concessions.

The next meeting will be Monday, November 3, in the DGS Library. The public is welcome to attend.

The Dwight Senior Citizens Center Duplicate Bridge Results

Francis tied with Dorothy Roche / Glenda Kutos. The next duplicate game will be October 30.

**Dwight Senior Citizens Center Duplicate Bridge Results**

- Duplicate bridge was played October 16 at the Dwight Senior Citizens Center.
- NORTH/SOUTH:**
1. Darlene Drechsel / Mary Ann McNamara
  2. Ellen Galeaz / Janet Kresl
  3. Liz Houck / Evelyn Neuhalfen
- EAST/WEST:**
1. Docia Hancock / Norma Rodosky
  2. Carol Bush / Delores Slattery
  3. Pat Townsend / Joan

**Chatsworth Corner** by Mare Reardanz

The Town of Chatsworth called its October 23, 2014 Board meeting to order at 7 p.m. Thursday night. All Trustees were present. The minutes from the September 25th and October 9th meeting were approved and seconded.

Recommendations for stop sign reductions was updated to changing 9 of the 140 stop signs currently in town to yield signs. The board voted 3 yes and 3 no. Mayor Runyon broke the tie by voting no.

Deputy Mitchell of the Livingston County Police Department was present and answered any questions the board or citizens had. He started a dialog concerning a Neighborhood Watch program for the Town.

New business included approving the second payment to Selcas; approving the cleaning of the mold off the bottom of the water tower; and purchasing 7 drainage grates for the Oak Street and Walnut Street projects.

No Public Issues nor Attorney's Report. Under Old Business, the garbage contract was renewed. It was noted that there was a slight increase due to the increased charges at the landfill.

Trustee Galen Schaffer reported that the fuel tanks at the Fire Department for town and Fire Department use are operational and full. All inspections have been completed and passed.

The water plant update reported some down time due to waiting for parts, so resuming work on the man-holes with injection ports and inspection valves continued. The water plant will begin switching over next week. They are looking at the last week in November for completion of the project.

On a final note before the Board retired into Executive Session, Town Clerk Norma Kerber reminded all that Board meetings will be held only once a month for the months of November and December 2014, and January and February 2015. They shall continue on the second Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m.

**Dwight Economic Alliance Gift Certificates Available**

The Dwight Economic Alliance will begin selling gift certificates November 1. These certificates will be sold for face value and will be valid at any member business. A list of eligible businesses will accompany each certificate.

They will be available at the Dwight Economic Alliance office at the Depot. Office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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11-11-30-200-004	LEGNER, NANCY A & LEGNER, FRA	136,687	142,818
11-11-04-400-002	MCWILLIAMS FAMILY FARM PTNSHP	689,340	695,520
11-11-26-100-002	MCWILLIAMS, PRISCILLA (SABA)	461,940	463,680
11-11-07-300-004	MEENEN, STEVEN E & KIMBERLY K	231,100	231,840
11-11-06-400-002	MORSE, CHARLES L TRUST & LOU	460,920	463,680
11-11-06-400-003	MORSE, CHARLES L TRUST & LOU	231,260	231,840
11-11-07-200-003	MORSE, CHARLES L TRUST & LOU	231,000	231,840
11-11-12-200-007	PASTORE, JAMES A TRUST 1004	38,766	66,000
11-11-33-200-002	PASTORE, JAMES A TRUST 1004	462,100	463,680
11-11-04-100-004	PIERCE, RICHARD D	231,260	231,840
11-11-07-300-006	SCHAHREER, PAMELA E & THOMAS C	229,660	231,840
11-11-27-400-008	SCHROEDER, KENNETH L & NANCY	230,500	231,840
11-11-11-100-008	SEVERSON FAMILY LLC	128,705	170,001
11-11-05-300-002	STAHLER, JAMES L & STAHLER,	231,440	231,840
11-11-11-300-001	TELFORD, GARY D	0	16,773
11-11-11-400-005	TELFORD, KEITH A	12,075	36,922

The median level of assessments for Broughton Township for the 2014 assessment year (as determined by the most recent 3 year level of assessment to sale ratio study for sales that occurred in 2011, 2012, and 2013 as adjusted) is 34.24%. A multiplier of .9734 has been applied to the notice of assessment change and the publication list of said township. This multiplier has been applied to the land/lot and non-farm building assessed values for all properties for the 2014 assessment year. If you did not receive a notice of assessment change, the only change in the assessed value for the 2014 assessment year is the application of the township multiplier.

Parcel #	Owner	Bldg AV	Total AV
12-12-16-100-003	CARRERA, CRISTINA	8,960	15,864
12-12-27-300-007	DONLEY, MARLIN O & JANETTE M	84,079	88,609
12-12-21-100-001	FRAHER, FRANCIS D	4,584	19,786
12-12-32-300-004	JACKSON, DAVID E & RACHELLE L	29,272	36,247
12-12-25-200-001	LJM TRUST NUMBER ONE & MALON	111	34,477
12-12-04-226-004	PERSIC, LAWRENCE E & WENONA R	33,593	35,405
12-12-33-200-006	SANDERS, ALBERT	49,518	57,544
12-12-09-100-003	STRACHAN, JEFFREY A TRUST & BR	190,063	209,097
12-12-35-400-007	TWEEDT, JOYCE & TWEEDT, DARW	17,125	25,774
12-12-16-100-004	WYLLIE, JOHN H	917	30,177



**THE DWIGHT WOMAN'S CLUB Scarecrow made a friend with another Lady Scarecrow visiting outside Heritage Woods this week. Woman's Club member Lisa Marsh created the Woman's Club entry in the Scarecrow contest at the Woods.**

## Dwight Woman's Club Continues Service to Community

Dwight Woman's Club members held their October meeting at Prairie Creek Library. During the business meeting a motion was made to continue to partner with the Dwight Township High School in sponsoring two sophomore students to attend the annual Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership conference.

Funds for the scholarship to the seminar were raised through early cook book sales at Harvest Days. In other new business, it was reported that the club is again supporting Livingston County efforts to promote breast cancer awareness by selling pink light bulbs in October. The bulbs are available at area banks and Coco's Sweet Shop. Members heard a brief report on the final project of adding a border to the Butterfly Garden at Lions Lake.

President Lynn Neville thanked Marcia Drach for her efforts to bring this project to completion. Alicia Daly shared that the Girl Scout Council was very happy to learn about the partnership between the Woman's Club and Troop 1181 and the garden project and that there will be a Girl Scout Fall Open House and information day at Lions

Lake on Saturday, October 25th where interested girls can visit the garden and learn more about local scouting.

President Lynn Neville thanked one of the club's new members, Lisa Marsh, for creating the Woman's Club Scarecrow that is on display at Heritage Woods. She also reminded members that Woman's Club member Earline Landers will be placing the Woman's Club wreath at the Veterans Memorial on Veterans Day.

The Centennial Cook Book Committee let members know that a recipe error on page 87 of the cook book was found -- Grandma's Frosted Molasses Creams are a BAR cookie and should be baked in a jelly roll pan, not dropped by teaspoons.

Corrections will be made in the remaining cook books to be sold and members will share the correction with friends who already purchased their copies. The error was discovered and corrected when the delicious cookies were made for the refreshment table at the meeting.

Judy Gillespie distributed the annual Christmas raffle tickets to members. This year there will be three prizes, each prize will be \$100 in Dwight Economic Alliance gift certificates. Club members will be selling raffle tickets for \$1 each, or 6 for \$5, until the drawing on December 7th at the Festival of Trees. Proceeds from the raffle will be used for scholarships and community donations,

including a donation to Dwight's 4th of July celebration.

Marcia Drach reported on planning for the Festival of Trees. Area groups and individuals who have participated in the past or expressed an interest this year have been contacted and invited to decorate a tree for the charity of their choice and display it at the festival on December 6 and 7.

Woman's Club members have begun to gather ornaments for the club tree, FROZEN, which will be raffled off at the festival. Any individuals or groups in the community who would like to celebrate the Christmas season by helping a charity through a raffle or silent auction of a tree, table centerpiece or wreath they have decorated and donated, should contact Marcia.

Julie Riggen will serve as chairperson of the Cookie Sale to be held at the festival, Becky Klingler is arranging for some entertainment during the festival, and Santa and Mrs. Claus will be available for visits and photos on Sunday afternoon.

Following the club business meeting, members of the Dwight Woman's Club, and guests of the club and Prairie Creek Library, enjoyed an informative program on The Orphan Trains presented by Mrs. Susan Roush of Marseilles. Mrs. Roush spoke about the beginnings of the Orphan Trains, which originated in New York City around

1853. She noted that Illinois was a popular destination for the trains and that many children were placed in the homes of farm families throughout the state, and other areas of the Midwest. During her program she shared short stories about children who had been on the trains whom she learned of through her readings and research. Mrs. Roush's interest in The Orphan Trains started when a woman from LaSalle county asked her to do a presentation about the trains, because her father had been a child on the train who was placed with a family in Ransom, and had a wonderful and successful life.

Mrs. Roush was able to gather information about the woman's father, including letters he had written about his experiences, to use in her first program. In preparing for that presentation, her interest was piqued and she has continued to research the story of The Orphan Trains. Some of the audience members had read or were reading the novel, The Orphan Trains by Christina Baker-Kline, and contributed to a nice discussion about the historic Orphan Trains.

Door prizes were won by Carol Bush, Rosie Miller and Lisa Marsh following the program. Cookies made from recipes for the Woman's Club Cook Book were served by the social committee of Virginia Malone, Theresa McNamara, Ruth Bosman and Eileen Hitchcock.



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### Avoid These Scary Investment Moves

Whether you have young children or not, you're probably well aware that Halloween is almost here. However, despite the plethora of skeletons and ghosts you might see floating around this week, you probably don't have much to fear (except, possibly, running out of candy). But in real life, some things genuinely are frightening — such as "scary" investment moves.

Of course, investing, by its very nature, is not a risk-free endeavor. Ideally, though, these risks are also accompanied by the possibility of reward. Nonetheless, some investment moves carry very little in the way of "upside" potential and should be avoided. Here are a few to consider:

**Not investing** — The scariest investment move you can make is to not invest at all — because if you don't invest, you are highly unlikely to achieve a comfortable retirement or meet any other important financial goals. In a recent survey conducted by the National Council on Aging and other groups, 45% of the respondents who were 60 or older said they wished they had saved more money, and almost one-third said they wished they had made better investments. So make investing a priority — and choose some investments that have the potential to provide you with the growth you'll need to meet your objectives.

**Overreacting to "scary" headlines** — The financial markets like stability, not uncertainty. So the next time you see some news about domestic political squabbles or unsettling geopolitical events, such as conflicts in foreign lands, don't be surprised if you see a drop, perhaps a sizable one, in the Dow Jones Industrial Average and other market indices. But these declines are usually short-lived. Of course, the markets do not exist in isolation — they can and will be affected by what's happening in the world. Yet, over the longer term, market movements are mostly governed by mundane, non-headline-grabbing factors, such as corporate earnings, interest rate movements, personal income levels, and so on. Here's the point: Don't overreact to those scary headlines, or even to short-term market drops. Instead, focus on the fundamentals driving your investments — and maintain a long-term perspective.

**Chasing hot investments** — You can receive tips on "hot" investments from multiple sources: television, the Internet, your friends, your relatives — the list goes on and on. But by the time you get to these investments, they may already have cooled off — and, in any case, may not be appropriate for your needs. Stick with investments that offer good prospects and are suitable for your risk tolerance.

**Failing to diversify** — When it comes to investing, "too much of a good thing" is a relevant term. If your portfolio is dominated by one type of asset class, such as aggressive growth stocks, and we experience a downturn that is particularly hard on those stocks, you could face sizable losses. But if you spread your investment dollars among growth stocks, international stocks, bonds, government securities and certificates of deposit (CDs), you can lessen the impact of a market drop. Keep in mind, though, that while diversification can reduce the effects of volatility, it can't guarantee a profit or prevent losses.


Halloween is over quickly. But scary investment moves can have a lasting effect — so stay away from them.

This article was written by Edward Jones for use by your local Edward Jones Financial Advisor.

### Snow Removal Bid

The Village of Saunemin Board of Trustees will be accepting bids for snow removal. Snow removal will be for the streets and alleys throughout the Village along with the downtown sidewalks. Snow removal will be done after 2" of snowfall. Bids will be taken through November 10, 2014. If interested please send your bid (along with certificate of insurance) to Village of Saunemin, P.O. Box 283, Saunemin, IL 61769. Any questions please feel free to contact the Village office at 815.832.4334 or Steve Schaffer at 815.832.4090 evenings.

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**MRS. SUSAN ROUSH GAVE a program on The Orphan Trains at the October meeting of the Dwight Woman's Club. Club members, as well as guests of the club and guests of the Library, enjoyed the informative presentation and many plan to do a little more reading on this interesting topic.**

### November Events at the Prairie Creek Public Library

- November 3 - Scrappers: 6-8 p.m.** - Scrapbook Club
- November 4 - Identity Theft: 6:30 p.m.** JoElynn Andersen and an officer from the Dwight Police Department will speak on how to protect yourself.
- November 5 - Computer Class 11 - 12:30** Dave Lattimer helps answer your computer questions.
- November 6 - Quilt Club from 1-7 p.m.** This is an open time period for quilters to come as their schedule allows.
- November 7 - Family Movie - 6:30 p.m.** "A Family Thanksgiving"
- November 10 - Yarns & Tales - Knit & Crochet Club** Those who knit or crochet are invited to bring their projects and work while visiting with old friends and new.
- November 14 - Classic Movie Matinee - 10:30** "The Maltese Falcon"
- November 18 - Teen Pizza & Movie Night - 5:30 p.m.** "The Seekers"
- November 20 - Afterschool Matinee - 4:00 p.m.** "Dispicable Me"

### Free Computer Classes Offered at Prairie Creek

Do you have unanswered computer questions? Do you need help using search engines, e-mail, Facebook, or Word?

Join Dave Lattimer as he demonstrates basic computer skills at his free computer class at Prairie Creek Library, Dwight, November 5 from 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

If you have a laptop or a tablet, take it to class with you.

### Knights of Columbus Council #1574 Tootsie Roll Drive

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Braidwood Knights of Columbus #1574 would like to thank all of the merchants and members of our communities for their donations to our drive to assist people with Intellectual Disabilities. We would also thank those who helped in any way to make this year's program activity successful. Thanks again for the help. We especially thank the following Businesses for their support. The Dates of the drive were September 20, 22, and 23 of 2014.

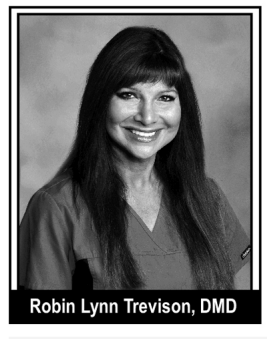

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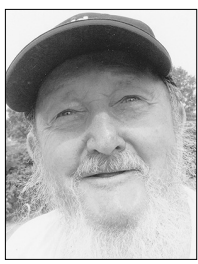
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OBITUARIES

**Arthur R. Horn**

ESSEX – Arthur R. Horn, 79, of Essex passed away peacefully Tuesday, October 21, 2014 at his farm, where he spent his final days surrounded by his family and friends.



He was born on the farm April 26, 1935, son of Henry J. and Elizabeth Hodel Horn. In 1956 he married Marlene Armstrong at Zion Lutheran Church in Bonfield, where he was a lifelong member. In November they would have celebrated their 58th anniversary.

Arthur attended Reddick High School. He was a hard worker. He worked a full time job and farmed full time for many years. He worked at A.O. Smith in Kankakee for 29 years and CBI in Kankakee until a much deserved retirement. He enjoyed farming with his sons and lifelong friends, Vince Bolatto and the late Earl Scott. Art also enjoyed gardening and sharing the abundance with others. He loved playing cards with family and friends.

Surviving are his wife, Marlene; three daughters and three sons: Lawanda (Bruce) Maierhofer of Braidwood; Bill (Nancy Minton) Horn of Essex; Debbie Horn of Aurora; Greg Horn of Essex; Jeff Horn of Cape Coral, Florida;

and Michele (Mike) Tupper of Braidwood.

Also surviving are four grandchildren: Mary (Nate) Anderson, Mike Horn, Jake Wigent and Megan Horn; two great-grandchildren: Lily and Brady Anderson; two brothers, Orland (Donna) Horn of Loomis, California; his twin brother, Arnold Horn of Bourbonnais; a half-brother, Edward (Al-vera) Horn of Hot Springs, Arkansas; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Preceding him in death were his parents; two brothers, Roland and Orville Horn; and two half-sisters, Loretta Cremer and Marie Clodi.

Funeral services were at the R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd., Braidwood Chapel, Saturday, October 25, at 10 a.m. Rev. John M. Kiefer officiated.

Interment followed in Zion Lutheran Cemetery, Bonfield.

Visitation was Friday from 4 until 8 p.m.

The family would like to give special thanks to the people of Hospice of Kankakee Valley and Michelle Bell for their much appreciated help and care.

To sign his on-line guest-book, log onto www.rwpatersonfuneralhomes.com.

**Colleen Lockhart**

DWIGHT – Colleen Ada (Lorraine) Lockhart passed away Thursday, October 23, 2014 at her daughter's home in Dwight.



Surviving are her son, Kevin C (Beth) Lockhart of Shelbyville; daughters: Marilis (Donald) Dettman of Dwight and Shannon C (Ralph Sr.) Brainard of Chapin, South Carolina; many grandchildren and many great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Richard Earl Lockhart, who she met and married in Chicago; her son, Allen Lee Pozdol, Sandy M. Pozdol; and her son, Timothy Shawn Lockhart.

Colleen was the mother of six. She loved watching old movies and serials like

the Lone Ranger, Charlie Chan, and movies like Abbott and Costello Meet (Dracula, Wolfman, Invisi-ble Man, etc.) She loved crossword puzzles and was an avid reader.

She was very fond of and collected M&M containers.

Cremation rites have been accorded and private family services will be held.

The family is asking that instead of flowers that you give to one of the United Methodist programs to help the hungry or homeless, from the website on-line: www.umcmmission.org

To sign her on-line guest-book, log on to: www.rwpatersonfuneralhomes.com

R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd. & Crematory was in charge of arrangements.

**Obituaries are continued on page 19 and 20.**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Pursuant to 35 ILCS 200/10-115, the farmland assessments for the 2014 assessment year will increase by 10% of the preceding year's cropped soil productivity index for each productivity index as certified by the Illinois Department of Revenue with data provided by the farmland Assessment Technical Advisory Board.

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Perhaps you sent or spoke kind words, As any friend could say;  
Perhaps you were not there at all, Just thought of us that day.  
Whatever you did to console the heart,  
We thank you so much, whatever the part.  
Our sweet Tommy has his wings now.

The Tommy Harner family  
Tom and Rita,  
Anna Mae Humbert and Families,  
John J. Harner and Families

Since Nate's accident and untimely passing, we his family, have been strengthened and our spirits lifted by the outpouring and support and warm friendship from our community, churches, friends. Hugs, tears, food, kind words, visits, and help in our homes and in the fields have all been graciously offered.  
We are so blessed to know each of you special people.  
Thank you from the bottom of our hearts.  
Sheila, Scott and Garrett Severson  
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WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.  
PLAINTIFF  
VS  
LAURIE A. ELLIOTT A/K/A LAURIE ELLIOTT;  
JEFFERY V. ELLIOTT A/K/A JEFFERY ELLIOTT;  
DEFENDANTS  
13 CH 111  
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NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE UNDER ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE ACT \*\*\*THIS DOCUMENT IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT ON A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE\*\*\* PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered by said Court in the above entitled cause on February 7, 2014, LIVINGSTON COUNTY SHERIFF in LIVINGSTON County, Illinois, will on November 25, 2014, in 110 N. Main St. Pontiac, IL 61764, at 10:00AM, sell at public auction and sale to the highest bidder for cash, all and singular, the following described real estate mentioned in said Judgment, situated in the County of LIVINGSTON, State of Illinois, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said Judgment:

LOT 17, PRAIRIE VIEW ADDITION TO THE VILLAGE OF FLANAGAN, BEING LOCATED ON A PART OF THE SOUTH-EAST 1/4 OF SECTION 22, TOWNSHIP 28 NORTH, RANGE 3 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS, AS PER PLAT RECORDED JULY 12, 1976, IN PLAT BOOK 10 PAGE 25 IN THE OFFICE OF THE RECORDER OF DEEDS OF LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

TAX NO. 13-13-22-480-004 COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 506 SOUTH REDBUD LANE FLANAGAN, IL 61740 Description of Improvements: SINGLE FAMILY HOME, NOT FOR SALE, UTIL ON The Judgment amount was \$111,684.25. Sale Terms: This is an "AS IS" sale for "CASH". The successful bidder must deposit 25% down by certified funds; balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. NO REFUNDS. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate, water bills, etc., and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to plaintiff. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the bid amount, the purchaser shall receive a Certificate of Sale, which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. The successful purchaser has the sole responsibility/expense of evicting any tenants or other individuals presently in possession of the subject premises. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DYAS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For Information: Visit our website at http://service.atty-pierce.com. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only - Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn, Chicago, Illinois 60602. Tel. No. (312) 372-2060. Please refer to file #PA1315190 Plaintiff's attorney is not required to provide additional information other than that set forth in this notice of sale.  
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**5 Minutes with Boma**

**Daylight Savings**  
The thing we all need more of will be granted to us very soon. Unfortunately, it only lasts for one night and that is very disappointing, but on November 2 we get to "fall back" and enjoy an extra hour of sleep. Everyone always wishes there were more hours in the day, and it's funny that when we are finally presented with one in the fall (and in the spring) what encompasses that extra hour of time is almost always sleep. It would be interesting to see if there were more hours in a day how people would utilize them. It's possible that since they know it's only for a day that they just decide to nab that extra hour of sleep while it's available. If they were given the opportunity every day, would it be different? Personally I don't think I would alter my schedule at all, other than I would work in an extra hour of sleep every night to be more refreshed the next day. In a long chain of events, getting an extra hour of sleep every day would allow you to be more productive, but since everyone is now more productive would your life just be full of as many things as it is now since your body is now capable of doing that? Would an extra hour really add anything? I think it would be like minimum wage, when it gets raised. It would work for a few months maybe, but eventually everything would end up back on the same playing field. But it's an interesting scenario to consider. What would you do with that extra hour in the day? Eventually would that hour not even be worked into sleep at all, would we just stay up an extra hour with the mindset of "I'm going to get the same amount of sleep anyway?" There are a lot of variables to consider. When this day comes on November 2nd, really think about what that extra hour gave you, or if it gave you anything at all.

Aaron Boma  
2012 DTHS and ISU Junior  
boma23@gmail.com

NOTICE OF SALE  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COUNTY OF LIVINGSTON-PONTIAC, ILLINOIS

EVERBANK,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
ADAM L. HANDZUS and CARRIE HANDZUS,  
Defendants.  
13-CH-81

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 104 MORGAN ST., DWIGHT, IL 60420

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of the above Court entered in the above entitled cause on May 2, 2014, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The West 16 Feet of Lot 2, all of Lot 3, and the East 9 feet of Lot 4 in Block 6 of the Resubdivision of part of Oughton's Second Subdivision to the Village of Dwight, being located on a part of the Northeast Quarter to the Southwest Quarter of Section 4, in Township 30 North, Range 7 East of the Third Principal Meridian in Livingston County, Illinois.

Permanent Index Number: 05-05-04-326-010

Commonly known as: 104 Morgan St., Dwight, IL 60420

will be offered for sale and sold at public vendue on November 25, 2014 at 10:00 AM, at the New Law and Justice Center, 110 North Main, Pontiac, Illinois.

The Judgment amount is \$165,457.50.

The real estate is improved with a single family residence.

Sale terms: The bid amount, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, shall be paid in certified funds immediately by the highest and best bidder at the conclusion of the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate, and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to the Plaintiff. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the Court.

Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser shall receive a Certificate of Sale, which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale.

The property will NOT be open for inspection. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the Court file to verify all information.

For information, contact the Plaintiff's Attorney: Heavner, Beyers & Mihar, LLC, 111 East Main Street, Decatur, IL 62523, (217) 422-1719.

The purchaser of a condominium unit at a judicial foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, who takes possession of a condominium unit pursuant to a court order or a purchaser who acquires title from a mortgagee shall have the duty to pay the proportionate share, if any, of the common expenses for the unit which would have become due in the absence of any assessment acceleration during the 6 months immediately preceding institution of an action to enforce the collection of assessments, and which remain unpaid by the owner during whose possession the assessments accrued. If the outstanding assessments are paid at any time during any action to enforce the collection of assessments, the purchaser shall have no obligation to pay any assessments which accrued before he or she acquired title. If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by the Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5 (g-1).

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### Life Given New Meaning Through Love After Death



**DOC, JEFF KLIMP AND CANDACE MATELJAN, ABOVE, make up 381 A.D.** The item below will be raffled off at Chicago Records November 3. For a chance to win this and other items stop in at Chicago Records with a copy of this article from now until closing November 3.



(continued from page 1)  
 "I am so grateful to them," Klimp said. "Without them, I would have never been able to get to where I am today; they provided the outlet I needed to really start creating the intricate pieces I love to make."  
 What is so different about the pieces Klimp creates is

that each one tells a story – whether in relation to some of the more painful emotions or events he has endured throughout his life, or simply an expression of his own fascination with the creepy or macabre forms nature sometimes provides, or an interesting combination of the two. With each skeleton posed, each butterfly wing carefully placed, the animals are transformed, given new life and new purpose, a new direction that embraces that idea of loving something, even after death.  
 The pieces he makes can vary and range in size, with smaller pieces taking around a week to finish, while larger ones can take up to a month or longer. "Sometimes, it is also a matter of waiting to obtain the right animal to complete the piece," Klimp said. "That

can mean a piece might remain unfinished for a bit until I get what I need to consider it done."  
 "Of course, Jeff is also a perfectionist," Doc said with a laugh. "I'll look at a piece and think it's done, and he'll look at me like I'm crazy."  
 Klimp doesn't just use animal remains in his art; he uses preserved flowers, insect remains (such as butterfly wings), even feathers that his pet parrot has shed.  
 The trio makes sure there is meaning behind everything they do, believing that, even throughout life's painful trials, there is a reason for each seemingly "wrong turn" taken. This is evident in their name, 381 A.D., which means 3 numbers, 8 letters, 1 meaning, I love you After Death.  
 All three have also had similar experiences, having

faced the darker aspects of life and emerged reborn, ready to start anew. "One of the biggest reasons I do this is because my hope is that, by putting my pain and suffering into my art, I can help someone with similar struggles, and give them the hope to continue creating something new," Klimp said.

Besides giving people the option of a different form of preservation for their own fallen pets, it is this wish to help others, in addition to animals, that drives all three to continue forward with the business. "We hope to someday have our own store front, so that we can donate to causes we support and help those in need, especially since we have all overcome our own addictions," Candace said. It is their hope that they can help abused animals, as well as families whose loved ones have committed suicide.

Currently, Jeff's work is being displayed at Chicago Records, a store located at 1260 N. Kennedy Dr., Kankakee. The trio has said that anyone interested can bring in a copy of this article between Wednesday, October 29, and Sunday, November 2, before the store closes, and have a chance to win a special Halloween piece created by Klimp.

Please contact 381 A.D. directly at 815-325-7058 or 381adart@gmail.com, or through Chicago Records, if interested in having Klimp do a piece. Klimp's art is definitely worth checking out, even if just for the excellent company you will find yourself in, should you decide to venture out to Chicago Records this week.



**DTHS SPANISH IV SENIORS** recently visited and interacted with Mrs. Lipofski's Kankakee bilingual Kindergarten classroom at Taft primary. While there, they practiced their conversational Spanish skills, assisted with literacy centers, and worked one on one with the students. This bi-annual trip is coordinated by DTHS Spanish teacher, Nicole Dunnill.



Send your Halloween Costume Photos to [thepaper1901@sbcglobal.net](mailto:thepaper1901@sbcglobal.net)

**Free Yard Waste Pickup Days in Dwight**  
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DTHS VARSITY TROJANS leave the field for a final time this season with a record of 3-6. They defeated Argenta-Oreana Friday night, 29-8.

photo by The Paper staff



## DTHS TROJANS FOOTBALL

**Monday, October 20**  
Dwight vs. Iroquois West JV -

The JV Trojans lost their final home game of the season, 30-20, to Iroquois West.

Dwight opened the scoring on a 21-yard screen pass from Justin Fox to Carter Wykes. The PAT attempt was no good.

The next score came on a 14-yard pass from Fox to Blake Graham. Again, the PAT was no good.

The Trojans' final score was a 15-yard run by Bryant Galan, with a two-point conversion run by Cam McCurry for two.

With the loss, Dwight fell to 4-3.

**Friday, October 24**  
Dwight vs. Argenta-Oreana JV -

The JV Trojans lost their final game of the season to

Argenta-Oreana on Friday night, 28-6.

Dwight's lone score came on a 17-yard pass from Cam McCurry to Blake Graham. The PAT was no good.

The Trojans end the season with a 4-4 record on the year.

### Varsity -

The varsity Trojans ended their season on a high note, traveling ALL the way to Argenta-Oreana to get a 29-8 victory over the Bombers.

Tony Bernardy got Dwight on the board first, with a six-yard run for a touchdown midway through the first frame.

Trimi Asllani would hit a 23-yard field goal late in the second quarter to put Dwight up 10-0.

The Trojan defense shut down the A-O run game early and left them scoreless at the half.

Jayson Powell would catch his first of two TD catches in the third quarter on a ten-yard pass from Justin Fox. Asllani missed the PAT, but Dwight was sitting comfortably with a 16-0 lead.

Under four minutes later, however, the Bombers finally found the end zone and would connect on the two-point conversion afterwards, cutting the Trojans' lead in half.

Some trickery a few minutes later put six more points up for Dwight, though, as running back Brandon Allen rolled out for an 18-yard touchdown pass to Powell with 3:48 left in the third.

Allen and the Trojans would have had a few scores more had some big runs not been called back by penalties.

Luckily for Dwight, it

wouldn't matter.

Fox would find Bernardy on a ten-yard TD pass late in the third, putting the Trojans up 29-8, and up for good.

Dwight had almost double the offensive production of Argenta-Oreana, running all over them, 164 yards on the ground to their 35.

Allen ended with 99 yards in the contest on eight rushes in his final games as a Trojan. Bernardy ran nine times for 27 yards, scoring once. Powell ran for 19 yards on four carries. Jack Davidson had 18 yards on 11 runs. Russell Ferguson ran once for a two-yard gain. Garrett Wardell picked up four on his own version of the Refrigerator Perry Push.

Fox would end up going 8-13 in the air, with 116 yards and two TDs.

Jace Kennedy had five grabs for 73 yards. Powell (continued on page 12)

## MILO Wrestling Club Sign-ups

Saturday, November 1

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## King Jerome Reigns Supreme Week 7 Paper Bowl XIV

If there were a Paper Bowl Hall of Fame, Buckingham's Jerome Schneider would have his own wing. Mr. Schneider and his wife Martha have been winning this game since the very first year, and they don't plan on stopping anytime soon. "My back is a little sore these days," Jerome admits, "but I'm not going to stop getting around. I'm just a little slower these days." Jerome claimed his second \$25 Paper Bowl Gift Certificate of the year after his 11-3 effort in week seven. He needed the tiebreaker for his latest victory. Dwight's Ron Wilder and Doug Folkers and Chicago's Brandon Bzdusek tied King Jerome. The tiebreaker for week seven was 603. Our winner guessed 650 (+47), Bzdusek 770 (+167), Folkers 420 (-183), and Wilder 0 (-603). One hundred and eight



entries were collected in week seven. Fifteen swamis received honorable mentions with 10-4 scores. They were Dwight's Tom Lenzie, Lee Dixon, L a D o n n a Booth, Jane Dixon, Paul Hosier and Larry Davis, Buckingham's Martha Schneider (2x), Pontiac's "Post" Mark Mackinson and Gary Lindemann, Normal's Sara Senger, Braceville's Tim Humbert, Odell's Terrence Schook, Reddick's Maya Turner and Streator's Scott Dresbach. Twenty-five entries scored 9-5 records; 33 were 8-6 and the remaining entries were .500 or below. The prize bus keeps rolling along, and it's time you got onboard. Our designated drop locations for this week are Geo's Restaurant, Cherry Red Roasters BBQ and DeLong Ford. Enter once at each drop location.

## Sponsor Challenge Paper Bowl XIV Week 7 Results

Danko's State Farm 10-4 over Cherry Red Roasters 7-7  
Planning Assoc. 10-4 over Owl 8-6  
Berkot's S. Foods 11-3 over 1st National Bank 9-5  
B. B. Toyz 9-5 over Jensen's BP 8-6  
SOCU 10-4 over DeLong Ford 9-5  
DQ 13-1 over Dwight Bank 10-4  
Geo's Restaurant 10-4 over LPL 7-7

### Standings

North	South
Planning Assoc. 7-0	Danko's State Farm 6-1
Dairy Queen 4-3	Streator Onized 5-2
Geo's 3-4	Cherry Red Roasters 5-2
Jensen's BP 2-5	Dwight Bank 3-4
Owl 2-5	1st National Bank 3-4
Berkot's S. Foods 2-5	DeLong Ford 3-4
Big Boyz Toyz 2-5	LPL Financial 2-5

## GSW PANTHERS CROSS COUNTRY

### Saturday, October 25 GSW at Bishop Mac Class A Regionals -

The Panthers had three runners advance to sectionals after participating in the Bishop McNamara Class A regional. Individual results are as follows:  
**Girls -**  
Daly Galloway, 1st, 18:17\*.  
Tori Hayner, 42nd, 25:29.

Hayley Cummings, 46th, 28:16.  
**Boys -**  
Michael Mankowski, 11th, 17:27\*.  
Dan Muller, 24th, 18:10\*.  
Billy Evans, 34th, 18:40.  
Kerrick Dyer, 67th, 20:41.  
Zander Harris, 72nd, 21:10.  
\* = sectional qualifier

## DTHS LADY TROJANS VOLLEYBALL

### Monday, October 20 Dwight vs. Gardner SVC Tournament -

Dwight took a loss to Gardner 23-25, 25-12, 23-25 in SVC tournament action on October 20.  
Ashley Fox led with 12 points, four kills, two service aces and two blocked shots. Quinn Bossert had eight points, including an ace, six kills, a dig and a block. Lili Ferrari added seven points, 34 assists, three aces and a dig. Rachel Gschwendtner had seven points, with an ace and a dig. Brooke Bossert chipped in two points, nine kills and a dig. Molly Rodosky added an ace. Amy Ruder had nine kills, while Megan VanAmburgh added a kill and a dig. Mary Wiemken contributed five kills and two blocks.

### Dwight vs. Momence

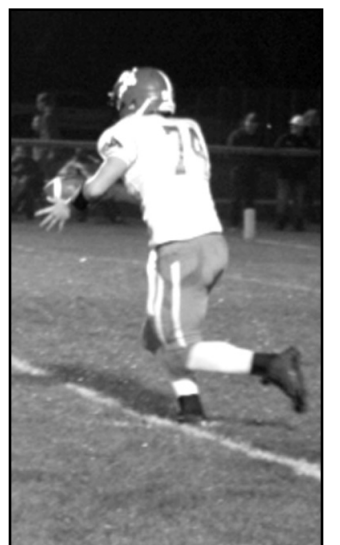
The Lady Trojans got a win over Momence 25-13, 13-24 in their second game of the SVC tournament on October 20.  
Brooke Bossert led the team with 14 points and two kills. Rachel Gschwendtner had six points, two digs and a kill. Lili

Ferrari added two points, 21 assists, one kill and a dig. Ashley Fox had two points, a kill and a dig. Molly Rodosky had two points and a dig. Quinn Bossert contributed 13 kills. Mary Wiemken had four kills and two blocks. Karah Colebank added two assists. Amy Ruder chipped in two kills.

### Thursday, October 23 Dwight vs. Iroquois West

Dwight was defeated by Iroquois West during SVC tournament action on October 23, 18-25, 25-25.  
Brooke Bossert had five points, two kills, two digs and a service ace to lead the team. Quinn Bossert added three points, eight kills and four digs. Lili Ferrari had two points, three kills and two digs. Megan VanAmburgh contributed two points, including two aces and five digs. Rachel Gschwendtner had two points and a kill. Ashley Fox added three kills and two digs. Mary Wiemken had two kills and two blocked shots. Amy Ruder chipped in one kill.  
The Lady Trojans are now 13-15 overall.

Dwight Varsity Trojan Jayson Powell, #29, below at left, tries to avoid a tackle. Ryan Gaston #74, at right, punts the ball away. Below, Brandon Allen takes off downfield after a hand-off from Quarterback #1 Justin Fox.



## DTHS TROJANS FOOTBALL

Varsity continued -  
(continued from page 11)

made two catches, both for touchdowns, totalling 28

yards. Davidson made a 23-yard catch. Bernardy made the ten-yard grab for the score.

On defense, Ferguson led with 4.5 tackles, including 2.5 for a loss and an interception. Kennedy also had 4.5, with 1.5 for a loss. Ryan Gaston totalled 3.5 tackles, with .5 for a loss. Powell had three tackles. Bernardy had 2.5 tackles, 1.5 for a loss. Allen had two tackles, one for a loss. Ethan Stewart, Ryan Beier and Daniel Colclasure all had two tackles. Dj Beckman made one tackle. Drew Travers assisted on a tackle for a loss. Nick Pampinella, Kyle Henson and Walker Eutsey all assisted on a tackle. Michael Bennett and Davidson both had picks.  
Dwight ends the season 3-6 overall.

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**NOTICE OF PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX INCREASE FOR THE BRACEVILLE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT**

I. A public hearing to approve a proposed property tax levy increase for the BRACEVILLE FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT for 2014 will be held on November 10, 2014 at 6:30 p.m. at the District Fire Station, located at 102 W. Main Street, Braceville, Illinois.

Any person desiring to appear at the public hearing and present testimony to the taxing district may contact President Michael A. Perino c/o Braceville Fire Protection District, 102 W. Main Street, Braceville, Illinois, telephone (815) 237-8682.

II. The corporate and special purpose property taxes extended or abated for 2013 were \$124,706.18. The proposed corporate and special purpose property taxes to be levied for 2014 are \$152,130.00. This represents a 22% increase over the previous year.

III. The property taxes extended for debt service and public building commission leases for 2013 were \$0.00.

The estimated property taxes to be levied for debt service and public building commission leases for 2014 are \$0.00. This represents a 0% increase or decrease over the previous year.

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**THE TRI-POINT CHARGERS TRACK TEAM** competed in the Patriot Invitational at Detweiler Park in Peoria Saturday, October 18. The Chargers finished 19th as a team in the boys varsity race. On the girls side, Ali Flessner (above left) and Beth Houck competed in the Varsity Girls race finishing in 22:11 and 23:32, respectively.



**THE TRI-POINT CHARGERS COMPETED** at the IHSA Regional on Saturday hosted by Bishop McNamara at KCC. The Chargers tied for 2nd as a team, but lost the tie-breaker and dropped to 3rd, which was good enough to advance to the Sectional meet. Brandon Wilkerson led the way by placing 1st individually in a time of 15:59. Next up was Nick Thorson (17:22), followed by Jared Haeme (17:47), Dylan Hummel (18:15) (PR), Josh Thorson (18:21), David Amador (19:31) (PR), Jake LeClair (21:49) (PR).

On the girls side, Ali Flessner and Beth Houck competed in the Varsity Girls race finishing in 22:39 and 22:49, respectively. The Chargers' next race will be at the Lisle Sectional on Saturday, November 1st.



**THE TRI-POINT CHARGERS** went to the 2014 golf regionals held in El Paso, with the team (Mark Miller, JC Carrera, Roger Viti, Kyle Robinson) just missing the cut. With just one spot left for an individual, Robinson (above) went into a sudden death playoff with a GCMS player, where he hit a 220-yard six iron to the center of the fairway to leave about a 47-yard pitch to the green. He then two-putted for par, winning by one stroke and advancing to the sectionals.



**DGS LADY REDBIRDS BASKETBALL**

**Monday, October 20**  
Dwight vs. Coal City  
6th Grade -

The Lady Redbirds made some adjustments after being held scoreless in the first quarter against Coal City, and were able to grab an 18-7 win on October 20.

Destinie Drapeau led the team with ten points. Nellie Rieke scored four. Natalia Cuaya and Nora Anderson each made a bucket.

With the win, the sixth graders are now 5-3 overall.

7th Grade -

The Lady Warriors got the best of Dwight in the seventh grade game.

Kayla Kodat led with five points in the game. Katy Edwards put in two.

8th Grade -

In the eighth grade meeting, the Lady Redbirds lost to Coal City, 27-18.

Melissa Stewart led all Dwight scorers with eight.

Cassie Holmes scored six points. Chloe Butterbrodt had four points.

**Tuesday, October 21**  
Dwight vs. Elwood  
7th Grade -

Kayla Kodat's two points were not enough to get Dwight past Elwood on October 21, as they took the loss.

8th Grade -

The Lady Redbirds pulled out a tough win against Elwood on October 21, 16-13, in front of a rowdy Redbird crowd. With the win, Dwight now stands at 4-6 on the season.

Melissa Stewart had eight points, five rebounds, four steals and two blocks in the game. Chloe Butterbrodt had four points, five boards, two steals, a rebound and a block. Cassie Holmes had four points, 11 rebounds and two steals. Gretchen Hilt contributed three rebounds and a steal. Rischell Galbraith and Miranda Holte each added a rebound.



**GSW LADY PANTHERS VOLLEYBALL**

**Monday, October 20**  
GSW at SVC Tournament  
Varsity vs. Dwight

GSW was defeated by Dwight in the first round of the SVC Tournament on October 20, 25-22, 12-25, 25-23.

Leading the Lady Panthers was Marlana Ferrari with seven kills, five stuff blocks and four service aces. Emily Foley and Bryanna DeMoraes each added four service aces. Foley distributed eight assists while Maranda Residori dished out six. DeMoraes and Lexi Posing each had seven digs.

vs. Cissna Park

The Lady Panthers also took a loss to Cissna Park 15-25, 12-25 in their second match of the day and tournament.

Marlana Ferrari and Lexi Posing led the team with three kills each. Emily Foley distributed eight assists. Maranda Residori had five.

vs. PBL

The Lady Panthers took fourth place in the SVC tourna-

ment after falling to PBL, 21-15, 25-19.

Marlana Ferrari led the team with four kills and two blocks. Bryanna DeMoraes added three service aces. Emily Foley and Maranda Residori distributed five and four assists, respectively. Lexi Posing had nine digs.

GSW heads to the regionals with a 17-8 record overall, and 8-4 in the conference.

**Saturday, October 25**  
GSW at Beecher Tournament  
Freshmen -

vs. Chicago Christian

The freshmen Lady Panthers finished out their season at the Beecher tournament on Saturday.

In their first match of pool play, they fell to Chicago Christian by a score of 25-22, 25-8.

Kaylee Steichen led GSW with five digs and two kills. Delaney Miner added four assists.

vs. Grant Park

GSW split their second

match of the day with Grant Park, 11-25, 25-23.

Leading the way was Sydney Perkins with three kills. Jenni Price and Kaylee Steichen added two each. Price also had four aces. Steichen had three blocks. Delaney Miner dished out five assists.

vs. Momence

The Lady Panthers won their third match of the day over Momence 25-10, 23-25, 15-10.

Sydney Perkins led with seven kills. Jenni Price added six. Delaney Miner distributed a season-high 17 assists, along with four aces. Price also had two blocks.

vs. Bishop Mac

GSW finished out the tourney with a 25-13, 25-17 win over Bishop Mac.

Jenni Price led the Lady Panthers with seven kills. Sydney Perkins added five. Delaney Miner distributed 14 assists and had eight service aces. Kaylee Steichen and Price had three aces each.

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# HOME IMPROVEMENT

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## Dealing with Ladybugs And Their Imposters

(Submitted by Bradley Pest Control)

Ladybugs, Ladybird Beetles, and Asian Lady Beetles originated in New Orleans in the early 1900s. It is not sure if it was a controlled release or if they were brought in to port via ships from Asia.

They are a tremendous benefit to farming and gardeners because they eat aphids, spider mites, mealybugs, and mold. The ladybug usually does not colonize indoors, however, the Asian Lady Beetle does. In some rural areas they are attracted to the warmth of the struc-

ture. As the sun goes down in the afternoon the beetle follows it up to the soffit area. At some point in the fall the temperature does not rise enough the next day and the beetle comes inside into the attic area, down the wall or thru the recessed lights in a ceiling to annoy the homeowner. The simplest ways of eradicating them are vacuuming and sealing any holes. Small amounts of dish soap mixed with water in a spray bottle covers the beetles breathing apparatus. If these efforts are to no avail a licensed Pest Management Professional should be called.

## Prevent Your Heating Bills from Going Through the Roof

Heating your home can be a costly endeavor. But you don't have to make your family suffer in shivering silence to save some money. There are plenty of steps you can take to optimize your heating efforts, as well as prep your home for several months of cool weather.

- Check and maintain your insulation. Improperly insulated walls, floors, attics, basements and crawl spaces drain away heat and can encourage mold and mildew.

- Add weather stripping and caulk around windows and doors to prevent drafts which waste energy and money.

- Install a programmable thermostat that shuts itself off during the day when you're away and at night when you're asleep. This will keep you comfortable when you're home and save you money when you're not.

- Keep vents and returns free of obstructions. Don't lay carpet over vents, place furniture over or in front of them or obstruct the flow of air.

- Keep your air filters clean. Check them every couple of weeks and change them as directed by the manufacturer.

- Let the sun shine in by opening curtains on cold days. Get heavy drapes to keep things cozy at night.

- Review last year's energy bills. If your heating costs are drastically higher this year, a qualified HVAC/R technician may be able to diagnose the problem.

Schedule such inspections twice annually, even if you aren't experiencing any detectable issues.

- When choosing a contractor for installation or maintenance, important factors must be taken into consideration. A qualified HVAC/R technician is a skilled professional with proven knowledge who has passed specialized tests. So look for a technician certified by North American Technician Excellence (NATE), the nation's largest independent non-profit certification body for HVAC/R technicians.

- Even the most eco-friendly, high-efficiency products and appliances can waste money and energy if they're not installed, serviced, and maintained properly. Work with certified technicians to ensure your HVAC/R equipment is delivering on its promised energy efficiency.

- Consider alternatives to conventional heating. For example, geothermal heating systems use the earth's natural heat and are among the most efficient and energy-conserving heating technologies currently available.

- Replacing your system? Purchase equipment with an ENERGY STAR label. High-efficiency systems reduce your impact on the environment and can also save you money. You may also be eligible for a Federal Tax Credit. Check with your local NATE contractor to determine qualifying models. Also, for optimal performance be sure to select the proper size system for your home.

For resources and more tips on home heating and cooling visit [www.hvacradvice.com](http://www.hvacradvice.com).

By following a few key tips, lowering your heating bill and increasing your family's comfort can go hand in hand.



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## Prepping Your Home for Cold Weather Pays Off

Preparing your home for colder weather can help ensure your family stays warm and safe, as well as save you money on energy-related costs and potential damage to your home's structure.

"I recommend homeowners do a thorough home inspection at least every five years," says Tom Capuano, a franchisee of Pillar To Post Home Inspectors, North America's largest home inspection franchise.

The experts at Pillar To Post recommend homeowners take the following steps to cover their bases.

**Doors and Windows** - If you can feel cool air coming through the bottom of the door, replace the weather stripping and door sweeps to save about one-third of your average annual heating and cooling costs. Next, caulk drafty windows and replace old single-pane windows with thicker, more modern versions. Install storm windows and insulate walls and attics.

**Chimney and Flue** - Annual inspections of the chimney and flue minimize the threat of chimney fires. Additionally, add a chimney cap to keep out moisture and ensure your chimney has an appropriate liner to separate system emissions from the home's structure. Inspect and maintain chimney flashing.

**Outdoor Areas** - Ensure gutters and downspouts are flowing freely. Clogs can cause water to make contact with the foundation walls of your home and creep under your roofing.

Seal cracks in your home's foundation to prevent moisture intrusion. Seal decks and fences to prevent the wood from rotting.

The roof takes the brunt of the cold weather, so repair leaks, however minor, and replace loose shingles.

Winterize pipes with insulation, especially those that are exposed to the elements or located in unheated areas. Know where your water shut-off valves are located so they can be turned off in case of a pipe leak.

Trim tree branches that could potentially fall onto your home or driveway. Check with your local municipality about regulations.

**Thermostats** - Programmable thermostats can cut energy bills by \$100 or more each year. For every degree your thermostat is adjusted, you can save up to one percent on energy bills.

**In-Home Leaks** - Repair leaking faucets and toilets, which can add up to 20 gallons of water per person per day. Also consider low-flush toilets and showerheads. Low-flush toilets use less than 1.6 gallons of water per flush and low-flow showerheads use up to 36 percent less water. Some local water departments offer rebates for making the upgrade.

If you don't have the time or knowledge to inspect your home for problem areas, certified home inspectors can quickly check all areas of your home and will give you a report of your home's condition. For example, Pillar To Post offers home inspection reports detailing up to 1,600 key components of a home's condition so you can take a preventative approach to problems.

More information about home inspections can be found at [www.pillartopost.com](http://www.pillartopost.com).

Home inspections and prepping for the cool weather can help protect your family and your pocketbook.

## Family-Friendly Carpet and Tile that Work for Your Home

Your home's flooring matters. Not only can it affect property value, but it's also a fundamental element of design and style. With so many choices available, it can be difficult choosing what's right for your family and home.

Here are some guidelines that can help you make smart decisions that meet your budget and lifestyle.

### Choosing Tile

"Tiling your home can be a great home improvement to easily add value," says Keesha Hargis, a home décor specialist.

Easy to maintain, tile flooring tends to be very resistant to moisture, fading and scratches. Tile allows you to create a variety of looks in your home from Tuscan to modern with the use of stone, such as slate, travertine, marble, concrete and linen.

Natural stone floors are beautiful and elegant, but they are not always ideal for families. However, today's engineered products are changing that. For example, PurSTONE, a pre-engineered tile flooring available through Flooring America, can be installed quickly with or without grout on any level of a home. Unlike natural stone that needs to be stained and maintained, this alternative can look better longer with minimal maintenance.

There is a vast selection of styles, colors, and fibers to choose from in today's marketplace, but a simple checklist can help.

"The activity level of the home should be considered first," says Hargis. "For example, a traditional, patterned wool carpet may not be the right choice for a busy family with toddlers and pets."

Nylon fibers will hold up well to foot traffic, but may not offer the stain resistance a well-used room may need. Carpets manufactured in today's polyester and polypropylene fibers resist staining and can be found in vibrant colors and sharp multi-toned patterns, but may not last through years of heavy wear.

Newer fibers, however, are allowing for softness and durability to co-exist. For example, the Innovia Touch Collection has built-in stain and soil protection. Backed by a 20-year warranty, it can offer the resilience a carpet in a well-used room needs.

Some homeowners may want professional help in making their decisions. Think about consulting a qualified flooring specialist.

Design tips, home improvement advice and information about innovations in flooring are available at [www.FlooringAmerica.com](http://www.FlooringAmerica.com).

Flooring is a long-term investment, so consider factors like maintenance and usage before making a final decision.

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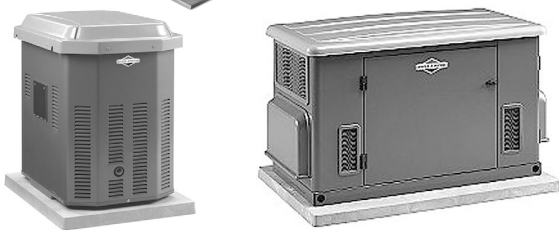
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### Smart Tips to Make Fall Lawn Care Easier

A beautiful lawn is important for a lovely home, but when those autumn leaves begin to fall, some extra effort is required to keep things picture perfect. This once meant firing up noisy machinery and piling up bag after bag of yard waste. Now that we live in more environmentally-conscious times, this might not seem like such a responsible idea.

Doing things by hand doesn't have to lead to a sore back. Learning some helpful hints can make your lawn really stand out this year and

help you get the job done in a breeze.

Spring is when the lawn and garden really come into full bloom, but fall is when plants are storing energy and nutrients to have ready when the season turns. Like an athlete training in the off-season, get a step up on the competition by building a good foundation. Now's the time to fertilize and aerate since roots keep growing and storing energy even when above-ground growth slows during the colder months. Don't forget to keep watering too!

Weeding can be made less painful if you adhere to the old gardener's trick of completing this task after it rains. When the earth is dry, it's harder to pull out the whole weed without breaking off the top. After rainfall, the ground is soft, making it easier to pluck out entire weeds. They can easily be added to leaves and other debris that needs to be hauled away.

Leaves can smother your lawn if enough of them build up, preventing sunlight from reaching the grass and increasing the chances of lawn disease. Collecting the leaves in bags allows your lawn to breathe and receive proper sunlight.

The average cost to remove leaves is \$374. There are easy DIY methods that can save you money. To make your life easier and get the job done faster, consider using tools such as the EZ Leaf Hauler, which acts like a giant dustpan for leaves, and is a cost-effective, green

alternative.

Reduce waste by packing more leaves into every bag with tools like the EZ Leaf Stomper or using leaves and yard debris for mulch or compost.

Good posture can also prevent backaches when raking leaves. Keep your head up and back straight. Relieve back pressure by raking in the "scissors" stance: placing one foot forward and the other back and reversing position when comfortable. Another option is to haul tarps by using pull handles like EZ Tarp Tugger.

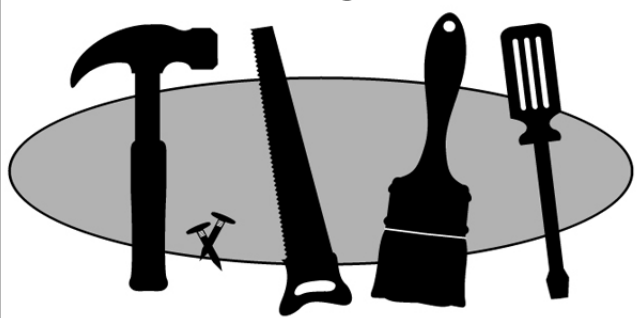
Opt for ergonomically designed rakes, shears and pruners that require less hand strength and provide a comfortable non-slip grip to help prevent muscle soreness. More information on innovative tools for raking, hauling and bagging yard waste can be found at [www.ezlawnandgarden.com](http://www.ezlawnandgarden.com)

Get a head start on home improvement this fall with smart lawn and garden care. Grab the kids and get the clippers, rake 'em in and bag 'em up.

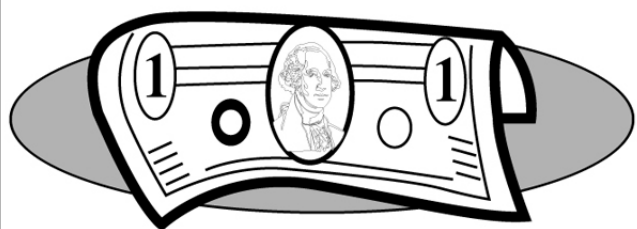


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### GARDNER FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT Financial Statement FYE April 30, 2014

#### CASH

Beginning Cash Balance as of: May 1, 2013 \$94,199.38

Total Receipts: \$434,807.28  
Total Disbursements/Liabilities: \$521,477.69

#### CASH:

Standard Bank Checking (Imprest) \$304.27  
Standard Bank - Checking 7,206.74  
Illinois Funds (TIF) 13.91  
Illinois Funds (operating) 4.05  
\$7,528.97

Total Ending Cash Balance April 30, 2014 \$7,528.97

#### REVENUE

Corporate:	Current Year Taxes	69,568.03	
	Current Year Tax Audit	1,200.89	
	TIF Village of Gardner	47,095.14	
	Replacement Tax	1,569.97	
	Foreign Fire Ins Tax	1,890.56	
	Sale Of Equipment	8,347.50	
	Interest Income	6.12	
	Other Income	185.18	129,863.39
Ambulance:	Current Year Taxes	57,309.23	
	TIF Village of Gardner	47,095.16	
	Personal Property Replacement Tax	1,569.96	
	Resident Services	170,202.45	
	Sale of Equipment	762.50	
	Interest Income	6.13	
	Other Income	178.87	277,124.30
Insurance:	Tort/Liability Taxes	27,819.59	27,819.59
			<u>434,807.28</u>

#### EXPENDITURES

Corporate:	Administrative Expense	181.46
	Trustees Salaries	221.37
	Meals & Entertainment	36.61
	Legal Services	29,310.43
	Dispatching Services	1,041.72
	Auditing & Accounting	5,017.50
	Bank Service Charges	7.23
	Firefighter Training	365.99
	Trustee Training	723.22
	Contingency/Misc	240.00
	Printing & Publishing	569.24
	Postage	184.61
	Dues/Subscriptions	244.00
	Office Supplies	233.80
	Office Equipment Repair	288.75
	Office Capital Outlay	1,699.51
	Penalties & Interest	13.54
	Inspections	3,389.44

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Equip & Sm Tool Repair	273.24
Fire Clothing	2,993.15
Uniforms/Station Wear	687.40
Fuel/Oil	3,969.46
Raido Equipment Repair	556.08
Fire Extinguishers	75.00
Pest Control	247.50
Vehicle Repair & Maint	20,489.16
Natural Gas Expense	2,034.88
Electric	3,067.63
Phone/Internet/Cable	1,251.68
Sewer/Water/Refuse	348.43
Facility Repair & Exp	657.74
Facilities Supplies	977.66
USDA Loan	18,562.50
Health Insurance	1,998.41
	<u>101,958.34</u>

Ambulance:	Administration Expense	181.45
	Trustee Salaries	221.37
	Meals & Entertainment	36.60
	Legal Services	29,310.39
	Dispatching Serv-Disp	3,425.17
	Auditing & Accounting	15,875.83
	Bank Service Charges	7.23
	EMS Training	614.22
	Trustee Training	723.22
	Contract Fees	586.07
	Contingency/Misc	641.50
	Printing & Publishing	551.75
	Postage	202.11
	Dues/Subscriptions	94.00
	Office Supplies	233.77
	Office Equipment Repair	288.75
	Office Capital Outlay	1,699.50
	Penalties & Interest	13.50
	Inspections	890.56
	Equip & Sm Tool Repair	85.16
	Medical Supplies	1,008.17
	Oxygen	601.66
	Uniform/Station Wear	439.59
	Fuel/Oil	7,610.55
	Radio Equip Repair	383.37
	Pest Control	247.50
	Vehicle Capital Payment	10,000.00
	Vehicle Repair & Maint	4,961.12
	Natural Gas Exp	2,034.80
	Electric	3,067.60
	Phone/Net/Cable/ADT	1,251.66
	Sewer/Water/Refuse	348.37
	Facility Repair & Exp	657.72
	Facilities Supplies	977.64
	USDA Loan	18,562.50
	Health Insurance	1,998.40
	Insurance Expense	9,206.50
Insurance:	Workers Comp Insurance	21,589.00
	Payroll Expenses	278,891.05
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**6585 E. Main St., Gardner...** 3 bedroom home on 5 wooded acres. Two barns and other outbuildings. \$199,900 Lori Bonarek 815-325-4760 (MLS 08677682)  
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**NOTICE OF SALE**  
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE  
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
COUNTY OF LIVINGSTON-PONTIAC, ILLINOIS

EVERBANK, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
ADAM L. HANDZUS and CARRIE HANDZUS, Defendants.  
13-CH-81  
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 104 MORGAN ST.  
DWIGHT, IL 60420

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of the above Court entered in the above entitled cause on May 2, 2014, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Permanent Index Number: 05-05-04-326-010  
Commonly known as: 104 Morgan St., Dwight, IL 60420  
will be offered for sale and sold at public vendue on November 25, 2014 at 10:00 AM, at the New Law and Justice Center, 110 North Main, Pontiac, Illinois.  
The Judgment amount is \$165,457.50.  
The real estate is improved with a single family residence.

Sale terms: The bid amount, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, shall be paid in certified funds immediately by the highest and best bidder at the conclusion of the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate, and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to the Plaintiff. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the Court.

Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser shall receive a Certificate of Sale, which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale.

The property will NOT be open for inspection. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the Court file to verify all information.  
For information, contact the Plaintiff's Attorney: Heavner, Beyers & Mihlar, LLC, 111 East Main Street, Decatur, IL 62523, (217) 422-1719.

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WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.  
PLAINTIFF  
VS  
LAURIE A. ELLIOTT A/K/A LAURIE ELLIOTT;  
JEFFERY V. ELLIOTT A/K/A JEFFERY  
ELLIOTT;  
DEFENDANTS  
13 CH 111  
506 SOUTH REDBUD LANE  
FLANAGAN, IL 61740

NOTICE OF SALE PURSUANT TO JUDGMENT OF FORECLOSURE UNDER ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE ACT \*\*\*THIS DOCUMENT IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT ON A DEBT. ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE\*\*\* PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered by said Court in the above entitled cause on February 7, 2014, LIVINGSTON COUNTY SHERIFF in LIVINGSTON County, Illinois, will on November 25, 2014, in 110 N. Main St. Pontiac, IL 61764, at 10:00AM, sell at public auction and sale to the highest bidder for cash, all and singular, the following described real estate mentioned in said Judgment, situated in the County of LIVINGSTON, State of Illinois, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said Judgment:

TAX NO. 13-13-22-480-004 COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 506 SOUTH REDBUD LANE FLANAGAN, IL 61740 Description of Improvements: SINGLE FAMILY HOME, NOT FOR SALE, UTIL ON The Judgment amount was \$111,684.25. Sale Terms: This is an "AS IS" sale for "CASH". The successful bidder must deposit 25% down by certified funds; balance, by certified funds, within 24 hours. NO REFUNDS. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate, water bills, etc., and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to plaintiff. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the bid amount, the purchaser shall receive a Certificate of Sale, which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. The successful purchaser has the sole responsibility/expense of evicting any tenants or other individuals presently in possession of the subject premises. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DYAS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. For Information: Visit our website at <http://service.atty-pierce.com>. Between 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. only - Pierce & Associates, Plaintiff's Attorneys, 1 North Dearborn, Chicago, Illinois 60602. Tel. No. (312) 372-2060. Please refer to file #PA1315190 Plaintiff's attorney is not required to provide additional information other than that set forth in this notice of sale.  
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**BOY SCOUT TROOP 459**, chartered by Godley Park District, camped and hiked along I&M canal. On October 17, the troop camped at Channahon State Park and on October 18th, the troop hiked 6.5 miles on the I&M canal to Dollinger Farm to watch the Civil War Reenactment. While camping, the scout leaders saw a skunk run through the middle of camp around 10 p.m. when the scouts were in their tents. During the hike, the boy scouts saw egrets and blue herons on the river and on the canal. The scouts enjoyed the Civil War reenactment with the cannons being so close. Even with the temperature being in the 50's, the scouts had a great time. In the picture, with cannons in the background, are (L-R) Devon, ScoutMaster Tom, Spencer, Trenton, Michael S, James, Michael R, and Scout Leader John.

## Dwight's Crop Walk Raises Over \$6,000

On September 28, Dwight held its own Crop Walk, where people volunteered to walk a certain distance of their choice to support finding an end to hunger. Julie Marx, 2014 Crop Walk Chair, couldn't be prouder of the overwhelming community support received for this event.

"The support and involvement was fabulous, and together we were able to raise nearly \$6,500 after expenses. The food pantries will receive their support by June because that is the end of the Crop Walk's fiscal year," Marx said.

"As a committee, we appreciate the efforts of Streator Onized Credit Union, First National Bank, Hancock Jewelry, Bank of Pontiac-Dwight, Edward Jones, Berkot's Grocery, *The Paper* and Aaron Boma for their extra support," Marx said.

According to Marx, there were 75 to 80 walkers and "rollers" from the community and from Futures Unlimited. The weather was beautiful and the fellowship was awesome—only negative to some was that the Bears lost to Green Bay.

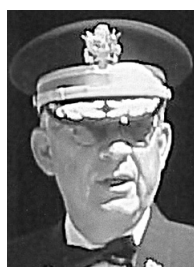
There were at least 12 individuals who raised \$200 or more. One person raised over \$300, saying that they were a recipient of the food pantry and were finally able to "repay" them. "Several churches and community organizations were very generous as well," Marx said, "But when someone like this gets involved, it is so special."

Dwight may be a smaller community, but when we work together we are a metropolis. "Again, I truly appreciate all the support and generosity to help provide food for our community," Marx said.

## OBITUARY

### George K. Knudsen

PONTIAC — George K. Knudsen, 78, of Pontiac passed away at 1:46 p.m., Friday, October 24, 2014 at OSF St. James John W. Albrecht Medical Center, Pontiac.



rank of Colonel, Infantry. Being the son of a Danish immigrant, it was his privilege to serve on active duty in the Army Reserve and in the Illinois National Guard. His service included serving the State of Illinois and its citizens in times of floods, natural disasters and civil disturbances.

Visitation will be Friday, October 31, from 4 until 7 p.m. at Calvert & Martin Funeral Home, Pontiac, with the rosary being recited at 3:30 p.m.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be Saturday, November 1, at 10 a.m. in St. Mary's Catholic Church, Pontiac, with Rev. David Sabel and Deacon Jim Wallace officiating.

Burial will be in St. Stephen Catholic Cemetery, Streator, with full military rites being conducted by Military Funeral Honors of North Riverside.

George was born in Dwight August 20, 1936, son of George Nelson and Leila Gertrude Parker Knudsen. He married Germaine Centko July 5, 1958. She survives.

Also surviving are one son, G. Christian (Julie) Knudsen of West Des Moines, Iowa; two daughters: Kay (David) Heller of Houston, Texas and Kim (Jeffrey) Longbons of Wheaton; grandchildren: Letitia and Grace Longbons, William Heller, Sadie, Maya and Gavin Knudsen; and one brother, Thomas Knudsen of Bloomington.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his daughter, Frances.

As a native of Livingston County, he was educated in Dwight schools, attended Illinois Wesleyan University and graduated from Illinois State University. He was also a graduate of the United States Army Command and General Staff College and National Defense University.

He enlisted in the Illinois National Guard Co. B/129th Infantry as a private in 1959, the same battalion in which his great-grandfather served during the Civil War.

In 1991, after 32 years of service, he retired with the

Reserve Officer Association of the United States, St. Mary's Catholic Church in Pontiac and Cursillo, the American Legion, the Knights of Columbus (Fourth Degree), the Elks, National Guard Association of Illinois, the National Guard Association of the United States, was a life member of the AMVETS, and served as a member of the Color/Honor Guard of the combined AMVETS.

His awards and decorations include the Army Commendation Medal, Army Reserve Components Achievement Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Armed Forces Reserve Medal, Army Service Ribbon, State Active Duty (4), and the Long and Honorable Service Medal.

He retired from Caterpillar, Inc. management in 1996 with over 40 years of service. He remained active in veterans affairs having served as Chairman of the Veterans Assistance Committee of Livingston County and as a member of the Livingston County Board.

George worked on restoring the Poor Farm Cemetery for five years. He worked on the Lincoln Statue on the courthouse lawn. He was also a speaker at local Memorial Day celebrations for many years.

He was a mentor to many for hunting and fishing, and will be missed by all.

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7th Grade -

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Shelby Serena did a great job on the boards and put in 13 points to lead the team. Katelynn Kavanaugh added six points. Madelyn Storm and Paige Patterson each had four points. Emily Beck, Tori King and Carson Halpin had two points each.

**8th Grade -**  
GGG lost to Tri-Point, 39-19, in the eighth grade match-up.

Carson Halpin led the way with nine points in the contest. Mady Asbridge had three. Emily Monbarren, Maddie Schuck and Tori King added two points each. Katelynn Kavanaugh made a free throw.

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