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DTHS Teacher Charged with Criminal Sexual Assault of a Student

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A Dwight Township High School teacher was arrested on Friday, May 31, by the Livingston County Sheriff's Department for criminal sexual assault by an authority figure, following an ongoing criminal investigation.

Livingston County Sheriff Detective Lt. Jeffrey Hamilton said Kathryn Patten, 34, was arrested around 4:30 p.m. Friday at her home in rural Dwight for allegedly having an inappropriate sexual relationship with an underage male who is a student at the high school.

Livingston County State's Attorney Randy Yedinak said Patten was charged with one count of criminal sexual assault, a Class 1 Felony, and, if convicted, faces a possible prison sentence of between 4 to 15 years and a possible fine up to \$25,000.

Patten was transported to the Livingston County Jail. Bond was set at \$25,000. She posted the 10 percent bail of \$2,500 and was released.

Yedinak said additional charges could be filed as the investigation continues.

Due to the victim's age and the circumstances, detectives will not be releasing any further information, according to a press release from Sheriff Tony Childress.

Hamilton said the alleged incident took place between the beginning and end of the school year. The last day of school was Thursday, May 30. His office initially received the call from the Dwight Police Department, according to the sheriff's release.

The Paper was unable to get a copy of the original police report from the Dwight Police Department.

When first contacted by *The Paper* around noon Monday, Dwight Police Chief Tim Henson said that he had been on vacation since Wednesday and was unaware of the allegations other than what he read in reports by another news outlet and in a press release from the Livingston County Sheriff's Department.

When reached several hours later, he said that he did indeed receive a text message from Supt. Jancek two or three days ago stating that there was a situation going on and there was the possibility of a teacher being arrested. He also said the department is doing a joint investigation with the sheriff's department.

He hung up on *The Paper* before we could ask him for the original police report, saying he did not want to answer questions while on vacation.

Henson is vice president of the board at DTHS.

Superintendent Richard Jancek issued a press release saying, "The administration was made aware of a rumor and took immediate action to investigate, which led to contacting the Dwight Police Department and the Department of Children and Family Services."

There was no other information about the teacher in Jancek's release, but Hamilton said Patten has been relieved of her duties at the high school.

Patten was a Family and Consumer Science teacher, according to the district website. She has taught at the high school for at least a decade.

"The safety and welfare of our students, as well as protecting the rights of our staff, are priorities of our school district," Jancek wrote in the release. "Due to this being an ongoing investigation and a personnel matter, no further comments will be made at this time."

Patten is due back in court at 9 a.m. on July 2.

Finally In the Ground



BOUCHER FARMS WEST OF DWIGHT WAS ABLE TO GET OUT INTO THE FIELDS to plant Monday, June 3, after persistent wet weather had taken a toll on Midwest farmers. In its Crop Progress Report Monday, the USDA pegged U.S. corn planting at 67 percent complete, behind the 96 percent five-year average. As of Sunday, Illinois farmers had just 45 percent of their corn seeded, behind a 98 percent five-year average. Iowa farmers had 80 percent planted vs. a 99 percent five-year average; and Indiana had just 31 percent planted vs. a 94 percent five-year average.

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Reddick Church Celebrates 120 Years

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St. Mary's Catholic Church in Reddick is celebrating 120 years.

The celebration will take place Saturday, June 8, at the church, 216 E. Lincoln St. Current and former parishioners and the community at large are invited for a 4 p.m. Mass followed by a social hour with hors d'oeuvres and, of course, cake.

CCW president Norma O'Brien, of Reddick, said parishioners are not only celebrating 120 years as a congregation but 120 years of their historic building.

The parish started as an outmission in 1881 when Rev. M. Zara organized a few Roman Catholic families in Norton Township to form the parish. Mass was held in private homes until, in 1899, Rev. Dominick Spellman oversaw the construction of the church for the growing St. Mary's

parish.

The parish family later built a rectory and acquired a parish hall for social and spiritual needs. During the 1930s, the parish held an annual chicken fry that brought more than 1,200 people from near and far.

Their congregation consists of a small but strong 55 families, O'Brien said. St. Mary's shares its pastor, Father Stanley Drewniak, with St. Lawrence Catholic Church in South Wilmington and Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Kinsman.

"I would like to congratulate all parishioners of St. Mary's on occasion of this 120 Jubilee," said Father Drewniak. "For me, as for the pastor of St. Mary's mission, it is a great joy and satisfaction to see how much people love their church and how deeply they care for it."

Mass is held regularly at the church at 5:30 p.m., Saturdays.



Odell Library Celebrates 75th Anniversary of D-Day with WWII Bomber Pilot

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Thursday, June 6, is the 75th anniversary of the Invasion of Normandy, and to help commemorate, the Odell Library is having an open house with Arthur Leach, believed to be one of only a handful of World War II survivors in Livingston County.

Leach, who celebrated his 99th birthday on May 1, will be the man of honor from 2-4 p.m. The public is invited for cake and punch at the library, located at 301 E. Richard St.

"We thought it would be a nice time to honor a World War II veteran," said Cathy Grafton, of Pontiac and the library director.

The library has had a display of books and movies for visitors who want to learn more about the second world war.

Joining Leach, of Odell, will be just as informative. He's looking forward to it, just like he looks forward to "each day," he said.

Although he was not part of D-Day on Tuesday, June 6, 1944, which was the largest seaborne invasion in history, he served his country honorably as a U.S. Navy fighter pilot in the South Pacific.

He is the last surviving pilot in the U.S. to fly



As the world remembers the historic Normandy Landings on June 6, 75 years ago Thursday, Art Leach, a World War II fighter pilot, will be honored at an open house that day at the Odell Public Library. He is the last surviving pilot to fly off the U.S.S. Yorktown during WWII.

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He served from 1944-45. The Yorktown carried 3,500 men and 150 fighter jets and torpedo bombers with an 875-foot-long deck. As a pilot, Leach flew many aircraft, including the T-6 Texan and the Brewster Buffalo, but most of his time he flew the Hellcat, the Navy's dominant fighter in the second half of the Pacific War.

His squadron shot down 91 Japanese aircraft. They dropped napalm on Iwo Jima. Out of 105 pilots in his squadron, 31 pilots were lost due to anti-aircraft gunnery or accidents but they never lost a pilot to Japanese aircraft.

Leach, formerly of Dwight, is well-known for his war stories at the Livingston County War Museum in Pontiac. Curator Ralph Messer said there are replicas of his uniform and the U.S.S. Yorktown.

Leach is also known statewide having been named a recipient of Illinois' Bicentennial HONOR 200, honoring the work of 200 veterans who continue to make extraordinary contributions.

He is active in the Livingston County War Museum, participating in Skype in the Classroom, sharing his story with youngsters all over the world.

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FOR THE RECORD

Tickets Issued by Dwight Police
May 23: Roberto E. Anaya, driving 15-20 MPH above limit; Daniel F. Ziebart, 62, Normal, driving 15-20 MPH above limit.
May 24: Lindsay M. Taylor, 36, Saunemin, driving during suspension, operate uninsured motor vehicle; Rodney G. Breeding, 28, Kouts, IN, driving 15-20 MPH above limit; Maria P. Martinez, 59, Alsip, speeding 35+ MPH over limit; Joshua P. Hurt, 23, Bourbonnais, driving 15-20 MPH above limit.
May 26: Avery A. Crouch, 19, Emington, disp. regis. plate/decal/1st, 2nd.
May 28: Vitus C. Iwuoha, 58, Merrville, IN, driving 21-25 MPH above limit.
May 29: Holley J. Reckel, 41, Kankakee, driving during suspension; Nathaniel J. Hill, 25, East Peoria, driving 15-20 MPH above limit.

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

12 Written Warnings
Speeding – 8; only one headlight – 2; disobey stop sign – 1; loud exhaust – 1.

Dwight Police Blotter
May 23: 10:59 a.m., Dwight Police were called to a domestic disturbance in the 200 block of E. Delaware.

Accident Report
Monday, May 27, 2:07 p.m., an accident was reported at 12 W. Northbrook Dr. involving a 2003 Chrysler van, driven by Jeffrey Jardine, Dwight, whose mirror struck a parked 2015 Cadillac utility.

Ambulance Runs by Dwight EMS
May 23: 6:12 p.m., Mazon, trauma, Morris; 10:20 p.m., Burbeck, medical, Morris.
May 24: 8:33 a.m., Seminole, medical, St. James; 3:42 p.m., Prairie, medical, Morris.
May 25: 11:23 a.m., Mazon Ave., trauma, Morris.
May 26: 4:09 a.m., Railroad St., medical, Morris, mutual aid to Gardner.
May 27: 4:51 a.m., William, fire; 8:26 a.m., Mazon, medical, Morris; 8:50 a.m., Main, medical, Morris; 5:17 p.m., I-55, trauma, St. James; 5:26 p.m, I-55, trauma, St. Joe's Joliet; 5:26 p.m., I-55, trauma, refusal.
May 28: 6:42 p.m., Franklin, medical, Pontiac.
May 30: 12:26 p.m., Mazon, medical, Morris.



Temps - 2019

May 23 – high 75°, low 57° .07" precip.	May 27 – high 82°, low 62° .38" precip.
May 24 – high 83°, low 57° .02" precip.	May 28 – high 71°, low 55° 1.17" precip.
May 25 – high 83°, low 64° .22" precip.	May 29 – high 75°, low 58° .62" precip.
May 26 – high 75°, low 57° .14" precip.	One Year Ago – June 5, 2018 high 86°, low 51°

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Gas Prices For This Week
The Illinois state gas tax doubles to 38 cents from 19 cents per gallon, which will vault the total tax burden on Illinois gas beyond states such as New York and California to second-highest in the nation, according to 2018 data from the Tax Foundation. The increase will be effective July 1. Safe travels.
Sources: <https://www.illinoispolicy.org>

City/Village	May 29	June 5
Dwight	\$2.72	\$2.70
Seneca	\$2.72	\$2.69
S. Wilmington	\$2.89	\$2.81
Streator	\$2.75	\$2.67
Odell	\$2.79	\$2.79
Saunemin	\$2.79	\$2.70
Cullom	\$2.77	\$2.87
Pontiac	\$2.79	\$2.75
Gardner	\$2.80	\$2.78
Braceville	\$2.80	\$2.80
Morris	\$2.70	\$2.68
Herscher	\$2.74	\$2.89
Kankakee	\$2.84	\$2.97
Chicago	\$3.30	\$3.70
Illinois	\$3.02	\$3.03
U.S.	\$2.85	\$2.81

Sources: GasBuddy.com and U.S. Energy Information Administration.
Gasoline price data collected by The Paper and brought to you by Steve's Tire.

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Downtown Construction



BE PREPARED FOR ONGOING CONSTRUCTION IN DOWNTOWN DWIGHT as the village begins the lengthy process of its East Main Street reconstruction project. The project scope includes new curb, gutter, sidewalks, and concrete pavement beginning on Franklin Street at Park Street and continuing to the south end of East Main Street. One priority will be completing East Main Street before Harvest Days, Dwight's biggest festival of the year. Harvest Days brings in thousands of visitors each year. The festival is scheduled Sept. 19-22 and is its 40th anniversary.



Livingston Co. Real Estate Tax Bills Mailed

Nikki Meier, Livingston County Treasurer, has announced that real estate tax bills were mailed Friday, May 31. A total of 25,926 tax bills were mailed. The estimated tax revenue to be collected on behalf of the 206 taxing bodies in the County is \$70,637,454.22.

The first installment will be due Friday, July 12, and the second installment will be due Thursday, September 12. Payments may be made at most County banks, by mail, or at the Treasurer's office in the Historic Courthouse in Pontiac. A drop box is located next to the south entrance of the Courthouse for after-hours payments.

Payments using a credit or debit card or e-check can also be made on the County's website, www.livingstoncountyil.gov – on the Treasurer's page. The credit card companies do charge a convenience fee and the fee will appear separately on both your receipt and monthly statement. The fee for processing an e-check is a flat rate.

After September 12, payments will not be accepted at area banks and *must* be made in person at the Treasurer's office. Personal checks will not be accepted after October 16, and payment after that date must be made with a cashier's check, money order, or cash. Delinquent Notices will be mailed on October 16. The names of delinquent property owners will be published in the local newspapers during the week of October 28. Online payments using a credit or debit card will be accepted up through November 8.

Several items of information are printed on the reverse side of the tax bill, which may answer most taxpayer questions. For further information, readers may call the office at 815-844-2306 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Livingston Co. Health Dept. T.B. Board, BoH Meetings

The Tuberculosis Board and Board of Health meetings for the Livingston County Public Health Department are scheduled for Monday, June 10, in the Conference Room of the Health and Education Building, 310 E. Torrance Ave., Pontiac.

Meeting times are as follows: the Tuberculosis Board Meeting is at 5:45 p.m. and the Board of Health meeting is at 6:00 p.m.

Gardner Garage Sales

The All Town Garage Sales in Gardner are set for Friday, June 7, from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., and Saturday, June 8, from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Maps will be available on sale days at 101 E. Washington St.

The event is sponsored by Gardner Grade School Book Club.

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If you own a business, you've always got plenty to think about: sales, marketing, employees, competition, industry trends, consumer preferences – the list goes on and on. It's easy to get so caught up in your work that you might not take time to think about retirement. But if and when that day arrives, you'll want to be prepared – which means you need a business succession plan.

You may want to know about some popular succession strategies, including:

Giving the business away – You can leave your business to your children, but if you transfer it during your lifetime, you may be able to obtain some valuable benefits. For example, by relinquishing control gradually, you can be reassured that your children will be able to manage the business on their own. This strategy may also offer tax benefits. You can give your business away outright, but you may want to consider using a trust or family limited partnership, both of which may allow you to control the business for as long as you want, while still receiving a regular income stream.

Selling the business outright – You can always sell your business outright whenever you like – right now, when you retire or some time in between. Of course, any sale brings tax considerations.

Using a buy-sell arrangement to transfer the business – Instead of simply selling the business in a traditional transaction, you could employ a buy-sell agreement. With this arrangement, you can generally determine when, to whom, and at what price you can sell it. If you would like to keep the business in your family, you may be able to fund the buy-sell agreement with life insurance, so family members could use the death benefit to buy your ownership stake.

Buying a private annuity – When you buy a private annuity, you can transfer the business to family members, or someone else, who will then make payments to you for the rest of your life, or, possibly, for your lifetime and that of a second person's. In addition to potentially providing you with a lifetime income stream, this type of sale can remove assets from your estate without triggering gift or estate taxes.

These and other techniques can be complex, so before deciding on what is best for your situation, you'll want to consult with your tax, legal and financial advisors. By taking your time and getting the professional help you need, you can make a successful succession choice.

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Meeting on Proposed Certified Crop Land Assessed Values for 2020 in Pontiac

There will be a public meeting on the proposed certified crop land assessed values for the 2020 assessment year at 9:00 a.m. Monday, June 17, in the Livingston County Historic Court-house Assessment Office meeting room, located on the first floor. The purpose of the meeting is to inform the public of the changes that will be occurring in 2020 based on the recent change in the law on farm land assessments.

The Farmland Assessment Law changed for the 2015 assessment year, as amended by Public Act 98-0109. 35 ILCS 200-10-115 now limits the annual change in farmland assessments to 10% from the preceding year's median soil productivity index certified assessed value with an additional \$5.00 per acre reduction for the 2015 assessment year only. The median productivity index for the State of Illinois is 111. As a result, farmland assessed values, on a per parcel basis, can change by more than 10%, with soils that have lower productivity indexes than the median increasing more than 10% and those with higher productivity indexes than the median increasing by less than 10%. The goal for the change in law is to close the gap between the poorer soils and the better soils. For 2015, there was a 22:1 ratio between the highest and lowest PI. For 2020, the gap will be reduced to 6:1.

The ultimate goal is to get that ratio to 2:1 by the year 2029.

For the 2020 assessment year, the Farmland Technical Advisory Committee has adjusted the certified values to limit the change to 10% from the preceding year's median soil productivity index certified assessed value. The median soil productivity index is 111, which results in an increase in the assessed value for each productivity index of \$32.01/acre from the 2018 assessment.

The effect of this law is to increase those productivity indexes below 111 at a faster rate than those above 111 to create a more narrow range of certified crop land assessed values. The 10% limit in the past has distorted the ratio in assessed values over the range of productivity indexes.

The meeting is open to the public.



Egg-Celent Job, Kids!

ON THURSDAY, MAY 30TH, Dwight Fire Department assisted the fourth-grade class at Dwight Common School with their egg drop competition. The students built homemade protective containers for their eggs, which were designed to cushion them from a fall. Mrs. Schultz and the fire crew from Tower 1819 dropped the eggs from a height of 20 feet.



Tractor Wheels 4-H group of Emington

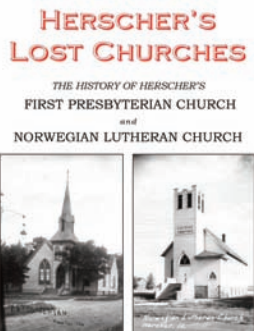
THE RAIN HELD OUT LONG ENOUGH for the Tractor Wheels 4-H group of Emington and surrounding areas to help the Emington Legion Post #459 and Auxiliary place flags and crosses at Union Cemetery in Emington March 25. The Veterans receive a flag, cross, and poppy wreath, while the Auxiliary members are recognized with a cross and poppy wreath. Between Veterans and Auxiliary members, there were 61 crosses and poppy wreaths placed, as well as 45 flags on the Veterans' graves. The Emington Legion handles 14 cemeteries, in which members of the Post #451 and members of the Auxiliary are recognized. Those helping, pictured, front row, were Jack Bunting, Cooper Irvin, Dane Frobish, Brady Marques, Sam Bunting, Ethan Marques; back row, Addison Austin, Morgyn Moyemont, Hayden Miller, Gabe Seabert, Issy Bunting, Hannah and Holden Miller.



Local History Book Wins Award

"Herscher's Lost Churches" by Jim Ridings of Herscher was chosen for a book award. The Illinois State Historical Society held its annual awards dinner -- "The Best of Illinois History 2019 Awards" -- in Petersburg on April 26, when Ridings was named among winners. This is the first history written about the Presbyterian and Norwegian Lutheran churches of Herscher. These were among first churches in the Herscher area. Both are gone now. The Herscher Presbyterian Church existed from 1879 to 1914, the Norwegian Lutheran Church from 1867 to 1965. This book includes information about the people who were members of these churches. You can't tell the story of a church without telling the story of the people. This book also includes a brief history of the founding of the village of Herscher, and many photographs of Old Herscher. Here is what the judges had to say: "Detailed, well organized, and populated with

some incredible photographs, it is most admirable, given that none of the original congregants remain. Although the book has no index, it is still a goldmine for genealogists in the Herscher area. The anecdotal histories, reprinted newspaper articles, and family narratives make 'Herscher's Lost Churches' a fascinating read and a model for community historians who seek to preserve their 'lost' history." The book is for sale at Bargains & Treasures, 396 N. Kennedy Dr., Bradley, and at Martin & Sons in downtown Herscher, and from Ridings' web site www.jimridings.com.



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Dwight Woman's Club GARDEN WALK

Sunday, June 9 • 1-5 p.m.

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Tickets are available from any Woman's Club Member in Advance or at the Prairie Creek Library or any of the Gardens on the Afternoon of the Walk.

BUTTERFLY LAUNCH @ 12:15 p.m. at DWC Butterfly Garden at Lions Lake with 2019 DWC Scholarship Winner Kaitlyn Harms

ALL PROCEEDS TO THE DWIGHT WOMAN'S CLUB SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Refreshments provided by Dwight Woman's Club members will be served at the Prairie Creek Library throughout the day.

Self Guided Tours at Five Private Home Gardens in Dwight

Don and Nancy Noascono 221 E. Philmar St.

Marla Kinkade 313 E. South St.

Tony and Dottie Jezek 321 S. Franklin St.

Wm. W. Fox Developmental Center – SE corner of Mazon Ave. & Prairie Ave.

St. Patrick Catholic Church – NW corner of Mazon Ave. & Prairie Ave.

and visit the Dwight Woman's Club Butterfly Garden at Lions Lake Dwight Farm to School Garden – Prairie Creek Library Art Show

Eastern Livingston County Tour Enjoyed by HCE

Livingston County HCE (Home Community Education Association) members had a very enjoyable trip to visit several locations in eastern Livingston County this spring. It was decided last year, since the group was celebrating the Bicentennial of Illinois and the Centennial of HCE in Livingston County, a local trip might be in order.

The first stop was in Chatsworth to visit several locations. The Bluebird Museum covered a lot of Chatsworth’s history. The group continued on to the Caboose Museum. There were plenty of questions for Richard Runyon, the mayor of Chatsworth, who served as tour director in his town. The group had plenty of stories to tell about one room School Houses as they visited the Schoolhouse Museum.

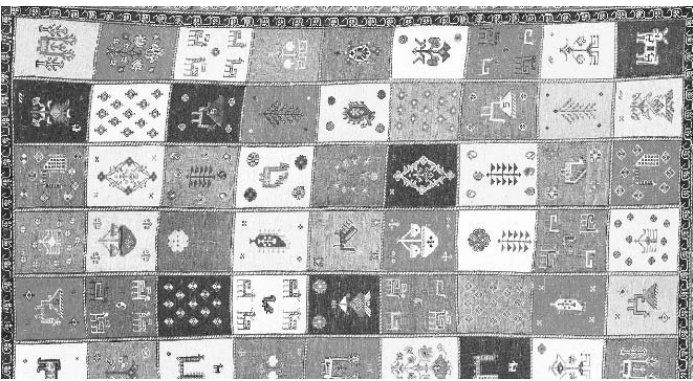
The group was treated to refreshments at a new shop that opened in Chatsworth called “Timber and Fieldstone.” The store opened specifically for the group.

The next stop was the Connection Center. This is a new community center that was built to inspire the youth and community. The Community has creative action stations for children, a loft area to play and even displays under glass in the floor.

The group hopped back on the bus and took a quick view of the Shell Station Museum which was being worked on, before heading off to lunch at the Mess Hall in Cullom. Sandy Gunther gave a tour of the Cullom Museum which had a variety of objects besides things related specifically to Cullom. Outside of Cullom the group stopped to visit the Franz Museum. This is a family-owned Museum. They have several rooms decorated as they would have been in 1900. These rooms used items that were taken directly from the family. But the collections do not stop there. A variety of other items, including farm machinery and cars, fascinated the group.

Moving on to Saunemin, HCE members were told the story of Albert Cashier. The group visited the home and grave and were given a talk by Alan Arnolts and Cheryl McDonnell.

It was a full day, but trip chairman Connie Kostelc reminded the group that there are many more things to see in the area since time restraints only allowed them to go to about half of the places. But everyone agreed they were interested in doing another local tour.



Kankakee QuiltMakers Meeting June 13

The Kankakee QuiltMakers Guild meeting is set for Thursday, June 13, at 7:00 p.m. at Calvary Bible Church, 2587 E. Armour Rd. in Bourbonnais.

The program for June will be “All about Fidget Quilts.” Local speakers will present their journey with making Alzheimer’s Quilts. If you have one and would like to share your story, take it to the meet-

ing – as they want to get many ideas.

The guild will be having a sewing day to make them for community places, which will be Saturday, June 15, at 9:00 a.m. at the Bourbonnais Library.

Contact Donna McGovern for more details at 708-828-5110.

Livingston County Retired Teachers’ Association Meeting June 20

The June meeting for the Livingston County Retired Teachers’ Association will be held Thursday, June 20, at Indian Creek Country Club in Fairbury. Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m., with brunch being served at 9:00 a.m. The program and business meeting will follow at 9:30 a.m.

The program for this meeting will be on Ewing Castle and presented by Toni Tucker. She is currently the Associate Director of University Advancement, and Director of Ewing Cultural Center. Toni was instrumental in the restoration and revitalization of Ewing Manor, making it a point of pride for the Bloomington/Normal community.

Before the meeting, there will be the opportunity to participate in the 50/50 drawing that helps raise funds for the two \$250 scholarships that are presented to active teachers who are chosen from the applications received by the scholarship committee. Donations

for these scholarships can also be made at any time by sending a check to the treasurer, Sue Schnell.

A special bonus at this meeting for golfers is the opportunity to play nine holes of golf, with a cart, for a fee. You can let Sue Schnell know when you send in your reservation, but this fee is to be paid directly to the Country Club.

The deadline for reservations is Friday, June 7. This is a week earlier than usual, but needed in order to honor the request of the Country Club. Reservations should be made with Sue Schnell at 815-867-0750 if you have not submitted the reservation sheet. A fee applies.

Any retired teacher who taught in Livingston County or who lives in Livingston Co. is welcome to attend the meetings. Other guests are also welcome. A reservation is needed, however.

Free Vacation Bible School at Church of Hope June 24-28

All children ages four (must be potty trained) to junior high are invited to join for Community Vacation Bible School the week of June 24-28, from 5:30-8:00 p.m., at the Church of Hope – located on the corner of Monroe and Jefferson in Gardner.

This year will include story time, crafts, music, and more. Also, they will have a new curriculum for the junior high age students that will focus on community service.

Vacation Bible School is *free* this year. Registration forms have been placed at the

following locations: South Wilmington Post Office, Gardner Post Office, and the Gardner Laundromat. You can also receive a form at the Church of Hope by calling 815-237-8312 and they will send them to you.

A drop off box for registration forms is located on the alley side of the church by the red door. **Try to pre-register by June 19**, as it helps make sure that enough supplies are purchased.

For more information, questions, or to volunteer, call the church or Pastor Jan at 815-592-7942.

Registration Begins for Morris Hospital Camp 911

Children entering third, fourth, or fifth grade in the fall of 2019 can become better prepared for emergencies by attending Camp 911, hosted by Morris Hospital and the Morris Community YMCA, Friday, June 21, from 9:00 a.m. to noon.

Due to construction taking place at the hospital, this year’s Camp 911 will be held at Saratoga School, 4040 N. Division St. in Morris. A fee applies per child.

The hands on program gives children an opportunity to talk to emergency medical services personnel and climb aboard an ambulance, try on fire fighter gear and sit in the driver’s seat of a fire truck, get a close up look at a medical helicopter, and practice talking to a 9-1-1 dispatcher. Through the support of many local agencies and volunteers, children can look forward to a morning full of fun and interactive activities that help teach them about 9-1-1, first aid, and what to do in case of emergency.

Representatives from Mor-

ris Emergency Medical Services, Morris Fire Department, Grundy County Sheriff’s Department, Morris Police Department, Morris Hospital, Minooka Fire Department, OSF Life Flight, Will County Sheriff’s Department, MABAS 15, Will County 911 Dispatcher, and Coal City Search & Rescue will be assisting with Camp 911 by providing instruction at the various stations. Each child will receive a t-shirt and a bag of items related to emergency preparedness.

Reservations and payment can be made through the Morris Hospital website, www.morrishospital.org/events. The number of spaces is limited and registration closes at 3:00 p.m. Monday, June 17.

This year’s Camp 911 sponsors include Morris Lions Club, EPIC Group, Morris Hospital Foundation, and Morris Youth Philanthropy Group at the Community Foundation of Grundy County.

For more information, call the hospital’s Education department at 815-705-7360.

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BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation,
Plaintiff
vs.
JAY R. PITCHFORD, TRACY PITCHFORD a/k/a TRACY FOLK, and unknown owners and non-record claimants, Defendants.
No. 19-CH-33
NOTICE

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

Lot 3 of Just in Case Subdivision Acres, being part of the West Half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 26, Township 28 North, Range 4 East of the Third Principal Meridian, Livingston County, Illinois, as per Plat recorded December 10, 1969 in Plat Book 9, Page 25 except the strip along the North side conveyed to the State of Illinois by Deed dated January 21, 1970 and recorded March 11, 1970 in Book 320 page 716 as Document Number 336051.

PIN: 14-26-201-004

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The title holder of record to the above described real estate is JAY R. PITCHFORD. The mortgage sought to be foreclosed is a mortgage executed on May 30, 2014 and recorded on June 2, 2014 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois, as document No. 629158. The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendants in Case No. 19-CH-33 is currently pending. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Donald R. McClarey, McClarey Law Firm, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

Consequently, unless you, unknown owners and non record claimants, file your answer to the complaint in this action or otherwise enter your appearance in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, held in the Law & Justice Center in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before July 5, 2019, 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.

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

SAUNEMIN FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements May 1, 2018 - April 30, 2019

General Fund		
Balance on Hand 5/1/2018		186,788.36
Revenues		
Liv. Co. Tax Collector	125,153.70	
State of Illinois, Replacement Tax	3,879.31	
Illinois Municipal, Foreign Fire Tax	680.09	
IL American Water, grant	996.00	
Compier, grant	1,300.00	
Misc., record fee	5.00	
Total Revenue	132,014.10	

Disbursements		
Chase, fuel & supplies	8,676.60	
Quad County, repairs	5,795.00	
TSC	435.24	
Frontier	2,079.09	
NICOR	1,164.77	
Com ED	1,448.38	
IL American Water	327.69	
Vermilion Va. ETSB	5,931.93	
State Bank of Saunemin, truck pmt.	17,500.00	
Alexis	137.06	
Municipal emergency s.	1,150.52	
Getz Fire Eq	133.50	
Penguin Mtg.	948.00	
Air One	1,194.00	
Liv Co Mutual Aid	335.00	
Bernie’s Auto	327.90	
The Paper	129.00	
IL Assoc. FPD Il Fire Chief	425.00	
Popejoy & Durham Electric	461.05	
Shawna Burton	6,545.30	
Darley	1,236.54	
ALL other vendors less than \$100	348.48	
Denny Rich, Trustee	750.00	
Bill Rich, Trustee	750.00	
Jim Tronc, Trustee	750.00	
Robert Fox, fireman	825.00	
Gary Swartz, Fire Chief	2,127.50	
Vance Miller, fireman	185.00	
Craig Cramer, fireman	565.00	
Craig Swartz, fireman	937.50	
Randy Mauser, fireman	215.00	
Elaine Walker, fireman	1,182.00	
Jason Maloney, fireman	370.00	
Austin Moore, fireman	460.00	
Gregg Harms, fireman	100.00	
Chris Smith, fireman	105.00	
Shawna Burton, fireman	705.00	
Tyler Roth, fireman	640.00	
Trevor Sancken, fireman	355.00	
Will Vitzthum, fireman	310.00	
Mark Eggenberger, fireman	75.00	
Total Disbursements	68,012.55	

Balance on Hand 4/30/2019 250,789.91

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Tort Insurance Fund	
Balance on Hand 5/1/2018	15,852.31
Revenue	
Livingston Co. Tax Collector	16,002.32
Am Guard, refund	184.00
Total Revenue	16,186.32

Disbursements	
Compass Insurance	10,653.00
GSB, workman’s comp.	499.80
Am Guard	912.00
Total Disbursements	12,064.80

Balance on Hand 4/30/2019 19,973.83

Rescue & Equipment Fund	
Balance on Hand 5/1/2018	29,373.71
Revenue	
Livingston Co. Tax Collector	16,941.58
Blue Cross, Health Alliance, others	10,195.30
Physio Control, refund	1,428.00
Total Revenue	28,564.88

Disbursements	
Duffy EMS, ALS intercept	1,578.30
TSC Truck	34.00
Praxair, oxygen	1,425.49
Physiocontrol, service	1,696.28
Chase, supplies	1,114.42
Avocation Software, billing	6.60
IDPH, renewal	25.00
Total Disbursements	5,880.09

Balance on Hand 4/30/2019 52,058.50

The foregoing is a true and correct statement of all receipts and disbursements for the year ended April 30, 2019 and the State of the Treasury as of April 30, 2019.

Jim Tronc, Treasurer

Subscribed and sworn before me by said Jim Tronc, Trustee and Treasurer of the Saunemin Fire Protection District, this 30th day of May, 2019.

Cindy J. Bertsche, Notary Public



ST. PAUL SCHOOL STUDENTS competed in a solo and ensemble contest – all as soloists. They are Sam Pugh, Hannah Miller, Tyler Frauli, Nolan Weis, Brooke Armour, Libby Imhoff, Hana Bartnik, and Emerson Peters. Bartnik and Peters also participated in instrumental solos.

For reservations, call Joy Ahearn at 815-584-5070.

THE LIVINGSTON COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH BOARD acknowledged Steve Tock, of Dwight, for his 16 years of service on the Livingston County Mental Health Board. Pictured at the May 16 meeting is Tock, left, being presented with a certificate from Jack Vietti, President of the Livingston County Mental Health Board.



BOY SCOUT AUSTIN NICCUM, from Troop 459 – sponsored by the Godley Park District, finished up his Hiking merit badge by hiking 20 miles on May 25. Austin, with scoutmaster Tom McDaniel and adult leader John Hunt, hiked 20 miles along the I & M Canal from Houbolt road in Joliet to Stratton State Park in Morris. The entire trip took just under ten hours to complete, starting at 6:15 a.m. and finishing at 4:10 p.m. The first five miles had many mosquitoes, to the point where scoutmaster McDaniel says “it felt like everyone was doing the Macarena dance.” Throughout the entire hike, wildlife was seen, including turtles, herons, geese, ducks, muskrat, and the most exciting – a bald eagle perched on a tree about 20 feet from the trail. Pictured is Austin taking a break at the ten mile mark in the CCC shelter at McKinley Woods in Channahon.

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A large group of approximately 60 people, mostly women, are posed in several rows in a wooded area. Many are wearing purple polo shirts with the Hospice of the Valley logo. In the front row, several people are kneeling or sitting on a rocky path, accompanied by four dogs: a white dog, a small brown dog, a white dog, and a large golden retriever. The background consists of dense green trees and foliage.

- Connie Lemon, Executive Director
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Two Odell Students Graduate Cum Laude from St. Ambrose

St. Ambrose University in Davenport, IA, held its spring commencement ceremony May 11 at the TaxSlayer Center in Moline, with two students from Odell graduating cum laude. They are:

- **Madison Grundler** – cum laude, Women and Gender Studies.
- **Molly Verdun** – cum laude, Strategic Communication.

Samuel R. Allen, chairman and CEO of Deere & Company, was the commencement speaker and received an honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree during the commencement ceremony.

Dayna Moritz Kinkade Receives Veterinary College Award

Dayna Moritz Kinkade, who recently completed her first year of veterinary education, was honored at the University of Illinois College of Veterinary Medicine’s annual awards program in May. Moritz Kinkade is the wife of Shawn Kinkade of Piper City, and daughter of Anthony and Jodi Moritz of Cabery.

Moritz Kinkade was a recipient of the Dr. and Mrs. Roger Dupuis Scholarship.

Moritz Kinkade graduated from Tri-Point High School in Cullom in 2014. She then attended the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, earning a bachelor’s degree in 2018 in animal sciences.

Daniel Muller Makes SIU Dean’s List

Daniel R. Muller, a sophomore from Dwight, earned Dean’s List recognition at Southern Illinois University for the spring 2019 semester.

Circle Jam in Godley Park June 8

Take your instrument and play, sing, or just enjoy yourself at the Godley Park District Circle Jam – slated for Saturday, June 8, from 5:00-8:00 p.m. in the Rec Hall under the water tower in Godley.

For more information on this family oriented event, contact Randy Kiefling at 815-237-8139 or 815-210-2563.

Circle Jam dates for the remainder of 2019 are as follows: July 13; August 10; September 14; October 12; November 8. There is no Jam in December.



JOE SWITHEN AND CALEB LEACH, PRAIRIE CENTRAL COOP, presented the Dwight Fire Protection District a donation of \$5,000 PLUS an additional \$5,000 from GROWMARK. The funds will be used to purchase new rescue equipment for the front line engines.



YOUNG ENTREPRENEURS MIKAYLA AND CLOE set up a lemonade stand last week raising funds to give to the Livingston County Humane Society. Great work, girls.

Dolores Maxson Celebrates 90th Birthday

Dolores (Bellis) Maxson recently celebrated her 90th birthday.

She was born on June 3, 1929, to Andrew and Mary (Duay) Bellis. She married Millard Maxson, of Saunemin, and is the mother of Edward (Sheree), Susan, Stephen, and

Mary Ruth; grandmother to Andrew (Natasha), Aaron (Christine), Cameron, and Austin; and great-grandmother to Mia Rose.

Wishes can be sent to Dolores Maxson, Chatsworth, IL 60921.

Grand Opening of Sereno Family Addition in Morris June 13

The Grundy County Historical Society is inviting the public to join them for the Grand Opening of the Sereno Family Addition Thursday, June 13, between 5:00-7:00 p.m. at the G.C.H.S. Museum, 510 W. Illinois Ave. in Morris.

Ken and Joan Sereno gener-

ously donated the funds for the new addition to the Museum that features new exhibits.

There will be a check presentation by Three Rivers Assoc. of Realtors to help sponsor their new Coal Mine exhibit, with their first interactive display.

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Chicago-Based Performer at Prairie Creek Library June 18



Jilann Gabrielle

Critically acclaimed Jilann Gabrielle, actor/writer/producer from the Chicago-based theatre scene, will take her third hit, *Joan & Bette Bette & Joan*, her original one-woman musical about Joan Crawford and Bette Davis, to Prairie Creek Library, 501 Carriage House Lane in Dwight, at 6:30

p.m. Tuesday, June 18.

This musical finds these iconic superstars of the silver screen in purgatory in the same body. Involved in a real and manufactured feud for most of their screen careers, the actresses defend their lives to the powers that be. Comedic rapid fire exchanges and attacks drag out all the skeletons from each other’s closets, including their disdain for each other, their professional jealousy, their failed marriages (each had four), their competition for the same men, their troubled childhoods, and their eldest daughters who both wrote scathing books about them.

Gabrielle has performed extensively as a comedienne, emcee, in theater, film, television, and in voiceover work. She has appeared in over 35 leading roles in musicals and comedy/drama shows, including *Evita*, *Peter Pan*, *Into the Woods*, and *Born Yesterday*.

This performance is intended for adults due to content and is free and open to the public.

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Rocketman (R) Thu: 1:00, 4:15, 7:10, 10:15

Aladdin (PG) Thu: 12:30, 6:40

Aladdin in RealD 3D (PG) Thu: 3:55, 10:10

BrightBurn (R) No Passes Thu: 1:30, 4:30

John Wick: Chapter 3 - Parabellum (R) Thu: 12:45, 3:45

Dark Phoenix (PG-13) Thu: 7:25, 9:40

The Secret Life of Pets 2 (PG) Thu: 6:50, 9:20

To buy tickets, visit www.eagletheater.net

Showtime Hotline: 815.673.7229

Hospice of Kankakee Valley to Open Community Grief Center

In 1982, Hospice of Kankakee Valley (HKV) was formed when a need for hospice care was discovered in the community. Since then, HKV has grown significantly – providing care for over 1,200 patients a year in the six counties they now serve.

Thanks to continuous support and generosity from these communities, HKV is pleased to announce they are expanding their services again to fulfill another need in the community by opening a Community Grief Center.

Grief support has always been a part of the continuum of care at HKV and is offered to the community free of charge, whether or not your loved one was on hospice care. The dedicated grief counselors at HKV serve hundreds of clients each year, providing individual

counseling, grief support groups including the annual family grief camp and provide support to other organizations in the community such as schools, long term care facilities, and more.

As the program continued to grow over the years, the need for additional resources became clear.

The recent purchase of the Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd off of Career Center Road in Bourbonnais will now allow their services to continue to grow. An extensive remodel of the building is next on the agenda with hopes of having it complete by late summer.

The vision includes utilizing the entire property. The outdoor space provides a generous amount of room for garden pathways and sitting areas to be used for reflection and healing.

The interior will feature meeting spaces for groups of all ages with areas specifically designed for children and teens, quiet spaces for individual counseling, and a conference suite for hosting larger events. The conference suite will also be used for education events for the community and other area health care providers. HKV provided workshops to over 1,000 people in 2018.

Grief support is currently offered at HKV’s office location at 482 Main Street NW in Bourbonnais, where it will continue during the construction of the center. The HKV business office will remain at the Main St. location once the center is operational.

For more information about their grief support programs, call the office at 815-939-4141 or visit hkvcare.org.

Babysitter’s Training Course at Morris Hospital

Morris Hospital & Healthcare Centers is offering a Babysitter’s Training Course on four different dates this summer, with the first class being held Thursday, June 13, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in Whitman Assembly Room 1 on the lower level at Morris Hospital, 150 W. High St. A registration fee applies, which includes lunch.

The Babysitter’s Training Course is designed for youths age 11 and older who are interested in acquiring the information and education needed for a safe babysitting experience. Topics

include first aid, diapering and feeding techniques, bedtime strategies, safe and appropriate toys and games, and preparing for a babysitting interview. Participants should take a doll to class.

In addition to June 13, the class will be offered from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Friday, July 12; Friday, August 2; and Saturday, September 7.

Class size is limited. Register online at www.morrishospital.org/events or call 815-705-7365.

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Saturday, June 8, from 4:30 – 6:30 PM

New Hope Presbyterian Church

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OBITUARIES

Martha Vitzthum

Martha Arlene Vitzthum, 85, passed away Monday, May 27, 2019 at Even-glow Inn in Pontiac.

She was born September 29, 1933 in Pontiac, daughter of Victor H. Sr. and Mattie Dudgeon Johns. She married Clair J. “Bugs” Vitzthum June 7, 1952. He passed away September 25, 2015.

Surviving are her children: John (Nancy) Vitzthum, Marsha Weber, Ricky (Elaine) Vitzthum, all of Pontiac; Norma Ehrhardt of Emington; Nancy (Jon) Haag of Saunemin; Sherrie (Russell) Kuntz of Gridley; Charles (Lisa) Vitzthum, Mary (Dennis) Leach, and Teresa Masching, all of Pontiac.

One brother-in-law, Bill Vitzthum of Pontiac; three sisters-in-law: Jean Girardi of Bloomington; Vivian “Sue” (Al) Rich of Saunemin; and Delores Vitzthum of Puyallup, Washington; 20 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren, with four great-grandchildren on the way, also survive.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; nine siblings: Herbert Johns, William “Joe” Johns, Ruth Diemer, Mary Green, Aletha



Johns, Betty Johns, Norma Kridner, Philip Johns, and Victor Johns, Jr.; and one son-in-law, Charles Ehrhardt.

Martha grew up in Saunemin and graduated from Saunemin High School in 1952. She was a farm wife and homemaker her whole life, raising nine children. She loved to read, attend her grandchildren’s events and go for rides. She also enjoyed visiting with family and friends.

Father David Sabel officiated at her 10 a.m., May 31, funeral service in St. Mary’s Catholic Church, Pontiac.

Burial followed in Sunny Slope Cemetery, Saunemin. Visitation was Thursday from 4 until 7 p.m. in the church. A rosary was recited at 3:15 p.m.

Memorials may be made to Evenglow Inn, Pontiac; Transitions Hospice, Huntley, IL; St. Mary’s Church, Pontiac; and the Saunemin Fire Department, Saunemin.

Online condolences may be made to the family at: duffyfuneralhome.com or on facebook.

Duffy - Baier - Snedecor Funeral Home, Pontiac, was in charge of arrangements.

Chad Cramer

SOUTH WILMINGTON – Chad Michael Cramer, 41, of South Wilmington passed away Sunday, May 26, 2019 in Gardner, due to injuries suffered in a motorcycle accident.

Chad was born September 11, 1977 in Joliet, son of Randall and Betha Avon Cramer.

He excelled at pool and played in many tournaments. An avid Chicago Cubs and University of Michigan fan, he also coached grade school basketball for a few years, and one year took the team to regionals.

Chad also enjoyed riding his motorcycle, fishing and playing slow pitch softball. Most of all he enjoyed spending time with friends and family.

Surviving are his father, Randy Cramer of Cadiz, Kentucky; sisters: Buffy (Brian) Cramer-Hammann and Christy

(Scott) Lee, both of Elgin; nieces, Gabrielle and Gillian; nephew, Jackson; and many close friends.

Preceding him in death were his mother and all of his grandparents.

Cremation rites were accorded.

A memorial service was Saturday, June 1, at 3 p.m. at the R.W. Patterson Funeral Home, with Pastor Jan Chandler officiating.

Inurnment: private.

Visitation was for one hour preceding the Saturday service.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in his name may be directed to St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital or Toys for Tots.

You may visit his online guestbook at: www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com or on facebook.

Robert W. Hank

SUN CITY WEST, AZ – Robert W. “Bob” Hank, 80, passed away peacefully at his Sun City West, Arizona residence May 23, 2019 after a long illness.

Graveside services will be held at noon, Saturday, June 15, 2019 in McDowell Cemetery, Dwight.

Robert was born in Chicago Heights, Illinois March 15, 1939, son of Wesley and Edna Matthies Hank. He graduated from Bloom Township High School and attended DeVry Technical Institute. He retired from Mobil Oil Joliet Refinery after a 30-year career. He enjoyed traveling, golfing, and the company of his family and friends.

He is survived by his wife, Edna Frances “Fran” Hank; daughters: Carol (Ronald) Strohbeck and Catherine (Mark) Gartke; four grandchil-

dren: Matthew Eiben, Madeleine Gartke, Nicholas Raney and Andrew Gartke; step-children: Dave (Peggy) Kodat, Rod (Kristy) Kodat, and Kim Kodat; and nine step-grandchildren: Trevor, Courtney, Leah, Ryan, Kayla, Cassy, Alex, Jill and Austin.

He is also survived by a sister, Rosemary (Ralph, deceased) Opelt; and a brother, Douglas (Donna) Hank, and their families.

He was preceded in death in 2009 by his wife of 46 years, Judith Friar Hank.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Parkinson’s Foundation (www.parkinson.org), 200 SE 1st Street, Suite 800, Miami, Florida 33131; or the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, (www.jdrf.org), 26 Broadway, 14th Floor, New York, NY 10004.

Jean C. Fischer

LAKEVIEW, ARKANSAS – Jean C. Fischer, 86, of Lakeview, Arkansas passed away Thursday, May 23, 2019 in Gassville, Arkansas.

A Celebration of Life will be later this summer in the Bull Shoals United Methodist Church in Bull Shoals, Arkansas.

She was born April 16, 1933 in Gardner, daughter of Clyde and Gertrude Kroll Brooks. She married her high school sweetheart, Robert M. Fischer, on June 14, 1952.

Jean worked as secretary for a real estate developer. She lived in Lakeview since moving from Crystal Lake, IL in 1998.

Jean was a member of the Bull Shoals United Methodist Church and the Hooters Red Hat Ladies. She was an accomplished quilter and knitter, loved nature, her plants, and

feeding her birds.

Jean is survived by her son, Robert (Lisa) Fischer of Naples, Florida; brother, William (Barb) Brooks of Gardner; two sisters: Phyllis

(David) Maskel of Morris and Faye (Bill) Malek of Lakeview, Arkansas; grandchildren: Bradley Fischer and Brooke (John Calvin) Fischer of Florida; great-grandchildren: Gavin and Elly of Florida; son-in-law, Frank Van Milligen; and a number of nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, and daughter, Stephanie Van Milligen.

Visit an online obituary and guestbook at: www.kirbyandfamily.com

Arrangements are by Kirby and Family Funeral, Bull Shoals, Arkansas.

Myrtle E. Sparenberg Prussner

CLIFTON – Myrtle E. William Sparenberg Prussner of Clifton and formerly of Reddick passed away Friday, May 31, 2019.

She was born October 12, 1926 in Hoxie, Kansas, daughter of Ada R. Selbe and Lorenzo L. William. She attended a country school for two-and-a-half years, then Hoxie Grade School and Sheridan High School.

She attended Kansas City Secretarial School and worked in Kansas City.

On October 5, 1947 she married Wayne L. Sparenberg in the Hoxie Methodist Church. Following his discharge from the Naval Air Corps in 1948, they moved to a farm in Danforth, where they farmed for 45 years, retiring to Ashkum in 1991.

They had four sons: Jerald, Dennis, Carl and Bill. Wayne passed away May 10, 1993.

Myrtle served in many positions in the Ashkum United Methodist Church, and was part of many mission trips to Mexico. She was happiest when serving others wherever the Lord called her. She enjoyed sewing and photography.

On June 28, 1997, she married C. Ray Prussner of Reddick. They lived at Reddick until 2018. They continued the mission work that they loved in Mexico, Red Bird Mission in Kentucky, Alaska and Chile, as well as several places in the United States. Her biggest joy was her church and her family.

Survivors include three sons and four daughters-in-law: Jerald (Doris) Sparenberg of Schertz, TX; June Sparenberg of Bryan, TX; Carl (Marcy) Sparenberg of Danforth; and Bill (Jean) Sparenberg of Clifton.

Ten grandchildren: from Texas: Christine (Jerry) Cappezutti of Cedar Park; An-



drew (Stacy) Sparenberg of Canyon Lake; Keith (Monica) Sparenberg of Houston; Karen (Ed) Ray of Round Rock; Kari Sparenberg of Bryan; and Kristin Sparenberg of College Station; Paul (Liz) Sparenberg of Brighton, MI; Jill (Jeff) Burdick of Richmond, VA; Amy Sparenberg of Decatur; and Aaron Sparenberg of Schaumburg also survive.

Twelve great-grandchildren: Savannah Smith and Zabrina and Nathan Sparenberg; Jessina and Kate Sparenberg and Kyle Jaskula and Ava and Jayda Sparenberg, and Madeline and Charlotte and Jack and Henry Sparenberg; one step-son, David (Debi) Prussner of Bourbonnais; two step-granddaughters, Lora Haven (Steve Keys) of Mokense and Missi Olson of Lisle; two sisters-in-law, Frances William and Helen William; one brother-in-law, Harold (Arvilla) Taylor, all of Hoxie; a sister-in-law, Joyce Sparenberg of Gilman, and numerous nieces and nephews also survive.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Wayne; one son, Dennis; and one grandson, Kyle; her parents; two sisters, Norma Ackerman and Ina Taylor; two brothers, Ronald and Donald William; and one step-son, Randy Prussner.

Visitation was from 4 until 8 p.m., Tuesday, June 4, at Knapp Funeral Home, Clifton.

Funeral services will be held at a later date.

Memorials may be made in lieu of flowers to Ashkum United Methodist Church or Kankakee Valley Hospice.

You may share a memory of Myrtle at www.knappfuneralhomes.com

Minutes with Boma



Texas

After spending almost a week in Texas I am finally back in Illinois. I will now be providing some of my takeaways from my most recent trip.

In a weird way, I think the first and biggest thing that I’ll take away is that I almost enjoy the weather in Illinois more than I do in Texas. From the time I stepped off of the plane until the time I stepped back on it I was, in some form or another, sweating. Obviously, we have the terrible winters, and it gets very cold. But the heat is never like the heat that I experienced in Houston, Texas, and when we do experience it, it’s usually for very short stretches and not entire summers. The heat was unbelievable.

The second takeaway, this one I probably already knew somewhat just from observing on TV, but the Cubs fans travel, and they travel very well. This may be less than them actually traveling to these places and more so them just residing in the cities the Cubs visit. Nonetheless, the stadium was probably 60/40 Astros fans to Cubs fans. It was also Memorial Day weekend so I’m sure that brought some fans that might not have otherwise attended from the Chicago area. The scene was very much like that in Colorado, so this was not an isolated incident. The Cubs fans are everywhere.

3. This one I believe is specific just to Texas but the gas station known as “Buc-ee’s”, it’s incredible. Every state should have one, although it currently appears that Florida and Alabama are the only two states that have any aside from Texas. The one I visited also had the world’s longest car wash at approximately 225 ft. Being from Central Illinois obviously Casey’s is the convenience store/gas station close to home, but it unfortunately just doesn’t hold a candle to Buc-ee’s. Dare I say it may be worth going to Texas just to visit this gas station.

To recap, it’s hot, Cubs fans don’t sleep, and they really do do everything bigger in Texas, including gas stations and car washes.

Aaron J. Boma
2016 ISU Grad

COMMENTARY

Detention Center?

It was my good fortune to be visited last week by Marlen Garcia, a journalist for the Chicago Sun-Times. Garcia was preparing to write an editorial: “Say no to private detention centers” for the May 31 edition of the Sun-Times, and was looking for thoughts from Dwight people whose village leaders had recently okayed a privately operated detention center in Dwight.

Garcia couldn’t locate the mayor or any of the trustees for comments, so knocked on doors. One was ours.

I told her that I was in favor of the detention center in Dwight, and she was kind with her remarks about me in her editorial.

All of this is rather immaterial due to the fact the Illinois legislature recently passed a bill that banned “for-profit” immigration detention centers in Illinois. It awaits Gov. Pritzker’s signature.

However, Garcia failed to include in her editorial my remark to her that I thought Pritzker was waiting to make

certain that once he ran off the alleged for-profit detention centers, he could have the State of Illinois open its own.

Far out? Perhaps, but I think Pritzker smells money a mile away.

Garcia also failed to include any of my remarks about the fact Kankakee County has had, in effect, a “detention center” for federal ICE detainees since 2016, for which the county recently penned a new contract with the U.S. Marshal’s Service which will raise the daily charge from \$80 to \$90 per day per federal inmate.

Kankakee Co. Sheriff Mike Downey said the increase would amount to another \$1.2 million a year in revenue.

Kankakee Journal writer David Giuliani noted that “the sheriff was careful not to call that money a profit, noting it is used for other government purposes.”

Profit? No-profit? There is still a problem out there that needs to be addressed.

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Dwight Township High School's Class of 2019 turned their tassels at graduation on Friday, May 24. They're shown celebrating 12 years of primary education. Former Philadelphia Eagles tight end and DTHS graduate Clayton Lee Harbor, top left, was the guest speaker. Gretchen Hilt, left, also spoke to her fellow graduating classmates of 2019.

Shayla Loring Photography



DTHS Class of '19 Award Winners

- The following graduating seniors at Dwight Township High School were award recipients for the 2018-19 school year:
- Gabrielle Shae Barlow** – Chesebro/Cushman/Kyser Scholarship.

Kathryn Grace Berta – Illinois State Scholar, Ag. Dept. Award, English Dept. Award, A.B. Terwilliger Scholarship, Bank of Pontiac Scholarship, FFA Scholarship, Friends of Nate Severson Scholarship.

Peyton Robert Byerley – Cathy & Lee Nelson Education Scholarship.

Danielle Marie Carlson – Roger B. Gomien Memorial

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Riley Grace Connolly – Illinois State Scholar, SVC Scholarship.

Andrew Michael Curl – Glenn W. Funk Memorial Scholarship.

Amber Jean Gajda – Art Dept. Award.

Logan Mark Graham – Physical Education Dept. Award, American Legion Outstanding Athlete Award.

James Robert Harkenrider – Technology Dept. Award, Football Fanatics Scholarship, JJJ Scholarship.

Kaitlyn Rose Harms – Dwight Woman's Club Scholarship.

Gretchen Angela Hilt – Illinois State Scholar, Science Dept. Award, J. Phillip Sousa Band Award, C. Whitson Band Award, American Legion Outstanding Female, American Legion Outstanding Band, Bank of Pontiac Scholarship, Cathy & Lee Nelson Education Scholarship, Chesebro/Cushman/Kyser Scholarship, DAW Good Citizen Award, Dwight

Lions Club Scholarship, Sancken-Sole Realty Scholarship, SVC Scholarship, VFW Scholarship, Warren Herter Memorial Scholarship.

Miranda Purnell Holte – FACS Dept. Award, M. Nelson Band Award.

Gabrielle Marie Mascolo – Illinois State Scholar, Spanish Dept. Award, American Legion Female Runner-up Citizen, Chesebro/Cushman/Kyser Scholarship, Dean Ritter Trust Scholarship.

Reece Taylor Mortensen – FFA Scholarship, LSC Communications Scholarship, Nate Severson Family Memorial Scholarship.

Andrew Peter Myzia – Illinois State Scholar, L. Armstrong Band Award.

Dane Michael Rodosky – Football Fanatics Scholarship.

Juan Carlos Santos – Illinois State Scholar.

Carli Schlabowske – Ivan "Zeke" Zimmerman Scholarship.

Cal Sterling Schultz – Football Fanatics Scholarship, LSC Communications Scholarship.

Joseph Charles Scott – Illinois State Scholar, Industrial Arts Dept. Award.

Xaivier Matthew Slaughter – Social Studies Dept. Award, SOCU Scholarship.

Melissa Mae Stewart – American Legion Outstanding Female Athlete.

Sofia Holland Swink – Illinois State Scholar.

Chase Riley Travers – MacAero Scholarship for Aeronautics & Aviation.

Dakota James Wahl – Illinois State Scholar, Math Dept. Award, American Legion Outstanding Male Award, Chesebro/Cushman/Kyser Scholarship, Football Fanatics Scholarship, Dwight Lions Club – Keith Lauritzen Memorial Scholarship, Horatio Alger Scholarship, SVC Scholarship, SVC Scholarship.

Timothy Matthew Western – Illinois State Scholar, Chorus Dept. Award, Honorable Mention, American Legion Honorable Mention, Dwight Education Association Scholarship.

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SPORTS



LOGAN GRAHAM, Dwight Township High School football standout, has signed on to play football at North Central College. Pictured, from left, are his father, Mike Graham, Logan, his mother Amie Graham, and brother Blake.

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'16 GMC Sierra Crew SLT Z71, 4x4, 20" Chrome	\$37,995
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DTHS Softball Awards



DTHS SOFTBALL STANDOUTS gathered for a photo opportunity. They are, pictured, from left, Rachel Heath (Offensive Player of the Year), Katy Edwards (Most Valuable Player), and Kayla Kodat (Defensive Player of the Year).



THE DTHS LADY TROJANS had the following softball players earn All-Conference honors in the Sangamon Valley Conference. They are, pictured, front row, left to right, Kat Harms (2nd Team), Jordan Schultz (Honorable Mention), Alexis Thetard (2nd Team); back row, Kayla Kodat (1st Team), Danielle Carlson (1st Team), Isabelle Schultz (1st Team), and Rachel Heath (1st Team). Not pictured is Katy Edwards (1st Team).



VARSITY LETTER WINNERS for the Dwight Lady Trojans' 2018 team were recently announced. Pictured, front row, from left, Coach Kolby Golden, Jordan Schultz, Nora Anderson, Rachel Heath, Kelly Deterding, Alexis Thetard, Coach Chuck Trainor; back row, Coach Jamie Stanton, Abby Rodosky, Danielle Carlson, Kat Harms, Isabelle Schultz, and Kayla Kodat. Not pictured are Katy Edwards and Lora Weir.

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NOTICE OF SOLICITATION OF BIDS

BY VILLAGE OF DWIGHT FOR THE SALE

OF SURPLUS REAL ESTATE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Village of Dwight is hereby soliciting bids for the sale of certain real estate, hereinafter described, pursuant to Ordinance #1421 passed by the President and Board of Trustees (Corporate Authorities) of the Village of Dwight at the regularly scheduled meeting of the Corporate Authorities held on Monday, May 13, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.

The real estate for which bids are being solicited is as follows:

- Tract 1:**
1201 S. Union Street, Dwight, IL 60420
Lot 23 in Scott’s Subdivision to Dwight, Livingston County, Illinois.
P.I.N.: 05-09-478-002
Zoning: R1 – One Family Residential District
Current Use: Vacant Lot
- Tract 2:**
221 E. Waupansie Street, Dwight, IL 60420
Lot 2, EXCEPT the East 10 feet thereof, in Block 5 in Spencer’s Addition to Dwight, Livingston County, Illinois.
P.I.N.: 05-04-479-011
Zoning: R-2 – One Family Residential District
Current Use: Vacant Lot

- Tract 3:**
300 Odell Road, Dwight, IL 60420
Lot 3 and the East Half of Lot 4 in Block 3 in Morgan’s Addition to the Village of Dwight, Livingston County, Illinois.
P.I.N.: 05-09-179-007
Zoning: R-2 – One Family Residential District
Current Use: Vacant Lot

- Tract 4:**
305 E. Delaware Street, Dwight, IL 60420
Lot 5 in Block 5 in Mary Rutzer’s Addition to the Village of Dwight, Livingston County, Illinois.
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Zoning: R-3 – General Residential District/F1 – Flood Plain District
Current Use: Vacant Lot

- Tract 5:**
411 W. Delaware Street, Dwight, IL 60420
Lot 6 in Block 2 in Newell’s Addition to Dwight, Livingston County, Illinois.
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Current Use: Vacant Lot

Each Tract of real estate as described above is unimproved real estate and is located within the corporate limits of the Village of Dwight. Each Tract is subject to the Village of Dwight Zoning and Use Restrictions within the zoning district in which each respective Tract lot is located.

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A copy of the Commitment for Title Insurance issued with respect to each Tract shall be available at the Dwight Public Services Complex Building located at 209 S. Prairie Avenue, Dwight, IL 60420, for inspection by prospective bidders during regular business hours.

Bidding Procedure

Bids shall be submitted separately for each Tract. Each bid shall be placed in a separate sealed envelope, and indicating on the bid and on the bid envelope the Tract number and address of the Tract for which the bid is being submitted, and the name, address, and telephone number of the bidder. The amount of the bid should not be shown on the bid envelope, but only on the bid to be placed within the sealed bid envelope. The sealed bid envelope should then be delivered to the Village of Dwight at the Public Services Complex Building located at 209 S. Prairie Avenue, Dwight, IL 60420 during regular business hours from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. If mailed, the bid envelope containing the bid should be placed in a separate envelope for mailing the bid envelope containing the bid to the Village of Dwight, Public Services Complex Building, 209 S. Prairie Avenue, Dwight, IL 60420.

Bids must be received by Monday, June 24, 2019, at 5:00 p.m. at the Dwight Public Services Complex Building located at 209 S. Prairie Avenue, Dwight, IL 60420. All bids must be physically received on or before the above date and time to be considered. Bids that are not received prior to the above date and time will not be considered, including any bids that were mailed by not received on or before the above date and time.

Bids shall be opened at the regular meeting of the President and Village Board of Trustees on Monday, June 24, 2019 at 6:30 p.m. at the Public Services Complex Building located at 209 S. Prairie Avenue, Dwight, IL 60420. The meeting is held in the council room in the basement of the Public Services Complex Building at 209 S. Prairie Avenue, Dwight, IL.

With respect to bids received for each Tract, the Corporate Authorities may accept the highest bid, or any other bid determined to be in the best interests of the Village of Dwight, by a three-quarters vote of the Corporate Authorities then holding office with respect to each Tract. By a majority vote, the Corporate Authorities may reject any individual bid, and any/or all bids, regardless of amount.

Closing Procedure

Closing shall be within 30 days after acceptance of the bid, or on the second business day after the 30th day, if the 30th day after acceptance of the bid is not during a regular business day. Closing may also be extended in the sole discretion of the Village of Dwight if reasonably required to properly close the transaction. Closing will be either at the title insurance company issuing the Commitment for Title Insurance, or at the office of the Seller’s attorney, as determined by the Village of Dwight.

At closing, the successful bidder shall pay the bid price, less any credits that may be applicable, by a cashier’s check payable to the Village of Dwight. Buyer will also pay any costs that are normal and usual and payable by Buyers of real estate.

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ROUND GROVE TOWNSHIP ANNUAL REPORT APRIL 2018 THROUGH MARCH 2019	
	Apr.'18 - Mar. '19
Ordinary Income/Expense	
Income	
Rent income	3,500.00
Tax payment	49,936.99
Tax payment R	45,081.08
Tax replacement	2,182.54
Tax Replacement R	10,292.23
Total Income	110,992.84
Expense	
Accounting	540.00
Aid to client	1,000.00
Bank Service Charges	169.76
Construction	2,905.00
Diesel fuel	2,498.95
Dues and Subscriptions	271.85
Equip. purchase	17,599.28
Gravel Hauled	25,333.99
Insurance	6,873.00
Interest Expense	-6.59
IRA contribution	780.00
IRA contribution/employee	660.00
Lease Payment	188.92
Miscellaneous	0.00
Parts	74.08
Parts & Service	14,620.28
Payroll Expenses	26,103.49
Payroll Expenses Road	1,170.32
Publishing	69.00
Reimbursement expense	23.37
Road Patching	4,000.00
Service	1,975.00
Tax, Fed.	6,448.83
Tax, State	1,164.00
Telephone	88.59
Transfer out	30,000.00
Truck Allowance	3,600.00
Utilities	
Gas and Electric	3,062.76
Total Utilities	3,062.76
Total Expense	151,213.88
Net Ordinary Income	-40,221.04
Other Income/Expense	
Other Income	
C.O.D. Interest	247.38
Dividend Income	945.00
Fines	3,426.99
Interest Income	127.03
Interest Income R	190.68
Reimbursement	430.00
Rent of Hall	150.00
Transfer	30,000.00
Total Other Income	35,517.08
Net Other Income	35,517.08
Net Income	-4,703.96
CODs	
Checking	68,000.00
	199,192.00

Wilkerson Repeats

as All-American, Earns

Academic All-District

In the final action of his college career, Brandon Wilkerson (Tri-Point HS, Stelle) repeated as an All-American at the NCAA Division III Outdoor Track & Field Championships at the SPIRE Institute in Geneva, Ohio, finishing the 3000-meter steeplechase in a time of 9:12.72 – good enough for a seventh place finish in the nation.

Wilkerson’s time was nearly three seconds faster than his 2018 time that earned him sixth place.

On day one of the event leading up to the finals, Wilkerson qualified for the steeplechase finals, running a 9:15.08 in the prelims to finish fifth in the second heat and ninth overall.

Fresh off his impressive finish, Brandon added Academic All-District honors from Google Cloud and the College

Sports Information Directors of American – being named to the District 7 team, comprised of Division III athletes from Illinois, Indiana, and Ohio.

Wilkerson’s personal best of 9:06.47 in the steeplechase ranks sixth in school history. He also won his second CCIW steeplechase title this year and placed fourth in the 5000. He finished fourth in the conference at 3000 meters and sixth at 5000 during the indoor season.

In cross country, Brandon placed tenth in the CCIW as both a junior and a senior, and finished 56th and 72nd, respectively, at the NCAA Division III Midwest Regional.

The son of Rhonda and Mark Wilkerson of Stelle, Wilkerson graduated on May 19 with a GPA of 3.82 in mathematics and secondary education.

SAUNEMIN FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

NOTICE OF TENTATIVE BUDGET & APPROPRIATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a tentative Budget & Appropriation Ordinance for the Saunemin Fire Protection District for the fiscal year beginning May 1, 2019, and ending April 30, 2020, will be on file and conveniently available for public inspection at the office of the Saunemin Fire Protection District at 56 Center St., Saunemin, IL 61769 after 8:00 p.m. May 8, 2019, for Fire Protection, Tort Liability, and Emergency & Rescue Funds.

Notice is further given that a public hearing on said Budget & Appropriation Ordinance will be held at 8:00 p.m. CST on June 10, 2019, at a meeting of the Board Trustees of the Saunemin Fire Protection District at 56 Center St. Saunemin, IL 61769.

Board of Trustees of Saunemin Fire Protection District Livingston County, IL
by Dave Lowe, Secretary

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT

OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation,
Plaintiff
vs.
ANGELA M. HOOD, MENOLD CONSTRUCTION, INC.,
An Illinois Corporation, d/b/a Menold Construction and
Restoration, and unknown owners and non-record claimants,
Defendants.
No. 19-CH-32
NOTICE

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

Lot 14 and North 20 feet of Lot 15 in Block 1 of Camp’s 2nd Addition to Pontiac, also Lots 18 and 19 in Block 1 in D.S. Myers 5th Addition to Pontiac, Illinois, Livingston County, Illinois.

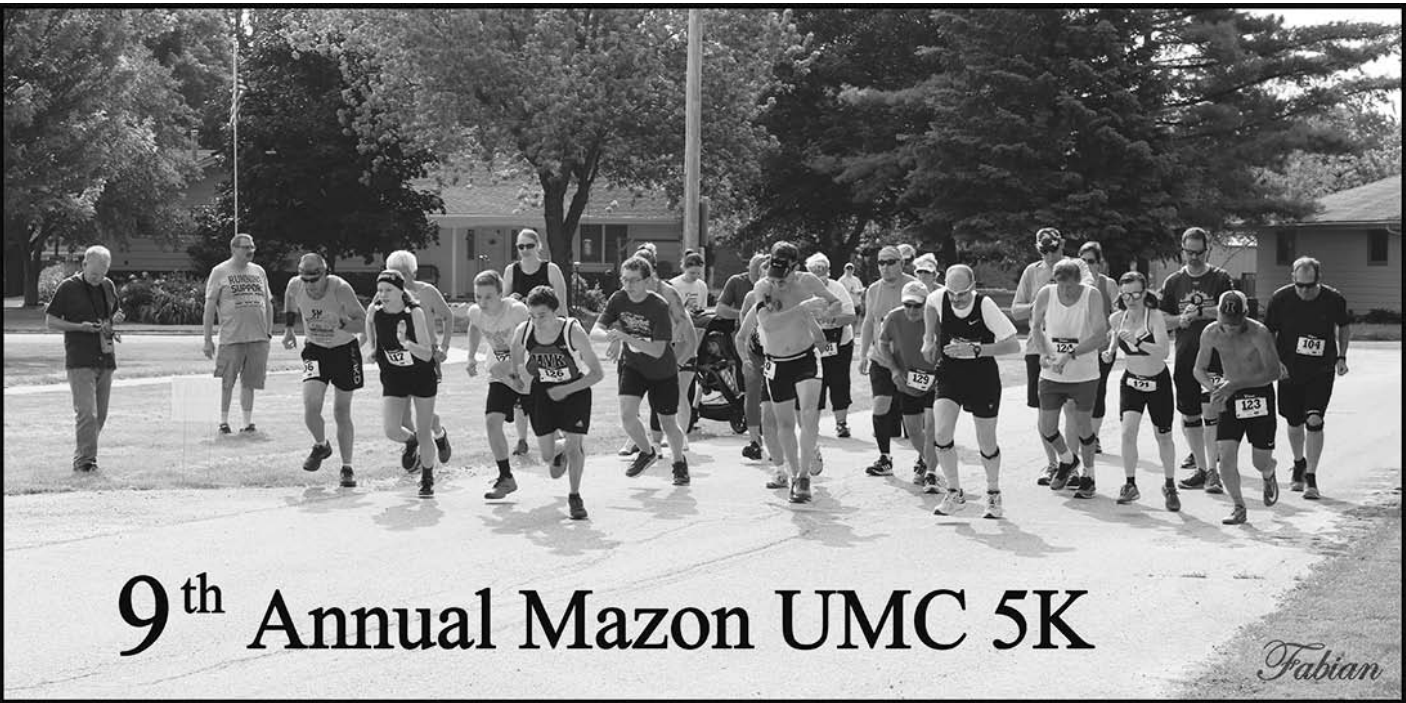
PIN: 15-27-254-004

Commonly known as: 1028 S. Mill St., Pontiac, IL 61764

The title holder of record to the above described real estate is ANGELA M. HOOD. The mortgages sought to be foreclosed are a mortgage executed on June 20, 2011 and recorded on June 24, 2011 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois as document No. 610091, a modification of mortgage executed on July 21, 2014 and recorded on August 14, 2014 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois as document No. 630293, a modification of mortgage executed on March 14, 2017 and recorded on March 20, 2017 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois as document No. 2017R-01140, a modification of mortgage executed on June 15, 2018 and recorded on June 19, 2018 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois as document No. 2018R-02419, a second mortgage executed on October 1, 2014 and recorded on October 7, 2014 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois as document No. 631119, a modification of said second mortgage executed on May 25, 2016 and recorded on June 1, 2016 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois as document No. 2016R-02099, and a modification of said second mortgage executed on June 15, 2018 and recorded on June 29, 2018 at the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Deeds in Livingston County, Illinois as document No. 2018R-02420. The cause of action initiated by the Plaintiff, BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, against the Defendants in Case No. 19-CH-32 is currently pending. The attorney for the Plaintiff is Donald R. McClarey, McClarey Law Firm, 313 S. Prairie Ave., P.O. Box 9, Dwight, IL 60420-0009.

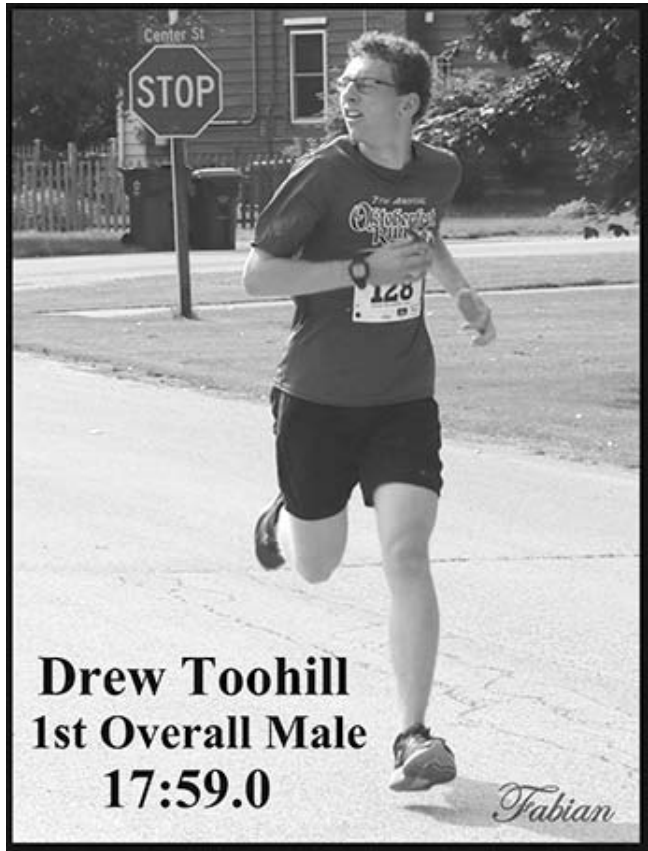
Consequently, unless you, unknown owners and non record claimants, file your answer to the complaint in this action or otherwise enter your appearance in the Circuit Court of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, Livingston County, Illinois, held in the Law & Justice Center in the City of Pontiac, Illinois, on or before July 5, 2019, 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.

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

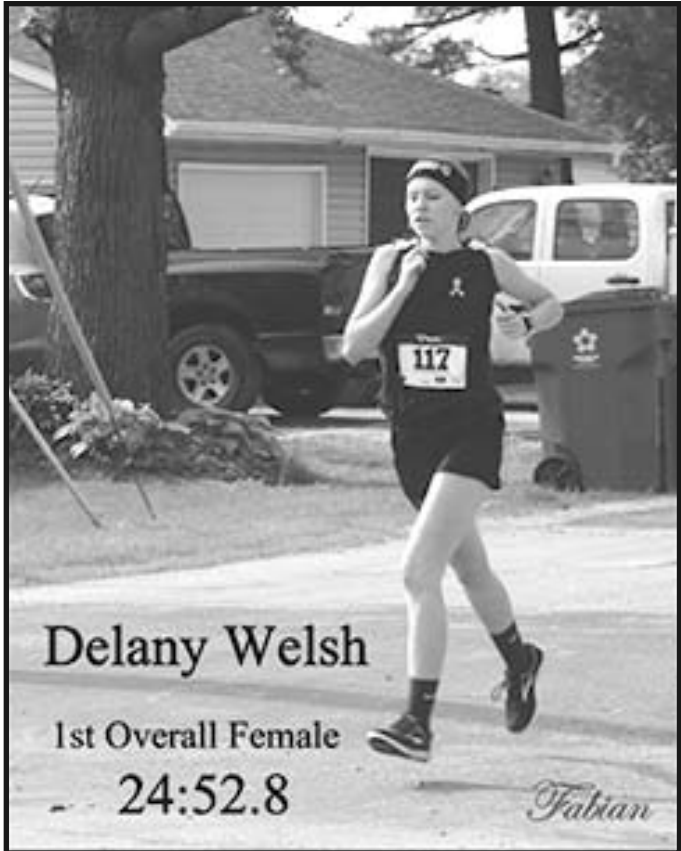


9th Annual Mazon UMC 5K

PASTOR KAREN FABIAN DIRECTED the 9th Annual Mazon United Methodist 5K on June 1. Under excellent running conditions, 30 runners competed in the event. The first to cross the finish line was Drew Toohill from Bloomington, who did it in 17:59 (less than six minutes per mile). The first female to cross the line was Delany Welsh, Seneca, with a time of 24:52. Fabian extended thanks to their volunteers this year. Dave Bohlke of the Kankakee River Running Club was the official timer again this year, with Ed Fabian as the photographer. You can see more photos and the official race results on the Mazon United Methodist 5K group page on Facebook.



Drew Toohill
1st Overall Male
17:59.0



Delany Welsh
1st Overall Female
24:52.8

MVK Seniors Meet

The MVK Seniors met May 21 at the Mazon American Legion Hall in Mazon for a catered lunch from the Whistle Stop in Coal City, through the Community Nutrition Network.

President Rita Mills called the meeting to order and gave the Pledge of Allegiance. She thanked Stacy and the many volunteers for serving the meal, and CNN.

There was a silent prayer for their ill and deceased members, the military, and state and elected officials. Get-well cards were signed for Velda Gilmore and Paul McIntosh. Members sang “Happy Birthday” to Helen Griffiths.

President Mills read a poem, “In Flanders Field.” It was written about the red poppies that flourished near the crosses

in a soldiers gravesite during WWI.

Next, the secretary’s and treasurer’s reports were read and approved. Door prizes went to Gwen Johnson, Frank Phillips, and Doris Nicol.

Lou Witt made a motion to increase the cost of their meal, and Frank Sereno seconded. There was some discussion to wait until they know which caterer they will be working

with.

Marlene Claypool made a motion to adjourn the meeting – Gwen seconded.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, June 18, with euchre starting at 10:30 a.m. and Bingo following the business meeting. Anyone 60 and older is invited to join for a small donation. Call CNN at 815-941-1590 and make a reservation.

Honor Rolls

St. Paul School 4th Quarter Honor Roll

Straight A’s
Sixth Grade: Lilly Duffy, Gi-anna Giacometti, Hannah Miller, Emerson Peters.
Eighth Grade: Jack Duffy.

High Honors
Sixth Grade: Tru Connor, Holden Miller, Sam Pugh.

Seventh Grade: Hana Bartnik.
Eighth Grade: Natalie Davis, Tyler Frauli, Tyler Pugh.

Honor Roll
Sixth Grade: Hayden Miller.
Eighth Grade: Alyson Kin- cade.

Gardner-South Wilmington High School Honor Roll

Summa Cum Laude
Freshmen: Easton Ashley, Taylor Conger, Katelyn Farris, Ashley Frideres, Kaden Griv-etti, Claire Hennessy, Zekeal Hess, Braeden Hirsch, Blake Huston, Riley Klingler, Am- biance Krah, Lexi Latimer, Joshua Leveille, Ethan Mack, Jacob Mammosser, Adrian Mena, Bethani Nicoletti, Edith Ochoa, Ella Sandeno, Melissa Traver.

Sophomore: Mya Anderson, Abby Beck, Chris Bexson, Aiddan Daugherty, Marissa Dragovan, Kevin Ferrari, Jr., Elizabeth Fortier, Grace Halpin, Nathan Hoffman, Ash- ley Holloway, Jonathan Hooks, Dustin Manietta, Riley Morris, Abigail Ozee.

Junior: Taylor Bartels, Jordan Buck-Noble, Elizabeth DeMat- teo, Kennedy Fair, Carson Halpin, Kyle Haubenstricker, Emma Hennessy, Wilton Jack- man, Jack James, Kaitlynn Ka- vanaugh, Grant Olsen, Nolan Perkins, Dezarie Wampler.

Senior: Madison Asbridge, Melanie Blair, Abigail Cash, Jacob Hoffman, Nicholas Mau- risak, Kimberly McDaniel, Emily Monbarren, Madyson Schuck, Ava Siano, Nikolas States, Joseph Svoboda, Michael Wilson.

Magna Cum Laude
Freshmen: Braxton Brassard, Olivia Cerutti, Molly Conger, Madison Ragland, Sophie Ran- dolph.

Sophomore: Koli Croy, Rylee Hall, Kylie Hawks, Avery Lenzie, Reganne Patrick, Nathan Weese.

Junior: Emma Fisher, Jared Gallup, Jessica Kiefling, An- dreanna LaFaire, Hannah Muz- zarelli, Paige Patterson.

Senior: Jackson Boltz, Ben- jamin Fatlan, Ariana Ramp, Nicholas Serena, Jaylon Sims.

Cum Laude
Freshmen: Elaina Brandon, Alexander Clayton, Paige Dvo- rak, Garrett Grant, Gabrielle Griffin, Alex Grivetti, Michael Madonna, Logan Malacina, Ashton Mejjorada, Trey Schweitzer, Glenn Torri, Alexis Trvrz.

Sophomore: Lucas Maurisak, Kyle Spalliero, Aaron Tramu- tolo, Kayleigh Wells, Cameron Younger.

Junior: Michael Ashley, Jr., Emily Beck, Dylan Hill, Mary Lopez, Christian Ruiz, Shelby Serena, Cole Walsh.

Senior: Wyatt Brooks, Cadee Griefff, Zoe Klingberg, Blake Lenzie, Joseph Morales, Michelle Svoboda, Connor Vyce, Christian Williams.

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Top Causes of Wrinkles

- **EXPOSURE TO UV LIGHT:** UV from the sun can break down the supportive connective tissue in the skin, which includes collagen and elastin fibers. Using sunscreen and staying out of the sun as much as possible can help.
- **EXPOSURE TO POLLUTION:** Pollution can cause free radical damage that contributes to wrinkling, advises Maral Skelsey, M.D., director of the Dermatologic Surgery Center of Washington. Other data indicates those who live in urban settings have more wrinkles and age spots than those who live in rural areas.
- **SMOKING:** The contaminants in cigarette smoke can damage the skin, promoting wrinkles, states the skincare company Nivea. Also, dragging on a cigarette purses the lips and can form deep wrinkles around this area of the face.
- **POOR DIET AND STRESS:** According to Kristina Goldenberg, MD, board-certified dermatologist of Goldenberg Dermatology, after sugar is ingested it goes through a process called glycation, which involves binding to different proteins in the body. These proteins include collagen and elastin. By binding to these building blocks of the skin, sugar weakens collagen and elastin and will lead to an appearance of fine lines and wrinkles. Stress can increase cortisol levels that affect the skin's ability to stay hydrated and elastic.

Health Screenings Men Should Discuss with Their Physicians

Routine doctor visits are a vital component of a healthy lifestyle. As noted by the U.S. National Library of Medicine, even men who feel healthy and live active lifestyles must make routine visits to their healthcare providers. Such visits can assess risk for future medical problems and offer men the opportunity to update vaccinations. Routine health checkups also give doctors a chance to screen for medical issues.

Doctors consider a man's age and other risk factors to determine when and how frequently he will need certain medical screenings. For example, while men between the ages of 40 and 64 are often advised to get blood pressure screenings at least once per year, those with diabetes, heart disease, kidney problems, and other conditions may need more frequent screenings.

No two men have the same medical histories, which only highlights the need for men of all ages to schedule annual physical exams with their physicians. Such exams can reveal potential problems and also make for great opportunities to discuss more specific medical screenings with their physicians. The following are some general screening tests and guidelines recommended for all men between the ages of 40 and 64, courtesy of the USNLM.



AS NOTED BY THE U.S. NATIONAL LIBRARY OF MEDICINE, even men who feel healthy and live active lifestyles must make routine visits to their healthcare providers.

PROSTATE CANCER

The USNLM notes that most men age 50 or older should discuss screening for prostate cancer with their physicians. Ethnicity and family history are some of the recognized risk factors for prostate cancer. As a result, African American men and men with a family history of prostate cancer in a first degree relative younger than 65 should discuss screenings beginning at age 45. There are pros and cons to prostate cancer screenings, and these should be part of men's

discussions with their physicians.

COLORECTAL CANCER

All men between the ages of 50 and 75 should be screened for colorectal cancer. Physicians may recommend colorectal screening for men under age 50 with a family history of colon cancer or polyps. In addition, physicians may consider screenings for men under 50 who have a history of inflammatory bowel disease.

CHOLESTEROL

The USNLM advises men to have their cholesterol levels checked every five years. Men with certain conditions, such as diabetes and heart disease, may need to be checked more often.

DIABETES

Diabetes screenings are recommended every three years for men age 45 and older. Men who are overweight and younger than 45 should ask their physicians if they should be screened before they reach 45.

OSTEOPOROSIS

Women are more likely to develop osteoporosis than men, but that doesn't mean men are immune to this condition marked by a weakening of the bones due to tissue loss. Fractures after age 50, heavy alcohol use, smoking, and low body weight are some risk factors that can make men vulnerable to osteoporosis.

Health screenings can catch diseases and other conditions in their early stages when they're most treatable. Such screenings should be a vital part of men's health routines.

Did You Know?

A 2017 report from the World Economic Forum recommended that the richest countries across the globe raise their retirement ages in order to prevent the collapses of pension systems.

Full retirement age in the United States varies depending on when a person was born, though it's currently between age 65 and 67.

In Canada, eligible residents can begin receiving their full Canada Pension Plans at age 65

But longer life expectancies among today's men and women as well as considerably longer life expectancies for babies born today is partly why the World Economic Forum recommended raising the age at which people can begin receiving their full benefits.

Pension funds have been unable to keep pace as people are living longer but still retiring around the same age as they have for decades. That will create a considerable shortfall by 2050, when the World Economic Forum predicts eight countries, including the United States, Canada, India, and China among others, will face a combined pension fund shortfall of \$400 trillion.

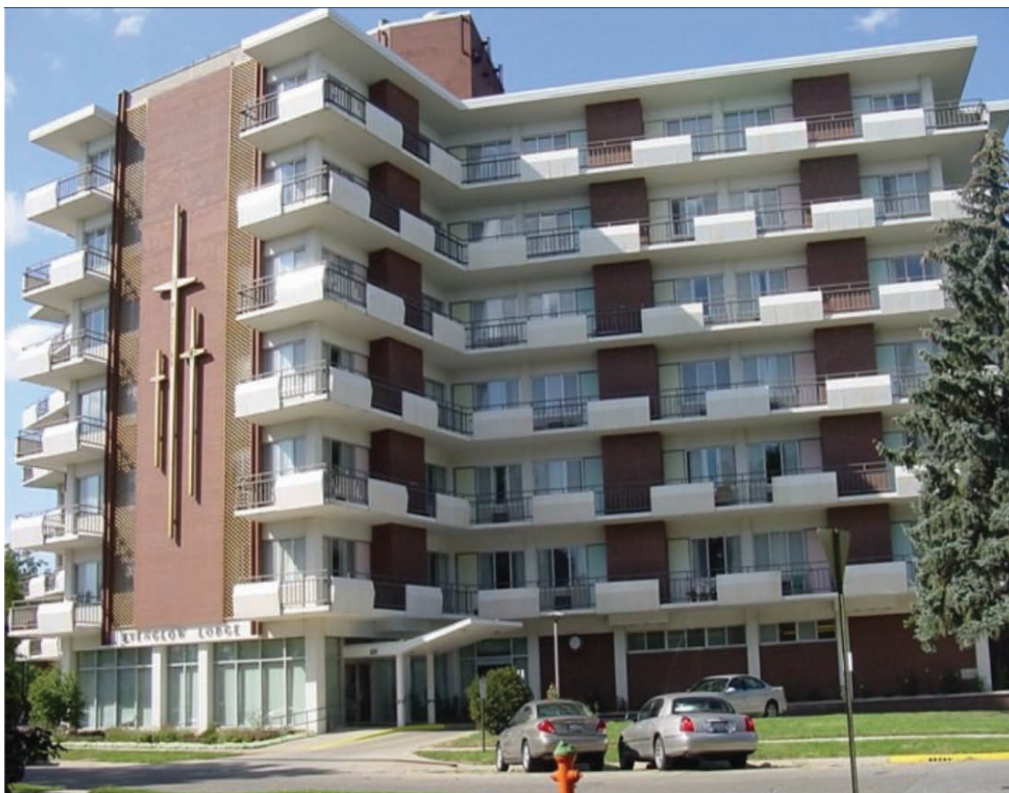
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How to Choose a Dementia Caregiver



When a loved one is diagnosed with dementia, a family's life can turn upside down. In such situations, families may not know much about the disease, including what to expect with treatment and how soon before the dementia patient begins to need care that the family cannot capably provide.

Over time, dementia patients' loved ones are likely to benefit from the expertise and assistance of qualified dementia caregivers. It can be overwhelming for loved ones to offer the right level of care for someone who is unable to perform the activities of daily living. Bathing, medication management, dressing, and feeding are often very difficult for dementia patients.

The Alzheimer's Association says that providing good care for someone with dementia goes beyond meeting basic needs. It also means finding caregivers who treat the whole person and provide an environment that can enable the person to be safe yet independent.

In order to get started, one should first assess the needs of their loved one with dementia.

How many services he or she will require depends on whether that person can use the bathroom, walk, eat, or bathe independently. Alz.org says care needs tend to be lesser in the early stages of dementia. However, during the middle and end stages of dementia, 24-hour supervision and potentially more intensive medical care may be necessary.

Some families start with a visiting caregiver who can come to the house. For example, a service like Visiting Angels is certified to offer care according to advanced dementia care protocols after working with leading dementia specialists. Caregivers may offer companionship and helpful reminders. Others may assist clients with personal tasks. One key aspect of dementia care is preventing wandering. Alz.org indicates that six in 10 people with dementia will wander. A person with Alzheimer's may not remember his or her name or address and can become disoriented, even in familiar places. Caregivers can put protocols in place to help reduce wandering. Alert bracelets and GPS tracking devices can help in this regard as well.

At some point, caregivers can help families transition someone with dementia to nursing facilities with memory care divisions. Social workers and other aides may help families navigate the legalities of medical insurance and long-term care insurance as well as government assistance programs that may help offset the costs of more intensive care.

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LIVINGSTON COUNTY- PONTIAC, ILLINOIS

Fifth Third Bank as Successor by Merger to
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Plaintiff,

vs.

Deidre Sandeno aka Deidra Sandeno; Unknown Heirs
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dividually and as Independent Administrator of the Es-
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Defendants.

CASE NO. 17 CH 22

Property Address: 310 West South Street,
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Dwight Grade School Academic Award for High Honor Roll.



Dwight Grade School Academic Award for Honor Roll.

No Emington Third of July This Year

By Rachael Reynolds-Soucic
rachaelthepaper@gmail.com

Emington will not be having its annual Third of July fireworks celebration this year due to lack of volunteers and some unfortunate circumstances.

Pam Crouch, the president of the Emington Community Association, said planning for the annual parade, fireworks display, bands and family activities begins in January.

She, Marcia Drach and the late Kathy Cramer have traditionally organized the event, holding fundraisers and an auction to fund the \$10,000 spectacular.

But Crouch said her sister Sandi Ludwig, formerly of Dwight and now of St. Louis, survived breast cancer, but was diagnosed with leptomeningeal carcinomatosis, a rare complication of cancer in which the disease spreads to the membranes surrounding the brain and spinal cord.

Crouch and Drach lost their friend Cramer to kidney disease in August 2018.

Ever since, no one has stepped up to the plate to help organize the fireworks celebration.

“It’s just a small town and there’s not that many people,” she said.

Crouch said they hope to bring the celebration back next year.



DWIGHT AMERICAN LEGION AWARD WINNERS at the Dwight Grade School. Front row: Iris Beier, Harlie Boucher, Lola Furbee and Maya Green. Back row: Hailey Heath, Jace Kern, Brayden Long, Jace Gall and Kira Bean. photos by J7 Images

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