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MIKE HALPIN bends down to chat with a youngster during a dairy expo. Halpin, of Buckingham, farms in this area, but had to have help this year due to an injury he sustained Oct. 5 at the World Dairy Expo in Wisconsin. Submitted photo

by Myke Feinman Managing Editor

As the old saying goes, many hands make light work. That goes for farmers,

the case of In Buckingham farmer Mike Halpin, neighboring farmers brought in 19 combines, 32 semis, and 24 grain carts to harvest 620 acres of corn on eight separate parcels in five hours, Saturday, Oct. 15.

Halpin was severely area.

injured in a fall at the World Dairy Expo in Madison, Wisconsin on Oct. 5.

William VanWassenhove and Roger Birch of Cabery organized dozens of farmer friends and relatives to harvest Halpin's corn.

Farmers came from as far away as Reddick and Crescent City.

Halpin farms with his father, George, and uncle, Billy Halpin, of the Cabery

Many Farmers' Hands, Equipment Make Speedy Harvest Work



SEVERAL COMBINES work quickly Oct. 15 to harvest more than 600 acres of corn for Buckingham farmer Mike Halpin, who was severely injured at a dairy expo Oct. 5. This photo, taken by a drone, shows just a handful of the 19 combines used to harvest the grain. Submitted photo

New Reddick Fire Board Tables Decision About

Future of Gym Building

The harvest volunteers took the grain to four different counties in order to get the job done quickly, so one grain elevator would not be backed up with 32 semis full of grain, according to VanWassenhove.

by Myke Feinman Managing Editor To keep the old high hool gym or not keep the

gym — that is the question. No decisions will be

made about the future of the former Reddick High School gymnasium building until January of next year.

Meantime, the board will

research costs to demolish or maintain the building, seeing which option is least expen-

sive for the district's taxpay-

dent, and Kathy Curl, secretary, were plunged into

rough seas of controversy as

soon as they took their seats,

their necks is the ownership

of the former Reddick High

School building, which

needs to be maintained, and

which is currently being

unused by the Reddick Fire

The albatross around

just a month ago.

The new Fire Board members, Sue Bergan, presi-

According to VanWassenhove's mother, Marla Behrends, Halpin has judged several state fairs including Ohio and Texas this past

"He was an associate judge at World Dairy Expo

which is huge," Behrends

"He loves milking shorthorn cattle, his sons Owen and Colt, and all kids, and helping others," Behrends

talized in a Madison hospital after surgery for the injuries he suffered when he fell from his truck while unloading hay for the dairy cattle he was showing at the expo.

"We pray for him to Halpin remained hospi- recover," Behrends added.

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EVEN THOUGH the sign in front of the Reddick Fire Department is about safety, the building itself, or rather the fate of the former school gym, is putting fear into the hearts of Reddick residents, some of whom fear the building will be torn down and others who think the upkeep will bankrupt the fire department. The Paper photo

Department.

The building and surrounding acreage were purchased by the former board to have land for a new fire

station.

Attempts had been made by previous fire boards to sell the buildings.

The high school has a

deep history in Reddick, and many residents want to preserve the gym, especially, due to its unique rounded (continued on page 3)



DTHS BOE October Actions

by Madelyn Fogarty

A meeting of the DTHS Board of Education was held on October 19, 2016.

In his monthly report, Dwight Township High School Principal Dan Kaiser informed the board that he is again working with the

Dwight Woman's Auxiliary to develop a Veterans Day ceremony for DTHS staff and students. The November 11 ceremony will take place beginning at 2:40 p.m. and will include local military guest speakers.

A Practice ACT test will be administered to all inter-

ested juniors on Sunday, November 13 from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. The test is free to all juniors who would like to participate. The test will be scored by Cambridge Educational Service and participating students will have feedback delivered to them within a week of the

testing date.

The board also: approved Amy Froelich as Volunteer Girls Basket-

ball Coach. approved Clark Reamer as Volunteer Scholastic Bowl Coach.

• accepted the resignation (continued on page 3)



FOR THE RECORD

Tickets Issued by Dwight Police

October 14: Jessica O. Chicke, 36, Herscher, speeding 26-34 MPH over limit; Michelle M. Tiangco, 42, Braidwood, retail theft/disp. merch/<\$300; Braden T. Marks, 17, Gardner, speeding 26-34 MPH over limit, driving restr. time on GDL.

October 15: Anna N. Provost, 39, Bourbonnais, driving 21-25 MPH above limit; Diana G. Ridenhour, 43, Dwight, fail to obey stop

October 16: Rachel A. Meckley, 35, Heyworth, driving 15-20 MPH above limit.

Shande Sherrill, Joliet, speeding, 61/45.

October 19: Ken Jenkins, 45, Dwight, in-state warrant. **Accident Reports**

Friday, October 14, 7:54 p.m., a hit-and-run accident was reported at 225 E. Pollard St., where an unknown vehicle struck a 2012 Honda Accord belonging to Jill Davis, 54, of Dwight, while it was parked and unattended in her drive-

Monday, October 17, 2:53 p.m., an accident was reported on southbound Route 47 at Route 17 involving Chandra D. Fryer, 36, of Marseilles, the driver of a 2000 Chevrolet AST who struck Susan A. Gerd, 59, of Fairbury, the driver of a 2011

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

8 Warnings Issued by Dwight Police



Weekly Ambulance Runs by Dwight EMS

October 14: 12:13 a.m., Mazon Ave., medical, Morris; 12:30 a.m., Wilmac, trauma, Morris, mutual aid from Gardner; 4:30 a.m., Mazon Ave., medical, Riverside; 10:16 a.m., Main St., medical, Morris; 7:58 p.m., refusal; 9:11 p.m., Spencer, medical, Pontiac.

October 15: 9:34 a.m., Main, medical, Morris.

October 16: 10:58 a.m., Mazon, medical, Morris; 3:14 p.m., W. Main, fire 14. standby, no transport.

October 17: 4:28 a.m., Scott Dr., medical, Riverside; 8:18 a.m., E. Seminole, trauma, refusal; 10:54 p.m., Scott Dr., trauma, refusal.

October 18: 8:14 a.m., Mazon Ave., medical, Riverside; I-55, trauma, refusal; 11:42 p.m., Mazon, medical, Morris.

October 19: 4:19 a.m., Mazon, medical, Morris; 5:35 a.m., Tynan Rd., trauma, refusal, mutual aid to MVK; 1:05 p.m., William, medical, Morris.

October 20: 12:30 a.m., Emmett, medical, refusal, mutual aid to MVK.

Open House **Kicks Off** Fire **Prevention** Week in Gardner

Wednesday, October 26, 2016

Gardner Fire District held an open house on October 8 to kick off Fire Prevention Week. Residents were provided the opportunity to learn how to put out fires and escape a burning home.

Gardner Grade School Mazon, trauma, students participated in a fire drill and fire safety poster contest. The winning posters are displayed in the entrance vestibule of the fire station and the winners had lunch with fire fighters on October

> An area-wide vehicle extraction training class was held October 16, finishing off Fire Prevention Week. Mayor Mike Serena and Dean Rankovich provided and cooked lunch for the fire fighters participating in the training session.



GARDNER FIRE DISTRICT held an open house on October 8, the school children had a fire poster contest (above); and a training class was held on October 16 (below) with lunch prepared by Mayor Serena and Dean Rankovich.



Support Packages for Troops Being Collected for the Holidays

Farm Bureau, Will County Farm Bureau, the Bank of Pontiac, Pontiac Area Chamber of Commerce, and Fairbury Chamber Commerce are teaming up collect international phone cards and items to be sent to military personnel in time for the holidays.

Because of the variation of phone cards available on the market, the best way to get the proper cards to troops is through monetary contributions, which may be mailed to: Phone Cards for Troops, c/o Livingston County Farm Bureau, 901 W. Howard St., PO Box 410, Pontiac, IL. Checks should be made out to Phone Cards for Troops. Mail contributions by November 21.

Here is a list of suggested donation items: hot chocolate/hot cider packets; jerky/Slim Jims/summer

The Livingston County sausage; small boxes of cameras. crackers; cheese and crackers; canned fruit (snack size); canned soup; tuna or chicken (canned or packets); mix/nuts/sunflower seeds; cookies (packaged) /rice krispie treats; granola bars/protein bars; fruit snacks/dried fruit; instant oatmeal packets; easy mac packets; microwave or hearty canned soup; candy candy; canes/Christmas multi-vitamins; over the counter pain relievers; men's white or black crew (work) socks; t-shirts (brown, white, or tan); AA and AAA batteries; sweat pants/blanket throws; any type of suitable small gifts; small 8" to 12" artificial Christmas trees; ornaments (handmade or purchased no glass); Christmas stockings; new men's magazines/hand held games; Department responded to the

They will also be collecting items from the following locations: Livingston County Farm Bureau office, any Bank of Pontiac location, Pontiac Chamber of

Commerce, and Fairbury Chamber of Commerce. Items need to be dropped off by November 21.

If there are any questions, call the Farm Bureau office at 815-842-1103.

Dwight Domestic Dispute Results in Arrest

Dwight Police arrested Christopher R. Yard, 24, of Dwight, on a charge of battery after they were called to the scene of a domestic dispute, Oct. 12, in the 300 block of East South Street.

The victim was a 23-yearold Dwight woman.

Police transported Yard to the Livingston County Jail where he was bonded out after posting \$150.



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Guard Against Identity Theft and Protect Your Finances

In 2015 alone, more than 13 million Americans were victimized by identity theft, according to the U.S. Department of Justice. What can you do to guard your identity and protect yourself from potential financial losses?

Here are some ideas to consider:

- Review your statements. Closely review the monthly statements from your checking and other financial accounts. If you find any unfamiliar charges, contact your bank or other financial services provider immediately.
- Order your credit reports. The three credit reporting agencies - TransUnion, Equifax and Experian - are each required by law to provide you one free credit report a year. Make sure your name, address and other information are correct on your credit report, and if you find old or inaccurate information, have it
- Place a fraud alert. If you suspect you have become a victim of Identity theft, place a "fraud alert" on your credit reports by contacting any of the three credit reporting agencies. You can choose a short-term or long-term alert. And if you're an active member of the military, you can request a special, one-year alert.
- Feed your shredder. Shred all old bank and investment statements, applications for new credit cards and any other documents that contain personal information.
- Destroy digital data. If you have a variety of financial accounts, you're not just creating a paper trail - you're also establishing a digital "footprint." So, when you sell or otherwise dispose of a computer system or hard drive, you may want to take steps to destroy personal data. You might think that simply deleting it would be sufficient, but tech-savvy identity thieves can "undelete" files or recover information from a formatted drive.
- Leave your Social Security card home. Snagging someone's Social Security number is a real "catch" for identity thieves, so do everything you can to thwart them. And you can start by leaving your Social Security card safely at home - after all, there's probably never a good reason to bring it out, anyway.
- Watch for "phishers." If you've ever gotten an e-mail, supposedly from your bank, advising you that your account will be "frozen" unless you provide personal details about your account, it's a good bet that someone is "phishing" for this information - and they're using the "freezing" threat as bait. However, a legitimate bank would never threaten you this way with an e-mail, so, if you get such a message, contact the bank's fraud department.

You can go a long way toward protecting yourself against identity theft by following these suggestions, so put them to work soon.

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

Man's Body Found Burned In Car Near Herscher A man's body was found burned beyond recognition

in a pickup truck near a barn and cannot be identified. in rural Herscher after the truck was discovered on fire at 6:11 a.m. Oct. 18 when an area citizen noticed an orange glow in the area. The vehicle was on the

east side of a barn on South 13000 W Road at West 7500 S Road. Herscher Fire

DVDs or CDs/disposable call. The man's body was fire.

Officials await

results which include DNA, sent to the Illinois State Police Crime Lab in Joliet. It may take up to two

weeks to receive results. Kankakee County Coro-

ner Bob Gessner indicated dental records could not be used because the victim's teeth were destroyed in the



Temps 2016

Oct. 13 - high 58°, low 34° Oct. 14 – high 69°, low 34° Oct. 15 – high 72°, low 58°

.55" precip. Oct. 16 – high 75°, low 63°

.06" precip. Oct. 17 – high 84°, low 67°

Oct. 18 – high 78°, low 46° Oct. 19 – high 70°, low 47° .09" precip.

One Year Ago - Oct. 26, 2015 high 66°, low 35° .09" precip.

Hydrant Flushing Continues in Dwight

The Dwight Village Public Works Department is currently flushing hydrants daily from 10:30 p.m. to approximately 4:30 a.m., and will continue doing so through Friday, October 28.

Correction

A firefighters title was incorrectly printed in last week's issue of *The Paper*.

In a series of photos which appeared on page one for the Oct. 19 issue featuring the Odell Fire Department giving fire safety talks for St. Paul School, Lt. Brian Fearman's title was

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New Reddick Fire Board Tables Decision About Future of Gym Building

(continued from page 1) roof. Others do not believe spending fire taxes on preserving a school gym is appropriate.

Which puts the new board in the middle of both

According to Bergan, the east side of the school building is already deteriorating and will cost thousands to demolish.

"That side is unusable and unsafe," Bergan told The Paper last week. "It is to the point where it will either fall down or be torn down and the cost is upwards of \$200,000."

As for the gym, "We're stuck keeping it and not affording it," she said.

But these tough decisions will not be made in a vacuum, she said.

'We're hoping to delay action until we have some good figures," she continued. "What is going to cost

taxpayers less?"

In the future, the plan is any spending over a set dollar amount — to be determined — will not be done without public input first.

The new board members were criticized because a previous board purchased the school without too many in town knowing about it until after the fact.

She reminded people that the public may attend the fire board meetings, with the next one slated for 5:30 p.m., Friday, Nov. 11, at the Fire Station, formerly Reddick High School.

She stressed that the gym will not be on the November agenda.

"We have a lot of stuff to learn, a lot of stuff to do," she said.

Secretary Curl agreed with Bergan and wants the decisions to be transparent going forward.

good job," Curl said. "We want to do what's right."

Meantime, Curl said because her son Dave had contacted the county preservation society concerning the gym, the society has been pressuring Dave to find out the status of the build-

"We were approached to get it on the list of Historical Preservation," Kathy Curl

Former fire board president and Fire Chief Roger Ribbke said he is in a bit of a precarious position as well, now reporting to a board after stepping down due to the need for a chief.

Ribbke is concerned as a citizen that if the gym is put onto the list of historical places, the board will be forced to maintain it and will not have freedom to dispose of the building.

"We'd be obligated to "We're just here to do a maintain it," he said. "Once it is declared historical, you cannot stop the process."

He added that the gym is not critical to Fire and EMS services, and any money spent on preserving the gym is money that could be spent on upgrading fire equipment or other needed expenses.

"That's money being taken away from Fire and EMS services we are obligated to provide," Ribbke added.

Janet Boyer, of Reddick, who is involved with the Herscher Area Historical Society, is concerned about the issues as well.

While she wants to preserve Reddick History, she does not want the Reddick Fire Board to jump into a decision it will later regret.

"I'm going to push for a meeting with the Herscher Area Historical Society," Boyer explained. "We also cannot let our head rule our

Christmas Open House at Historic Dwight Depot November 5

Society and Dwight Economic Alliance will host a Christmas Open House at the Historic Dwight Depot, 119 W. Main St., Saturday, November 5, between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.

Join for refreshments, check out the museum's displays, and shop for Christmas. Keeley aprons

The Dwight Historical have been made in red with white lettering, along with Keeley T-shirts in old gold and bags.

> Also, publications from the Historical Society tours are available, as well as Cat's Meow replicas of Dwight buildings and Collector Dwight Christmas ornaments.

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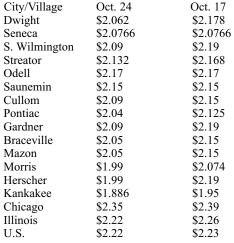
The U.S. national gas price per gallon average slipped this week, down to \$2.22 Monday from \$2.23.

West Texas Intermediate crude oil prices fluctuated, but fell from last Wednesday's high of \$51.60 per barrel to \$50.85 closing price Friday.
"Back in the U.S., gas prices have

continued to move downward as the bulk refinery maintenance season appears to be behind us," said Patrick DeHaan, analyst for Gasbuddy.com.

The Paper publishes last week's and this week's lowest averages each week for the towns listed below.

Average U.S. gallon regular price is made up of 21% state & local taxes; 14% distribution and marketing; 19% refining and 47% crude.



Sources: Gasbuddy.com and U.S. Energy Information Administration.

Gasoline price data collected by The Paper and brought to you by Steve's Tire.

DTHS BOE October Actions

(continued from page 1) of Tim Harms as JV Softball Coach.

- · approved a second semester Military leave of Absence for teacher Stephen Summers.
- approved an FMLA request for teacher Kathy Patten.
 - · approved an early grad-

uation request for senior Jenna Foose.

- recognized students Pulver and Alex Pampinella for recent honors received.
- learned of a name change between Iberdrola Renewables, LLC Avangrid Renewables, LLC.

The DTHS BOE session

followed a joint session of the BOEs for Dwight Public School Districts, District 230 and 232, where a financial audit report was presented by Wipfli LLP of Sterling Illinois to both Boards of Education. Deficiencies, comments and suggestions were reported and discussed with the

boards. Overall, no major concerns were noted.

A resignation agreement Francis Zelek, Technology Director, was approved. The next meeting of the

DTHS Board of Education will be at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, November 16 in the DTHS Board Room.

• approved a \$135 half-The Tri-Point school part-time high school assistant girls basketball coach,

Tri-Point Employs Art Teacher, Coaches

board hired an art teacher and two coaches at its meeting Oct. 17. Akiko Thorson was hired

as K-8 art teacher retroactively to the start of the school year.

Nick Paquette will be

pending acquiring a driver's

Josh Nichols was hired as high school assistant boys basketball coach for the 2016-17 school year.

In other action, the board:

page advertisement in the high school yearbook.

adopted the 2017 annual

• approved letting bids for snow removal service for the 2016-17 school year.

Odell Sportsman's Club Hosting Fall Fish and Rabbit Fry November 7

Sportsman's Club have chosen Monday, November 7, to host their annual Fall Fish and Rabbit Fry, which will run from 4:30-7:30 p.m. at Pour Richard's Tap & Dining in Odell.

The event is "All You Can Eat" and includes fish, rabbit, hot wings, French fries, cole slaw, bread and butter, coffee, tea, or water. Pop or alcoholic beverages will be available for purchase.

A gun raffle is being held and tickets are available at Odell Bank, Odell Food Richard's, Pour Rentz's Tap, and from mem-

Members of the Odell bers of the club. Tickets will proceeds going towards the

win the Bursa Thunder 380 Conceal Carry; second name drawn will win the Escort M87 12 gauge pump 26".

Winners must present a valid FOID card at the time of notification. Winners with a valid FOID must take the firearm. Winners without a valid FOID receive an alternate cash prize of \$350.00. Winners under 18 receive an alternate cash prize of \$350.00. Winners do not need to be present at the

time of the drawing. The club members will also host a 50/50 raffle, with

also be available at the door. scholarship program; the The first name drawn will annual Kid's Fishing Derby; NWTF Wheelin the Sportsmen; and to support local organizations.

The 2016 club officers are Joe Thomas Bolen, president; Michael Cleary, vice president; Lee Cleary, treasurer; Bonnie Bolen, secretary; and Wendy Bolen, assistant secretary. Bill Bolen, Curt DeVito, Kristi DeVito, and Richard Thorne are directors.

For information on joining, contact any club member or Bonnie, secretary, at 815-998-2168 or doubleb10 @frontier.com.

Kringle Sale Underway; **Aebelskiver Breakfast** November 13

The Dwight Danish Brotherhood is currently taking orders for Kringle, which must be placed by October 31 by calling 815-584-2753 or 815-584-1297.

Pick-up will be Saturday, November 12, at the Dwight VFW from 8:30 a.m. to

The Aebelskiver Breakfast will be held Sunday, November 13, from 7:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the VFW.

Dwight Leaf Pickup

Three free leaf pickup days have been scheduled for Dwight. Free leaf pickups will be on the first three Mondays in November November 7, 14, and 21. Leaves must be biodegradable kraft style paper bags, cardboard boxes, or rigid trash containers – no plastic bags are allowed. Leaves should be placed out for pickup by 6 a.m.

Dwight residents are reminded that burning leaves is prohibited at all times within the Village.







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Jenny Tjelle

Jenny Tjelle Appointed First National Bank of **Dwight Loan Originator**

Jenny Tjelle has taken the ing degree from Northern position of loan originator at the First National Bank of Dwight.

She will be working with bank customers for installment, auto, home equity, and home mortgage (purchase and refinances) loans.

Tielle has for the last 11/2 years' worked in home mortgage lending at First Federal Savings Bank in Ottawa.

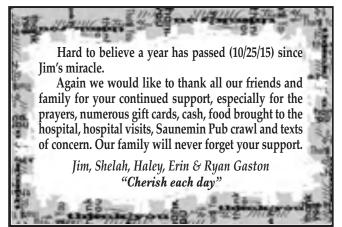
She attended Goodfarm Grade School (the last class the school produced) and Dwight Township High School.

She obtained an account-

Illinois University. She is married to Jake Tielle. The couple has five children.

"Jenny brings a personal approach to helping customers through the lending process," said Eric Stewart, vice president of the bank, in a news release.

"Lending has become more complicated with new rules and regulations but an experienced loan person can help you through the loan application and make the entire process easier," he



Chili Supper in Gardner November 5 Gardner Protection District will host its Chili Supper Saturday, November 5, from 4:00-7:00 p.m. at the Fire House, 206 Depot St. There will be a gun raffle drawing, a 50/50 raffle, and silent auctions. Children receive a dis-

Turkey Supper in Cullom

John's Lutheran Church of Cullom will hold their annual Turkey Supper Saturday, November 5, from 4:30-7:30 p.m. in the parish

November 5

There will be a full turkey supper with all the trimmings, along with entertain-

A fee applies. Kids age six to 12 receive a discount. Children five and under eat for free. Carry-outs are avail-

St. Paul School's Annual **Turkey Dinner** in Odell November 6

Pour Richard's in Odell will serve as host for St. Paul School's annual turkey dinner Sunday, November 6, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

The menu includes turkey and all the trimmings. Carryouts will be available.

A ticket fee applies. Children ten and under receive a discount.

There will be a 50/50 drawing, which will be held at 1:30 p.m. Tickets for St. School's annual Pau1 \$10,000 Fall Raffle will also be available.



DWIGHT WOMAN'S CLUB donates snack cakes, cookies, candy, and more to Dwight Food Pantry. Lisa Marsh, President of DWC, left, and Jan Masching, Food Pantry coordinator, are pictured.



PRAIRIE CREEK LIBRARY presents donations gathered through their Food \$ Fines program. Pictured are Sherrie Rhodes, Library Director; Jan Masching, Food Pantry; and Lisa Marsh, Library Programs.

Zombies Needed for Thrill The World Event

Thrill The World is friends, family, and local residents who join together with thousands of people around the globe to dance simultaneously to Michael Jackson's Thriller. Most participants dress the zombie part for fun and each event has the opportunity to raise funds for a worthwhile organization of their choice.

The countdown has begun for the Tenth Annual Thrill The World Piper City event, which will take place Saturday, October 29, in downtown Piper City, where Ne's Place (this year's

the dance begins precisely at 5:00 p.m.

Local zombies will take to the street and perform Michael Jackson's Thriller dance in unison with 72 other events in 12 different countries to date. While there is no cost to participate, this year the event donations will go to the Piper City Volunteer Fire Department.

Zombies have ranged in age from four to 67, and anyone can learn the dance. Free classes to learn the entire Thriller dance will be held at Zombie Central) in Piper City on Thursday from 6:00-8:00 p.m. For those not able to make it to the class, there will be a crash course to learn the dance on the day of the event, starting at 12:30 p.m., also at Ne's Place. There will be a time to practice before the countdown on the world clock and take to the street to do the Thriller dance at 5:00 p.m. with the rest of the world.

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Dwight Farm to School Garden Project Inspires Pumpkin Decorating Contest



JANE AND MARVIN LEMKE coordinate the Dwight Farm to School garden helping to teach students where food comes from and providing fresh vegetables for the school



A SMALL SAMPLING of the pumpkins created by students at Dwight Grade School this year as part of the Dwight Farm to School garden. The Paper photo

by Myke Feinman Managing Editor

So how do you teach kids that groceries are grown and do not magically appear in a grocery store? Show them how to grow their own crops at school.

That is the objective of Dwight Grade School's Farm to School garden started in March of 2015.

This is the second harvest, now managed by Jane Lemke and her husband Marvin, culminating with a pumpkin decorating contest last week.

"This was started in California to help bring better food into schools to battle obesity," Jane Lemke told The Paper.

She said even though Dwight is a farm community, a lot of children grow up not knowing where food comes from.

"This is also an opportunity to taste what you grow," she said, with food going into the school cafeteria.

The food is grown on

straw bases so after crops are harvested, there is no soil to be concerned about. "We don't know what's in

the soil in the ground," at Dwight grade school, she said.

Jason Bunting and Landstrom farms have helped with the project as well as Bradbury Tree

One of the biggest benefactors was Boucher Farms who donated sweet corn.

They planted the seeds.

What is not used in the school is given to area food pantries or sold in area farmer's markets.



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ALEXIS THETARD and Jordan Schultz display a

horse and carriage princess pumpkin that was made by a group of eight seventh grade girls for the Dwight Grade School pumpkin decorating

REPRESENTING six seventh grade students with their pumpkins are Jeremy Kapper (left) and Ashton Burkhardt.

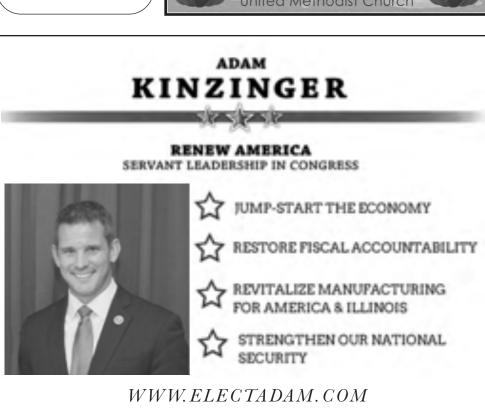


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Preston Lee Sancken

A boy!

Scott and Sarah Sancken of Cabery are the proud parents of a son, Preston Lee Sancken, born October 12, 2016, at 6:21 p.m. at Bro-Menn Medical Center in Paternal grandparents are

Preston weighed seven pounds, 14 ounces, and measured 19½ inches long.

Normal.

Charles and Kim Sancken of Emington. Paternal greatgrandparents are Marshall and Marilynn Sancken of Pontiac and the late Ralph and Bernice Sassenger of Dwight.

Maternal grandparents are James and Phyllis Simpson of Belleville. Maternal great-grandmother is Norma Gamble of Shiloh and the late Donald Gamble of Shiloh, and the late Norman Simpson and Martha Walts of Belleville.

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Hatzers to Celebrate 25th Anniversary

of Pontiac, will celebrate their 25th anniversary November 2.

Martin Hatzer and Sherri Berta were married November 2, 1991, at St. Mary's Catholic Church. Matron of Honor was friend of the bride, Nancy Verdun. Matt Schneider, friend of the groom, served as best man.

The Hatzers have three

Marty and Sherri Hatzer, children: Aaron, who is employed at Valley View Industries; Ashlee, who will receive her nursing degree in December; and Cody, who is a sophomore at Illinois State University.

> Both Marty and Sherri are employed at Valley View Industries.

A family celebration is

VERMILLION

The Christmas season is just around the corner, and

Minonk's Village Aires cho-

rus is presenting its 2016

preparing this program with

Winter Concert.

ERS, along with the City of Pontiac, are presenting "Winter Wonderettes," directed by Krista Chmiel, at the Eagle Performing Arts and Conference Center on the weekends of November 25-27, December 2-4, and December 9-11, with Sunday matinees either a driver's license or at 2:00 p.m. Ticket price includes a catered meal by Bernardi's II. Discounts are offered for children's tickets and group sales. To order tickets, call 815-844-1187.

ETSB Meeting Cancelled

Christ in Minonk.

weekly rehearsals back in

September, and invite the

public to their party, which

will be held Saturday

evening and Sunday afternoon, November 19 and 20,

The ETSB meeting, origischeduled Wednesday, October 26, has been cancelled.

The next scheduled meeting is Tuesday, November 15, at 11:00 a.m.

Blood Drive at DTHS November 2

A blood drive at Dwight Township High School, 801 S. Franklin St., is set for Wednesday, November 2, from 1:00-6:00 p.m.

For an appointment, contact Kathy Patten at 815-584-6210 or pattenk@dwigh t.k12.il.us

Students need to take two forms of other ID (with one that has proof of age).

Save time by visiting red crossblood.org/RapidPass and donating blood using RapidPass.

The blood drive is sponsored by DTHS FCCLA.



planned. St. Paul School's 1st Quarter **Honor Roll** Straight A Eighth Grade: Trevor

Sexton.

High Honors Fifth Grade: Jack Groves. Sixth Grade: Natalie Davis. Jack Duffy.

Eighth Grade: Rylee Farris, Randy Groves.



* All prices exclude tax, title, registration, documentary & EVR fees. Retail Customer Cash and FMCC rebates have been applied. Additional incentives may be available. Not every customer

will qualify for FMCC financing. See dealer for complete program details.



CHARLES AND ROGENE (CARLSON) BRADY, Dwight, will be celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary on October 27. The couple plans to go to dinner to celebrate, and a family gathering is being planned for a later date. If you see this young couple, wish them your best. Cards may be sent to 301 Andrew Ave. in Dwight.

Village Aires Presenting

Winter Concert

November 19, 20

These singers began at St. Paul United Church of

Alpha Beta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Offering Tuition Grant

of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International, a society for outstanding women educators, has a \$200.00 tuition grant to offer to a college woman who is an education major and has been accepted into a certified teacher education program.

Applicants need to be graduates of a high school in Livingston, Woodford, or Marshall Counties. The applicant chosen by the committee to receive the

The Alpha Beta Chapter Alpha Beta Tuition Grant will also have her application submitted to Alpha Beta Lambda State to be considered for one of the Florence Cook Recruitment

> Applications and information on applying for this grant can be obtained by contacting Karen Harms at 815-692-3890 or Marylee Harms at 815-842-7174.

The deadline for applying is January 10, 2017.

MVK Seniors Meet

repairs.

for lunch October 18 at the American Legion Hall in Mazon, catered by Weitz's Café, through Community Nutrition Network.

President Rita Mills called the meeting to order and gave the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. She thanked Pam, CNN, and all the volunteers.

There was a silent prayer for the ill and deceased members, military, EMTs, police, politicians, and the upcoming elections.

Before the meal, the group welcomed two special guest speakers.

State's Attorney, Jason Helland, talked about part of his responsibilities. He investigates abuse cases, which can be financial, as well as physical, abuse. He wanted everyone to be aware of situations where we can be taken advantage of.

Also, Illinois State Senator Sue Rezin encouraged voters to vote yes on the new proposed amend-

The MVK Seniors met ment to the IL Constitution. She explained that the tax money collected should be used only for roads and

> Members sang "Happy Birthday" Hollenbeck, Frank Phillips, Pat Starks, Katy Dunn, and Jean Peterson. They also sang "Happy Anniversary" to Bob and Shirley Matzen.

> Next, the secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and approved. Door prizes went to Lou Witt, Bob Elam, and Shirley Peterson.

> President Rita reminded members to make sure they vote. Shirley Kiss made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Frank Phillips sec-

> The next meeting will be November 15, with Euchre starting at 10:30 a.m. and Bingo following the business meeting.

> Anyone 60 or older is invited to join for a small donation. Make a reservation by calling CNN at 815-941-

Spiders Grow Big in Herscher

THIS SHOT is not the result of trick photography. This huge spider, the size of a car,

was spotted crawling in front of a house at 218 Jeannette Street, in Herscher. If you

Two Benefits Being Planned for One-Year Old Giuliana Marie Mason

Giuliana Marie Mason, daughter of Danielle (Haag) and Richard Mason, was born August 8, 2015, at 2:30 p.m., weighing five pounds, eight ounces, and measuring about 15.75 inches. She suffers from a rare genetic condition called Shwachman-Diamond Syndrome (SDS), which brings about common complications such as pancreatic insufficiency, bone marrow dysfunction, skeletal abnormalities, and short stature.

The family has learned over the past year that there are many other SDS complications and, unfortunately, Giuliana has experienced the majority of them. She spent the first 11+ months in the NICU at Advocate Lutheran General Hospital, but came home on July 18 to celebrate her first birthday surrounded by family.

Giuliana is the granddaughter of Betty Jean (Gualandi) and Alan Haag of Peotone, and Nancy (Giuliano) and Rick Mason of Streamwood. She is the niece of Melissa (Haag) and Tony Frost, Brianna Haag, Stacey (Naumann) and Mike Mason, and Jeff Mason. Other relatives in the area include Mary Jane Bowen of Bloomington, Bob and Mary Kay Gualandi of Pontiac, and Ginger Gualandi of Kempton. The Gualandi family reunion has been held in Dwight for the last 60 years.

Giuliana's Southside Benefit will be held at the Manteno Sportsman's Club, 851 N. Main St., Saturday, November 5, from 3:00-8:00



The Mason Family

p.m. This will be a day of raffles, silent auctions, and

The "Be the Match" organization will also be there to educate on being a donor for bone marrow/stem cells. They will perform cheek swabs if anyone wants to be considered as a

Tickets are available at www.eventbrite.com/e/giuli anas-southside-tribe-benefit-tickets-27694952348?aff =efbneb. They will also be

available at the door. Children 12 and under receive a discount. Ticket price includes food and nonalcoholic beverages.

Anyone wishing to make a donation for this event can contact Kelly Donnelley at 815-272-4339.

A second, Northside Benefit will be held at Guaranteed Rate - Office of John Noldan, 115 W. Adelaide St. in Elmhurst, Sunday, November 20, from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Tickets to the tailgate fund-raiser include food and non-alcoholic drinks. The Bears game will also be shown, in addition to raffle prizes.

Drink bracelets may be purchased at the door with a valid ID. Tickets for the event are available at www. eventbrite.com/e/fundraiserfor-giuliana-mason-princess -warrior-tickets-273013821 69. Tickets available at the door, also - cash or check



Trick or Treat Times Monday, October 31

- Braceville: 4:00-7:00 p.m. • Braidwood: 4:00-7:00 p.m.
- Buckingham: 4:00-7:00
- Campus: 5:00-7:00 p.m. Costume contest at Campus School following.
- Cullom: 4:00-7:00 p.m. • Dwight: 4:00-7:00 p.m.
- Emington: 5 -7 p.m. -Halloween party at Road Runner Family Restaurant at 7:00 p.m.
- Gardner: 4:00-6:00 p.m.
- Herscher: 4:30-7:00 p.m. • Kempton: 4:00-6:00 p.m.
- Mazon: 4:00-7:00 p.m. • Odell: 4:30-7:00 p.m. -
- Party at school afterwards. • Reddick: 5:00-7:00 p.m.

Special Events

Braceville: The Nurture, Outreach, and Witness committee of the Braceville United Methodist Church, 106 W. Gould St., invites everyone to their 8th Annual Pumpkin Patch party from 5:30-7:30 dogs, chips, hot chocolate, and more treats, in addition to games to play. The event is free and everyone is welcome. For more information, call the church office at 815-237-8512.

Cullom: There is a Halloween Party at the Cullom Community Building at 6:00 p.m. October 31. Costume judging will start at 6:15 p.m. for ages birth through adult. The event is sponsored by for Citizens Cullom, American Legion Skinner Trost Post 122 of Cullom, and American Legion Auxiliary of Skinner Trost Unit 122 of Cullom. Hot dogs, chips, Kool Aid, and cookies will be available.

Dwight: The Fall Festival will be held Sunday, October 30, from 4:00-6:00 p.m. at New Life Church, 903 S. Old Route 66, Dwight. The whole family can enjoy hayrack rides, games: indoor and outdoor, hot dogs, cocoa, caramel apple bar, and candy treat bags; On Monday, October 31, the Dwight Lions Club will host their Annual Halloween Party from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at Dwight Grade School. The Costume Judging Contest for ages birth to fifth grade will have cash prizes, along with hot dogs and drinks for everyone. Age groups are as follows: 0-2 years; 3-4 years; 5 years to 1st grade; 2nd and 3rd grade; and 4th and 5th grade. Registration runs from 6:30-7:00 p.m. Judging starts promptly at 7:00 p.m. The Dwight Police Department will be on hand to check candy.

Reddick: The Reddick Lioness Club will host their annual Halloween Party and judging costume at Reddick Lions Hall on Wabash Street at 7:00 p.m. following trick-or-treating on October 31. Prizes will be given to three age groups for Most Scary Costume, Most Creative Costume, and Best Costume.

look close one can see its baby crawling behind. There is no word on where the giant spider came from, but area spooks are cautioned to watch out for large creepy crawlers p.m. October 31. Join for hot on Halloween Night. Inemissing a Enlerizingent



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- 2 lbs. Mashed Potatoes, 1 lb. Gravy 6 Slices of Fresh Baked Bread
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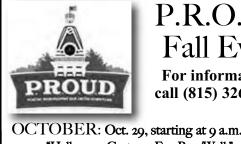
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- Family 20 pc. Broasted or Fried Chicken* Pack #3 3 lbs. Coleslaw • 3 lbs. Mashed Potatoes, 11/2 lbs. Gravy 8 Slices of Fresh Baked Bread
- 24 pc. Broasted or Fried Chicken 4 lbs. Coleslaw

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P.R.O.U.D. Fall Events For information,

call (815) 326-235

"Halloween Costume Fun Run/Walk" in downtown Pontiac

Participate in the Halloween Costume Contest before the race! NOVEMBER:

Jolly Trolley — Nov. 11 and 12 Christmas Light-UP Parade Nov. 25, 6:30 p.m.

Small Business Saturday - Nov. 26

Dwight Lions Club Annual Halloween Party (Monday, October 31 • 6:30-8:30 P.M.` **Dwight Grade School**

Costume Judging Contest for ages 0 through 5th Grade with cash prizes, and 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

> Dwight Police Dept. will be on hand to check candy.



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MONDAY-SATURDAY: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Heated Race for Grundy County State's Attorney Pits Helland vs. Shupe

by Myke Feinman

Managing Editor Incumbent Republican Grundy County State's Attorney Jason Helland faces challenger Democrat Brooke Shupe in one of the few hotly contested local races in The Paper's readership area.

The voters will make a final choice in the Nov. 8 election.

Helland, a Mazon resident, who ran unopposed in the primary March 15, secured 6,499 votes.

Shupe, of Morris, who had to overcome opposition from fellow Democrat Elizabeth Johnson, won by a narrow margin in the primary, 2,541 to 2,052 votes.

The following is a short biography for each candidate.



Jason Helland

Helland is seeking his second term as Grundy County State's Attorney.

He counts among his accomplishments during his first term the creation of the mental health court in early 2015. Since its inception, 12 people have been served by the court.

The purpose of the court is to reduce the number of people incarcerated by 15% in the state's Department of Corrections to cut costs, especially for drug offend-

The alternative to jail is to treat individuals with mental disorders and substance abuse disorders, rather than lock them in prisons, Helland said.

"Incarceration of lowlevel offenders does not reduce recidivism," Helland explained. They go through the system, serve their time, then go right back to abusing drugs when they are

released. "They still have the same disorder when they are released," he added.

The county received a grant for \$105,000 for the mental health court and can reapply for a grant each year.

"When the state gives you money when they are broke, the cost savings must massive," Helland explained.

There are just 30 such mental health courts in Illinois out of 102 counties.

Another major issue Helland has faced during his tenure is county expenses.

The County Board faced a \$1.8 million shortfall and asked each department to streamline operations and cut their budgets.

"My budget was reduced by \$50,000, so the 2015 budget was lower than the fiscal 2007 budget," Helland

He reduced costs to the county by providing inhouse legal services that

were farmed out to private County's top prosecutor." law firms in the past.

"We are saving county taxpayers thousands of dollars by not farming out routine cases," Helland said.

He described single cases with a \$20,000 or higher price tag for private legal services that are now being handled by the State's Attorney's office.

"We've saved a lot of money by doing it in-house."

There are six attorneys in the State's Attorney's office including Helland.

"We have an expert staff," he continued. "My civil attorney has 54 years of experience."

"I am the most experienced candidate with 12 years in the department," he continued, four of which



Brooke Shupe

Brooke Shupe said she is running because she believes she can make a difference by bringing change.

She plans to implement policies for tougher penalties for heroin dealers "who poison our youth," bringing "a hands-on approach to the

She wants to implement community-based prosecutions that will bring together all stakeholders for the mutual goal of public safety and take on "predators that target our family's finances, our senior citizens and prey on our children — that is my plan for making Grundy County Safe."

Shupe has spent her legal career prosecuting crime.

For the past five years, she worked for the second largest prosecutor's office in the country, prosecuting violent criminals and drug deal-

She attended Minooka Community High School, and has a century of roots in Grundy County.

"As a prosecutor, — and more importantly a mother of two young children public safety is of great concern to me," she said.

She said fighting the heroin epidemic is important to her and "will be a top priority if I am elected State's Attorney.'

She said there have been 13 heroin deaths in recent

years in Grundy County. She said the solution is

prosecuting drug dealers. "I will immediately implement a no probation policy for heroin dealers,"

she said. She wants to prosecute those who prey on vulnerable citizens.

"I will stand up to these predators — protecting those that cannot protect themselves — sending a strong message that Grundy County will not tolerate their preying on our most vulnerable,' she said.

Delaware Street Cemetery



THE PAPER was able to somehow photograph ghosts dancing on graves and skeletons climbing into a bedroom near a cemetery which popped up in front of a residence at 222 W. Delaware in Dwight. The Paper photo

DELINQUENT REAL ESTATE AND MOBILE HOWE TAXES

List of delinquent lands, lots and mobile homes situated in the Townships as indicated. County of Livingston and State of Illinois, upon which taxes for the real estate year 2015, mobile home year 2016 and forfeited toxes for prior years remain due and unpaid, and are now payable at the County Collector's Office in the Courthouse of Livingston County, Pontiac, Illinois, Amounts shown inclu ses due, delinquent costs and publication costs.

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13-12-07-400-006	\$1,406.01	OLBEN, CHRIS
12-12-16-100-003	\$1,005.74	CARRERA, CRISTINA
12 12 19 302 001	\$4,269.52	CROUCH, MICHAEL
10-10-19-303-000	\$119.25	
10-10-19-302-005	\$661.04	BISLY, DAVID & CROUCH, MICHAEL
12-12-19-302-006	\$106.77	
12-12-19-303-002	\$350.91	KAJA HOLDINGS LLC
12-12-19-303-007	\$961.52	FAUROT, JOHN
12-12-19-326-001	\$767.40	VERMILION VALLEY BANK
12-12-19-328-001	\$2,873.42	CROUCH, MICHAEL
12-12-19-328-013	\$36.38	CROUCH, MICHAEL
12-12-19-351-005	\$683.27	FARRIS, RICHARD & MICHELLE
12-12-19-351-007	5219:96	
12-12-20-200-015	\$12,621.42	STANDARD BANK & TRUST CO

Notice is hereby given that the Treasurer and Ex-Officio County Collector of Livingston County, in the State of Illnois, will apply to the Circuit Court of said County at 2:00 P.M. on Thursday, November 10, 2016, for judgment against the lands, lots and mobile homes described in the foregoing lists for taxes, interest and costs due and unpaid thereon for the real estate year 2015 and mobile home year 2016, or any part thereof, and also for forfeitures for prior years. Said lands, lots and mobile homes being situated in the Townships of ______Dwight. Round Grove. Odell. Union and Broughton Townships, in the County of Livingston, State of Itinois, as set forth in the foregoing lists. Simultaneously an application will be made for an order to sell the taxes on the same lands, lots and mobile homes for the satisfaction thereof, and for judgment fixing the correct amount of any tax paid under protest.

EGGENBERGER, LUCRETIA

CHRISTENSEN, RODGE

And Notice is hereby given that on the first Thursday succeeding application for judgment, said date being November 17, 2916, the taxes on all lands, lots and mobile homes in the foregoing lists. against which judgment shall have been pronounced and for sale of which an order shall have been made will be exposed for public sale at the Office of the County Treasurer, Courthouse, Pontiac, Illnois. The amount of sale being taxes, interest and costs thereon. Said real estate sale will commence at 2:00 P.M. on November 17, 2016 and continue until all parcels have been offered for sale. Said mobile home sale will commence at 3:30 P.M. on Nevember 17, 2016 and continue until all have been offered for sale.

Any persons wishing to purchase delinquent taxes at the tax sale must be registered with the County Collector at least ten (10) business days prior to the sale. A written registration is required and must be received before November 2, 2016. Dated at Pontiac, Illinois this 21st day of October, 2016

Barbara R. Sear, County Treasurer and Ex-Officio Collector of Livingston County, Illinois

OBITUARIES

Frederick Colbert

PENNSYLVANIA Frederick "Fritz" Colbert of Pennsylvanis died suddenly at home Monday, October 10, 2016 at the age of 55.

Fritz was born in San Bernadino, California December 6, 1960, son of Frederick Case and Nancy Larson Colbert.

He is survived by his son, Frederick (Logan) and wife, Kaitlyn, Colbert; along with grandson, Remington, all of

Pennsylvania; his sister, Michelle (Denny) Cuddy of 77, of Essex passed away Cabery; nephew, Keith (Aide) Schott of Elgin and niece, Danielle (Dave) Kelley of Kempton.

Fritz was preceded in death by his parents.

He loved working with his hands, riding his Harley, spending time with his family and friends, and above all loved his son, Logan.

ESSEX – Lynn R. Ames, Thursday, October 20, 2016 at Presence St. Mary's Hospital in Kankakee.

Lynn was born September 8, 1939, daughter of Fred and Dorothy White.

Surviving are one son, Shawn Ames; and five grandchildren.

Preceding her in death

were her parents; two sons, Lance Ames and Barry Ames; two brothers; and two sisters.

Cremation rites were accorded.

Inurnment was private. R.W. Patterson Funeral

Homes, Ltd., Braidwood, was in charge of arrangements.

David C. Brickey

BRACEVILLE David C. Brickey. 69, of Braceville and formerly of Wilmington, passed Monday away October evening, 17, 2016 at his home.

David Clare was born June 25, 1947

in Joplin, Missouri, son of Clare and Elnora Mershone Brickey. He traveled with his family in the military, graduated from Wilmington High School with the Class of 1965.

Dave went on to honorably serve in the United States Army and earned his AAS in Electronics.

On December 31, 1978 he married Linda Kahler in Grace Lutheran Church, Wilmington.

Dave previously owned and operated Braidwood Electronics, and more recently was employed as an electrician with Crown Cork Seal in Aurora for 15 years.

He was a talented musician and enjoyed playing the guitar. He was also an avid fisherman, who was proud to have recently received the Big Bass Trophy from the Bass Anglers Association.

Survivors include his wife, Linda; three children: Carol and Doug Bradley of Wilmington; Carla Jones (Harry Watters, Jr.) of Braceville; and Rick (Jennifer) Chaney of Braid-



wood; four grandchildren: Trisha Bell, Jonathan Wills, Richard Chaney, Jr. and Gillian Byerly.

Also surviving are three great-grandchildren: Adrianna Zoey Reta, Dominguez and Nevaeh Cardoza;

brothers: three Mark (Donna) Brickey, Matt (Karen) Brickey, and John (Ginger) Brickey; two sisters: Rebecca Riggio and Mary Brickey (Armando) Perez; and special friends: Anne Hill and Michelle and

Dave was preceded in death by his parents; granddaughter, Heather Marie Cardoza; and nephew, Thomas T.J. Robinette, Jr.

Patrick Penna.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

The family received friends for a memorial visitation Saturday, October 22, from 12 noon until 2 p.m. at Baskerville Funeral Home, Wilmington.

Graveside services followed in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Wilmington.

Preferred memorials may be made as gifts in Dave's memory to a charity of the donor's choice.

Family and friends may sign the guestbook, upload photographs or share Dave's memorial on social media, by logging on to: www.Bask ervilleFuneral.com

Family members of the deceased:

Please instruct the Funeral Home

to send information to:

The Paper

fax: 815-584-2196

or email:

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Lois A. Tambling

Lynn R. Ames

DWIGHT - Lois A. Tambling, 93, of Dwight passed away Saturday, October 15, 2016 at Heritage Health in Dwight.

Cremation rites have been accorded. A visitation will be from 11 a.m.

until the 12 noon memorial service Friday, October 28, in the Dwight United Methodist Church.

A reception will be held immediately following the service at the church.

Burial will be in Round Grove Cemetery, rural Campus, following the reception.

Lois was born January 24, 1923 in Kankakee, the daughter of Harold and Jessie Taylor Kelly. She married Russell J. Tambling July 24, 1948 in the Dwight United Methodist Church. He preceded her in death.

She is survived by a daughter, Alice (Milt) Ahlerich of Alexandria, Virginia; sons, Roger (Gale) Tambling of Long Grove and Robert Tambling of Arlington Heights; grand-



children: Kristin, Laura and Richard Tambling; and stepgrandchildren, Amanda (Andrew) Stone and Jeff Ahlerich.

Lois was also preceded in death by her parents.

She was a member of the Dwight Methodist Church; the Dwight Woman's Club; and the Daughters of the American Revolution. She attended the University of Illinois and Millikin University.

Prior to her years as a homemaker, she worked for the Continental Bank of Chicago.

Lois was proud of Dwight and happy to have lived her life there with her thoughtful friends and good neighbors.

Memorials in Lois' honor may be donated to the charity of the donor's choice.

On-line condolences may www.hagermemorial.com

Hager Memorial Home is in charge of arrangements.

Letters to the Editor in The Paper should be limited to 250 words. We welcome your thoughts.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU

We would like to offer our thanks for all of the thoughts, prayers, visits and support throughout Cathy's courageous battle. The cards, flowers, food, as well as monetary donations made to First Baptist Church of Ava and Shawnee Amish Church in Cathy's name were also deeply appreciated. Your sympathy and kindness will forever be remembered.

The Family of Cathy Gearhart



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UNION TOWNSHIP NOTICE

(More obituaries appear on page 19)

Due to a lack of precinct committeemen, for both Republican and Democratic parties in Union Township, there will be no caucus. Petitions for positions to be filled for the consolidated election on

April 4, 2017, can be obtained from township clerk. Call 815-934-Positions to be filled are Supervisor, Clerk, Highway

Commissioner, and 4 Trustees.

Richard Boundy, Township Clerk

PUBLIC NOTICE

The proposed fiscal year 2017 Budgets, Appropriations and Tax Levies for Livingston County are now on view in the County Clerk's Office at 112 W. Madison Street, Pontiac, Illinois and in the County Board Office at 112 W. Madison, Pontiac, Illinois.

Kristy A. Masching Clerk of the County Board

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

ESTATE OF: NO. 16-P-111 HENRY F. SIEDENTOP, JR., Deceased

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION - WILL AND CLAIMS

Notice is given of the death of Henry F. Siedentop, Jr., of Blackstone, Illinois. Letters of office were issued on October 13, 2016, to Norma E. Siedentop, 32607 N 1900 East Road, Blackstone, IL 61313 and, whose attorney is C. Thomas Blakeman of the law firm of Blakeman & Schrock, Ltd., 307 West Washington Street, Pontiac, IL 61764.

Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court at Livingston County Court House, Pontiac, Illinois, or with the representatives, or both, on or before May 5, 2017 and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representatives and to the attorneys within 10 days after it has been filed.

> Norma E. Siedentop, Independent Executor of the Estate of Henry F. Siedentop, Deceased

C. Thomas Blakeman BLAKEMAN & SCHROCK, LTD. Attorneys for Executor 307 West Washington Street Pontiac, IL 61764 Telephone: 815-844-6177 Fax: 815-842-3288

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the General Election to be held on Tuesday, the 8th day of November, 2016, the following proposition will be submitted to the voters of County of Livingston and State of Illinois.

PROPOSITION

LIVINGSTON COUNTY

ADVISORY QUESTION OF PUBLIC POLICY AS TO WHAT MINIMUM DISTANCE WIND TURBINES MAY BE SET FROM RESIDENCES IN LIVINGSTON COUNTY

A "Yes" vote would be a vote to support the distance of 1600 feet between wind turbines and residences. A "No" vote would be a vote to support significantly increasing the distance between wind turbines and residences.

In your township, do you support a distance of 1600 feet between wind turbines and residences, rather than increasing that distance more than double, which may reduce the number of wind turbines built in your township?

YES NO

The polls at the election will be open at 6:00 o'clock A.M. and will continue to be open until 7:00 o'clock P.M. of that day.

> Dated this 10 day of October, 2016. Kristy A. Masching, County Clerk The County of Livingston, Illinois





Cubs. World Series. Wow.

Saturday night I was fortunate enough to have the opportunity to take in something that hasn't happened in over 70 years.

Wrigley Field, but I did get to take it in packed inside a tiny hole-in-the-wall bar right across the street from the legendary field. The best way to describe the energy was a mix of nerv-

I didn't get to watch the Cubs game from inside

ousness and excitement, from the very first pitch the energy was unlike anything I had ever been around.

The first half of the first inning went relatively quick-

ly, and then it was the Cubs turn to bat. I know a baseball game is 9 innings long, but after Kris Bryant singled to right to bring home Dexter Fowler that game

That at-bat set the rest of the game in motion and the Cubs put it into cruise control for the rest of the game. Every time the Cubs scored the place got a little bit more excited, knowing what was around the corner.

Around the 7th inning is when the nervous energy really took over. I remember the 2003 team, I remember the Bartman game, I remember there being one out in the 8th inning.

Once they got past that specific out, it was like a weight had been lifted.

Then the ninth went relatively smoothly and that was that. The Chicago Cubs were headed to the world

The reactions were great. To see grown adults of all ages crying because they were so happy was something truly remarkable and I'm glad I got the opportunity to witness it.

It was all surreal, it was all how I expected it to be, exactly how I expected it to be, but you can't prepare for something that like, to see thousands upon thousands of people the happiest they've ever been in their

There's one more round to take, and I can't wait to take part in that as well. There's rumors that Kyle Schwarber may return to DH, he hasn't played since the first week of the season due to a torn ACL. Just the thought of him returning gets me excited.

I picked a great time to move to Chicago; it's always been a great time to be a Cub fan.

> Aaron J. Boma 2016 ISU Graduate

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

BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, Plaintiff, NO. 16-CH-58 JOSHUA D. CHRISTIANSON, WILLIAM ABRAHAM d/b/a Abraham Masonry, and unknown owners and non-record claimants,

NOTICE

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

Defendants.

Commencing at a point 247 feet East of the Southwest corner of Lot 7 of the Subdivision of the East Half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 27, Township 28 North, Range 5 East of the Third Principal Meridian, thence East 75 feet, thence North 287 feet 4 inches, thence West 75 feet, thence South 287 feet 4 inches to the place of beginning, Situated in the Livingston County, Illinois, EXCEPT Commencing at a point 322.00 feet East of the Southwest corner of said Lot 7, said point being the Southeast corner of a parcel deeded to Robert L. & Mildred L. Fair recorded as Document Number 435507 in the Livingston County Recorder's Office; thence North 72.00 feet along a line parallel with the West line of said Lot 7 to the True Point of Beginning; thence West 2.50 feet along a line parallel to the South line of said Lot 7; thence Northwesterly, 214.64 feet to a point on the North line of said Lot 7, said point being 7.00 feet West of the Northeast corner of the parcel as described in said Document Number 435507; thence East, 7.00 feet along the North line of said Lot 7 to said Northeast corner; thence South 214.71 feet along the East line of the parcel as described in said Document Number 435507 to the point of beginning, said exception containing 0.02 acres, more or less, ALSO EXCEPT Commencing at a point on the South line of said Lot 7 lying 247.00 feet East of the Southwest corner thereof; thence North 154.33 feet along a line parallel with the West line of said Lot 7 to the Point of Beginning; from said Point of Beginning, thence East 70.78 feet along a line parallel with said South line to a point on the West line of a parcel of land conveyed by Robert L. Fair & Mildred L. Fair to John J. Krupka & Elaine K. Krupka per Quit Claim Deed dated October 30, 1992; thence North 133.00 feet along said West line which forms an angle to the right of 90 degree 19 minutes with the last described course; thence West 68.00 feet along a line parallel with said South line & which forms an angle to the right of 89 degrees 41 minutes with the last described course; thence South 133 feet along a line parallel with the West line of said Lot 7 & which forms an angle to the right of 91 degrees 31 minutes with the last described course to the Point of Beginning.

PIN: 15-15-27-230-017

Commonly known as: 321 E. Herbert St., Pontiac, IL 61764.

The title holder of record to the above described real estate is JOSHUA D. CHRISTIANSON. The mortgage sought to be foreclosed is a mortgage executed on September 2, 2010 and recorded on September 8, 2010, at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 00604041. The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendant in Case No. 16-CH-58 is currently pending. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Donald R. McClarey, McClarey Law Office, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

Consequently, unless you, unknown owners and non record claimants, file your answer to the complaint in this action or otherwise enter your appearance in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, held in the Law & Justice Center in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before November 30, 2016, a default may be entered against you at any time after that date and a judgment entered in accordance with the prayer of the Complaint.

Dated this 12 day of October, 2016.

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

When The Wheels Hit The Road Kruzin' With The Bileckis

by Marty and Geri Bilecki

October 14, 2016 - When the wheels hit the road (bicycle wheels, that is) we were honored to travel the Illinois portion of Route 66 with Zdenek Jurasek and his two-person film crew (Petra and Tomas) from the Czech Republic.

Zdenek was attempting his second Route 66 trip from Chicago to Los Angeles on his mountain bike. The Solo Bicycle Ride trip was initiated on August 20 and completed on September 21. The first encounter we had with our friend and his crew was in Braidwood at the Polk-a-Dot. That same evening we were invited to join him and distinguished citizens from Dwight at the world renowned Country Mansion Restaurant.

The next day our destination was Lincoln - following him on Route 66 as close as we could.

Actually, on some occasions, he was ahead of us on his bike and us in our '57 Chevy! He was, in most cases, traveling 80 to 90 miles a day – a feat in itself for a 54-year old man.

After an overnight in Lincoln, we all headed south on 66. We caught up with him and his crew in Auburn.

This was the point where he correctly followed 66 and we got lost after encountering a construction zone. Somehow we missed the detour sign and ended up traveling along miles and miles of corn fields. So much for experienced 66 travelers!

In Litchfield, we finally caught up with an exhausted biker and respected his wish to just cool off and sleep! We were exhausted, too, and we were driving in a car.

The next morning he was joined by a bicycle club to travel to the Chain of Rocks Bridge in Missouri. His entire trip he was joined by bicycle groups from here to California, and friends he has made through the years. Dinners, and greeting by local groups, made his trip such a success. We are looking forward to his upcoming movie, which will be developed soon and publicity for Route 66 and his trip will be shown all over Europe.

You can follow his daily route on Facebook and you can hit "translation" to transcribe his words. That's what we do. His website is www.r66.cz. As of today, he is taking a well deserved rest at his home in Zlin, Czech Republic. This man is a one man publicity icon for Route 66 all over the world! We are proud to be his friends.

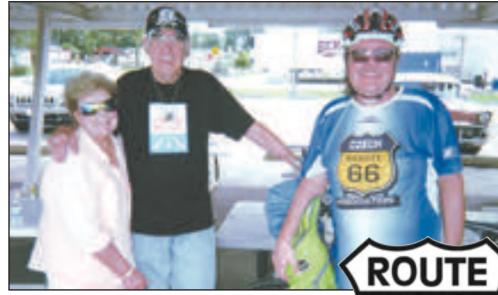
The rest of our summer – which passed so quickly was busy with car shows, weekend trips, and family activities. On a side trip to Union (off of 66 to the Railway Museum we got to ride old street cars and trains!

Geri had a big birthday this year and we are grateful that being in our 80s, now we are still able to remain active and travel the road to meet and greet visitors from all over the world.

At the Gay Parita, just outside Springfield, MO, we were happy to hear that Gary and Lena Turner's daughter has taken over his restored Sinclair Gas Station. We still miss his weekly phone calls and pray for him and his wife. His son, Steve, checks in with us on occasion, which delights us. Lauren Kane's museum in Afton. OK is open again after her

untimely death last year. We look forward to "Kruzin" Route 66 and meeting visitors from around the world again in 2017. What a wonderful hobby we have. Don't forget - our motto - "If you Don't Go – You won't Know," we have learned this over the years.

Happy 90th Birthday, Route 66!



GERI AND MARTY BELECKI, above, travelled the Illinois portion of Route 66 with Zdenek Jurasek, right, and his two-person film crew (Petra and Tomas) from the Czech Republic. Below, Zdenek in Braidwood at the Polk-a-Dot and resting with his crew on the route.







GSW Marching Band Reports Two Donations for Trip to Washington D.C.

Gardner South Wilmington High School Board Superintendent Mike Perrott announced to the school board Oct. 19 that the band has received two donations already for its planned trip to Washington, D.C.

The band has been invited to march in the national Memorial Day parade next

\$500 from D Construction yet completed, but is coming

and \$560 from the Grundy County State's Attorney.

The 40-member band, under the direction of Mike Leone, needs to raise roughly \$24,000 to ensure each band member can take the trip without paying for it -Leone's goal.

In other action, the board: • learned that the library So far, GSW has received construction project is not along. Also, the band stairwell was substantially completed but several punch list items are being done.

- approved a snow removal bid from Fatlan Trucking.
- learned that Dalton Smith was selected in the welding program as Grundy Area Vocational Center Director Award winner for September.



WHILE VOLUNTEERING AT THE ROUTE 66 GAS STATION, this newly restored vehicle pulled in. John Tinberg, Dwight, and Randy Schmitt, Streator, just completed this 1956 Chevrolet Nomad Grasser, which will be on display in the Eagles Mere, PA Auto Museum. Submitted photo



The Paper Wednesday, October 26, 2016



DTHS Varsity Trojans carried the ball for the last time this season. Austin Kavanaugh, #21, rushed for 83 yards against Paxton-Buckley-Loda Friday night at home. The Trojans were defeated 47-28 and ended the season 3-3 in the Conference, 4-5 overall.

Masching Celebrates Successful Senior Season



Hayley Masching, daugh- hosted its first Golf ter of Jeff and Anita (Holt) Masching of Algonquin, enjoyed a great senior year of golf at Harry D. Jacobs High School.

Hayley is the granddaughter of Daryl and Betty Holt of Dwight, and sister of Hannah. She has played golf all four years of high school and collected a ball from all 18 courses she's played on.

Masching shares the love for the game with her Grandpa Holt, and her grandparents attended several matches over the last four years, always wearing her team colors.

Hayley golfs with her grandpa in Dwight and area golf courses whenever she can. She has consistently placed in the top four for her team, showing consistent improvement each season.

On September 17, at the Golf Club of Illinois in Algonquin, Jacobs High



score of 382.

Hayley also excelled on

September 28 at the Fox

Valley Conference golf meet

at Prairie Isle in Crystal

Lake, earning a medal and

All-Conference honors by

placing 11th in the top 14.

Eight area schools partici-

pated in the meet, with seven

players representing each

son on a high note, and now

looks forward to her sixth

season of travel softball, and

third year with the Crush Tidal Waves/CTW organiza-

tion out of the Cary/Crystal

Lake area.

Masching has wrapped up her last high school golf sea-

Invitational. Hayley earned medalist honors with the top score of 89 to lead the Golden Eagles to first place. The event was a seven-team tournament, with seven girls representing each team. The Jacobs team won with a

Bowlers

HSS, 687, Michael King; HSG, 189, Sarah Knobbe; HSS, 447, Sarah Knobbe. HSG, 983, Victory Lanes; HSS, 2702, Victory Lanes. League Standings

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Victory Lanes	20	8
Dwight Printing	20	8
Pro Shop	18	10
A & S Exteriors	18	10
Pro Track	$16\frac{1}{2}$	$11\frac{1}{2}$
Krugs Lawncare	16	12
Station 343	13	15
DQueens	12½	15½
Dairy Queen	11	17
C3 Racing	10	18
Lu's Sports Bar	9	19
Willy's Pub	4	24



Dictory Lanes **League Bowling** Results

Sportsman League **Bowlers**

HSG, 300, Jeff Gallup; HSS, 678, Jeff Gallup. HSG, 1035, Jensens I; HSS, 2876, Jensens I; HHG, 1063, Jensens I; HHS, 2960, Jensens I.

League Standings	W	L
Jensens BP II	18	10
Krug Lawn Care	16	12
Star Trucking	16	12
Jensens I	15	13
Willy's Pub	15	13
Victory Lanes	13	15
JF Recycling	13	15
DeLong Ford	12	16
KWM Gutterman	11	17
Jeremy's Barber	11	17

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Jeff Gallup

Jeff Gallup Bowls a Perfect Game

Jeff Gallup, bowler for KWM Gutterman, bowled the first 300 of the year at Victory Lanes this past Wednesday on lanes one and two during Sportsman League play.

He rolled a 678 for the series, and his current average



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Larry Davis Walks Away with Week 6 Paper Bowl Prize

Week six of Paper Bowl XVI had a total of 66 contestants, with business dropoff locations being Jensen's BP Amoco and Berkot's Super Foods.

The total points tie-breaker feature was called into play this week as there were four contestants with high picks of 11. Larry Davis came away as the winner however, with a prediction of 644 total points which was closest to the actual of 692. The competition con-

tinues to heat up as coming close behind were 9 entries with 10 correct picks.

Keep playing, remember to always put in a number for a tie-breaker. Congratulations, Larry.

And, GO CUBS.

Paper Bowl XVI Sponsor Challenge Results - Week 6

Jensen's BP (11-3)

over Planning Associates (9-5) First National (7-7) over OWL (default) Berkot's (default)

over DeLong Ford (default)

SOCU (default) over

Lu's Sports Bar (default)

Danko's State Farm (10-4)

over Bank of Pontiac (8-6)

LPL (7-7) over Big Boyz Toyz (default) DQ (default)

over Victory Lanes (default)

PAPER BOWL

Sponsor Standings

North		South	
Jensens	4-0	Bank of Pontiac	3-1
Big Boyz Toyz	2-2	FNB	3-1
Planning Associates	1-3	Danko's State Farm	3-1
OWL	1-3	LPL	3-1
Victory Lanes	1-3	SOCU	3-1
Berkot's	1-3	DeLong Ford	1-3
DQ	1-3	Lu's Sports Bar	1-3

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PTHS Indians Swim Team

Tuesday, October 18 Pontiac vs. LaSalle-Peru Co-op

The Lady Indians were in action October 18 against LaSalle-Peru Co-op, taking second in both JV (7 points) and varsity (37 points) competition. Individual scoring results are as follows:

50 freestyle: Maddy Doran, 1st, 32.36.

100 freestyle: Korinne Maquet, 2nd, 1:11.70.

200 medley relay: Haley Rice, Alli Trainor, Elena Pina, Andrea Mehrkens, 2nd, 2:11.38.

200 freestyle: Keely Pickett, 1st, 2:21.30; Samantha Mehrkens, 3rd, 2:29.65.

200 IM: A. Mehrkens, 1st, 2:40.32. 50 freestyle: Trainor, 3rd,

100 butterfly: Rice, 1st, 1:05.44; Pina, 3rd, 1:17.47. 100 freestyle:

Mehrkens, 3rd, 1:04.98. 500 freestyle: Pickett, 2nd, 6:36.80; A. Mehrkens,

3rd, 6:43.03. 200 freestyle relay: S. Mehrkens, Katie Stock, Trainor, Pickett, 1:58.86; Gretchen Hilt,

Mies, 3rd, 2:21.19. 100 backstroke: Rice, victory. 2nd, 1:08.25.

100 breaststroke: Trainor, 3rd, 1:32.15.

400 freestyle relay: S. Mehrkens, A. Mehrkens, Pickett, Rice, 2nd, 4:24.47.



Tuesday, October 19 Dwight vs. Elwood 8th Grade -

The eighth grade Lady Redbirds got their third win of the season October 19, topping Elwood, 17-13.

Dwight stayed close through the first three quarters, trailing by two heading into the fourth.

Then, in the final frame, Maquet, Doran, Mackenzie the Lady Redbirds outscored Elwood 8-2, en route to the

Kayla Kodat led with 11 points, followed by Jordan Schultz and Eden Beier with two each. Alexis Thetard and Nora Anderson each made a free throw.





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GSW Lexi Robinson



GSW Celia Barna setting



GSW Emily Monbarren in the air

Monday, October 17

14-25, 11-15.

kills.

three aces.

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25-15.

Varsity -

Tri-Point vs. Momence

In non-conference action

against Momence October

17, the JV Lady Chargers

lost in three games, 25-18,

Billerbeck dishing five

assists. Kiara McDonald and

Haley Jubin each saved six

digs, while Billerbeck had

five to go with seven aces.

Cassidy Hindman and

Gabby Spangler each had

ly hustled all over the court,"

stated their head coach Kara

"The Lady Chargers real-

Tri-Point's varsity squad

Kassidi Burton had six

won in two games, 25-22,

kills, seven digs, and three

aces. Sierra Hummel scored

four kills, six assists, and

nine digs. Paisley Johnston

also had six assists, with

Tara Hummel saving six

digs. Cady Denning-Cras

On October 18, Tri-Point

and Donovan went head-to-

head, with the JV girls los-

had four aces.

JV -

Tuesday, October 18

Tri-Point vs. Donovan

with

Jade King scored two

Brittney

Coach Eisha. GSW is now 16-7-2, with an 8-3 record in the confer-

GSW LADY PANTHERS VOLLEYBALL

JV -

and are set for regionals to

start next week," commented

Wednesday, October 19

GSW got the best of

Mady Asbridge had three

aces, nine assists, and three

kills, followed by Carson

Halpin with six digs and four

kills. Cadee Grieff saved ten

digs, with Maddie Schuck

varsity

Panthers took their eighth

loss of the season, falling 20-

25, 23-25 to the Lady

kills and two blocks, while

Sydney Perkins and Celia

Barna dished 12 and six

Kaitlynn Kavanaugh con-

tributed six kills, with Jenni

Price and Ali Kirk saving 13

and four digs, respectively.

respectively.

Lexi Robison led with six

Lady

Grant Park October 19, win-

GSW vs. Grant Park

ning 25-19, 25-22.

adding three kills.

Varsity -

Dragons.

assists,

The

The JV Lady Panthers improved to 18-3 on the season with a 25-5, 25-12 beating of Illinois Lutheran on October 18.

Tuesday, October 18

GSW vs. IL Lutheran

Carson Halpin had three kills and two aces, with Cadee Grieff saving seven digs. Emily Monbarren and Shelby Serena had five and three kills, respectively. Kennedy Fair dished five assists; Mady Asbridge, four. Paige Patterson contributed two aces.

Varsity -

TRI-POINT LADY CHARGERS VOLLEYBALL

Varsity -

ing 20-25, 14-25.

GSW celebrated Senior Night properly with a 25-12, 25-16 win over IL Lutheran, where the Lady Panther seniors played the entire match.

Lexi Robison had eight kills, three aces, and two blocks, while Celia Barna added nine assists and four kills. Sydney Perkins handed out 11 assists, with Kira Gleason adding six kills. Jenni Price and Ali Kirk saved seven and five digs, respectively.

"The girls played well

Haley Jubin scored two

aces and eight digs, while

Kiara McDonald saved five

digs. Jackie Houck, Jade

King, and Gabby Spangler

each had two kills. Brittney

The varsity team won in

Kassidi Burton led with

three games, 21-25, 25-21,

15 kills, 17 digs, and four

aces. Paisley Johnston added

13 digs and 14 assists.

Madyson Followell and

eight digs; Hummel added

The JV Lady Chargers

Haley Jubin saved seven

In the varsity meeting, T-

Kassidi Burton had six

kills and eight digs.

Madyson Followell saved 14

digs; Brittani Dalton, ten.

Sierra Hummel had eight

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lost a conference match to

Beecher October 20, 18-25,

digs, with Cassidy Hindman

dishing four assists.

P fell 15-25, 15-25.

seven assists and four aces.

Thursday, October 20

Tri-Point vs. Beecher

JV -

0-25.

Varsity -

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Monday, October 17 **GSWB vs. Tri-Point** 7th Grade -

The Lady Tigers were taken out by Tri-Point, 26-8, in their meeting October 17.

Lexi Latimer led with four points, while Alexis Tvrz added two. Riley Klingler and Kylee Ledlow each hit a free throw.

8th Grade -

The eighth grade girls won their game, 33-9, led by Mya Anderson's 12 points.

Abby Beck would score ten in the contest, followed by Koli Croy with three. Claire Hennessy, Avery Lenzie, Kylie Hawks, and Grace Halpin chipped in two points each.

Tuesday, October 18 **GSWB** vs. Saratoga 7th Grade -

GSWB's seventh graders lost to Saratoga, 17-4, on October 18.

Riley Klingler and Lexi Latimer each scored two points for the Lady Tigers. 8th Grade -

The Lady Tigers beat Saratoga in the eighth grade game, 17-15.

Kylie Hawks led the team with eight points. Next was Mya Anderson, scoring four. Claire Hennessy hit a threepointer, while Koli Croy added two points.

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DTHS Lady Trojans Volleyball

Monday, October 17 Dwight vs. Seneca

In JV volleyball action October 17, Dwight was defeated by Seneca, 9-25, 7-25, falling to 1-15 on the

Rishell Galbraith led with Ahmedi contributed a kill and a dig. Briana Miles saved five digs. Kathlene Sierra Hummel each saved Huffaker had one assist. Avery Ohlendorf had a kill. Varsity -

> The varsity Lady Trojans sank Seneca in three sets, 25-27, 25-19, 25-16.

points, including three aces, while Hayley

Lucy Rieke led with nine

Billerbeck added eight year.

five points, including three aces, a dig, and a kill. Haley Weir added a block, a dig, and a kill, while Amanda DeLong dished an assist to go with one dig. Lindita

seven digs, and four kills. Macey Rodosky followed with seven points, tallying four aces, two digs, and a kill. Brooke Bossert added five points, with two aces, ten digs, five kills, and one assist, Karah Colebank had four points, 20 assists, two kills, and two digs. Leah Flynn contributed three points, including an ace, 11 kills, five digs, and three blocks. Schlabowske came up with two points, five digs, three kills, and a block. Rachel Dawson had seven kills and a block, while Megan VanAmburgh added eight

The Panther cross country team was at the Bishop Mac Class A regional at Kankakee College over the weekend.

Daly Galloway, who won

Church Dartball League

Current League Standings The Church Dartball League results from the Essex-Bonfield October 17 match-ups are as New Life Assembly/God 0 Dwight Meth. 1 Dwight Cong. 1 Church of Hope St. Peter's Luth. 2 Mazon Cong. Emmanuel Luth. 1 Trinity Luth.

Schedule for November 7 at 7:30 p.m.:

Essex-Bonfield at Mazon Congregational.

Church of Hope at

Dwight Methodist. Emmanuel Lutheran at

St. Peter's Lutheran. Dwight Congregational at New Life Assembly of God.

Trinity Lutheran has a

GSW Panthers Cross Country

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Monday, October 10 **GSW** at Amboy Columbus **Day Invitational**

The Annual Amboy Columbus Day Invitational was held October 10, with more than 40 schools participating.

Facing quality runners in great weather, the Panthers' Cross Country squad turned in an awesome performance, with ten of 13 runners turning in season or personal best performances.

"I am proud of the team," said Coach Lane, "because of their focus and determined races."

Individual results are as follows:

Girls -

Daly Galloway, 1st, 17:10; Rylie Bond, 108th, 22:28; Alexis Brooke, 115th, 22:36; Hayley Cummings, 170th, 25:04; Tori Hayner, 173rd, 25:08. Boys -

Dan Muller, 32nd, 16:33; Jack James, 71st, 16:58; Jaxson Tarnowski, 78th, 17:34; Payton Christoff, 83rd, 17:58; Kerrick Dyer, 126th, 19:17; Josh Pearson, 137th, 19:38; Calvin Croy, 144th, 20:07; Andrew Brown, 168th, 22:24. The girls took 18th with

412 points, while the boys had 319 points, good enough for 16th.

Saturday, October 22 **GSW** at Bishop Mac Class A Regional

Community

the race by 35 seconds, took first for the fourth consecutive season and moves on to defend her sectional title. Dan Muller ran a person-

al best time of 16:54 and earned the second individual qualifying spot.

The girls scored 220 points to finish in tenth place, while the boys ended in 11th place with 248

points. On the girls' side, there were two personal bests and one season best race. With the boys, three personal bests were recorded and one athlete had his season best

"Although neither team advanced to the Lisle sectional on October 29," Coach Lane stated, "the runners turned in a great performance, which made them happy and me very proud. Congratulations to the entire team for a great perform-

Individual results are as follows:

Girls -

Daly Galloway: 17:30, 1st (SB); Rylie Bond: 21:21, 38th (PB); Alexis Brooke: 22:37, 49th (PB); Tori Hayner: 24:56, 70th; Hayley Cummings: 25:03, 71st; Brooklyn Long: 25:13, 72nd.

Boys -

Dan Muller: 16:54, 10th Payton Christoff: (PB); 19:37, 58th; Kerrick Dyer: 19:43, 60th; Josh Pearson: 19:55, 63rd; Calvin Croy: 20:01, 64th (SB); Jack James: 20:21, 69th (PB); Gino Faletti: 21:45, 78th





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PROPOSITION

PAXTON-BUCKLEY-LODA COMMUNITY UNIT **SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER 10** PROPOSITION TO ISSUE \$31,425,000 SCHOOL BUILDING **BONDS**

Shall the Board of Education of Paxton-Buckley-Loda Community Unit School District Number 10, Ford, Champaign, Iroquois, Livingston and Vermilion Counties, Illinois, improve the site of and build and equip an elementary school building on the property of the existing Clara Peterson Elementary School Building, demolish the Eastlawn Elementary School Building, improve the sites of, alter, repair and equip the existing Clara Peterson Elementary and Paxton-Buckley-Loda High School Buildings and issue bonds of said School District to the amount of \$31,425,000 for the purpose of paying the costs thereof? YES

NO

The polls at the election will be open at 6:00 o'clock A.M. and will continue to be open until 7:00 o'clock P.M. of that day.

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The onset and arrival of the gutters clean of debris. colder temperatures means that it's time once again to brace yourself - and your home – for everything that winter weather threatens to throw at you.

From cool, drafty air wafting into your house to friends and family bringing snow and sand inside with them, it's important to remember the preparation to go through before winter strikes.

In order to help keep your home warm, cozy and clean throughout the winter months, follow these seven tips to get started:

Check the Roof

With warm days dwindling, it's never too early to look over your roof for damaged shingles or other various problems. Because winter brings along cold weather and plenty of precipitation, cracks in the roof can cause major issues down the If heights and ladders aren't your thing, try using binoculars from ground level to check things

Clean the Gutters

After the trees shake loose of their leaves throughout the fall, it's always imperative to keep

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If your gutters fill up with leaves and other junk, the runoff from rain and snow has nowhere to go except in unwanted crevices in your

Seal Leaks Around

Windows and Doors Caulk is a cheap, simple solution to one of winter's most annoying little habits sending cold drafts into your house.

Look closely as you check around windows and doors for small cracks then carefully seal up the prob-

Install Door Sweeps

Another way to keep warm air in and cool air out is to use door sweeps on the bottom of all exterior doors. A door sweep is a simple device that can be attached to the door frame to help seal the space between the bottom of the door and the floor.

Reverse Ceiling Fans

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Keep Out Sand and Snow

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Stock Up on Winter Gear Unfortunately, it's impossible to know exactly what

each winter will bring.

Rather than trying to fight the elements on a snowy day to find salt for your sidewalk or a new shovel to clear the driveway, stock up on these items and other winter essentials long before Mother Nature strikes.

Winter can be a pain, especially for homeowners, but staying on top of your preparation and being ready for cold weather's reach can help make snow season easier to handle.

For more tips to get your home ready for winter, visit elivingtoday.com.

Simple Steps to Maintain **Natural Stone**

Natural stone adds elegance and style to any home. With a nearly endless array of colors, textures and designs, it's easy to create a one-of-a-kind look for your kitchen or bath. However, without proper care, that carefully selected natural stone may quickly start to show wear and tear.

Not only does natural stone lend a beautifully sophisticated aesthetic, it's



CLEANING OUT rain gutters this fall will help avoid problems when rain and snow have nowhere to go except in unwanted crevices in the roof of a home.

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generally regarded as a practical choice because it's more durable than many other materials.

However, granite, marble, travertine and other natural-stone and quartz surfaces do require proper care and attention to maintain that luxurious finish.

Keep your natural stone in top condition with these tips from the experts at Granite Gold.

Clean often. Even if your surface appears clean, the safest bet is to clean it after every meal preparation. The most miniscule particle could have a detrimental effect on your natural stone. Avoid common cleaners and abrasives.

They can break down the protective seal and you

could be faced with costly repair or replacement. Also, give special atten-

tion to the scrubbing pad you use; many are too abrasive for expensive stone counters and leave unsightly scratch-Seal frequently. Fre-

quently sealing granite countertops and all other natural stone surfaces maintains maximum surface protection, penetrating stone surfaces to provide superior, long-lasting resistance to staining, etching and soil buildup.

If you're not sure whether it's time to reseal, it's easy to test. Pour water (about 3 inches in diameter) on the surface and let it sit for 30 minutes. Be sure to do this in several locations, since the integrity of the seal could vary from one area to another. If the water beads, then the stone remains sealed. However, if the stone is penetrated – signified by a dark mark or ring created by the water - it is time to reseal.

Polish regularly. Polishing stone provides two great benefits. First, polishing after cleaning will bring out the stone's natural beauty. Second, it will reinforce the protective seal and provide ongoing protection against water spots and fingerprints. One time-saving but effective solution after sealing is Granite Gold Clean & Shine, which provides the cleaning power of the line's Daily Cleaner and the luster from the Polish in one easy-to-use

Is Your Money Going Up The Chimney?

Nothing beats gathering around the fire in winter. Unfortunately, a wood-burning fireplace could be a to sacrifice the fire to major source of energy loss improve your home's energy

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efficiency and reduce your heating bills; in fact, it's possible to convert your wood fireplace into an efficient heat source with the following tips.

Upgrade Your Fireplace

Consider a gas fireplace insert. They generate more radiant heat and are cleaner to maintain than traditional masonry style wood-burning fireplaces, which are a leading source of indoor air loss.

"Traditional wood fireplaces add a lot of charm to a home, but they are inefficient — even when they aren't in use," said Andy Tesch, manufacturer of gas fireplaces, stoves and inserts.

"A gas fireplace insert is a great alternative to maintain the ambiance a fire creates while enhancing efficiency."

A gas fireplace insert is cleaner, too, creating no ash, soot, or smoke.

If you can't part with the aroma, crackle and act of building a real fire, consider pellet and EPA-certified wood inserts, which can be an easy, clean and efficient alternative as well.

Best Practices

If making the upgrade to an insert is not possible, a few simple steps can drastically improve the energy efficiency of your fireplace. Number one, when the fireplace is not in use, close the chimney damper.

You'll prevent warm air and your money from going up and out the chimney. A flue sealer is an affordable, inflatable stopper that fits below the damper to further seal off the chimney and is a worthwhile purchase.

Proper maintenance can also go far to improve your fireplace's efficiency.

Have it inspected, maintained and cleaned annually. Even if you love DIY,

you may want to hire a contractor to ensure the job is done safely and thoroughly. Consider adding doors or

a cover to the front of your fireplace to help reduce the draft and improve the look.

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Add Color to Your Home's Kitchen

While the kitchen is often smooth, non-porous surface and lifestyle. the busiest room in the house, it is also one of the most important rooms when it comes to renovations.

An upgraded, vibrant kitchen that incorporates elements of personal style can make the room more attractive while increasing the home's overall value.

An easy way to give your kitchen an instant upgrade is by adding color in places that complement the decor of the room. Elements such as cabinetry, sinks and appliances are good places to start the facelift process while also adding more functionality.

Consider cabinets

Not only can new cabinets provide the benefit of more storage space, they also present an opportunity to incorporate some colorful style into the kitchen. Make your splash with vibrant color on the cabinets themselves, or pair softer hues with muted contrasts to crethat prevents foods, liquids and bacteria from sticking to

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Add stylish appliances

A complete set of matching appliances makes for a modern and inviting appearance. Popular finish options include smudge-proof stainless steel, chrome, black or white, but if you're really looking to brighten the room, some lines are available in colors such as red, blue, orange or green.

Although the visual impact is important, remember to keep practical considerations in mind and look for the features – such as sideby-side versus drawered refrigerators, for example that work best for your space

Find Your Ideal Sink

A successful kitchen renovation captures every element of the space - including the kitchen sink. Select the right type, features and material to suit your family's needs with four easy steps from the experts at Elkay:

1. Choose your sink material and color. Color, texture and sheen all provide ways for you to express your style. Stainless steel, copper, fine fireclay and colored quartz all offer unique benefits and aesthetics.

2. Choose your sink type. Whether top mount with a finished rim, undermount to create a seamless appearance, universal mount which can be installed either above or below your countertop or an exposed apron front mount that extends out slightly further than the cabinet below it, your new sink needs to be in sync with your chosen countertop material. Whether or not you plan to replace your countertops will also affect your options.

3. Choose your sink features. Select the number of bowls based on how you work. Single bowls can accommodate larger cooking sheets while double bowls allow for a quick wash/rinse sequence. Depth is an important consideration, too.

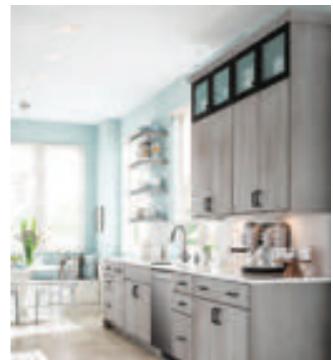
4. Choose your sink size and accessories. The size of your new sink is dependent upon the size of the cabinet it is installed in. Sink-base cabinets can be created specially to fit an installed sink. Also, look for accessories that work with your sink to save space and add convenience in the kitchen. Options include cutting boards, rinsing baskets, colanders, bottom grids and drains.



CONSIDER the color of your sink.

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NEW CABINETS not only afford more space, but can present an opportunity to imcorporate colorful style to your kitchen.

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ate an eye-pleasing backdrop for bold color appliances and vibrant accents and accessories.

If you opt for a more traditional finish such as cherry, black, walnut, white or maple, you can still add visual interest to your kitchen design by contrasting the upper and lower cabinetry or creating a standout island in a different tone.

Simply updating the hardware with a colorful twist can be an inexpensive alternative for adding color as well.

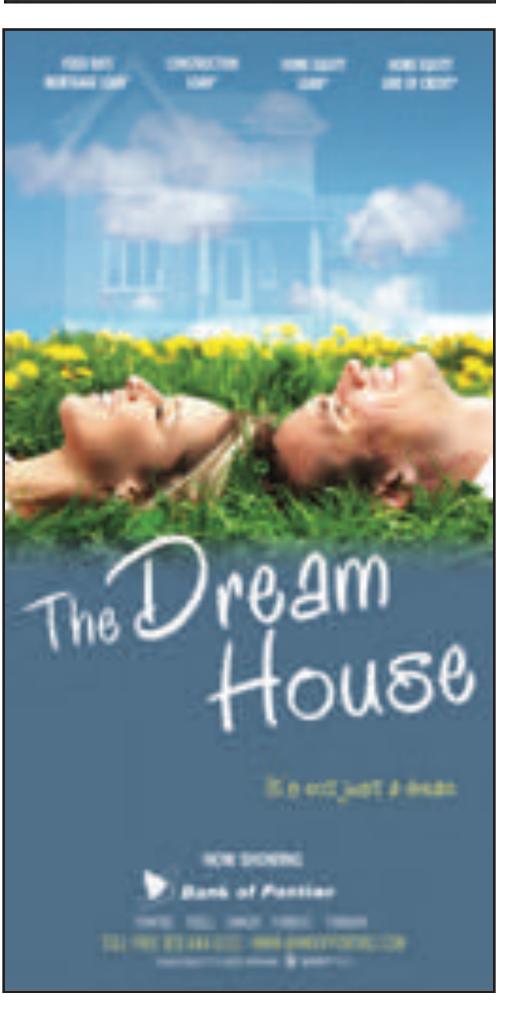
Think about sinks

Once overlooked as an option for introducing style in the kitchen, today's kitchen sinks accommodate a wide range of designs and preferences.

Both function and aesthetics – including unexpected, vibrant color - are important when replacing your sink.









Home Heating Tips to Save Money, Energy

Will your house be warm room where your family enough this winter?

With shifts in climate making winter weather harder to predict, it's important to prepare your home for extreme winter temperatures as soon as possible.

Here are a few key ways to make your home comfortable and energy efficient.

Supplemental Heating

Consider reducing energy bills substantially by supplementing whole house heat in the zones of your house used

For example, why heat the unoccupied fover to the same degree as the living

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spends their time?

Focusing your energy use where it is most needed will allow you to lower the thermostat for the central fur-

Known as "zone heating," this practice saves dollars and energy.

Wood Stove

A wood stove is a great choice for a supplemental heating product that focuses on specific rooms of the home.

Not only does a wood stove create a cozy atmosphere, but new models are redefining this classic tech-

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TO KEEP your beautiful home safe this fall and winter, when you fall backwards on the clock, it is a good time to be sure you check smoke and carbon monoxide detector batteries, seal leaks with caulk, and replace furnace and air filters.

Home Care Checklist For Time Change

By Sam Erickson

Maybe it's going back to school, maybe it's the shorter days or maybe it's the blinding lights signaling the holiday season ahead, but fall home improvement projects often get tossed aside or neglected in favor of more exciting, interesting or pressing activities.

This short checklist will help guide you to the most important elements to monitor and maintain in your home, keeping you and your family safe and maximizing the life of your home.

When the time changes, it's time to check the batteries in your smoke detectors. Making sure they are still operational is quick and easy and will bring peace of mind for another six months. Similarly, every year, you

should check your fire extinguishers to ensure that they have the proper pressure. Look for dents and dings, and make sure the pin is in the correct position. Fall is a great time to do this, as you'll be spending more time indoors. If the pressure has fallen too low, find a professional to recharge them for you.

Most people don't use their chimney in the summer, and soot can build up over the course of a year. Other debris like birds' nests or even leaves can create unsafe blockages. Have your chimney inspected by a professional if you plan to use it through the winter.

Small animals will be looking for a warm place to sleep, and your home is a great option for them.

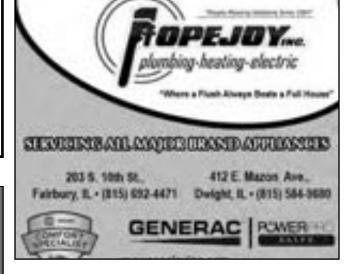
Perform routine pest control in your area, watching out for places where animals might get into your home.

Most importantly, you'll want to have your furnace and heating system checked by a professional. This can save you big money on your heating bill, and an inspection can ensure that there isn't a dangerous buildup of carbon monoxide in your

Furnace and air filters should be changed regularly to maximize safety and efficiency. If you are planning on using space heaters, humidifiers or de-humidifiers, they are a great addition to your checklist. Clean them off and inspect the heating and electrical elements for safety, particularly if they have been out of sight in storage for the warmer months.

Finally, check the caulking around your home. Caulk is a cheap compound that anyone can apply, and it will reduce the amount of energy loss from your home and prevent water damage to flooring, walls and windows in the kitchen and bathroom.

This is a big list—and it's certainly not comprehensive—but all of these things can be accomplished in one weekend day. Spending minimal time improving and protecting your home for the winter season will provide great returns.









Monday, October 17 Dwight vs. Salt Fork

Dwight JV Trojans took a two hour road trip to Salt Fork High School October 17, making the trip worthwhile with a 12-0 win to end the season.

Colton Holm opened the scoring in the first with a two-yard touchdown run – PAT was no good.

The score remained 6-0 at the half.

In the third, Jimmy Harkenrider recovered a fumble that would set up a Cameron Klingler three-yard run for six – PAT was no good.

The Trojan defense held from there, as Dane Rodosky would end the game with a crucial interception.

The victory gives Dwight a 5-1 record to end the year.

Friday, October 21 Dwight vs. Paxton-Buckley-Loda Varsity -

The Trojans hosted Paxton-Buckley-Loda on

Friday night, falling to 4-5 following a 47-28 loss.

Dwight was first to get on the board, with Austin Kavanaugh taking it in for a 14-yard TD at the midway point of the first quarter. A failed two-point conversion made it 6-0.

PBL would answer a few minutes later with a 13-yard touchdown, tying it up after an unsuccessful two-point conversion.

With 32 seconds left in the first, Justin Fox found Kavanaugh for a 27-yard touchdown pass, giving the Trojans a 12-6 lead (two-point conversion pass - no good).

The Panthers would break away in the second quarter, however, scoring three unanswered TDs before the half, holding a 26-12 lead heading into the third quarter.

Blake Graham would connect with Logan Graham for a 12-yard score at the 2:36 mark of the third quarter, cutting the lead to just six following a two-point pass from Fox to L. Graham.

But PBL would run it back on the kickoff for 74 yards just 14 seconds later, putting them up 34-20.

In a matter of 45 seconds, the Panthers put up two scores, a five-yard pass and a ten-yard run, giving them a cushy 47-20 advantage.

The Trojans had one more drive in them, though, scoring on a 23-yard pass from Fox to Graham with just 18 seconds left in the contest. Kavanaugh would find Fox for a successful two-point conversion pass, making it 47-28. And that's where it would stay.

QB Justin Fox ended up with 143 yards in the air on 18-30 completions, throwing two TDs. B. Graham was 2-2 with 31 yards and the TD pass.

Dwight had a slew of athletes racking up rushing yards in the game, including: Kavanaugh – 83 yards on 23 carries, one TD; L. Graham – 29 yards on six touches; Cam Klingler – eight yards on two carries; Hunter Esposito – seven yards on two rushes; B.

Graham – six yards on two carries; Jack Hilt – a fiveer, yard run; Andrew German, Kyle Henson, Junior ds, Schultz – each with a fouryard run; Dalton Smith – a nd two-yard rush; Fox – a two-

DTHS Trojans Football

yard run.

B. Graham was Dwight's leading receiver, pulling in ten receptions for 95 yards. Kavanaugh caught seven passes for 54 yards, while L. Graham had 18 yards on two catches. Dylan Mann added a seven-yard grab.

On the defensive side, Fox led with 4.5 tackles, with B. Graham, German, and Kavanaugh taking down two Panthers each. Walker Eutsey contributed 1.5 tackles, while Hilt and Dakota Wahl had a tackle each.

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EARLY VOTING, VOTE BY MAIL, and GRACE REGISTRATION DATES General Election-November 8, 2016

Early Voting, Vote by Mail, and Grace Registration will be conducted on the following dates prior to the November 8, 2016 General Election. **Voter registration closes on Tuesday, October 11th, 2016.**

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Hours</u>
MONDAY-FRIDAY September 29 - November 7	Livingston County Clerk's Office 112 W. Madison St. – Pontiac	8:00 AM to 4:30 PM
WEDNESDAY October 26 November 2	Livingston County Clerk's Office 112 W. Madison St. – Pontiac	8:00 AM to 6:00 PM
SATURDAY October 8 & 29 November 5	Livingston County Clerk's Office 112 W. Madison St. – Pontiac	9:00 AM to 12:00 NOON
TUESDAY November 8 (Grace Registration Only)	Livingston County Clerk's Office 112 W. Madison St. – Pontiac	6:00 AM to 7:00 PM

Our office will be closed October 10th, 2016 in observance of Columbus Day.

<u>What is Early Voting?</u> Early Voting starts September 29th and ends November 7th, 2016. This process allows any registered voter in Livingston County to use the above location to cast their ballot prior to Election Day. Early voters must be registered Livingston County voters. No excuse or reason is necessary to apply.

<u>Vote by Mail Voting:</u> Starts Thursday, September 29 and continues through Monday, November 7. A person may request a Vote by Mail ballot by USPS no later than November 3rd and in person through November 7th without specifying a reason. In order to be counted the ballot must be postmarked by midnight or returned in person by 7 PM to the County Clerk's Office on November 8th.

Grace Registration and Voting begins October 12th and continues through November 8th. This is for new registrants and those who have transferred or moved and did not update their voter registration before October 11th. Voting takes place at the same time the change is made in the County Clerk's Office.

Additional election information, as well as Applications for Ballots and Sample Ballots may be obtained from the Livingston County website at: www.livingstoncountyil.gov (Click on "County Services", "County Clerk", and "Elections").

If you have any questions regarding voter registration, or the above information, contact County Clerk Kristy Masching (815-842-9313) or Election Deputy Gail Smythe (815-842-9318).



DTHS VARSITY TROJAN senior workhorse Austin Kavanaugh moves the ball down the field October 21 on Senior Night at Oughton Athletic Field in Dwight.

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through the delegates.

Contact a Federation officer,

adult adviser, or the

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4-H Federation News

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Kankakee County 4-H

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OBITUARIES

Stella M. Spandet

DWIGHT Stella M. Spandet, 101, of Dwight passed

away Saturday, October 22, 2016 at Morris Hospital in Morris. Visitation will be Friday, October 28,

from 4 until 7 p.m. at Hager Memorial Home in Dwight. Funeral services will be

held Saturday, October 29, in St. Peter's Lutheran Church at 10 a.m.

Interment will follow in Oaklawn Cemetery, Dwight. Stella was born June 19, 1915 and spent her entire life in the Dwight area. She was the daughter of Fred and Olga Petersen Seemann. She married her loving husband Ralph Spandet December 16, 1939, who spent most of his career as a farmer only a few miles south of Dwight. He preceded her in death.

She had a brother, Bud Seemann, who also preceded her in death and is survived by Margaret Seemann in Ottawa. She also had a sister, Irene Baumgartner, who is living in Kenosha, Wisconsin, and is 104 years

Also surviving are two sons, Terry and Fred Spandet, and their respective families. Terry and his wife Sue Wright Spandet live in the Kansas City area near their sons, Scott, Jason and

Chad, and their respective families. Fred and his wife Diane Cryder Spandet live in Lake Villa, near their son, Brady of Chicago and daughter Dana of

Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Stella had five grandchildren: Scott, Jason, Chad, Brady and Dana Spandet; and five great-grandchildren: Tony, Scott, Brett, Zack and Anna.

Stella, in addition to being a housewife and a part-time farmer, was also a clerk at the local dime store for approximately 20 years. She was a volunteer willing worker at the church when she was younger and also found time for an active social life. She belonged to many card clubs and loved playing euchre and bridge with the many friends she acquired during her 101 years of life.

She was a lifelong White Sox fan and rarely missed tuning them in.

member of St. Peter's Church in Dwight and the family requests that in lieu of flowers that all memorials be directed for the benefit of St. Peter's Church.

On-line condolences may be left at www.hagermemori

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Richard P. Haugen



CUSTER PARK Richard P. Haugen, 85, of Custer Park passed away Thursday, October 20, 2016 at Riverside Hospital in Kankakee.

Visitation will be at the R.W. Patterson Funeral Homes, Braidwood Chapel, Thursday, October 27, from 4 until 8 p.m.

Funeral services will follow at 8 p.m.

Graveside committal services with military honors will be at 12 noon, Friday, October 28, in Arlington Cemetery, Elm-

He was born January 3, 1931 in Chicago; was a veteran of the United States Army, serving during the Korean Conflict; was a Stella was a lifelong Sergeant Reserve for the Cicero Police Department; raced stock cars from 1951-

1958; longtime member of the Wilmington Recreation Club; and was known to be a "Jack of all trades."

Surviving are four sons: Shawn (Shawn) Haugen of Custer Park; Shane Haugen of Orange Beach, Alabama; Shannon (Kelli) Haugen of Limestone; and Swain Haugen of Dwight; seven grandchildren; former wife, Helen J. Haugen of Dwight; and brother, Don (Virginia) Haugen of Maywood.

Preceding him in death were his son, Scott A. Haugen; father, Haugen; mother, Gretchen Haugen; stepmother, Estelle Haugen; and brother, Lee Haugen.

For more information and to visit his on-line guestbook, log on to www.rwpatt ersonfuneralhomes.com

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Clay and Cody Watters and their dad, Bob Watters, fly the W flag on the back of their combine tors. They use "buzz" during the 2016 harvest to represent the Cubs going to the World past Dwight on I-55 have some bumble bee species. shown their appreciation.

cuss bumble bees, their pollination services and their decline. There are 50 species of bumble bees in North America. They are social much like honey bees. There is a queen to lay eggs and workers to collect pollen and nectar for the honey pot. However, unlike honey bees, only the queen survives the winter. She overwinters in a small crevice in a garden, an old mouse nest, or she may reside in a polli-

hairs and carrying pollen to the next flower. The latest research Series! Those traveling has shown a rapid decline in Entomologist University of Illinois Sydney Cameron and her lab are part of a multi-team research effort to understand the causes of declining populations in several species of North American bumble bees. She attributed the

nator hotel made by University

of Illinois Extension Horticulture

Educator Kelly Allsup, an upside

down clay pot filled with straw.

Bumble bees are great pollina-

tion, vibrating their bodies,

knocking the pollen onto their

Bumble bee populations decline European bees for greenhouse tomato production. The introduction of European bees in greenhouses increases yields and can be an effective tool for growers; however, they also spread diseases such as Nosema to the

native bee population.

Cameron's research has revealed that at least four bumble bee species have declined significantly in population and geographic range, and one species may be going extinct. Researchers at the University of Illinois have recently found higher levels of a fungal pathogen and lower levels of genetic diversity among the declining bumble bees. The species headed toward extinction is the rusty-patched bumble bee. Historically found in 25 states, it is estimated to have disappeared from 87 percent of its historic range.

Cameron concludes that bumble bees need flowers from the pea family or perennials, such as Aconitum and Campanula, a place to nest and a range that is pesticide-free to thrive in Illinois. For more on the rusty patch bumble bee, search YouTube for "A ghost in the making: Searching for the rustypatched bumble bee," by Clay

decline of some native bumble bees to pesticide use, global warming and the use of imported Get Connected to area businesses with The Paper **WEB DIRECTORY!**

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Dwight Peace Meals

Peace Meals are served on Thursdays at Dwight Senior Center -- ALL 60 AND UP are welcome. Served at 12 noon.

Home delivery Monday - Friday 60 and up homebound - Must make reservations -

Wed., Oct. 26: Chili with beans, mixed lettuce salad w/dressing packet, pears, crackers, cake.

Thurs., Oct. 27: Meatloaf, creamed peas and potatoes, beets with pineapple, Texas toast, Waldorf salad.

Fri., Oct. 28: Liver and onions, potatoes au gratin, baked corn casserole, whole grain

roll, pudding. Mon., Oct. Sloppy Joe, German potato salad, green bean

casserole. bun. Hawaiian salad Tues., Nov.

Swedish meatballs w/gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli, whole grain wheat, fresh fruit.

Wed., Nov. 2: Cheese tortellini alfredo w/ham, buttered peas, tomatoes and zucchini, whole grain wheat, pears. Thurs., Nov. 3: Fried

chicken, mashed potatoes w/ gravy, mixed vegetables, Texas toast, peaches.

Milk is served each

For a reservation, call 815-374-0411 or 1-800-543-1770; or for more information call the 800 number.



At the Churches

DWIGHT

Dwight United Methodist Church 701 S. Columbia 584-3420 church Dwightumc.org Pastor: Lance Leeds • OCT. 26: 2 p.m., Kids Klub & Real; 6:30 p.m., Choir; 7 p.m., Ignite. • OCT. 27: 7:30 p.m., Praise Band rehearsal. • OCT. 29: 7 a.m., Men's Bible Study at Route 66 and Pete's Restaurants. • OCT. 30: 8 a.m., Early Worship Service; 9:15 a.m., Sunday School; 9:30 a.m., Praise Band rehearsal; 10:30 a.m., Worship Service; 5 p.m., District United Methodist Men's

Rally.. • OCT. 31: 5 p.m. - 7 p.m., Trunk or Treat inside the church. • NOV. 1: 8:30 a.m.. Hens Bible Study; 9 a.m., The Bible Seekers. • NOV. 2: 9 a.m., Prayer Shawl; 2 p.m., Kids Klub and Real;

Emmanuel Lutheran Church

6:30 p.m., Choir prac-

tice; 7 p.m., Ignite.

325 E. Mazon Ave. 584-3433 church 584-1291 fax 584-1023 parsonage Rev. Daniel Ognoskie, Pastor • OCT. 26: 3:30 - 5:30

p.m., Weekday School. • OCT. 27: 6:30 p.m., Parish Council meet-

• OCT. 29: 5 p.m., Worship with Holy Communion. • OCT. 30: Reformation - 9 a.m., Sunday School/Bible Class; 10 a.m., Worship with Holy Communion.

First Baptist Church 401 N. Clinton St 815-584-3182 Pastor Daniel L.

Woodward • OCT. 26: Wednesday Evening Service and King's Kids Children's Program,

7 p.m. • OCT. 30: Sunday School for all ages, 9:45 a.m.; Sunday Morning Service, 10:45 a.m.; Sunday Evening Service, 6

First Congregational **United Church of** Christ

200 W. Delaware St. 584-1260 church Pastor Connie Williams Moodie, Intentional Interim Minister • OCT. 30: Worship, 10:30 a.m. Sermon title "There's Always

Room' • NOV. 1: Bible Study,

5:30 p.m. • NOV. 9: Soup and Sandwich Supper, 4 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. "October Mission of the Month" - Ronald McDonald House.

New Life Assembly of God Victor J. Randle Jr.,

Pastor 815-584-3430 • OCT. 26: 7 p.m., Disciples Making Disciples Bible Study. • OCT. 27: 7 p.m., Worship practice. • OCT. 29: 8 a.m.,

Men's Group - Break-

fast. • OCT. 30: 9 a.m., "Basic Training" 1st and 2nd Timothy; 10 a.m., Main Service -Nelson Cuevos, guest speaker; NO Kids Church; 4 p.m. - 6 p.m., Fall Festival Open House: NO

X-treme Youth Group.

• OCT. 31: NO First

Place.

St. Patrick Catholic

Church Mazon Ave. at Prairie 815-584-3522 Office Father Chris Haake, Pastor

• OCT. 29: 4 - 4:45 p.m., Reconciliation; 5 p.m., Mass. • OCT. 30: 8 a.m.,

Mass

St. Peter's **Lutheran Church** 326 W. Chippewa St. stpetersdwight@sbcgloba

Office: Tu-Fri, 9 - noon Tu. and Wed., 2 p.m. -5:30 p.m. • OCT. 26: 6 p.m., Youth/Faith &

Fellowship, meal. • OCT. 27: "Epistle" deadline. • OCT. 28: Office closed; 8 p.m., AA

meeting. • OCT. 30: Reformation Youth Sunday/Confirmation-8:15 a.m., Handbells rehearse; 8:45 a.m., Fellowship; 9 a.m., Faith Development; 10 a.m., Worship and Confirmation; 11:15 a.m., Reception for new Confirmands; 2

p.m., Heritage Health Holy Communion. • OCT. 31: Food Distribution Day – set up, 12 - 2:30; distribute, 3 - 5:30. • NOV. 1: 4:30 - 6 p.m, Salvation Army

and Emerg. Food Pantry. • NOV. 2: 2 p.m., Bingo Heritage Health; 5:30 p.m., Music rehearsal; 6 p.m., Youth Meal; 6:30 p.m., Youth Group.

BRACEVILLE Braceville United

Methodist Church 106 W. Gould St. 815-237-8512 Church Pastor: Bennett A. Woods • WEDNESDAYS: After school - 4:30

p.m. Children's After School Programs Pre-teen E.D.G.E.: Exploring and Discovering God Everywhere. Snacks

are provided. 6 - 8 p.m., S.T.A.T.I.C. Youth Group – Standing Together As Teens in Christ – 7th - 12th

grades. Snacks are provided. • OCT. 28: Alcoholics

Anonymous meeting, • OCT. 30: Sunday Worship Service,

9:30 a.m. • OCT. 31: Pumpkin Patch Party, 5:30 -7:30 p.m., for trick or treaters of all ages! Serving hot dogs, chips, drinks, and treats. Family Friendly

CAMPUS Sacred Heart Catholic Church Father Chris Haake, • OCT. 30: 10:00 a.m.,

Mass.

Games! -- Free --

EMINGTON Emington Congregational **United Church**

of Christ 103 Division Street Pastor Connie Williams Moodie, Intentional Interim Minister • OCT. 26: Bible

Study, 3 p.m. • OCT. 30: Worship, 8:45 a.m. Sermon title: "There's Always Room."

October Food Pantry Collection - Canned or packaged soups. "October Mission of the Month" Neighbors in Need/ N.I.N.

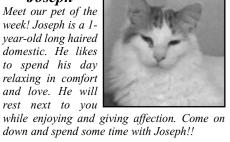
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DTHS Drama Dept. Presenting 13 Past Midnight



The Dwight Township School Drama Department is presenting the murder mystery 13 Past Midnight, by Billy St. John, as their fall play.

This show centers around the characters of a fictitious soap opera who have been

invited to their producer's home to participate in a murder mystery game. When one of the participants is found dead, the game becomes real and the characters must find the murderer or risk becoming the next victim.

The cast of 18 students includes seniors Skylar Hakey, Dylan Prouty, Maddi Groves, Samantha Carlson, and Mark Taylor.

Performances will be Friday, November 4, at 7:00 p.m., and Saturday, November 5, at 7:00 p.m., in the DTHS auditorium.

Letters to the Editor

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

We welcome your thoughts.





THE DWIGHT Historical Society and Dwight Economic Alliance will host a Christmas Open House at the Historic Dwight Depot, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 5.

OGS 1st Quarter Perfect Attendance

Preschool: Trinity Aull, Leo Cleary, Joslin Payton, Levi Rhodes, Ruby Sturms.

Kindergarten: Drechsel, Dana Mabe. First Grade: Xadyn Aull, Hilleary, Chayse Knobbe.

Nadia Davis, Anna Gall, Hailey LaVarier, Olivia Noles. Second Grade: Abigail

Gall, Taylor Henson, Emily LaVarier, Dylan Mabe, Ayden Schott. Third Grade: Kynlee

Ashlyn Hanson, Brandt, Emma Jarman, Cody Knight.

Nevaeh Cox, Jack Dalrymple, Hunter Howard, Michael Mabe, Seth Mund. Chloe Fifth Grade: Robert Bolen, Alaina Franklin, Brianna Sixth Grade: Dalton Baker, Gabriel Brown, Sydney Gragert, Abigail Matern, Levy Tucker. **Seventh Grade:** Sophie Bachman, James Birkett,

Pozdol, Rebecca Russell. Knobbe, Kaileb Kruger, Fourth Grade: Kyla Baker, Logan Roe, Alan Schott.

Zeta Folkestad, Grace Mund, Zoe Noles, Christina Eighth Grade: Alyssa

Odell Grade School 1st Quarter Honor Roll

Perfect Honors (Straight A's)

Grade: Sydney Gragert, Grace Mathus. Seventh Grade: Grace Mund, Zoe Noles, Emma O'Lone.

Eighth Grade: Logan Deacetis, Logan Roe.

High Honors (3.5-4.0 GPA)

Fifth Grade: Robert Bolen, Brianna Hilleary, Julianne Tiller.

Grade: Sixth Abigail Matern

Seventh Grade: Sophie Bachman, Haylee Howard, Tayloy, Anna Tiller.

Rebecca Russell. **Eighth Grade:** Alyssa Knobbe, Kaileb Kruger, Alan Schott, Justarius Scott.

Honors (3.0-3.5 GPA)

Fifth Grade: Chayse Knobbe, Kelsey Taylor. Sixth **Grade:** Ashlyn Heddins, Gavin Jarman, Alex Jewell.

Seventh **Grade:** Briar Bolen, Zeta Folkestad, Elizabeth Foster, Alexia Leonard, Karson McKee, Gavin Wykes.

Grade: Kendall Eighth

Dwight Lions Breakfast November 6

The Dwight Lions Club will host a pancakes and sausage, biscuits and gravy breakfast Sunday, November 6, from 7:00 a.m. to noon at the Dwight VFW.

Kids age six to 12 receive a discount. Children five and under eat free.

Join Arbor Day **Foundation** and Receive 10 Free Trees

Arbor Foundation is offering ten free autumn classics trees or five free Crapemyrtle when you join the organization in October.

The free trees are part of the nonprofit Arbor Day Foundation's Trees for America campaign, a program dedicated to environmental stewardship through the planting of trees.

The ten autumn classics include: two sugar maples, two red maples, and one each of scarlet oak, sweetgum, northern red oak, silver maple, white flowering dogwood, and Washington hawthorn.

The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting, between November 1 and December 10.

The six- to 12-inch trees are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free of

Planting instructions will be enclosed with each shipment of trees.

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