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# Dwight Rotary, New Life Assembly Church Help Provide Drinking Water For People of Indian Village

by Myke Feinman  
Managing Editor

Thanks to the efforts of the Dwight Rotary Club and the New Life Assembly of God Church in Dwight, roughly 1,500 people will no longer have to walk 1½ to two miles for drinking water. The new well, a hand-powered model, includes a plaque which says “Service Above Self, Dwight Rotary Club, February 2017.”

“So now Dwight, Illinois is cemented in India forever,” said Pastor Victor “Randy” Randle, president of the Dwight Rotary who represented both the Rotary and his church in India.

His trip began months ago when Rod Kodavatikanti, of Chenoa, spoke to the Dwight Rotary Club about Project Nehemiah, which is bringing drinking water wells to villages in India where no water was available.

Pastor Randy’s trip was from Feb. 8 to Feb. 23, and the village of Podili was the recipient of the well. Such wells cost between \$1,200 and \$1,500, but the town of 800 people, with roughly 1,500 total counting people surrounding the village in rural areas, could not afford such a project, making an average of \$4 a day in wages.

Kodavatikanti was with Randle in India, being origi-

nally from the city of Ongole, population about 300,000. Ongole is near Podili. Randle said Kodavatikanti has been living in Chenoa for 11 years.

After seeing water come out of the well for the first time in Podili, Randle said he wrote in his journal: “This village now has living water, the living water of God.”

He said like most people, there have been important events in his life, but seeing the well was the most momentous.

“I got married and had kids, but being able to pump that water, that was probably the greatest thing I have ever seen as a human being,” Randle said.

In addition to watching the well being dug and constructed, Randle met with a Rotary club in India, presenting gifts such as a Dwight Cat’s Meow of the Country Mansion, where the Dwight Rotary holds its meetings.

He also spoke at four churches in India, including Pentacostal and Baptist churches.

One of the things Randle noticed was the low technology in the town. There is a tobacco “factory” in town, designed to dry tobacco leaves, one of the cash crops supporting the townspeople. The factory consists of a large building, several sto-

ries high with tobacco leaves hanging inside, drying utilizing a wood-fired stove at the bottom and pipes to distribute heated air.

And, of course, the pump for the well is hand-operated, also low-tech.

Kodavatikanti took Randle to a fabric store and had a hand-tailored shirt made for Randle. The tailor was considered one of the better ones, as there are more than one operating in the Ongole area in India — again, hand-made without the use of high technology.

The town of Podili consists of mostly agricultural works, growing tobacco and cotton in the area. He said the climate was hot and dry, and the soil was kicked up like a smoke cloud when the well was drilled, concealing the truck and workers in the dust cloud.

Before Randle went on the trip, he had put an old pump from a local farm and a bucket at the church, asking for donations for the well, raising \$600, he said.

“If I could get 100 people to give \$10, that’s another well,” he mused.

Randle said he has a 10-year visa to visit India, so he plans to be back to provide more wells.

“For me deep down, it’s about the Kingdom of God showing his love with people helping people,” Randle said.

**ROD KODAVATIKANTI** of Chenoa, and originally from India, speaks to residents of the village of Podili in India after the new well was installed. The well was paid for by donations from the Dwight Rotary Club and New Life Assembly of God Church in Dwight.

Submitted photo

**PASTOR VICTOR “RANDY” RANDLE** of the New Life Assembly of God Church in Dwight takes a selfie with children from the village of Podili “waving to America.” Randle watched a well get installed through donations from the Dwight area.

Submitted photo

**Shopko Donates \$500 To DGS**

**DWIGHT GRADE SCHOOL** principal Ben Bailey accepted a \$500 check from Shopko on March 19. The funds were a grant from the Shopko Foundation. Bailey said the money will be used for two Science and Technology clubs, one each for grades three to five and six through eighth graders. The funds will be used to enhance curriculum for Science, Technology, Engineering and Math or STEM, with such projects as computer assisted drafting, computer programming, coding, and working with a three-D printer. Presenting and accepting the check are (from left) Tyler Frickey, merchandise supervisor at Dwight Shopko; Bailey; Connie Buberly, manager; and Elena Cummings, assistant manager.

The Paper photo

## Dwight Grade School March Board Actions

by Madelyn Fogarty

The Dwight Grade School District 232 Board of Education met on March 8.

DGS staffing needs for the 2017 – 18 school year were discussed. At this time,

little change will be made to staffing. The current need for three sections to accommodate this year’s First Grade class will move with the class making Second Grade three sections next year. The district is current-

ly looking at options for filling two positions including a part-time Health teacher and a part-time Choir teacher. In addition, the Technology structure is being reviewed before a recommendation (continued on page 3)

## Two Dwight Men To Be Honored With House Resolution

by Myke Feinman  
Managing Editor

Two Dwight men who died in a shootout on Interstate 57 on April 7, 1979 will be honored in House Joint Resolution 21, according to State Rep. Thomas Bennett, (R-108th District).

The resolution also honors two others.

He said in a newsletter dated March 3 that the resolution honors State Trooper Michael McCarter, a 1965 graduate of Dwight Township High School, and Donald Vice, a civilian who was riding along with Trooper McCarter and Larry Hale, a Paxton police officer.

Vice was also a Dwight resident.

McCarter, Vice and Paxton Police Department Patrolman William Caisse were killed and Hale was wounded in the shootout.

At about 9:00 p.m., April 7, 1979, Patrolman Caisse was dispatched to assist Trooper McCarter who was attempting to stop four speeding vehicles traveling southbound, according to a memorial web site for Trooper McCarter.

“Once at the scene, one subject fled to an overpass area and began firing at both officers, mortally wounding Trooper McCarter and a civilian who was riding with him. Upon arrival of another Paxton officer, gunfire continued from the overpass area as another subject retrieved a rifle from the rear of his pickup truck, shooting Patrolman Caisse in the back, killing him instantly.

That suspect then began firing at the other officer, wounding him in the right leg and chest, before the officer was able to return fire four times with a shotgun.

As the suspect fell to the ground and reached for his weapon, the officer fired his revolver and killed him.”

The four subjects, all brothers and members of an auto parts theft ring based in Detroit, were traveling from Michigan to Mississippi to attend their grandmother’s funeral and feared the officers would find their weapons when they were stopped. A third brother was also killed in the shootout while another was not implicated in the incident.

“All four showed great courage, standing in harm’s way to protect the community,” Bennett said in his newsletter referring to the police and Vice.

“This legislation would designate the overpass at the spot of the shootout on I-57 just south of Paxton as the McCarter-Caisse-Vice-Hale Memorial Overpass,” Bennett continued. “It was a very sad day when we lost these public servants. This is a good way we can honor them for giving their lives for our community.”

Bennett said all of us are indebted to those who volunteer to put their lives on the line for our communities.

“Every day police officers and firefighters face danger to keep the rest of us safe,” he said. “When one of our first responders gives his or her life in the line of duty, we owe it to them to never forget their service or their sacrifice.”

Ecumenical Mid-Lenten Service

To Be Celebrated March 22

An ecumenical Mid-Lenten service will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 22, at St. Patrick’s Catholic Church, 100 W. Mazon Ave., Dwight.

The public is invited to attend. The service will include hymns and readings, officiated by church pastors from the Dwight area. A reflection will be given.

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Tickets Issued by Dwight Police

March 3: Payton V. Christoff, 16, Dwight, exceeding speed in school zone.

March 4: Kilie C. Tilley, 17, Dwight, operate uninsured motor vehicle.

March 5: Pamela S. Adkins, 38, Dwight, operate uninsured motor vehicle.

March 7: Jamie E. Blanche, 41, Streator, driving 21-25 MPH above limit; Andreas C. Coleman, 29, Danville, driving 15-20 MPH above limit.

March 8: Lucas M. Trout, 21, Aurora, canceled/revo- kered/suspended registra- tion/IL, operate uninsured motor vehicle; Anthony J. Taylor, 23, Dwight, domes- tic battery.

Tyler A. Garza, 22, Kankakee, driving 21-25 MPH above limit.

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

7 Written Warnings Issued by Dwight Police

Accident Report  
Tuesday, March 7, an accident was reported at the

intersection of Route 47 and Rt. 17 involving Enamullah Fnu of St. Louis, MO, the driver of a southbound 2016 Volvo Semi, who rolled back into a southbound 2011 Lincoln, driven by Karen McArdle of Dwight, which was stopped behind the Semi.



Weekly Ambulance Runs by Dwight EMS

March 2: 7:46 p.m., Mazon, trauma, Riverside.

March 3: 12:09 p.m., Mazon, medical, Morris; 10:47 p.m., South St., med- ical, Morris.

March 4: 6:19 a.m., Mazon Ave., medical, Morris; 9:48 p.m., 2800 N., medical, Morris.

March 5: 3:15 a.m., 3200 N., fire; 6:11 a.m., Union, trauma, refusal; 7:54 a.m., South, trauma, refusal; 11:48 a.m., Mazon, medical, Morris.

March 6: 9:21 a.m., Delaware, medical, St. James; 11:53 a.m., Waupansie, medical, refusal; 9:36 a.m., Old Rt. 66, med-

ical, Morris; 1:45 p.m., Mazon, medical, Morris; 7:21 p.m., Columbia, med- ical, Morris.

March 8: 12:07 a.m., Union, trauma, Morris; 8:19 a.m., Union, fire alarm; 9:13 a.m., John, false alarm; 10:03 a.m., South, trauma, refusal; 12:32 p.m., Bannon, medical, St. James; 12:38 p.m., Watters Drive, fire; 3:47 p.m., Main, medical, no transport; 6:32 p.m., Main, lift assist; 6:52 p.m., Mazon, medical, Morris; 8:06 p.m., Union, fire alarm; 11:48 p.m., Franklin, trauma, Morris.

March 9: 12:44 p.m., Linden, fire.



Temps - 2017

Mar. 2 – high 34°, low 19°  
Mar. 3 – high 35°, low 19°  
Mar. 4 – high 49°, low 27°  
Mar. 5 – high 60°, low 32°  
Mar. 6 – high 63°, low 43° .25" precip.  
Mar. 7 – high 63°, low 36°  
Mar. 8 – high 55°, low 28°  
One Year Ago – Mar. 15, 2016 high 70°, low 48° .07" precip.

Free Food to Be Distributed March 22

Free food will be distrib- uted to qualifying house- holds in Dwight Township Wednesday, March 22, at 1:00 p.m. at the Pioneer Gothic Church, 201 N. Franklin, Dwight.

The pantry is provided by the Dwight Ministerial Association and Dwight Township.



DWIGHT AND THE SUR-ROUNDING area experi-enced Mother Nature’s fury in June of 2010 as these photos show. Always be prepared for violent weather.

With Spring Comes Violent Weather

The arrival of spring brings with it this area’s biggest threat of severe weather, according to Al Metzke, of the Dwight Emergency Services Depart- ment.

Here are a few sugges- tions from the Dwight Emergency Services and Disaster Agency to help readers prepare for danger- ous storms.

Included are emergency procedures followed by ESDA:

- Have a portable, bat- tery-operated AM/FM radio available.
- Have a plan of action in case you need to take cover from damaging winds or tor- nadoes.

Severe Thunderstorm Watches

This means that condi- tions are favorable for severe thunderstorms.

A watch will be issued by the National Weather Services and will expire at a specified time.

There is NO cable TV announcement or emergency siren sounded in Dwight for severe thunderstorm watch- es.

Be prepared to seek shel-

ter. Monitor TV and radio for weather updates.

Severe Thunderstorm Warnings

This means severe thun- derstorms have been sighted in the Dwight area. A warn- ing will be issued by the National Weather Service and will expire at a specified time.

There is NO cable TV announcement over Dwight cable TV of the warning. Emergency sirens will be activated ONLY IF there is hail, damaging winds above 58 miles per hour or evi- dence of funnel clouds form- ing.

If emergency sirens are sounding:

- Take cover immediately.
- Go to the basement if possible. If you do not have a basement, seek shelter in a small room near the center of your dwelling or the bath- room.
- Stay away from win- dows or skylights.
- Keep a flashlight and battery powered radio with you.
- Stay alert until an all- clear” is given by the National Weather Service or the time has expired for the warning.

If emergency sirens are not sounding:

- Be ready to take cover.
- Keep a flashlight and battery-powered radio with you.
- Monitor TV and radio stations for weather updates.
- Stay alert until an “all clear” is given by the National Weather Service or the time has expired for the warning.

Tornado watches

This means conditions are favorable for tornadoes to develop. The National Weather Service will issue a watch that will expire at a specified time.

There WILL BE a cable TV announcement over Dwight cable TV for tornado watches. Emergency sirens will be activated ONLY IF there is hail, damaging winds above 58 miles per hour, or evidence of funnel clouds forming.

Take emergency action as described under the Severe

Thunderstorm Warnings.

Tornado Warnings

This means tornadoes have been sighted in the Dwight area. The National Weather Service will issue a warning that will expire at a specified time.

Emergency sirens WILL BE ACTIVATED. There WILL BE AN AN- NOUNCEMENT over Dwight cable TV of the warning.

In the event a tornado warning is issued:

- TAKE COVER IMME- DIATELY. You are in immi- nent danger.
- Go to the basement if possible. If you do not have a basement, seek shelter in a small room near the center of your dwelling or the bath- room.
- Monitor TV or radio sta- tions for weather updates.
- Stay in your shelter area until the time has expired for the warning.

REMEMBER:

Watches mean in TIME severe weather or tornadoes MAY DEVELOP.

Warnings mean severe weather or tornadoes HAVE BEEN SIGHTED in the Dwight area. People may be instructed to seek shelter immediately. If sirens sound, TAKE COVER IMMEDI- ATELY.

Local radio stations will keep you updated as weather changes occur.

Stations in the Dwight area include:

Pontiac — WJEZ FM 93.7, WPOK AM 1080.

MORRIS — WCSJ FM 103.1, WCSJ AM 1550.

Dwight cable TV also carries the Weather Channel on channel 28. This channel will carry local doppler radar of our area if we are experi- encing severe weather.

Remember, be prepared. Have a flashlight and bat- tery-powered radio avail- able. Have a plan and be ready to take action.

If sirens are sounding, TAKE COVER IMMEDI- ATELY. Tornadoes can occur ANY month of the year. Illinois averages 25 tor- nadoes a year, and they can develop quickly, even on sunny days.

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**Time for Some Financial Spring Cleaning**

Spring is in the air, even if it’s not quite there on the calendar. This year, as you shake off the cobwebs from winter and start tidying up around your home and yard, why not also do some financial spring cleaning?

Actually, you can apply several traditional spring cleaning tech- niques to your financial situation. Here are a few ideas:

- Look for damage. Damage to your home’s siding, shingles and foundation can eventually degrade the structure of your home. Your investment portfolio is also a structure of a sort, and it, too, can be damaged. Specifically, you may have deliberately constructed your portfolio with an investment mix – stocks, fixed-income vehicles, cash instruments, etc. – that’s appropriate for your goals and risk tolerance. But over time, your portfolio can evolve in unexpected ways. For example, your stocks may have grown so much in value that they now take up a larger per- centage of your holdings than you had intended, possibly sub- jecting you to a higher degree of risk. If this happens, you may need to rebalance your portfolio.
- Get rid of “clutter.” As you look around your home, do you see three mops or four nonfunctional televisions or a stack of magazines from the 1990s? If these items no longer have value, you could get rid of them and clear up some living space. As an investor, you also might have “clutter” – in the form of invest- ments that no longer meet your needs. If you sold these invest- ments, you could use the proceeds to fill gaps in your portfolio.
- Consolidate. Do you keep your lawnmower in a shed, a rake in your garage, and your gardening tools in the basement? When working on your outdoor tasks, you might find it more efficient to have all these items in one location. You could also have your investments scattered about – an IRA here, a new 401(k) there, and an older 401(k) someplace else. But if you consolidated all your investments in one place, you might cut down on paper- work and fees, and you wouldn’t risk losing track of an asset (which actually happens more than you might think). Even more importantly, when you have all your investments with one provider, you’ll be better positioned to follow a single, central- ized investment strategy.
- Prepare for a rainy day. As part of your outdoor spring cleaning, you may want to look at your gutters and downspouts to make sure they are clear and in good repair, so that they can move rainwater away from your home. Your financial goals need protection, too, so you’ll want to ensure you have adequate life and disability insurance.
- Seal leaks. In your home inspection this spring, you may want to investigate doors and windows for leaks and drafts. Your investment portfolio might have some “leaks” also. Are invest- ment-related taxes siphoning off more of your earnings than you realize? A financial professional can offer you recommendations for appropriate tax-advantaged investments.

This spring, when you’re cleaning your physical surround- ings, take some time to also tidy up your financial environment. You may be pleased with the results.

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Dwight Grade School March Board Actions

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regarding filling a position in that area is determined.

As warm weather months approach, the BOE is again considering options for cooling the school building. Superintendent Dr. Richard Jancek discussed with the board information on installing roof mounted cooling units as an option. Members of the board may travel to Milford school district to view a similar option used by that school. A preliminary cost estimate for the cooling only units is \$800,000 to \$1 million.

Another ongoing discussion is the traffic pattern at the school as the BOE continues to look for ways to help eliminate, or at least reduce, traffic concerns. One idea for reflowing traffic would require paving the

grass area of the circle drive at a preliminary cost estimate of \$238,000 - \$250,000.

Installing a chain-link fence on the north side of school property from Washington Street to the crosswalk was discussed to keep students from crossing through that area. Striping off no parking zones is also being considered. No decisions were made and the BOE will continue to look at traffic flow solutions.

In reports to the board, it was learned the Dwight Grade School has been named a recipient of a \$500 Shopko grant. The grant will be used for Science and Technology Club Supplies for the 2017-18 school year.

In financial news, the State of Illinois currently owes the District \$195,643.14 in late mandat-

ed categorical payments for the 2016-17 school year in addition to \$4,646.87 for the 2015-16 school year.

In other business the board:

- approved tenure status for teacher Kimberly Long.
- approved tenure status for teacher Jessica Legner.
- Employed the non-tenured teachers for 2017 - 18.

• approved a DEA/BOE Contract amendment changing from one head track coach to two positions including a head girls and head boys track coach and stipend agreements.

The next meeting of the Dwight Grade School Board of Education will be Wednesday, April 12 at 6 p.m. in the DGS Library. Meetings are open to the public.

Editor’s Corner

by Myke Feinman  
Managing Editor

Will Pluto Be A Planet Again? I Hope So!

For those of you who don’t know, the planet Pluto was demoted to a dwarf planet status in 2006 by a group of scientists known as the International Astronomical Union.

Streator was a little upset about that planetary demotion.

You see, the planet Pluto was discovered in 1930 by Reading Township native Clyde Tombaugh. Reading Township includes South Streator, so Streator claims Tombaugh as their own.

Sheila Brockman’s students at the former St. Anthony Catholic School in Streator went ballistic and wrote letters requesting Pluto be changed back to a planet. They wrote officials across the land, gaining national media attention. (As an aside, Sheila, a former Dwight resident, is the daughter of Arlene Armstrong, a native of Ransom and longtime Dwight and Odell resident. Plus, Sheila now teaches music and band at Ransom Grade School. And her husband Steve is the Blackstone postmaster, so this is a local story for *The Paper*).

“I’ve always believed Pluto to be a planet,”

Brockman told *The Paper*. “It has a moon, which means it has its own gravitational pull. So it met the conditions.”

I live in Streator and covered the many issues surrounding the demotion of Pluto.

My wife, Cathy, astrologically a Scorpio, was deeply offended by the demotion, because her astrological sign is ruled by *THE PLANET* Pluto.

Even Actress/comedian Whoopi Goldberg, of the movies and *Star Trek* fame, is a proponent of Pluto being a planet again. Whoopi is a Scorpio too, by the way.

Well! guess what? Pluto may be a planet once again. Yay!

A group of NASA scientists are proposing a new definition of what constitutes a planet, which may mean good news for Pluto’s status.

Scientists at NASA’s New Horizons mission to Pluto are behind the change back to planet status for Pluto.

In a proposal sent to the International Astronomical Union for approval, NASA’s New Horizons team suggested that a new definition of a



planet “that is more in line with scientific classification and peoples’ intuition.”

The proposal states: “*In the mind of the public, the word ‘planet’ carries a significance lacking in other words used to describe planetary bodies. In the decade following the supposed ‘demotion’ of Pluto by the International Astronomical Union, many members of the public, in our experience, assume that alleged ‘non-planets’ cease to be interesting enough to warrant scientific exploration.*”

NASA suggests that a planet is a “round object in space that is smaller than a star,” which excludes white dwarfs, neutron stars, and black holes.

“*A planet is a sub-stellar mass body that has never undergone nuclear fusion and that has sufficient self-gravitation to assume a spheroidal shape adequately described by a triaxial ellipsoid regardless of its orbital parameters,*” the proposal says.

Yes! Pluto is a planet, always has been, always will be! Just ask Mickey Mouse’s dog, famously named after the planet after its discovery. Thanks for reading.



A MURAL IN DOWNTOWN Streator depicts Clyde Tombaugh, native of the Streator area, who discovered the planet Pluto in 1930.

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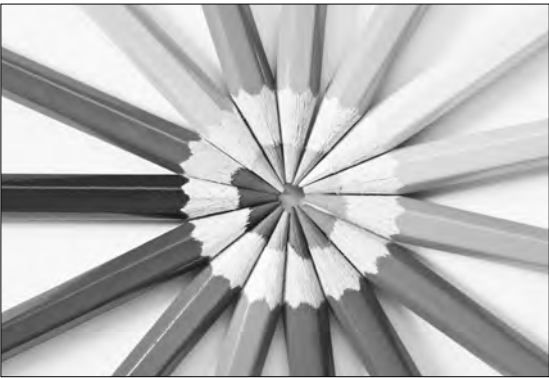
## Greater Livingston County Arts Council Forms To Support County Visual Arts

by Myke Feinman  
Managing Editor

Supporting visual arts in Livingston County is the goal of the newly-formed Greater Livingston County Arts Council.

Now incorporated as a not-for-profit, the council received a grant in early March from the McLean County Arts Center and Illinois Arts Council Agency for \$490. GLCAC will match those funds to teach art for Mosaic residents with disabilities in Dwight and Pontiac

The classes will be coordinated by rural Chenoa acrylic painter Kathy Zehr, expected to be conducted this summer.



“We wanted to be able to support arts in Livingston County,” said Vickie Fitzgerald, Pontiac, president of the council.

Nancy Flessner, of Cullom, who is secretary for the Council, said “We just want to make sure we have art education going out to the community.”

Pam Beeson is the treasurer of the group. Board members are Brenda

Thompson and Brian Gabor, all of Pontiac.

Fitzgerald said that the group wanted to concentrate on visual arts as there is already a not-for-profit group for theater arts and a municipal band.

“The purpose of the GLCAC is to provide opportunities for growth, education and appreciation of the visual fine arts through exhibitions and programs in our community,” Fitzgerald said.

She said GLCAC will work to secure funding for project requests through grants, fund-raisers, and tax deductible donations from agencies, businesses and individual patrons.

## Soup Supper at Braceville UMC March 18

Braceville United Methodist Church, 106 W. Gould, will host its 11th Annual Soup Supper Saturday, March 18.

Soups and sandwiches, along with all the trimmings, desserts, and beverages will be served from 4:00-6:00 p.m. The meal is free, but donations are being accepted. Carry-outs are available and all proceeds go to Vacation Bible School 2017.

Also taking place, starting at 6:00 p.m., is their talent show. Do you have a hidden talent? Let it shine as you perform before a friendly and welcoming audience. To book your act, call the church at 815-237-8512.

## Saunemin Legion Auxiliary Meets With Post 531 To Discuss Future of Post

The Saunemin Legion Auxiliary met Feb. 8.

The unit had been asked by the Legion Post 531 to be present for a meeting with them that same evening, discussing the future of the Legion Post.

They had the reading of the minutes for December and the treasurer’s report.

There were five members present.

President Deb McKinney told them of two events to be held by the Cullom Unit—a bakeless bake sale and a chicken noodle supper held March 13.

The Cullom unit is raising funds for their member, Marsha Haag, as she is being installed in July as President of the Illinois American Legion Auxiliary. This is the top position in the state. It was moved that they would contribute \$50 to the bakeless bake sale and all were hoping to attend the supper.

Just one student at Saunemin Grade School had written an essay for her thoughts on “What the American Flag Means to Me.”

“The unit was sorry that the interest in their essay contest was not given more concern,” the release said.

“Most units see that this is mandatory in their school systems as a way of teaching students about their patriotic rights and duties as a citizen.”

The unit was invited to the joint meeting with Legion Post 531 by Steve Masching, to seek member’s opinions about the future of the Saunemin Verdun Post 531.

The membership and attendance at meetings has been very low.

Both the Auxiliary and Legion have struggled with getting active members to

help keep these worthwhile units and posts active.

The Post had asked Ron Shapland of Cullom, who is knowledgeable as a district officeholder, to give facts to the Legion on the number of members needed to be certified.

Many items were discussed and questions asked by those present, which included members of the Sons of the American Legion, Saunemin Post members and the Auxiliary unit.

It was stated that the Auxiliary could keep their unit even if Saunemin no longer had a Legion Post but it was also noted that the Sons of the American Legion would have to disband if a Legion post was not there.

Two Legion members volunteered to assist with the paperwork of the Post until more members could be added and regular meetings could be held.

Those attending also discussed the service for the Memorial Day ceremonies.

It was voted to continue this service and hoped that more would come forward to help with it.

The Auxiliary will be assisting with this program by placing flags on the veterans’ graves and, along with the village, provide refreshments for the fellowship afterward.

Their Poppy Day will begin two weeks before Memorial Day by placing poppies in local businesses and then to people on Memorial Day.

“All those present came away with the proud feeling that the Saunemin Legion Post 531 will try to continue a loved and much needed service to our community,” the news release said.

St. Paul School in Odell would like to extend our sincere and heartfelt thanks to each and every person and business who helped make the St. Paul School Spaghetti Dinner & Auction a huge success.

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### THE DEEP STATE & THE NO-TOUCH TORTURE PROGRAM

This week there were several news stories about a few of the CIA’s hacking tools. Judge Napolitano wrote a great article about the unconstitutional nature of the current surveillance state. I wrote a viewer response to the article listed below, and posted a viewer comment on the Fox News website at the bottom of the article. Also, I emailed the judge’s viewer response email account. This ad is another attempt to document and communicate that these tools are used in conjunction with harassment campaigns using wireless “No-Touch Torture” weapons.

“Andrew Napolitano: Spies among us -- Congress has created a monster that is coming for us”  
<http://www.foxnews.com/opinion/2017/03/09/andrew-napolitano-spies-among-us-congress-has-created-monster-that-is-coming-for-us.html>  
My comment is below.

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Judge Napolitano,

I’m writing in reaction to your recent article “Andrew Napolitano: Spies among us -- Congress has created a monster that is coming for us” that was posted on the Fox News website. I want to thank you for relaying this important information about our nation’s surveillance capability, and I appreciate the legal analysis.

I found the passage “The president can order the National Security Agency to spy on anyone at any time for any reason, without a warrant. This is profoundly unconstitutional but absolutely lawful because it is expressly authorized by the FISA statute.” helpful in describing the danger of the current situation.

I’m a former naval officer and graduate of the United States Naval Academy. I found out about some of the illegal surveillance on American citizens. However, the situation is worse than discussed publicly. There are ongoing reprisals using state tactics and technologies.

The actress Leah Remini recently released a 10 part series about some of the troubles in the Church of Scientology. The second episode title “Fair Game” is an accurate description of the harassment and psychological torture tactics used in these reprisals. There is a similar government protocol that employs the same tactics with the addition of some illegal technology.

The technology is similar to the modern touch sensing prosthetic limbs. For a brief explanation of the commercial side of the technology, I recommend watching the TED talk playlist “Tech that can hack your brain.” Many of those talks are based on peer-reviewed research published in scientific journals. Also, the playlist discusses commercially available products that can demonstrate the existence of the technology used in these weapons.

The weapons used on unsuspecting American citizens are called “Spiritual Warfare,” “Perception Warfare,” or “No-Touch Torture” weapons. They are torture weapons and belong on a banned weapons list. Doctors need to be aware of their existence so that they can make a correct diagnosis when people are attacked with them. The assassinations of Kim Jong Nam with the VX nerve agent and Alexander Litvinenko with Polonium-210 illustrate this point. In those instances a correct diagnosis was made. However, the “No-Touch Torture” method of attack is unknown to the medical community. Instead of receiving treatment and police protection, the victims are discredited with a mental health diagnosis. This further compounds their situation.

The sad truth is that there have been 4 nationally covered mass-shootings that were a result of these “Fair Game” + “Perception Warfare Weapons” attacks. The Navy Yard, the Binghamton NY, the Florida State University, and Baton Rouge shooter each left YouTube videos, emails, and blog posts describing their harassment. There are certainly more such cases. We just don’t have any evidence yet.

As you are in the legal profession, I recommend viewing the Florida State University shooter’s last words. He was a young lawyer before he fell victim to a “Fair Game” campaign. His three videos can be viewed on YouTube through the keywords “My Experience as a Targeted Individual.” Myron May’s explanation matches the description in the “Fair Game” episode, and he contacted victim support groups for help prior to his crime.

Also, I’m not the first person to do public outreach about these crimes. There are whistleblowers and activists who have been asking for assistance with these issues for decades. There are 50 or so books written on the topic.

There are television shows, news reports, and hundreds of radio interviews. I can cite a few books that accurately describe these crimes. The books “How To Tame a Demon” and “Project: Soulcatcher” by Dr. Robert Duncan, “Guinea Pigs” and “A New Breed” by Dr. John Hall, and “The CIA Doctors” by Dr. Colin Ross explain the crime in its entirety. Also, the article “Misled and betrayed: How US cover stories are keeping a Cold War weapon and illegal human testing secret” by Cheryl Welsh is an accurate and well source paper on the topic.

Thank you again for the article. In a week where the agencies are redirecting the conversation to mole-hunts and leakers, I’m glad there are those that will say there is wrongdoing here. I would encourage anyone in the media to disclose this “No-Touch Torture” program. There are thousands of Americans who want their torture stopped and their human rights restored.

Sincerely,  
Dave Voigts

## Goodfarm Reunion Set for August 6

The Goodfarm Reunion is scheduled for Sunday, August 6, from noon to 4:00 p.m. at Cherry Red Roasters in downtown Dwight.

A fee applies per person, which pays for the buffet meal and cost of the rental. There will be a cash bar available.

Meal time is noon to 1:30 p.m., and time to visit and review memorabilia will run until 4:00 p.m.

Attendees are urged to take Goodfarm memories, such as beanies, yearbooks, and personal pictures to share.

It is also asked that those attending take a dessert per family so that a dessert potluck can be enjoyed after the meal.

The Committee is going to attempt to contact every-

one that signed in at the 2005 Reunion, but ask that family and classmates are contacted to let as many people know this information as possible.

There will be a meeting Monday, May 8, at 3:30 p.m. at Cherry Red Roasters, which is open to anybody and input is urged.

RSVP to the Reunion by July 16 so that enough food can be prepared. Call Brenda Benzik at 815-584-3023 or Cindy Anderson-Leonard at 779-225-8411.

Mail the fee to Cindy at P.O. Box 4, Verona, IL 60479 by July 16.

Check for updates on Facebook by searching Goodfarm Reunion or messaging Brenda and/or Cindy if you have any questions.

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ROAD DISTRICT BUDGET

Notice is hereby given that a Tentative Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for the Nevada Road District, Livingston County, Illinois, for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2017 and ending March 31, 2018, will be on file and conveniently available to public inspection at Patricia Ribordy’s residence, 23243 E. 2900 N. Rd., Odell, IL 60460 from and after 7:15 p.m. on April 11, 2017.

Notice is further given that a public hearing on said Budget and Appropriation Ordinance will be at 7:15 p.m. on April 11, 2017 at Patricia Ribordy’s residence, 23243 E. 2900 N. Rd., Odell, IL 60460 and that final action on this ordinance will be taken at the public hearing.

Dated this 9th day of March, 2017.

P. Douglas Abry Supervisor	Patricia Ribordy Clerk
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### Gas Prices Dip 1.5 cents

The average regular unleaded gallons of gasoline in the United States has declined 1.5 cents in a week, at \$2.294 per gallon as of Monday, March 13, according to GasBuddy.com.

In *The Paper’s* coverage area, prices were mixed, with Dwight flat at \$2.246; South Wilmington spiked from \$2.15 to \$2.25; Odell up two cents to \$2.27 and Herscher flat at \$2.25.

**Average U.S. gallon regular price is made up of 20% state & local taxes; 12% distribution and marketing; 16% refining and 52% crude as of December 2016.**

City/Village	March 13	March 6
Dwight	\$2.246	\$2.246
Seneca	\$2.186	\$2.186
S. Wilmington	\$2.25	\$2.15
Streator	\$2.078	\$2.19
Odell	\$2.27	\$2.25
Saunemin	\$2.18	\$2.18
Cullom	\$2.19	\$2.19
Pontiac	\$2.248	\$2.264
Gardner	\$2.25	\$2.25
Braceville	\$2.21	\$2.21
Mazon	\$2.25	\$2.25
Morris	\$2.22	\$2.274
Herscher	\$2.25	\$2.25
Kankakee	\$2.138	\$2.236
Chicago	\$2.44	\$2.51
Illinois	\$2.33	\$2.39
U.S.	\$2.294	\$2.309

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

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**DR. MIKE LOCKETT, A PROFESSIONAL STORYTELLER, author, and entertainer** spent Thursday, March 9th at Tri-Point Upper Elementary and Lower Elementary. Dr. Lockett shared stories, books he has authored, and sang songs for Pre-K to Grade 3 during the day. He also performed during the evening's Family Reading Night event which was planned by Lara Morrison. During the evening, families enjoyed Bingo, Fishing for Books, crafts, a Bookwalk, and free hotdogs, chips, cookies, and drinks. Staff members and High School Honor Society members helped at the event. Family reading night serves to highlight reading and increase parental involvement. Title Funds were used for the event.

## Gardner Area Band Raises Needed Funds for Trip To Washington D.C.

“The Gardner Area Band is on their way,” said Michael Perrott, Gardner South Wilmington High School superintendent, indicating the band met its fund-raising goal for its trip to the nation’s capital.

The Gardner Area Band, represented by musician-students from Braceville Elementary, Gardner Grade School, South Wilmington Grade School, and Gardner South Wilmington High School, are locked in to march and play in the National Memorial Day Parade in Washington D.C. on May 29, according to a news release dated March 10.

“Students, friends, and families have been working hard to raise the money necessary for the trip to Washington D.C.,” the release stated.

On Saturday, Feb. 25, the Gardner Area Band Boosters hosted a “Sinatra Night” at “Rury’s” in South Wilmington.

A total of 300 tickets were sold for the event to hear Burt Neitzer croon Frank Sinatra ballads accompanied by D.J. Mark Pickles.

Donations and tickets sold at the door along with 51 donated raffle baskets and 13 silent auction items raised more than \$14,000.

This fund-raiser and dozens of donations from local businesses and community members has pushed the total needed for the trip over the necessary \$22,480 to send 40 students to this national parade.

Band Booster Katy Wepprecht is very pleased.

“The band boosters and band families have been working very hard to make this parade happen for our students and also for our communities.

“What a wonderful experience for the Gardner Area Band to represent not only our community but also the State of Illinois in our nation’s capital.

“I am very proud of how our communities have pulled together for our students. There are so many people to thank for all their hard work and generous donations.”

Two coach buses will leave town on Friday May 26 for the long ride to Washington D.C.

Chaperones and Band Director Michael Leone will accompany students on one bus.

A second bus was added to the event so families who would like to make this a family trip can pay their own way to attend.

“I am very appreciative of the support that the Band Boosters, School Boards/ Administration, and communities have given to this trip,” said Leone.

“Our band meets five mornings a week before school at GSW at 7 a.m. to practice,” he continued.

“The kids are working hard and are hammering the songs that we will play in D.C. This trip is another feather in our cap.”

Gardner’s band has performed several times at the Peoria Riverman’s Games, Great America, Joliet Slammers, University of Illinois, graduations and local parades.

The National Memorial Day Parade will be televised on the Discovery Channel and Armed Forces Television.

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EARLY VOTING, VOTE BY MAIL, and GRACE REGISTRATION DATES

General Consolidated Election-April 4, 2017

Early Voting, Vote by Mail, and Grace Registration will be conducted on the following dates prior to the April 4<sup>th</sup> Consolidated General Election. Voter registration closes on Tuesday, March 7, 2017

Dates	Location	Hours
<b>MONDAY-FRIDAY</b> February 23-April 3	Livingston County Clerk’s Office 112 W Madison St – Pontiac	8:00 AM to 4:30 PM
<b>SATURDAY</b> March 4 & 25 April 1	Livingston County Clerk’s Office 112 W Madison St – Pontiac	9:00 AM to 12:00 Noon
<b>TUESDAY</b> April 4 (Grace Registration Only)	Livingston County Clerk’s Office 112 W Madison St – Pontiac	6:00 AM to 7:00 PM

**What is Early Voting?** Early Voting starts February 23 and ends April 3, 2017. 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.

**Vote by Mail Voting:** Starts Thursday, February 23 and continues through Monday, April 3, 2017. A person may request a Vote by Mail ballot by USPS no later than March 30th and in person through April 3rd 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 April 4th.

**Grace Registration and Voting** begins March 8th and continues through April 4<sup>th</sup>. This is for new registrants and those who have transferred or moved and did not update their voter registration before March 7th. Voting takes place at the same time registration 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](http://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).

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## Prairie Creek Library Hosting Smart Phone Class March 23

Prairie Creek Library, Dwight, will host a smart phone class for any adults who would like to learn more about how to most effectively use their smart phones. The class will be presented by Illinois Valley Cellular from 10:00 a.m. to noon Thursday, March 23.

Class topics will include getting to know your phone, connecting to WiFi, basic setup, using e-mail, picture messaging, taking photos, setting up and using voice-mail features, the app store and how to download, button configuration, and fun tips and tricks. A question and answer session will follow.

There is no fee for the class, but anyone interested is asked to register by stopping by the library’s main desk or calling 815-584-3061.

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## U of I Dean’s List and Graduates

Dean’s List honorees and graduates for the fall semester 2016, as well as those who graduated in August 2016, include the following area students:

**Dean’s List**

Joseph C. Banks, senior from Dwight majoring in Marketing in the college of Business.

Lindsay R. Elling, junior from Campus majoring in Kinesiology in the college of Applied Health Sciences.

Amy L. Loschen – senior from Kempton majoring in the college of Agricultural Leadership and Science Education.

Dayna L. Moritz – junior from Cabery majoring in Animal Sciences in the college of Agricultural, Consumer, and Environmental Sciences.

Logan L. Orr – senior from Reddick majoring in Bioengineering in the college of Engineering.

Chelsea L. Schultz, senior from Gardner majoring in Molecular and Cellular Biology in the college of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

Caroline R. Walsh, junior from Cabery majoring in Kinesiology in the college of Applied Health Sciences.

**Graduates**

Haley H. Hansen of Dwight, majoring in Psychology, received a Bachelor of Science degree in the college of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

Kristin M. Johnson of Odell, majoring in Psychology, received a Bachelor of Science degree in Liberal Arts and Sciences.

Kylie M. Johnson of Buckingham, majoring in Kinesiology, received a Bachelor of Science degree in the college of Applied Health Sciences.

Benjamin A. Trainor of Dwight, majoring in Technical Systems Management, received a Bachelor of Science degree in the college of Agricultural, Consumer, and Environmental Sciences.



Easton Andrew Cox

### A boy!

Aaron and Natalie Cox of rural Buckingham are proud to announce the birth of their son, Easton Andrew Cox.

Eason was born at 4:32 p.m. September 24, 2016, at Riverside Medical Center in Kankakee. He weighed eight pounds, one ounce, and was 21½ inches long.

He is their second son, joining proud big brother, Elliott.

Maternal grandparents are Cindy Clapp of Cabery and the late Scott Clapp. Paternal grandparents are Andy and Joyce Cox of Romney, IN. Great-grandparents are Steve and Gail Clapp of Cabery and Helen Cox of Clifton.

Send your social news to [thepaper1901@sbcglobal.net](mailto:thepaper1901@sbcglobal.net)



Luke and Sarah Houberg

## Sarah Carneke, Luke Houberg Married October 21

Sarah Elizabeth Carneke and Luke Henry Houberg were united in marriage on October 21 at the Abbey in Fontana, Wisconsin.

The bride is the daughter of Timothy and Jackie Kolschowsky of Lake Zurich. The groom is the son of Larry and Jane Houberg of Reddick.

The Rev. Timothy Kinne officiated at the double ring ceremony. Wendy Goodman and Patrick Horcher were readers.

Attending the bride were Kaitlyn Zieman, Erin Shulfer, Melanie Vrasich, Madison Chestnut, Alycia Stidmon, friends of the bride, and Sara Jacobs, sister of the groom. Flower girls were Fabienne Houberg and Aileen Houberg, nieces of the groom.

Joshua Houberg, brother of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were Kevin Cargo, Dylan Wells, Joseph Kiser, Lucas Hoffenkamp, friends of the groom, and Joshua O’Connell, brother of the bride. Ring bearers were Noah Jacobs and Jack Jacobs, nephews of the groom.

Ushers were Alan Wade, friend of the groom, Jeffery Carneke and Hunter O’Connell, brothers of the bride, and Ezekiel Houberg, nephew of the groom.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held on the grounds of the Abbey.

Both the bride and groom are graduates of Carthage College. They reside in Kenosha, WI.

The couple honeymooned at El Dorado Seaside in Playa Del Carmen, Mexico.

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## Area Students Named to Dean’s List at Olivet

Olivet Nazarene University has released its Dean’s List for the fall 2016 semester, and the following area students graced the list:

- **Braceville:** Paul Colabuono, Gabrielle Ozee.
- **Gardner:** Natalie Cash, Paige Dickison.
- **Herscher:** Emily Henderson, Ryan Marcotte,

Jack Ryan.

- **Kempton:** Lauren Mohler.

To qualify for inclusion on the Dean’s List, a student must have been enrolled as a full-time undergraduate student and must have attained a semester grade point average of 3.50 or higher on a 4.00 grading scale.

## Grapevine Mission’s Dinner/Auction May 27

Tickets are on sale now for the 11th Annual Dinner and Auction for the Grapevine Mission of Dwight, which is open to the public and will include a buffet style dinner with games, raffles, prizes, a silent auction, and entertainment by Soundz Good Productions.

The VFW on Route 47 – Division St. in Morris will

be the venue for this family fun-filled evening, which begins with a social hour at 5:00 p.m., followed by a 6:00 p.m. dinner.

More information is available on the Facebook event page and website. Call Judy at 815-584-3472 for more information, to purchase tickets, or to donate an item for auction.

## Livingston County HCE Scholarship Applications

Livingston County Association for Home and Community Education (HCE) \$1,000.00 scholarship applications are available from Shirley Meenen, 815-657-8385, or at the Livingston County Extension Office by calling 815-842-1776 or from a school’s guidance counselor.

The purpose of this scholarship is to present a \$1,000.00 scholarship to a student pursuing an educa-

tion in Family and Consumer sciences or related fields.

Requirements for the scholarship are as follows: Scholarship is open to any student who graduated from a Livingston County High School or who resided in Livingston County prior to college attendance; must be enrolled or enrolling as a full-time student in an accredited two- or four-year college.

Interviews will be held in June. Applicants may apply for the scholarship every year, applicant will be notified after July 1. Recipient will be invited to receive scholarship on Monday of the 4-H Fair in July. Recipients may be considered for the scholarship more than once.

## Vermillion Players Announce Auditions for The Producers

Director Anthony Gullo has announced audition information for Vermillion Players’ first show of the 2017 summer season, *The Producers* in Pontiac.

*The Producers* tells the story of a down on his luck Broadway producer and his accountant who decided to make some money by creating the biggest flop Broadway has ever seen. They find the most offensive show they can, knowing that the audience will hate it. The only problem? It turns into a hit.

Auditions for both actors and pit musicians will be held Saturday, March 18, from 2:00-5:00 p.m., Sunday, March 19, from 2:00-5:00 p.m., and Friday, March 24, from 6:00-9:00 p.m. Callbacks, if necessary, will be held Sunday, March 26, from 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Auditions are open to everyone age 16 and above, however, because of some adult language and situations, anyone under 18 who auditions must take a parent to fill out a parental consent form.

Actors are asked to have a song prepared and take the sheet music. Wear comfortable clothing and shoes you can dance in. Instrumentalists should have a song prepared.

All auditions will be taking place at Vermillion Players’ Storage Building, 202 S. Pearl St. in Pontiac. For more information, visit: [www.vermillionplayers.com](http://www.vermillionplayers.com)

## Herscher Fire Dept. Fish Fry To Be March 24

The Herscher Fire Dept. Annual Fish Fry will be held 4:30 to 7:30 p.m., Friday, March 24, at the Herscher Legion Community Center.

The event will feature all-you-can-eat-and-drink for one ticket price. Children ages five to 12 receive a discounted rate.

There will be raffle drawings all night.

Indoors or out, no one relaxes in March, that month of wind and taxes, the wind will presently disappear, the taxes last us all the year. —Ogden Nash



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OBITUARIES

A. Lucille Krippel

PONTIAC – A. Lucille Krippel, 93, of Pontiac passed away at 10:10 p.m., Tuesday, March 7, 2017 at Tjardes Health Care Center of Evenglow Lodge in Pontiac.

She was born March 9, 1923 in rural Dwight, a daughter of Edward and Bertha Welp Englert. She married Bernard “Bert” Krippel June 23, 1945 in Dwight. He passed away August 31, 2005.

Lucille is survived by four sons: Mike (Toni) Krippel of Normal; Pat (Paulette) Krippel and Denny (Cassandra) Krippel, both of Pontiac; and Kevin (Phyllis) Krippel of Fairbury; and two daughters: Mary Kay (Bob) Gualandi of Pontiac and Elaine (Kim) Earing of Kempton.

Fifteen grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; one sister, Helen Miller of Romeoville; one sister-in-law, Rita Englert of Streator; one brother-in-law, Vince Krippel of New Lenox; and numerous nieces and nephews also survive.

She was also preceded in death by her parents; son, Larry Krippel; infant daughter, Darline Krippel; three brothers and two sisters.

Lucille was educated in the Dwight area. She was a homemaker, raising seven children. She worked at the Fox Developmental Center in Dwight, retiring in 1984 after 18 years.

Lucille was a member of St. Mary’s Catholic Church in Pontiac and the Altar and Rosary Society.

She was a loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, aunt, and friend, who will be greatly missed.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held at 11 a.m., Saturday, March 11, in St. Mary’s Catholic Church, Pontiac. Father David Sabel officiated.

Burial followed in St. Mary’s Cemetery, Loretto.

Visitation preceded the Mass for two hours Saturday in the church.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Mary’s School in Pontiac; Evenglow Lodge, Pontiac; or OSF Hospice.

Condolences may be sent to the family at: calvertmemorial.com



Velda Car

KEMPTON – Velda M. E. Car, 96, of Casa Grande, Arizona and formerly of Kempton and Kankakee, passed away January 1, 2017 in Arizona.

Visitation was held in Arizona.

Per her wishes, there will be no visitation nor services in Illinois.

Cremation rites have been accorded, and inurnment will be at a later date.

Mervin Strong

WILMINGTON – Mervin Paul Strong, 63, of Wilmington passed away at his home Monday, March 6, 2017.

He was born October 19, 1953 in Joliet, son of James and Anna Sheets Strong. He was educated in Wilmington, graduating from Wilmington High School with the class of 1972.

Mervin was a farmer as well as a carpenter until his retirement. In his free time, he enjoyed beekeeping, woodwork and building bird houses, but treasured the time spent with his family.

Surviving are his son, Jason Edwards of Carterville; grandson, Mason Edwards; brothers and sisters: Sherlene Martin of Virginia; James M. (Vickie) Strong, Delores Boyd, Mark Strong, Mary Brock and Rita VanDuyne, all of Wilmington; Betty (Larry) Salzburg of Dwight; and Billie (Bill) Wofford of Casey; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; three sisters: Shirley Thorton, Beverly Clawson and Patricia “Patti” Strong; brother, Donald Lee Strong; and nephew, Kenneth Brock.

The 7 p.m. funeral service at Baskerville Funeral Home, Wilmington, was preceded by a three hour visitation Saturday, March 11.

Per Mervin’s wishes, cremation rites were accorded following the service.

Family and friends may sign the guestbook, upload photographs, or share Mervin’s memorial page by logging onto: [www.BaskervilleFuneral.com](http://www.BaskervilleFuneral.com)



Judith K. Cremer

PONTIAC – Judith K. Cremer, 76, of Pontiac passed away Friday, March 10, 2017 at 5:15 a.m. at Evenglow Lodge Tjardes Health Center in Pontiac.

Judy was born June 11, 1940 in Bloomington, daughter of Frank and Elsie Harms Baumann.

She is survived by her children: Laura (Tom) Eagan of Peoria and Eric (Leslee) Cremer of Woodridge; one brother, Jim (Barb) Baumann of Minonk; one sister, Jane (Bill) McNamara of Savoy; four grandchildren: Britney Cremer, John (Amanda) Alltop, Ashley (Aaron) Mingo and Joshua Alltop; and two great-grandchildren, Julian Alltop and Gideon Mingo.

Judy was preceded in death by her parents; one daughter, Jennifer Cremer; and Loren Cremer, father of Laura, Eric and Jennifer.

She was a graduate of Minonk-Dana-Rutland High School, class of 1958, and was the Livingston County Circuit Clerk for nine terms. She was a member of First Lutheran Church in Pontiac.

She enjoyed her flower gardens and singing in the church choir. She loved cooking for her family and taking road trips to Wisconsin and Minnesota with all of her girlfriends.

Everyone loved Judy for her sense of humor and all of her stories – she had a million of them. She will be so missed by everyone who knew her.

Her service was held Tuesday, March 14, at 11 a.m. in First Lutheran Church, Pontiac, officiated by Rev. Dr. Richard Riley.

Burial: Southside Cemetery, Pontiac.

Visitation was Monday from 4 until 8 p.m. in the church.

The family requests that memorials be made to any Pontiac food pantry.

On-line condolences may be made to the family at: [duffyfuneralhome.com](http://duffyfuneralhome.com)



Arthur W. Haller

DWIGHT – Arthur W. Haller, 66, died Jan. 30, surrounded by family in Sugar Creek Assisted Living in Normal, Illinois after fighting a brave battle with dementia.

A memorial will be 4 to 8 p.m., March 18 at the New Life Assembly of God Church, 903 South Old Route 66, in Dwight.

Mr. Haller was born March 9, 1950, in Chicago, Illinois, the son of Arthur R. and Shirley Turner of Chicago.

He was a proud member of Operations Engineers, Local 150, retiring after 37 years in 2007.

He married Kathryn Kontney August of 1970 and they had one son, Brian, of Joliet. Both survive.

He later married Donna Edwards and they had two daughters, Melissa and Millicent, all three survive.

He is survived by one sister Kathleen Handt, of Rhinelander, Wisconsin.

He was also survived by eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

He was an avid fan of western movies, television shows and baseball.



Family members of the deceased: Please instruct the Funeral Home to send information to: **The Paper** fax: 815-584-2196 email: [thepaper1901@sbcbglobal.net](mailto:thepaper1901@sbcbglobal.net)

ASSUMED NAME PUBLICATION NOTICE

Public Notice is hereby given that on February 28, 2017, a certificate was filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Livingston County, Illinois, setting forth the names and post-office addresses of all the persons owning, conducting and transacting business known as 1916 Village Hall Antiques, located at 120 E Chippewa St., Dwight, IL 60420.

Dated this 28th day of February, 2017.

Kristy A. Masching  
Livingston County Clerk

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Dated this 28th day of February, 2017.

Kristy A. Masching  
Livingston County Clerk

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

IN RE: The matter of the Estate of )  
JOHN M. ANDERSON, Deceased ) No. 17-P-21

CLAIM NOTICE


Notice is hereby given of the death of JOHN M. ANDERSON, whose place of residence at the time of his death was 306 E. Wilmac, Dwight, Illinois 60420, and who died on February 1, 2017.


Letters of Office as Independent Executor of the estate of JOHN M. ANDERSON were issued on February 28, 2017 to GERALD L. ANDERSON, 505 N. Washington, Dwight, Illinois 60420 and whose attorney is Donald R. McClarey, McClarey Law Office, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

Claims against the estate may be filed within six (6) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within three (3) months from the date of mailing or delivery of a copy of this notice to a known and reasonably ascertainable creditor, whichever date is later. The date of the first publication of this notice is March 8, 2017. Any claim not filed on or before the above dates is barred. Claims against the estate may be filed at the Office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court at the Law & Justice Center, 110 N. Main St., Pontiac, IL 61764, in cause No. 17-P-21 or with the Independent Administrator or both. Copies of all claims filed with the Circuit Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the Independent administrator and the administrator’s attorney within ten (10) days after the claim has been filed with the Circuit Clerk.

DONALD R. MCCLAREY  
Attorney for the Independent Executor  
of the Estate Of JOHN M. ANDERSON, Deceased  
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### NCAA Tournament

It's that time of year again. The time of the year to fill something out so confidently only to have it all just completely fall apart minutes after it all starts. It's time for the NCAA tournament, which begins this weekend, which I would argue is the greatest weekend in sports.

Going on a quick tangent, in an unfortunate unfolding of events, Illinois State University was not selected for an at-large bid, even though they went 17-1 in their conference, didn't lose at home all year, and tied for first place in regular season conference play. Kind of dumb, they didn't have that many quality wins, but still a very solid body of work. The missed tournament isn't all for a loss, as their birth in the NIT creates a chance at playing the big brother school of the University of Illinois in the final four of the NIT. If that game ends up happening, the state of Illinois may stop what it's doing for a few hours to tune into that game.

Back to this being the best weekend in sports. Anytime you get a single elimination tournament where the field goes from 64 teams to 16 in 4 days is a tournament that I want to be watching.

Filling out brackets is also incredibly fun, even though you could win the lottery several times over before you could even think of correctly filling out your bracket correctly, but it's for the fun of it, no one really wins.

Best of luck to anyone who's in any sort of office pool, pool with your friends, whatever kind of pool, the only advice I have for you is that Florida is going to lose their opening game.

Aaron J. Boma  
2016 ISU Graduate

More Obituaries  
Appear  
On Page 13

The family of Barbara “Joanne” Wilson would like to express our thanks for the acts of kindness towards us and our family at the time of her passing.

A special thanks to Lori Patten and Laurie Hibler for taking care of the kitchen, and to Barb Foley for being with us through it all. Thank you also to Hospice of Kankakee Valley for all of their support.

Sincerely,  
Diane Wilson Sorenson & Family  
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Bank of Pontiac, an Illinois Banking Corporation, )  
Plaintiff, )  
vs. ) No.16-CH-60  
DIANE M. WALLS, WALTER L. WALLS, )  
and unknown owners and )  
non-record claimants, )  
Defendants )

**NOTICE OF JUDICIAL SALE**

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

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

B. The common address of the real estate is 716 W. Grove St., Pontiac, IL 61764.

C. The legal description of the real estate is: Lot 7 and the East half of Lot 8 in Block 8 in Fell's Second Addition to the City of Pontiac, Livingston County, Illinois.  
PIN: 15-22-378-006  
Commonly known as: 716 W. Grove St., Pontiac, IL 61764

D. A description of the improvements on the real estate is: single family one-story residence; five rooms, including two bedrooms and one bathroom, plus full basement and two-car detached garage.

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

F. The date, time and place of the sale are: April 4, 2017 at 10:00 A.M., Livingston County Law & Justice Center, 110 N. Main St., Pontiac, IL 61764.

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

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

I. IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701 (C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW.

DONALD R. MCCLAREY, Attorney for Bank Of Pontiac

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Keep Brick Streets in Dwight

Dear Editor,

Spring is almost here! Soon it will be time to restart Dwight’s multi-million dollar street and curb project.

In *The Paper* on Jan. 4, our finance director was pictured standing next to a map, proudly pointing to North Street, on the south side of Renfrew Park.

The Mayor referred to this street as the worst street in town, along with East Chippewa Street.

To some this may not mean much, but they are the last two original exposed brick streets in Dwight.

I hope others will agree, these streets should be rebuilt to preserve some of the history of Dwight.

Most of my grandchildren once lived on Chippewa Street.

During a visit, one of my grandsons told me one of his best memories living there was the sound of the car tires on the brick.

After this summer it will only be a memory for all who live in Dwight.

The Mayor would like visitors to spend time in Dwight. They are not going to come here to see new streets.

Put a sign on the corners of Old Rt. 66 and Chicago Street, and Rt. 47 and Chippewa Street: “Turn Here, See Original Brick Streets.”

That may get them to turn and look.

Like the Old Keeley Water Tower, they should be saved.

Where is our Historical Society? Should they not be involved in saving our history, instead of showing pictures and talking about it when it is gone?

Does anyone care? I hope so!

Think about it. Once things from the past are gone you cannot get them back.

Michael J. Hahn  
Dwight

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# Nevada Township Seeks Tax Increase April 4 For Road Equipment Shed

by Myke Feinman  
Managing Editor

In the 28 years Paul Ribordy has been Nevada Township Road Commissioner, the township has never raised the tax rate.

Now, in his final weeks before his retirement, he is asking voters April 4 in the Consolidated Election for a tax increase to help pay for a shed to house the township road trucks and grader.

The tax hike is seven cents per \$100 in equalized assessed valuation, which equates to roughly \$37 on a home with a market value of \$100,000.

For farmers, the increase means an additional \$10 for every 80 acres of farmland, said Ribordy.

“If this passes April 4, it will not be on the tax rolls until 2018,” he said.

The township has 62 miles of roads, 22 of which are paved and the rest gravel. Ribordy will turn over his snow plows and road resurfacing/grading equipment to Jim Abry who is running for highway commissioner.

And although in May this

will end a 28-year stint for Ribordy as highway commissioner, he worked 15 years prior under Highway Commissioner Leo Abry. So this year marks a total of 43 years in the township highway department.

During the last ten years, the equipment and building fund, part of the levy for the highway department, has basically remained stagnated, Ribordy said.

In 2006, the annual levy extension for the equipment and building fund totaled \$2,526.41.

Ten years later in 2015, the same fund generated a tax extension of \$3,088.93.

“That’s only up \$500 in ten years,” Ribordy said, adding it is “about time” the township had a shed for its equipment.

If the referendum passes, the fund will increase in revenue from \$3,000 to \$10,000 each year, Ribordy added.

He said the winter of 2016-17 is one of the worst he has experienced in terms of road maintenance.

“The gravel roads turned to mud,” he said. “So we had to put new gravel on.”



## Living Stations To Be Performed by St. Paul Students 3-31, 4-13

The students of St. Paul School will perform the Living Stations of the Cross at St. Patrick’s Catholic Church in Dwight.

Following the Knights of Columbus Fish Fry, the students’ performance will begin at 7:00 p.m. Friday, March 31. The students will act out the stations in a somber and moving way by taking on roles of biblical figures, including Mary, Simon, Roman soldiers, Mary Magdalene, and Pontius Pilate, reading from the Bible, and singing.

There is no cost to attend the performance, and the entire community is invited to attend.

The students will offer a second performance at St. Paul Church in Odell at 1:00 p.m. on Holy Thursday, April 13. This performance also is open to anyone who wishes to attend.



## GSW Students Receive Director’s Award



GARDNER-SOUTH WILMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS Matthew Rachke and Colin Schulz have been awarded the Grundy Area Vocational Center Director’s Award. Matthew received this award for Welding, and Colin for computer maintenance for the month of February. GAVC teachers choose one exceptional student from each program to be honored with this award each month. Criteria for this selection include attendance, citizenship, leadership skills, professional attitude, ability in practicum activities and classroom assignments, safety, and teamwork. Colin and Matthew will be presented with a certificate and prize package along with having their photograph displayed at GAVC for the remainder of the year.

## Dwight Booster Bash Saturday, April 1

The 26th Annual Booster Bash will be on April 1 at St. Patrick’s Hall in Dwight.

The Dwight Sports Boosters help support all grade school and high school sports.

Ticket price will allow two adults (must be 21) to enter for a night of fun, food, and spirits, with over \$11,000 in prize money being given away.

You do not have to be present to win, but the purchase of a ticket goes to a great cause.

*You are invited to join the parishioners of Saint Patrick in glorifying God and celebrating our Patron Saint!*

### St. Patrick’s Day

**Friday, March 17**  
Saint Patrick Church, Dwight  
**HOLY HOUR - 8 A.M.**  
**MASS - 7 P.M.**

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Join us for lite refreshments in the parish hall immediately following Mass.

*A movie about St. Patrick, available through FORMED.org, will be shown in the hall continuously during the evening.*

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BRACEVILLE ELEMENTARY’S 4TH GRADE CLASS IS EXCITED to have new technology in their classroom! Braceville and Gardner Grade School collaborated to purchase eBeams with grant money for their classrooms. The eBeams are similar to Smart Boards, in that they allow students to easily interact with technology and each other wirelessly all over the classroom. Pictured, SOMEWHERE, is the fourth grade class engaging in an interactive math lesson, including Mrs. Franklin, Owen D., Jacob V., Dakota B., Caden P., Colin N., Andrew N., Darek L., Dakota E., Miss Schuh, and Elissa H. Pictured, ELSEWHERE, are Dakota E., Jacob V., Jarrek H., Colin N., Owen D., and Darek L.



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# SPORTS

The Paper

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Justin Fox



Blake Graham

## Fox, Graham Earn All-State, All-Conference Accolades

Dwight Trojan standouts Justin Fox and Blake Graham were both named to the First Team All-Conference SVC boys basketball team, following big seasons from both athletes.

In addition to their All-Conference nods, Fox was chosen as one of the top 15 1A/2A players in the state as he was selected to the ICBA First Team All-State, while Graham received Honorable Mention for the All-State team.

Other notable accomplishments from Fox include advancing to the State 3-Point Shootout, falling nine of 15 – falling four short of

the final four. Justin was named to the Associated Press 2nd Team All-State for 2A (Top ten in 2A) and was a finalist for Mr. Basketball of Illinois (Top 30 in state, regardless of class). Fox finished his career as a Trojan with 1,520 points – third all time in DTHS history (just three points from 2nd and 24 points from the record). He was also selected to play in the SVC vs. HOIC All-Star game March 18, but cannot play because he will be out of town.

Graham will be in action on the 18th in Gibson City representing the SVC All-Stars.

## Graham, Dawson to Play in SVC vs. HOIC All-Star Games

### Dale Cupples to Be Honored

On Saturday, March 18, WGCY Radio is inviting fans to “watch the stars come out,” at GCMS High School for the SVC versus HOIC All-Star Games.

The girls contest will tip-off at 5:30 p.m., followed by a dunk contest and boys game. Both games will be broadcast on 106.3 and WGCYRadio.com.

Suiting up for the girls’ All-Star squad will be Dwight Lady Trojan Rachel Dawson, with Blake Graham hitting the hardwood in the boys’ contest.

A new feature this year is “Legends of the Game,” in which WGCY will honor, in person, former coaches, including former Tri-Point coach Dale Cupples.

## DGS 3-Man Wrestling Team Earns 6th at State

King 2nd, Deceatis 2nd, Sarff 3rd

The Dwight Grade School Wrestling Team had three members qualify for state. They competed at Northern Illinois University in DeKalb on Friday, March 10th, and Saturday, March 11th.

These three individuals

were a small part of the 456 athletes who competed.

7th grader, Dillon Sarff, 75 lb., placed 3rd in State and finished his season with a record of 39-2.

In the 80 lb. weight class, Colton King placed 2nd in State, ending his 8th grade

season with a record of 36-2.

8th grader, Logan Deceatis, 119 lb., finished his season 36-1, with a 2nd place finish at State.

With only three competitors on the team, Dwight placed 6th out of the 112 teams at State.



7th grader Dillon Sarff



8th grader Colton King



8th grader Logan Deceatis



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE LADY TROJANS basketball players who made the All-Conference Team! Dwight players earning honors during the 2016-17 season include Melissa Stewart – 2nd Team All-Conference; Daly Galloway – Honorable Mention All-Conference; Rachel Dawson – 1st Team All-Conference, Kankakee All-Area First Team, and IBCA All-State Special Mention.

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MSRP.....\$14,975  
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**LYNN PRICE \$11,980\***  
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MSRP.....\$16,800  
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4 Cyl, Nightfall Gray Metallic  
MSRP.....\$19,045  
Lynn Discount...\$3,810  
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4 Cyl, Silver Ice Metallic  
MSRP.....\$19,920  
Lynn Discount...\$3,983  
**LYNN PRICE \$15,937\***  
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9297	2016	Buick	Cascada	Premium	FWD	Carbon Black	\$37,385	\$7,028	\$30,357
9287	2017	Buick	Enclave	Leather	FWD	Crimson Red	\$46,425	\$7,428	\$38,997
9294	2017	Buick	Enclave	Leather	FWD	White Frost Tri Coat	\$47,865	\$4,825	\$43,040
9337	2017	Buick	Enclave	Premium	AWD	Ebony Twilight	\$53,505	\$5,133	\$48,372
9375	2017	Buick	Enclave	Leather	FWD	Quicksilver	\$45,085	\$4,603	\$40,482
9376	2017	Buick	Enclave	Premium	FWD	Quicksilver Metallic	\$51,110	\$4,930	\$46,180
9391	2017	Buick	Enclave	Leather	FWD	Summit White	\$44,985	\$4,595	\$40,390
9349	2017	Buick	Encore	Preferred I	FWD	River Rock Metallic	\$30,255	\$2,323	\$27,932
9352	2017	Buick	Encore	Preferred I	FWD	Quicksilver Metallic	\$28,185	\$2,390	\$25,795
9357	2017	Buick	Encore	Essence	AWD	Winterberry Red	\$33,955	\$2,434	\$31,521
9392	2017	Buick	Encore	Preferred I	FWD	Winterberry Red	\$28,740	\$2,202	\$26,538
9340	2017	Buick	Envision	Essence	FWD	Chili Red Metallic	\$39,595	\$3,905	\$35,690
9354	2017	Buick	Envision	Essence	FWD	Chili Red	\$41,275	\$6,604	\$34,671
9334	2017	Buick	LaCrosse	Essence	FWD	Black Onyx	\$42,730	\$3,231	\$39,499
9300	2017	Buick	Regal	Premium II	FWD	Ebony Twilight Metallic	\$32,935	\$1,300	\$31,635
AWARD WINNING CHEVROLET VEHICLES									
9228	2016	Chevrolet	Camaro	LT	RWD	Black	\$37,340	\$6,666	\$30,674
9328	2017	Chevrolet	Camaro	LT	RWD	Hyper Blue	\$39,240	\$4,578	\$34,662
9299	2017	Chevrolet	Corvette	Grand Sport	RWD	Black	\$79,980	\$7,665	\$72,315
9255	2016	Chevrolet	Cruze	LT	FWD	Kinetic Blue Metallic	\$23,540	\$2,163	\$21,377
9312	2017	Chevrolet	Cruze	LT	FWD	Summit White	\$23,475	\$3,713	\$19,762
9346	2017	Chevrolet	Cruze	LT	FWD	Nightfall Gray Metallic	\$24,015	\$1,992	\$22,023
9209	2016	Chevrolet	Cruze Limited	LT	FWD	Black Granite Metallic	\$22,525	\$4,103	\$18,422
9317	2017	Chevrolet	Malibu	LT	FWD	Silver Ice Metallic	\$26,895	\$3,816	\$23,079
9318	2017	Chevrolet	Malibu	LT	FWD	Summit White	\$26,895	\$3,035	\$23,860
AWARD WINNING CHEVROLET VEHICLES									
9367	2017	Chevrolet	Spark	LS	FWD	Red Hot	\$14,975	\$2,995	\$11,980
9371	2017	Chevrolet	Spark	LT	FWD	Splash	\$16,800	\$3,360	\$13,440
9394	2017	Chevrolet	Sonic	LT	FWD	Nightfall Gray Metallic	\$19,045	\$3,810	\$15,235
9395	2017	Chevrolet	Sonic	LT	FWD	Silver Ice Metallic	\$19,920	\$3,983	\$15,937
9358	2017	Chevrolet	City Express	LT	FWD	White	\$26,080	\$1,657	\$24,423
9336	2016	Chevrolet	Colorado	Z71	4WD	Laser Blue	\$36,430	\$6,198	\$30,232
9327	2017	Chevrolet	Equinox	LT	FWD	Siren Red Tintcoat	\$31,470	\$4,820	\$26,650
9338	2017	Chevrolet	Equinox	LT	FWD	Siren Red Tintcoat	\$29,840	\$4,283	\$25,557
9379	2017	Chevrolet	Equinox	LT	AWD	Nightfall Gray	\$33,720	\$4,412	\$29,308
9384	2017	Chevrolet	Equinox	LT	AWD	Blue Velvet	\$33,220	\$4,375	\$28,845
9397	2017	Chevrolet	Equinox	LT	FWD	Blue Velvet	\$29,940	\$4,198	\$25,742
9385	2017	Chevrolet	Equinox	Premier	FWD	Siren Red	\$33,915	\$4,365	\$29,550
9387	2017	Chevrolet	Equinox	Premier	FWD	Mosaic Black	\$33,520	\$4,335	\$29,185
CHEVROLET TRUCK MONTH									
9374	2017	Chevrolet	Silverado DBL	LT	4WD	Graphite Metallic	\$45,555	\$5,615	\$39,940
9381	2017	Chevrolet	Silverado DBL	LT	4WD	Black	\$44,760	\$5,608	\$39,152
9301	2017	Chevrolet	Silverado Crew	LT	4WD	Summit White	\$48,870	\$10,529	\$38,341
9366	2017	Chevrolet	Silverado Crew	LT	4WD	Pepperdust	\$50,805	\$8,949	\$41,856
9388	2017	Chevrolet	Silverado Crew	LT	4WD	Pepperdust	\$46,470	\$6,672	\$39,798
9396	2017	Chevrolet	Silverado Crew	LT	4wd	Siren Red Tintcoat	\$49,955	\$7,055	\$42,900
9400	2017	Chevrolet	Silverado Crew	LT	4WD	Black	\$48,410	\$6,806	\$41,604
9326	2016	Chevrolet	Suburban	LTZ	4WD	Black	\$74,060	\$8,957	\$65,103
9304	2017	Chevrolet	Traverse	LT	FWD	Iridescent Pearl Tricoat	\$38,310	\$5,125	\$33,185
9390	2017	Chevrolet	Traverse	LT	AWD	Mosaic Black	\$43,960	\$5,274	\$38,686
9399	2017	Chevrolet	Trax	LS	FWD	Silver Ice	\$21,895	\$3,115	\$18,780



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

PINGORA LOAN SERVICING, LLC,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
JENNIE C. YATES AKA JENNIE YATES,  
Defendant.

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PROPERTY ADDRESS: 203 E. RIRIE PL., FLANAGAN, IL 61740

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of the above Court entered in the above entitled cause on January 27, 2017, the following described real estate, to-wit:  
LOT 32 IN THE 1ST ADDITION TO SCHWERIN'S SUBDIVISION TO THE VILLAGE OF FLANAGAN, LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS, ACCORDING TO PLAT THEREOF RECORDED OCTOBER 3, 1974, IN PLAT BOOK 9 PAGE 97

Permanent Index Number: 13-13-22-203-002

Commonly known as: 203 E. Ririe Pl., Flanagan, IL 61740  
will be offered for sale and sold at public venue on March 28, 2017, at 10:00 AM, at the New Law and Justice Center, 110 North Main, Pontiac, Illinois.

The Judgment amount is \$108,865.30.

The real estate is improved with a single family residence.

Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Sheriff of Livingston County. No third party checks will be accepted. The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the mortgaged real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate, and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to the Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The Sale is further subject to confirmation by the Court.

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

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

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

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

If the sale is not confirmed for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the purchase price paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney.

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DTHS TROJANS TRACK

Saturday, March 4

Dwight at ISU

High School Invitational

The Trojans competed in their first indoor competition of the season March 4 at the ISU High School Invitational – a meet with many 2A and 3A teams.

“Because of all the efforts our athletes have put in during the early practices,” Coach Lane commented, “we saw many indoor personal bests in this first meet.”

Individual results are as follows:

Chloe Butterbrodt: 60m, 9.31 (PB); Alison Kirk: 4x200, 29.23 (PB); Hayley Cummings: 800m, 2:58.57 (PB); Tori Hayner: 800m, 3.04.36 (PB); Daly Galloway: 1600m, 5:08.41 (1st place, PB); Blake Hill: 60m, 8.10 (PB), 4x200, 26.48 (PB); J.C. Santos: 200m, 26.74 (PB), 4x800, 2:20.6 (A-T Best); Christian Williams: 4x200, 26.80 (PB); Dan Muller: 4x800, 2:16.4 (PB); Koby Smith: 4x800, 2:15.7 (PB).

Tuesday, March 7

Dwight at RCHS

The Dwight/GSW coop competed in their second indoor meet March 8 at RCHS, with the girls squad finishing in second place with 47 points and the boys scoring 31 to place third.

“The athletes showed improvement for their first meet,” Coach Lane stated afterwards. “The continued development is important to the team’s overall success later in the season.”

Individual top three placers were:

Daly Galloway: 400m, 1st, 800m, 1st; Lucy Rieke: shot, 2nd; Hayley Cummings: pole vault, 2nd; Alexis Brooke: 800m, 2nd; Christian Williams: 60 HH,

1st; Calvin Croy: 60 HH, 2nd; Dan Muller: 1600m, 3rd.

Relay top three placers included:

4x800: Cummings, Brooke, Tori Hayner, Hannah Van Der Karr, 1st; 4x400: Galloway, Alison Kirk, Chloe Butterbrodt, Kathlene Huffaker, 1st; 4x200: Kirk, Butterbrodt, Huffaker, Marlana Ferrari, 2nd; 4x800: Dylan Hill, Joey Fedele, Josh Pearson, Kerrick Dyer, 3rd; 4x400: Williams, J.C. Santos, Donovan Garcia, Bryson Connor, 3rd.

4x200: Williams, Connor, Randall Phillips, Blake Hill, 2nd.

Friday, March 10  
Dwight at Batavia  
Distance Madness

On March 10, Dwight had three athletes compete at the Batavia Distance Madness, which has runners competing in the 800, 1600, and 3200 meter events.

There were only five Class A competitors out of 373 runners, many of whom are among the state’s best.

Daly Galloway finished in a close fifth in the 3200 race, in which the top three girls broke the previous meet record. Her time of 10:55.50 is the 39th best in the country.

Koby Smith ran an indoor best time of 2:11.24 to finish third in his heat and record an all-time best. He improved his indoor time by four seconds and ranks him 27th among Class A boys for the 2017 season.

Dan Muller ran a new indoor best of 2:15.63, which improved his 800 meter race performance by two seconds in a week. Muller currently ranks 42nd in this event for Class A boys.

Dwight Scholastic Bowl  
Team Brings Home  
the Regional Title

The Dwight Scholastic Bowl team entered their regional March 6 as the top seed, but knew that the path to the title would be made up of familiar opponents. They would need three wins against teams from their old home – the Interstate Eight Conference.

The Trojans started with Reed-Custer, with whom they had split a pair of matches two weeks before. Dwight was able to charge out to a 120-10 lead at half-time, and continued to roll behind five toss-ups from senior captain Brendan Reamer, three from senior Alex Pampinella, two from junior Bubba Schultz, and one each from Hayden Tjelle and Mason Imhoff.

Head coach Robert Weber noted, “We didn’t let them hang around this time. That game gave us a lot of confidence.

Next for the Trojans was Wilmington, who had advanced by knocking off Bishop McNamara in the first round.

The Wildcats held the toss-up advantage for the first three quarters of the match, but Dwight made the most of their opportunities on bonuses to hold the lead before taking four of the last seven questions – en route to a 210-100 win.

“Wilmington didn’t let us make mistakes,” said Coach Weber, “we just needed to get rolling at the end. Mason kept us in that match and then Hayden and Alex put it away.”

Imhoff and Pampinella paced the team with three toss-ups each, while Tjelle added another.

In the regional final, the Trojans would face long-time nemesis Seneca.

“We’ve had several seasons end against Seneca,” stated Assistant Clark Reamer. “Coach Erickson and Coach Ogden run a tremendous program.”

Seneca earned their way to the finals with wins over St. Anne and Gardner-South Wilmington.

Reamer set the table for Dwight, posting four of the team’s six toss-ups in the first half and giving them a 150-50 halftime lead.

But the Irish would not go quietly, cutting the lead in half on questions 14 and 15.

The teams traded toss-ups 16 and 17.

“We knew that they were capable of making a run,” Coach Weber stated.

Schultz, Reamer, and Pampinella combined to shut the door with questions 20-22 and, with a 240-140 win, claimed the fourth Scholastic Bowl regional plaque in DTHS history.

Reamer led the team with five toss-ups in the match. Schultz and Pampinella each had two. Tjelle scored one.

The Trojans advanced to the Timothy Christian sectional in Elmhurst on March 11, going up against Timothy Christian, Armstrong-Potomac, and Sangamon Valley Conference foe, PBL.



Mazon  
Congregational  
Wins Church  
Dartball League

The 2017 Dartball regular season came to a close March 6, with Mazon Congregational winning the league for the year. Results are as follows:

	W	L
Mazon Cong.	3	0
New Life		
Assembly/God	0	3

Essex-Bonfield	1	2
Emmanuel Luth.	2	1
Church of Hope	2	1
St. Peter’s Luth.	1	2
Dwight Cong.	3	0
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End of the season standings look like this:

	W	L
Mazon Cong.	20	7
Dwight Meth.	19	8
Emmanuel Luth.	17	10
New Life		
Assembly/God	15	12
Trinity Lutheran	15	12
Essex-Bonfield	13	14
St. Peter’s Luth.	12	15
Church of Hope	12	15
Dwight Cong.	12	15

League Tournament play begins at 1:00 p.m. Sunday, March 26, at Emmanuel Lutheran. Teams need to be ready by 12:45 p.m.

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

BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking )  
Corporation, )  
Plaintiff, )  
vs. ) No. 16-CH-70  
VENTURA J. RIOS, SR., )  
STATE OF ILLINOIS, )  
and unknown owners and )  
non-record claimants, )  
Defendants )

NOTICE OF JUDICIAL SALE

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

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

B. The common address of the real estate is 105 E. Ash St., Fairbury, IL 61739

C. The legal description of the real estate is: Lot 10 and the West half of Lot 11 in Block 29, North Addition to the City of Fairbury, Livingston County, Illinois.  
PIN: 25-03-407-002

Commonly known as: 105 E. Ash St., Fairbury, IL 61739.

D. A description of the improvements on the real estate is: single family two-story residence; ten rooms, including four bedrooms and two bathrooms, plus 3/4 basement and two-car attached garage.

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

F. The date, time and place of the sale are: April 4, 2017 at 10:00 A.M., Livingston County Law & Justice Center, 110 N. Main St., Pontiac, IL 61764.

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

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

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DONALD R. McCLAREY, Attorney for Bank Of Pontiac

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

BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois

Banking )  
Corporation, )  
Plaintiff, )  
vs. ) No. 16-CH-58  
JOSHUA D. CHRISTIANSON, )  
WILLIAM ABRAHAM d/b/a Abraham )  
Masonry, and unknown owners and )  
non-record claimants, )  
Defendants )

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B. The common address of the real estate is 321 E. Herbert St., Pontiac, IL 61764.

C. The legal description of the real estate is:

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 degrees 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

D. A description of the improvements on the real estate is: single family two-story residence; nine rooms, including three bedrooms and two bathrooms, plus full basement and two-car detached garage.

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

F. The date, time and place of the sale are: April 4, 2017 at 10:00 A.M., Livingston County Law & Justice Center, 110 N. Main St., Pontiac, IL 61764.

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## Regional Champions!!



REGIONAL CHAMPIONS! THE DWIGHT TROJANS' Scholastic Bowl team defeated Seneca, 240-140, on March 6 to claim the regional title – the fourth in DTHS history. Pictured, kneeling, are Hayden Tjelle, Mason Imhoff, and Andrew Myzia; standing, Asst. Coach Clark Reamer, Alex Pampinella, Brendan Reamer, Bubba Schultz, and Head Coach Robert Weber.

## Dwight Scholastic Bowl Season Ends at Sectional

The Dwight Trojans' Scholastic Bowl season came to a close on March 11 at the IHSA sectional at Timothy Christian High School in Elmhurst. Dwight was winless in the round robin format.

Dwight dropped a tight first match against the squad from Paxton-Buckley-Loda, 220-170. Senior captain Brendan Reamer led the team with five toss-ups. Senior Alex Pampinella and junior Hayden Tjelle each added one.

The Trojans played close against Armstrong-Potomac, with a chance to win late in the match, but fell short 180-120. Reamer again led the team, scoring three toss-ups. Pampinella added another two and junior Bubba Schultz scored one.

In their final match, Dwight faced tournament

champion Timothy Christian and took a 450-180 loss. Reamer added another five toss-ups to his total, with Schultz and junior Mason Imhoff each adding one.

"It wasn't exactly what we wanted today," said head coach Robert Weber. "We had beaten PBL and Armstrong earlier in the year. But we accomplished a lot and had a great year. I think we accomplished the goals that I had at the start of the season. We defended our spot in the conference and we got a regional plaque."

Reamer was named first team All-Conference and also secured a spot on the Class A All-State Team. Pampinella earned a second team All-Conference showing, while Schultz received All-Conference Honorable Mention.

## Brendan Reamer Earns All-State Honors



Brendan Reamer was recognized by the Illinois High School Scholastic Bowl Coaches Association with All-State honors on the Class A second team. The IHSSBCA recognizes the top players with 1st team and 2nd team in Class A and Class AA for IHSA Scholastic Bowl and related events.

## Tri-Point National Honor Society Inducts Six New Members

On Wednesday, March 1st, Tri-Point High School's National Honor Society had their annual induction ceremony to induct new members along with recognizing current members.

The main highlight of the evening was the induction of six new members to NHS. The new sophomore inductees are Tara Hummel, daughter of Dale Hummel

and Colleen Hanson; Anicah Bruner, daughter of Jason and Jennifer Bruner; Haley Jubin, daughter of Linda Jubin and Mandel Oswood; and Abby Kerrins, daughter of Jim and Laura Kerrins.

The new junior inductee is Amyjo Steichen, daughter of Joe and Janet Steichen. Newly inducted senior member, Ali Flessner, is the daughter of Jeff and Kris Flessner. Current senior

members include Jacki Weller, (President), Jacob Bruner (Vice President), and Randal Ifft (Secretary).

At the Induction ceremony, speeches were made about the four pillars of the National Honor Society, which are scholarship, leadership, service, and character. President Jacki Weller and Vice President Jacob Bruner gave speeches about

what they learned throughout the three years as NHS members and the people who are involved in the Tri-Point organization. The keynote speaker for the night was Tri-Point's principal, Kellee Hill.

The evening concluded with cupcakes and punch with family, school board members, administrators, and faculty.



TRI-POINT NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY MEMBERS FOR 2016-2017 Front row: Jacob Bruner, Jacki Weller, Randal Ifft. Back row, new members are: Tara Hummel, Ali Flessner, Abby Kerrins, Haley Jubin, Anicah Bruner, and Amyjo Steichen.

## DTHS Honor Band Members



ELEVEN BAND MEMBERS FROM DWIGHT TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL participated in the Sangamon Valley Conference honor band March 6 at Kresge Auditorium at Olivet Nazarene University. Band members who participated were Lucy Rieke, Gretchen Hilt, Miranda Holte, Robby Castillo, Abby Tyler, Ryan Hogan, Hunter Sulaica, Hannah Van Der Karr, Konnor Dyer, and Maddi Groves. Students from every school in the conference were nominated by their directors and then selected to participate in the honor band. Students practiced all day, starting in the morning, and then put on a concert in the evening.

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# USDA Says Ethanol GHG Emissions 43% Lower Than Gasoline

Corn-based ethanol emits 43 percent fewer greenhouse gas emissions than gasoline when measured on an energy equivalent basis, according to a new USDA report, “A Life-Cycle Analysis of the Greenhouse Gas Emissions of Corn-Based Ethanol.”

The new calculation accounts for more efficient farming methods and more conservation practices that reduce GHG emissions including reduced tillage, cover crops, and improved nitrogen management.

Ethanol production technologies are also increasingly more efficient.

“The report provides a sound incorporation of the recent energy efficiency improvements achieved by corn ethanol plants, many of which were driven by the incentives provided by the RFS2,” said Steffen Mueller, Ph.D., Principal Research Economist University of Illinois at Chicago Energy Resources Center. “Corn ethanol today now mirrors the environmental benefits of advanced biofuels.”

Mueller has long researched corn-based ethanol and its emissions and carbon footprint, most recently traveling all over the world to share his research and help other countries understand the benefits corn-based ethanol has to offer.

“Several countries like the EU and Japan require a greenhouse gas reduction of 50 percent to qualify corn ethanol blends into their fuel supply – this is without considering international land use assessments in recognition of the uncertainties surrounding this science,” Mueller continued.

The USDA report shows that the average U.S. produced corn ethanol easily meets these international requirements, which documents “the competitive advantage of this fuel in green markets abroad,” he said.

For corn farmers, the report simply allows for more market opportunity and increased potential corn demand, which is welcome news considering 2016’s carryout of 2,355 million bushels of corn.

With an updated life-cycle analysis that properly credits corn ethanol for its improving technologies and efficiencies, corn ethanol can look forward to more market opportunities both domestically and internationally.

“Illinois boasts the largest dry grind ethanol plant in the world with Marquis Energy in Hennepin,” said Paul Jeschke, Chair of the National Corn Growers Association Ethanol Action Team and Vice Chairman of the Illinois Corn Marketing Board.

Marquis produces over 300 million gallons of corn ethanol annually, with about 80 percent of that leaving the U.S. for export.

“I think this report means that we will see that export number grow, offering opportunities for more Illinois ethanol plants to capitalize on the Illinois and Mississippi Rivers to move ethanol overseas,” Jeschke added.

Opportunities for corn farmers, for rural America, and for environmentally conscientious Americans abound, stated a news release from the Illinois Corn Growers Association.

# HONOR ROLL

## Dwight Grade School Honor Roll

Dwight Grade School honor roll for the second trimester includes the following students:

High School Graduation year 2021 (Grade 8):  
Nora Anderson, Camden Beier, Eden Beier, Hudson Beier, Eileen Betsworth, Isabella Burkhardt, Alexis Cuaya, Kallista Cox, Brandon Ceylor, Destinie Drapeau, Lucas Friant, Jack Gallet, Andrew Harsh, Dustin Hauert, Mary Hilt, Brody Hoegger, Lauryn Hoegger, Jarrett Jancek, Andrew Kapper, Colton King, Sabrina King, Lucas Kisner,  
Kayla Kodat, Emmalyn Legner, Bryce Lucas, Faith McNerney, Ethan Olson, James Partney, Taylor Peck, Abe Rieke, Nellie Rieke, Abby Rodosky, Kyle Rowland, Caden Schroeder, Isabelle Schultz, Meghan Scott, Joseph Shadwick, and Emily Weissmann.

Graduation year 2022 (Grade 7):  
Alayna Airgood, Landon Brown, Ashton Burkhardt, Carter Butterbrodt, Kortney Dyer, Emmett Emmons, Darien Guyer, Bryce Handzus, Scott Harkenrider, Rachel Heath, Ella Kargle, Evan Lee, Daniel Petree, Shawn Romanetto, Ella Sandeno, Dillon Sarff, Emily Scott, Justin Seabert, Jordan Schultz, Alexis Thetard, Toni Treglio, Ryan Turner, and Grace Wulf.

Graduation year 2023 (Grade 6):  
James Ammons, Erin Anderson, Kira Bean, Iris Beier, Olivia Bond, Harlie Boucher, Corey Corso, Jesse Downen, Lola Furbee, Timothy Ellis, Jace Gall, Maya Green, Matthew Greer, Addison Harms, Hailey Heath, Ava Kargle, Jace Kern, Reid Legner, Brayden Long, Michael Michon Jr., Dylan Ramsey, Noah Scott, and Dawson Sulaica.

Graduation Year 2024 (Grade 5):  
Njomza Asllani, Eloise Becker, Mya Blake, Milana Bradley, Mya Buck, Jacob Churchill, Murphy Connolly, Tyler Cox, Briana Cuaya, Sarah Dolan, Aubree Dzwonkoski, Jarrett Emmons, Olivia Folkers, Reid Gall, Andrew Gartke, Owynn Gliwa, Kaedyn Gonzalez,  
Ryan Hilt, Jerry Jiang, Vanessa Kapper, Kassy Kodat, Megan Livingston, Sabashgin Masters, Kassidy Nichols, Kathryn Parker, Domingo Ramirez, Mark Redman, Seth Robertson, Claire Robison, Evan Sandeno, Andrew Schauner, Avery Scheuer, Kaitlynn Streit, Kaitlyn Thetard, Jacob Weissmann, and Terry Wilkey.

Graduation Year 2025 (Grade 4):  
Drew Anderson, Jayden Arozamena, Ryan Bumpous, Nicolas Boucher, Vincenzo Boyd, Tracer Brown, West Bulthuis, Landon Burkhardt, Brynn Connor, Brooke Doyle, Luke Gallet, Wyatt Gosse, Cecilya Groves, Devon Halstead, Samantha Harsh, Kiah Handzus, Madalee Handzus, Brayden Jensen, Christina Jiang, Maci Johnson, Averi Jury, Tristan Larkin, Leah Larson, Frank Lasser, Ella Legner, Ethan Lehman, Leona McClelland, Ellora McCullough, Ava Meister, Emily Moore, Caiden Nelson, Caiden Olson, Vincent Petrik, Jennifer Ramirez, Sophia Richie, Ayden Roff, Aiden Sanchez, Wyatt Statler, Hailey Streit, Tanner Stych, Lily Walkup, Ashley Thompson, Willow Tucker, Karl Whittington, and Owen Woods.

Graduation Year 2026 (Grade 3):  
Bryce Bailey, Madison Bailey, Ryan Bean, Marissa Betsworth, Indira Bradley, Sophia Buck, Madison Carman, Emalee Crosby, Maddox DeLong, Kaitlyn Dolan, Addison Donnelly, Madison Ely, Kamryn Folkers, Taylor Frobish, Michael Groves, Taylor Heath, Brooke Johnson, Asher Kargle, Isabella Kelleher, Christian Kennon, Tyler Krolak, Jackson Launius, Justin Norton, Filemon Ortiz,  
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Liz was promoted to By-Products Material Handler in the Materials Department in January of 1980 and then to Hoist Operator in the Shipping Department in November of 1987. She returned to the position of By Products Material Handler in June of 1988. She was promoted to her current position of Baler Operator in June of 2011.

Liz resides in Dwight with her husband Don. They have three children (Jim, Donnie and Kelly) and three grandchildren.

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

IN THE MATTER OF )  
THE ESTATE OF ) NO. 2017-P-24  
)  
LORENE BOESCHEN BACKER, )  
DECEASED. )

**CLAIM NOTICE**

Notice is given of the death of LORENE BOESCHEN BACKER, Good Samaritan Home, Flanagan, Illinois.

Letters of Office were issued to the following person as Independent Executor, namely: JANE JONES, 20489 N 700 East Road, Graymont, Illinois, whose attorneys are CAUGHEY, LEGNER, FREEHILL, EHRGOTT & MANN, LLP, 204 North Main Street, Pontiac, Illinois, 61764.

Claims may be filed on or before the 15th day of September, 2017. Any claim not filed on or before that date is barred. Claims may be filed in the Office of the Clerk of this Court at Livingston County Law and Justice Center, Pontiac, Illinois, 61764, or claims may be filed with the Personal Representative or both. If filed with the Clerk, the claimant must, within ten (10) days, mail or deliver a copy of the claim to the Personal Representative and to his attorney and file with the Clerk proof of such mailing or delivery.

Dated: March 15, 2017

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Re-elect Anderson

Dwight looks rather beat-up. Fortunately, the railroad folks are nearing the end of their disruptions, and once the downtown streets are paved, a return to normalcy will be enjoyed.

But I digress.

The real point of this message is to applaud our present Mayor for his determination in accompanying the railroad crossing work with the reconstruction of downtown streets, side-walks, curbs, gutters, landscaping, etc., plus attacking the renewal of the community's aging infrastructure all around town.

These are costly, messy

and time-consuming endeavors, and they should be placed on a continuing budget list of work so that Dwight never again falls so far behind in the maintenance of its infrastructure.

The costs are manageable. The results will be well worth the construction woes when residents realize how much Dwight has rebuilt its community pride along with its brick and mortar.

*And never, ever, should we change horses in the middle of the stream.*

Jared Anderson should be re-elected Mayor.

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

BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, Plaintiff, vs. KAYLEE FEHR, and unknown owners and non-record claimants, Defendants ) NO.17-CH-6

**NOTICE**

Notice is given you Kaylee Fehr, defendant, 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:

Lot 10 in Block 2 of the Original Town, now City of Fairbury, Livingston County, Illinois.

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Commonly known as: 305 E. Elm St., Fairbury, IL 61739.

The title holder of record to the above described real estate is KAYLEE FEHR. The mortgage sought to be foreclosed is a mortgage executed on July 31, 2015 and recorded on August 4, 2015 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 635595. The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendants in Case No. 17-CH-6 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, Kaylee Fehr, defendant, 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 and Justice Center in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before March 15, 2017, 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 17 day of February, 2017.

LeAnn Dixon, Circuit Clerk  
Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois

OBITUARIES

David Henson

STREATOR – David Dean Henson, 62, of Streator, passed away at 10:50 a.m., Saturday, March 11, 2017 at his residence.

A visitation will be held from 3 until 7 p.m., today, Wednesday, March 15, at Hagi & Baker Funeral Home in Streator, with the rosary recited at 2:45 p.m.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated by Father Raymond Guthrie at 10 a.m., Thursday, in St. Michael the Archangel Church, Streator. Full Military Rites by Streator Leslie G. Woods American Legion Post 217 and Streator Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1492 will be held at the church following the Mass.

Arian Foote, Chuck Glisson, Chris Cherveney, Jason Henson, Ron Kauth and Steve Elwell will serve as pallbearers. His grandchildren will be honorary pallbearers.

Cremation rites will be accorded following the Mass, and inurnment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery at a later time.

David was born October 9, 1954 in Rockford, son of Bobby and Doris Oehl Henson. David and Judith Marsinko Henson have been partners for the past 35 years. They were united in marriage December 28, 2016 at St. Francis Medical Center in Peoria.

Surviving are his wife;



his father, Bobby Henson of Manville; five children: Dana (John) Nighswonger, Jeff (Hollie) Henson, Patrick Henson, Jamie (Brian) Lurz, all of Streator; and Scott (Alleigh) Henson of Normal.

Thirteen grandchildren: Jenna, Derek, Haley, Andrea, Aaron, Payton, Addison and Austen Henson; Savannah, Noah and Jersey Lurz; and Brodrick and Layla Henson also survive.

Three sisters: Deborah (Mike) Cherveney, Linda (Kevin) Wargo and Carol (Steve) Johnston, all of Streator; and seven brothers: Richard (Sue) Henson of Carmi, Indiana; Dennis (Janice) Henson of Channahon; Daniel (Susan) Henson and Terry (Sue) Henson, both of Streator; Larry (Colleen) Henson of Troy; Tim (Diana) Henson of Dwight; and Mike (Billie Jo) Henson of Pontiac also survive.

He was preceded in death by his mother.

A 1973 graduate of Woodland High School, he served in the United States Marines. He then worked for 7-Up and Interlake Steel, and drove a semi for R & L Transport, Calkins Trucking and Millis Transfers.

Memorials may be directed to his family.

On-line condolences and remembrances may be shared at: [www.hagifuneralhome.com](http://www.hagifuneralhome.com)

Jeffery Lynn Lardi, Jr.

WILMINGTON – Jeffery Lynn Lardi, Jr., 37, of Wilmington passed away Saturday, March 11, 2017.

Visitation and video tribute will be held Thursday, March 16, from 3 p.m. until 8 p.m. at Baskerville Funeral Home, 700 E. Kahler Road in Wilmington.

Services will be Friday at 10 a.m. at the funeral home, with Rev. Dr. Roy Backus officiating.

Interment will be in Wesley Cemetery, Wilmington.

Jeffery Lynn was born March 14, 1979 in Joliet, son of Jeffery Lynn, Sr. and Barbara Ann Ragain Lardi of Wilmington. He was raised in Wilmington; was a 1993 graduate of St. Rose School; and a 1997 graduate of Wilmington High School. Jeff went through the Electrical Engineers Apprenticeship program, and was a former member of IBEW Local #176, Operating Engineers Local #150 and the Labors Local #75. He worked as an independent electrician.

Jeff was a diehard Chicago Blackhawks fan, as well as a Green Bay Packers fan. He loved the outdoors, and all creatures large and small. Jeff will be remembered for his love of spending time on Lardi Lake,



where he played pond hockey, spent time with friends and family, and fished with his daughter.

Survivors include his parents; one daughter, Kayla Bomba Lardi of Wilmington; his fiancé, Kelly Sievert; brother, Anthony Lardi (fiance Alexa Krueger) of Shorewood; niece, Bella Lardi; maternal grandmother, Margaret "Peggy" Ragain of Coal City; paternal grandparents, James and Bernice Lardi of Wilmington; his future mother-in-law, Gale (Bob) Brady of Minnesota; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and friends, as well as his beloved pets: Hazel, Chief, Ferby and Kaner.

Jeff was preceded in death by his grandfather, Gerald Ragain; father-in-law, Robert J. DePratt; and the grandmother of his fiancé Kelly: Ima Jean Sayers.

Preferred memorials may be made as gifts in Jeff's memory to his family for the benefit of his daughter Kayla's future education.

Family and friends may sign the guestbook, upload photographs, or share Jeff's memorial page by logging onto: [www.BaskervilleFuneral.com](http://www.BaskervilleFuneral.com)

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**NOTICE OF CONSOLIDATED ELECTION**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday, April 4, 2017 in the County of Kankakee and State of Illinois, a Consolidated Election will be held for the purpose of voting for the offices listed below, at the usual polling places in the various precincts, which will be open at 6:00 A.M. and shall remain open uninterrupted until 7:00 P.M. of that day.

**ESTABLISHED POLITICAL PARTIES, INDEPENDENT AND NEW POLITICAL PARTIES, NONPARTISAN TO BE ELECTED:**

MUNICIPAL  
Mayor or President  
Clerk  
Aldermen or Trustees

TOWNSHIP  
Supervisor  
Clerk  
Assessor or Multi-Township Assessor  
Highway Commissioner  
Trustees

PARK DISTRICT  
Commissioners

PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT  
Trustees

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Trustees

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(single county and multi-county)  
Trustees

SCHOOL DISTRICT  
Board Members

COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
Trustees

**NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN THAT THE FOLLOWING PROPOSITIONS WILL BE SUBMITTED TO THE ELECTORS:**

TO THE VOTERS OF KANKAKEE COUNTY:  
PUBLIC SAFETY SALES TAX

To pay for Public Safety purposes, shall Kankakee County be authorized to impose an increase on its share of local sales taxes by .25% for a period not to exceed four (4) years?

"This would mean that a consumer would pay an additional 25 cents in sales tax for every \$100 dollars of tangible personal property bought at retail. If imposed, the additional tax would cease being collected at the end of 4 years, if not terminated earlier by a vote of the county board."

**KANKAKEE COUNTY ADVISORY REFERENDA**

Shall the Kankakee County Board be reduced from its current size of 28 members to 21 members?

Dated this 8th day of March, 2017.

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## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

### NOTICE OF SALE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

PONTIAC, LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
PINGORA LOAN SERVICING, LLC,  
Plaintiff,  
vs.  
JENNIE C. YATES AKA JENNIE YATES,  
Defendant.

16CH 42  
PROPERTY ADDRESS: 203 E. RIRIE PL.  
FLANAGAN, IL 61740

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of the above Court entered in the above entitled cause on January 27, 2017, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Permanent Index Number: 13-13-22-203-002  
Commonly known as: 203 E. Ririe Pl., Flanagan, IL 61740

will be offered for sale and sold at public vendue on March 28, 2017, at 10:00 AM, at the New Law and Justice Center, 110 North Main, Pontiac, Illinois.

The Judgment amount is \$108,865.30.

The real estate is improved with a single family residence.

Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Sheriff of Livingston County. No third party checks will be accepted. The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the mortgaged real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments or special taxes levied against said real estate, and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to the Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The Sale is further subject to confirmation by the Court.

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

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

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

The purchaser of a condominium unit at a judicial foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, who takes possession of a condominium unit pursuant to a court order or a purchaser who acquires title from a mortgagee shall have the duty to pay the proportionate share, if any, of the common expenses for the unit which would have become due in the absence of any assessment acceleration during the 6 months immediately preceding institution of an action to enforce the collection of assessments, and which remain unpaid by the owner during whose possession the assessments accrued. If the outstanding assessments are paid at any time during any action to enforce the collection of assessments, the purchaser shall have no obligation to pay any assessments which accrued before he or she acquired title. If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by the Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5 (g-1). If the sale is not confirmed for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the purchase price paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagee, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney.

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Applications may be obtained at Village Hall, 272 East Second Street, Herscher, Illinois. Applications will be available Monday through Friday from 8 A.M. to 3 P.M.

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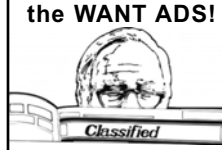
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Limestone Library  
March Events

Limestone Township Library District, 2701 W. Tower Rd. in Kankakee, is hosting the following upcoming events:

- **Tiny Explorers: Tuesday, March 21, 10:00-11:00 a.m.** Playing at a number of stations, children will learn fine motor skills with the help of manipulative toys. These activities are meant for children from ages six months to five-years old. This event will also occur on April 18 and May 23.
- **Excel: Wednesday, March 22, 6:00-7:30 p.m.** Build your Excel skills in this session for beginners. Gain hands-on experience by learning how to work with formulas, enter and edit data, create charts, format worksheets, and more. Practice what you learn by creating your own usable worksheets.
- **An American Doll Movie and Craft Day: Saturday, March 25, noon to 2:30 p.m.** Spend the afternoon watching *Felicity: An American Girl Movie*. Afterwards, work on a craft. All supplies are provided and there is no fee for this program.
- **Caudill Award Book Club: Monday, March 27, 6:30-7:30 p.m.** Kids in fourth through seventh grades meet each month to discuss a Caudill Award winning book from the past year. Books are available for pick-up ahead of time at the front desk. This month's selection

is *The Fourteenth Goldfish*. This program will also take place on April 24 (*The Crossover*).

- **Teen Book Club: Tuesday, March 28, 6:30-7:30 p.m.** Read and discuss Y.A. novels for young adults in ninth through 12th grades. Books are available at the front desk. The March selection is *I'll Give You the Sun* by Jandy Nelson. This event also occurs April 25 (*Replica*).
- **Movie Day – Finding Dory: Wednesday, March 29, 1:00-3:00 p.m.** School is out! Visit the library and watch a movie with your friends. Popcorn and lemonade will be served.
- **Life Size Game Day: Thursday, March 30, 1:00-2:00 p.m.** Play games with pieces that are as big as you. Join for an afternoon of life-size Jenga and Ker-Plunk. For kids in kindergarten and up.
- **YA Games: Thursday, March 30, 5:00-6:00 p.m.** Join for game time fun as a number of games are explored, including Settlers of Catan, Ticket to Ride, Jungle Speed, Uno, and life-size games. For kids in seventh grade and above.

Registration for programs is required prior to the day of the event. For more information or to register, stop in at the library, call them at 815-939-1696, or visit [www.limestonelibrary.org](http://www.limestonelibrary.org) to see a listing of all programming.

BHA Annual Seminar to  
Focus on Social Media

The Behavioral Health Alliance of Grundy County is pleased to announce the BHA's annual seminar entitled "Social Media: The Good. The Bad. The Ugly."

The seminar will be held on Thursday, April 6, 2017, from 8 a.m. to noon, at Minooka Fire Station #1, 7901 E. Minooka Road, Minooka. The cost is \$30 per person, plus an additional \$20 for participants who want the 4 available CEUs (LCSW/MSW, LCPC/LPC, and IAODAPCA).

The presenters are Liz Repking, Founder of Cyber Safety Consulting and nationally recognized speaker on raising children in a hyper digital age, and Dr. Michelle Drouin, Professor and Researcher in Psychology at Indiana University-Purdue University.

The agenda will cover the following topics:

- Social Media Overview: Trends, Landscape, Dangers
- Social Media and Technology 101 for

Practioners: Promises and Perils

- Sexting, Ghosting & Phubbing: Modern Issues in Couple and Family Relationships
- Hands-on Workshop with Instagram and SnapChat Mitigating the Damage--Schools
- Mitigating the Damage--Providers

Enrollment is limited and the sign-up deadline is Friday, March 31, 2017.

To register, fill out the attached registration and send with payment to Community Foundation of Grundy County/BHA, 520 W. Illinois Ave., Morris IL 60450. If you have any questions, contact Devan at 815-941-0852 or [devan@cfgrundycounty.com](mailto:devan@cfgrundycounty.com)

The BHA of Grundy County is a coalition of individuals and organizations dedicated to educating, collaborating, and advocating for behavioral health. For more information, visit the BHA website at [www.bha-grundycounty.com](http://www.bha-grundycounty.com)

50 Free Classes

For its 50th birthday, Kankakee Community College is celebrating "The Power of Community."

One community-centered celebration is 50 free continuing education classes being offered by the college between August 2016 and May 2017.

The free classes are developed by the college's Continuing Education and Career Services Office, and do not award college credit. Some classes offer continuing professional development units, noted Mary Posing, KCC's associate dean of continuing education programs.

"The classes are a diverse mix," Posing said. "We wanted to offer a variety so that as many people as possible can take advantage."

Enrollment is now underway for these Spring 2017 classes. Each free class has limited enrollment.

The classes meet on KCC's Riverfront Campus unless noted:

- "Organizing for Your Personality Type," Wednesday, April 19, 6-8 p.m.
- "Tap into Your Intuition with Tarot Cards," Wednesday, April 26, 6-8 p.m.
- "Lincoln's Funeral Train," Friday, May 5, 9 a.m. - noon.
- "Resumes and Cover

Letters," Thursday, May 11, 5:30-7 p.m.

- "Origin of the Bill of Rights," Wednesday, May 31, 10-11:30 a.m.
- "From Job Fair to Job Offer," Thursday, June 22, 5:30-7 p.m.
- "I Have an Interview...Now What?," Thursday, June 29, 5:30-7 p.m.

Four free classes also are being offered as part of the College's Lifelong Learning Institute, for people ages 50 and up. They are:

- "Identity Scotland: Events, People and Places," Wednesday, April 12, 9:30-11:30 a.m.
- "Share a Book & Author," Thursday, April 27, 10-11:30 a.m. at the B. Harley Bradley House in Kankakee.
- "Basic Sun Care Health," Tuesday, May 23, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
- "Home Heating and Air-Conditioning Maintenance," Friday, April 28, 9:30-11 a.m.

KCC's 50th anniversary website – <http://fifty.kcc.edu> – has complete details, including registration. Registration also is available by phone at 815-802-8207, online at: [www.kcc.edu/comejoinus](http://www.kcc.edu/comejoinus) or visit the KCC Welcome Center on the first floor of the Workforce Development Center.

EARLY VOTING / VOTE BY MAIL - CONSOLIDATED ELECTION  
- Grundy County -

Grundy County Clerk Kay Olson announced that Early Voting and Vote by Mail for the April 4, 2017 Consolidated Election, will begin Monday, March 20, 2017. Current election law states that voters are not required to present a government issued photo ID to early vote, as the voters identity is verified using a signature match just like on Election Day. Please note that once a voter casts an early ballot, the vote cast is final and may not be revoked. Election law prohibits a person who voted during the early voting period from voting at the polls on Election Day. Votes cast during the early voting period

are not counted until after the polls close on Election Day.

Hours for early voting are 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday, and also on Saturday, April 1st from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Early Voting takes place at the County Clerk's Office, located in the Grundy County Courthouse, 111 E. Washington St., Morris. Please note: Cellphones are NOT allowed inside the Courthouse.

Voters who wish to cast a Vote by Mail ballot in the upcoming Consolidated Election, may contact the County Clerk's Office at 815-941-3222 to obtain the necessary application, or

may find the application under 'Election information', on the Grundy County website at: [www.grundycy.org](http://www.grundycy.org) or email: [elections@grundycy.org](mailto:elections@grundycy.org)

No excuse is needed to vote by mail. Voters are encouraged to apply as early as possible to make sure they receive their ballot in time to vote. Their ballot must be postmarked no later than Election Day and received at the Grundy County Clerk's Office within 14 days after Election Day. The last day a ballot may be mailed, is Thursday, March 30, 2017.

Ballot Integrity: Unless

you require assistance, do not allow anyone else to mark your ballot; do not let anyone force or coerce you into voting for any candidate; and do not let anyone, other than a close relative or authorized messenger, mail, deliver or handle your ballot. Please note: Making a false statement to obtain a mail ballot or soliciting someone to do so is considered voter fraud, a criminal offense punishable by up to five years in prison.

Voters with questions or wanting more information should contact the Grundy County Clerk at: [elections@grundycy.org](mailto:elections@grundycy.org) or call the Clerk's Office at (815)941-3222.

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701 S. Columbia  
584-3420 church  
[Dwightumc.org](http://Dwightumc.org)  
Pastor: Lance Leeds

- MAR. 15: 2 p.m., Real & Kids Klub; 6:30 p.m., Choir rehearsal; 7 p.m., Ignite.
- MAR. 16: 7:30 p.m., Praise Team rehearsal.
- MAR. 17: Office closed; 7 a.m., bus to Midwest Distribution; 7 p.m., The Edge Movie Night for Junior High and High School.
- MAR. 18: 7 a.m.,

Men's Bible Study at Route 66 and Cafe 110 in Odell; 6 p.m., YAGOS at Family Kitchen in Pontiac.

- MAR. 19: 8 a.m., Church; 9:15 a.m., Sunday School; 9:30 a.m., Praise Team rehearsal; 10:30 a.m., Church with Praise Band; 12 noon, Confirmation class.
- MAR. 20: 8:30 a.m., United Methodist Women Executive meeting; 6:30 p.m., Bible Warriors.
- MAR. 21: 8:30 a.m., Hens Bible Study; 9 a.m., Bible Seekers;

7 p.m., Trustees.

- MAR. 22: Spring Break – No Youth Activities; 6:30 p.m., Choir rehearsal; 7 p.m., Mid-Lenten Service at St. Patrick Church.

**Emmanuel Lutheran Church**  
325 E. Mazon Ave.  
584-3433 church  
584-1291 fax  
584-1023 parsonage  
Rev. Harvey Nicholson  
Vacancy Pastor

- MAR. 15: 1 p.m., 150th Anniv. meeting; Mary/Martha; 3:30 p.m., Handbells; 4 - 5 p.m., Weekday School; 5:30 p.m.,

Lenten Service with meal by Altar Guild.

- MAR. 19: 9 a.m., Sunday School/Bible Class; 10 a.m., Worship with Holy Communion.
- MAR. 22: 3:30 p.m., Handbells; 5:30 p.m., Lenten Service with meal by Music Dept.

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

- MAR. 15: Wednesday Evening Service & King's Kids Children's Program, 7 p.m.
- MAR. 19: Sunday

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

- MAR. 22: Wednesday Evening Service & King's Kids Children's Program, 7 p.m.

**First Congregational United Church of Christ**  
200 W. Delaware St.  
584-1260 church  
Pastor Connie Williams  
Moodie, Intentional Interim Minister

- MAR. 15: Trustees Evening Service & Meeting, 7 p.m.
- MAR. 19: Worship, 10:30 a.m. Sermon

title: "No Fish Story."

- MAR. 21: Bible Study, 5:30 p.m.
- MAR. 22: Mid Lenten Service at St. Patrick's, 7 p.m.

"March Mission of the Month" – Dress An Angel/The Salvation Army

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

- MAR. 18: 4:00 - 4:45 p.m., Reconciliation; 5 p.m., Mass.
- MAR. 19: 8 a.m., Mass.

**St. Peter's Lutheran Church**  
326 W. Chippewa St.  
[stpetersdwright@sbcglobal.net](mailto:stpetersdwright@sbcglobal.net)

- MAR. 15: 4:45 p.m., Intergenerational Music rehearsal; 6 p.m., Lenten Supper; 6:30 p.m., Lenten Worship Service; 7:15 p.m., Youth Group.
- MAR. 17: St. Patrick's Day – Church office closed; 8 p.m., A.A. meeting.
- MAR. 19: 8:45 a.m., Fellowship Time; 9 a.m., Faith Development for all ages; 10 a.m., Worship with Holy Communion; 11:15 a.m., Handbell rehearsal.
- MAR. 20: Church office closed.
- MAR. 21: 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m., Salvation Army, Food Pantry, and Clothing.
- MAR. 22: 4:45 p.m., Intergenerational Music rehearsal; 7 p.m., Ecumenical Community Lenten Service at St. Patrick Church; 7:15 p.m., Youth Group.
- MAR. 23: 12:30 p.m., Sarah Circle at The Country Mansion.
- MAR. 24: Church office closed; 8 p.m., AA meeting.

- MAR. 19: Sunday Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.
- **TUESDAYS:** Women's Bible Study, 10 a.m.
- MAR. 22: J.A.M. Junction, E.D.G.E., and S.T.A.T.I.C.
- \*\*\*NO J.A.M., E.D.G.E., or S.T.A.T.I.C. on March 29.\*\*\*

**CAMPUS**  
**Sacred Heart Catholic Church**  
Father Chris Haake, Pastor

- MAR. 19: 10 a.m., Mass.

**EMINGTON**  
**Emington Congregational United Church of Christ**  
103 Division Street  
Pastor Connie Williams  
Moodie, Intentional Interim Minister

- MAR. 19: 8 a.m., Council meeting; 8:45 a.m., Worship. Sermon title: "No Fish Story."
- MAR. 24: Emington Boy Scout Fish Fry in church basement, 5 until 7 p.m.

March Food Pantry Collection:  
Boxed Potatoes  
March Mission of the Month – One Great Hour of Sharing/ O.G.H.S.

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- MAR. 15: 10 a.m., Kerygma; 6 p.m., Lenten Meal; 7 p.m., Bible Study, "Creed."

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**Dwight Peace Meals**  
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Thurs., March 16: Fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, seasoned peas, Texas toast, fresh fruit.  
Fri., March 17: Tuna noodle casserole, Harvard beets, warm black-eyed pea salad, whole grain wheat, pineapple pistachio dessert.  
Mon., March 20: Ham and beans, copper carrots, cornbread, pears.  
Tues., March 21: Meatloaf, frosted sweet potatoes, seasoned greens, whole grain wheat, applesauce.  
Wed., March 22: Taco salad with beans, lettuce, cheese, tomatoes, sour cream and taco sauce; taco chips, cake.  
Thurs., March 23: Roast beef, mashed potatoes with gravy, tomatoes and celery, Texas toast, Overnight fruit salad.  
Milk is served each day.  
For a reservation, call 815-374-0411 or 1-800-543-1770; or for more information call the 800 number.



First Snowfall Since December



DWIGHT’S ICONIC windmill begins to become blanketed with snow in this serene scene at 10 a.m., Monday, March 13. The National Weather Service said this is the first snow with an accumulation since December.

The Paper photo



AS SNOW FLURRIES stuck to a road sign on Mazon Avenue in Downtown Dwight looking west early March 13, the sign became unreadable.

The Paper photo



SINCE THE TEMPERATURES had been mild with no snow accumulation during the first part of 2017, these yard waste bags seemed to be out of place aduring the morning of March 13, when snow began to accumulate. Landscape waste pickup resumes April 3 in Dwight using LSW stickers.

The Paper photo

Man Found Dead From Drug Overdose in Dwight Main Street Apartment March 8

by Myke Feinman  
Managing Editor  
A 40-year-old Dwight man was found dead when emergency personnel arrived at his apartment on East Main Street, March 8.  
EMS was called to the scene at 3:47 p.m., but the Coroner did not pronounce him dead on arrival until 6:32 p.m., according to Dwight EMS coordinator Al Metzke.  
Metzke said the Dwight

Fire Department was also called because they needed help transporting the deceased downstairs.  
Livingston County Coroner Danny Watson said he normally does not release names of drug overdose deaths “in deference to the family.”  
He said one of the reasons it took so long from the initial call until the time of death was in part because it takes time for all the proper

emergency personnel to arrive on the scene.  
In addition, more time was taken so the family could say “goodbye.”  
“I gave the family some time before he was transported,” Watson said.  
Watson told *The Paper* on Monday that an autopsy had already been performed but it was still under investigation and that the data from the autopsy is still being examined.

Kankakee Co. Sheriff Implements #9PMRoutine

Kankakee County has seen a huge increase in burglaries to unlocked vehicles, garages, and sheds in the last few months, and rather than attempt to reinvent the wheel, Sheriff Mike Downey researched and found an innovative approach police departments in Kansas and Florida were utilizing called the #9PMRoutine.  
Sheriff Downey implemented the #9PMRoutine a month ago in Kankakee County. The goal of the program is to remind residents to lock their cars, sheds, garages, and outbuildings so they do not become a victim of an opportunistic crime.

There is a somewhat false assumption with some that if a burglar wants to get into your car or building, it does not matter if it is locked or not. While this may be true when you are dealing with a career burglar, most of what is seen in these burglaries is that it was a crime of opportunity and that it would not have occurred if the car, shed, or building were locked.  
During their investigation into one of the rashes of residential car burglaries that occurred in the county, they observed a home security video of the suspects approaching a car, trying the door and finding it locked and

then going to the vehicle that was parked next to the locked car – finding it to be open, entering the unlocked vehicle and removing items from it.  
Due to tremendous budget cuts, the Kankakee Co. Sheriff’s Office has been reduced from 67 deputies to 44 deputies. However, they are attempting to utilize innovative, effective, and efficient techniques to deal with crime.  
The #9PMRoutine uses current events, celebrities, and other items of interest to get the attention of residents to get in the routine of locking their doors.

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