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# Classics, Cruisers Roll In for Buzz the Gut

14th Annual Dwight Car Show Brings in Visitors From Near and Far

By Rachael Reynolds-Soucie rachaelthepaper@gmail.com

Dozens of classic cars and modern marvels will pull into downtown Dwight on June 22 for the 14th annual Buzz the Gut cruise night

Organizer Randy Irvin said the event will take place from 4-9 p.m. In the past they have held it on East Main Street but because of construction they will hold it in the parking lot of Cherry Red Roasters at East Chippewa and South Franklin streets. And it's going to be bigger and better than ever, he believes.

"You know the owners put a lot of love into them and care into them," he said. "All in all it's a great time."

The 13th Annual Let's Buzz the Gut Cruise Night gets its name from the 1950s practice of "buzzing the gut" or cruising downtown to see everyone else doing the same.

The car show, presented by the Dwight Economic Alliance, annually draws about 100 cars with owners competing for prizes. Classics, muscle cars and trucks all pull up for the fun. Last year they had a 9/11 tribute car, a Route 66 cruiser and a Model A Ford.

"A lot of people take pride in their vehicles," Irvin said, and this is a great opportunity to show off their beauties.

There are nine categories, judged by locals who have plenty of experience as hobbyists or mechanics. Winners receive an engraved wooden wine box and bragging rights.

Categories:

- Top Chevy
- Top Mopar
- Top Ford
- Top Gas Guzzler Revised Relic
- Picasso Pick (best paint job)
- Top Cruiser
- Mechanic's Choice
- A specialized category to be determined.

Irvin said many car shows these days are in it to make money. Dwight actually lowered the entry fee from \$10 to \$5 for early registration and \$15 to \$10 for gate admission. They want to bring visitors from outside of town to show what Dwight has to offer. He hopes participants will take advantage of downtown restaurants and stores.

There will be door prizes and everyone gets a dash plaque, which have become collectors items for some drivers.



# **A Break From Construction**



CREWS WORKING ON THE NEW BANK OF PONTIAC BRANCH at Chippewa and Franklin streets in Dwight take a break from the heat to refresh and refuel. It should be completed by the end of 2019. Construction might be the latest buzz word for Dwight as work continues on East Main Street. According to the staging sequence by Chamlin & Associates Inc. of Morris, curb and gutter work should be finished by June 16, with sidewalk work starting the next day. The entire project is projected to be completed by September 16. Dwight Harvest Days is scheduled the weekend of September 21.

# Joliet Diocese Razes Cabery Rectory

By Rachael Reynolds-Soucie rachaelthepaper@gmail.com

The rectory at St. Joseph Church in Cabery has been demolished in what the preservation society's lawyer believes is a move by the Joliet Diocese to "illustrate control" as appeals to keep the 115-year-old church open as a private chapel continue in Rome.

Brody Hale, a lawyer voluntarily guiding the St. Joseph Preservation Society, led by Cheryl Weaver, of Cabery, said the rectory was razed last month despite a benefactor who had agreed to purchase not only the rectory for \$25,000 but also fund any repairs necessary to keep the church open -- even if it's \$306,000, the estimate from the diocese.

"I'm just appalled," Hale said.

who practices endocrinology in Dubai.

Although the rectory was never part of the litigation -- it does not fall under canon law -- Hale believes it was torn down as a power move by Bishop Daniel Conlon, who wants to raze the church, too.

The diocese has refused multiple times to comment about the case, citing the "integrity of canonical process."

The process, as it stands now, has gone all the way to the Supreme Tribunal of the Apostolic Signatura, the Vatican's supreme court. In April, the Congregation of the Clergy in Rome upheld Conlon's decree to tear St. Joseph Church down. The society appealed and has hired Andrea Errera, a canon lawyer, to argue the case to the supreme court.

Rangel is funding all attorney costs, which Hale believes could be as much as \$10,000. The appeals process could take months to a year.

Demolishing the church would cost \$110,000, a sum that would come from the diocese or St. Margaret Mary in Herscher, which acquired St. Joseph when the diocese closed it in 2015. The preservation society believes it would be a waste considering Rangel has pledged to fund renovations and upkeep of the church.

Established as a mission in 1867 and a parish in 1892, the St. Joseph Church Preservation Society has fought demolition for three years now.



honor of June Dairy Month to promote dairy products and the local 4-H club. Pictured are club members posing in front of their sign.

# Terry Hughes Appointed to Board Special Meeting June 3 for Tri-Point CUSD **Board**

Terry Hughes was appointed to a 2-year term as a Tri-Point Board member at a special meeting Monday, June 3.

The 7 p.m. meeting opened, then went into a 50minute closed session, in accordance with the Illinois Open Meeting Act.

The job description of Technology Support Specialist was approved, moving to employ Jake Novy as the Specialist at a salary of \$32,000 for a 200-day

A lease purchase agreement with Midwest Transit for a 2018 Chevy/Starcraft 14-passenger activity bus was approved, with three annual payments of

The resignation of Matt Santillo was accepted.

Aimee Wright was approved as Pre-K teacher pending a request to the ROE for short-term teacher

A second closed session was entered at 7:54 p.m., lasting only 17 minutes, with the meeting being adjourned at 8:12 p.m.



#### FOR THE **RECORD**

#### **Tickets Issued** by Dwight Police

May 30: Lateefah O. Thomas, 28, Kankakee, driving 15-20 MPH above limit.

31: Dylan Groskreutz, 23, Kankakee, driving 15-20 MPH above

June 4: Sierra J. Phillips, 26, West Peoria, driving 11-14 MPH above limit; Jesse R. Downen, 40, Cullom, driving 15-20 MPH above limit.

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

#### Written Warnings

Speeding – 6; no insurance – 1; fail to obey stop sign - 1.

#### **Dwight Police Blotter**

May 30: 7:12 p.m., Dwight Police were called to the 400 block of W. Delaware. A homeowner advised some unknown person had taken the seats to their van.

June 2: 9:34 p.m., Dwight Police responded to the 300 block of N. Union for a verbal domestic issue. Arrested was Zachary J. Cortright, 30, of Dwight. He was transported to Livingston Co. jail.

#### **Weekly Ambulance Runs** by Dwight EMS

May 30: 6:05 p.m., Mazon, trauma, Morris; 6:30 p.m., Main, medical, Morris.

May 31: 8:39 a.m., Aldi Dr., medical, Morris; 1:39 p.m., Columbia, medical, refusal.

June 1: 6:34 p.m., 2700 E. Rd., trauma, Morris.

June 2: 4:06 a.m., Ashton, COQ, took pass, mutual aid to Morris; 7:50 p.m., Mazon, trauma, Morris; 10:17 p.m., Main, trauma, refusal.

June 3: 12:08 p.m., Scott Dr., medical, Morris; 3:55 p.m., Chippewa, trauma, St. James.

June 4: 2:30 a.m., Mazon Ave., trauma, Morris; 3:33 p.m., Mazon, medical, Morris; 6:14 p.m., John, medical, Mor-

June 5: 11:28 a.m., Mazon, medical, Riverside; 12:04 p.m., Mazon, trauma, Morris; 2:03 p.m., Main, medical, Morris; 8:36 p.m., Rt. 47, medical,

June 6: 5:43 a.m., John, trauma, refusal; 8:27 p.m., Prospect, trauma, refusal.



A MODEL T CLUB STOPPED by the Dwight Ambler-Becker Texaco Station last week while traveling Route 66. The historic Dwight station is a rest stop for many during the summer months. Volunteers are always needed to cover a two-hour shift at the station. Have a few hours a week to spare? Call (815) 584-3077 to schedule your time.



# **D-Day**

1945 Letter Honors

Service of Local Soldier

Inspired by the stories surrounding this year's 75th Anniversary of D-Day, June 6, 1944, Jack Fitzpatrick of Dwight brought the well-worn newspaper clipping at right to The Paper containing a June 2, 1945 letter written to Mrs. Evelyn Fitzpatrick, mother of Army Pfc. Harry Fitzpatrick, one of Jack's older brothers who served in the European theatre of operations.

The letter was written by Pfc. Fitzpatrick's company commander concerning the company's relentless attacks against German forces as the company fought its way across France and into Germany.

Pfc. Harry Firzpatrick was awarded the Bronze Star as well as the National Defense Medal for his part in the many

Jack Fitzpatrick's oldest brother, Jimmy, also served in Germany during WWII.

Pfc. Harry Fitzpatrick courage in the U. S. Army. I knowhereof I speak, for I am his con

Now that hostilities have ceased in this theatre of operations, we have the opportunity to relax somewhat and reminisce. From our entry into the bitter cold, rain, sleet and sn of a Belgium winter. We have h and thrown back all that the cre of Germany's forces could br and thrown back all that the bring of Germany's forces could bring against us. We held strong on the shoulder of the bulge" until it was our lot to attack and oust the foe our lot to attack and oust the form his dearly held positions. All during this phase we had more battle than just the enemy; we had the elements. It was here that our present day army was given the test of Valley Forge and not found wanting.

the Erft Canal at Elsdorf, Germany. From there we fought our way through every ingenious obstacle the Germans could place before us. The "Race to the Rhine" could not have been accomplished without the effort

put forth by every individual man.

The Ludendorff bridge at Remagen,
Germany, was the scene of many individual heroisms for we crossed un-der the most adverse conditions of darkness and enemy fire. It was the effort of each individual, teamed with that of others that held the bridge-head, expanded it, and made possible the offensive that carried us long to Giessen, Germany.

We then entered the bitter fighting of the Ruhr pocket. Even as corner-ed rats fight, so did the Germans. Here again every man played his part in bringing glory and honor to this organization.

The pocket finished, we moved into Bayaria and continued to delice water we had crossed the Danube and had helped bring this conflict to an end.

The papers have told you the complete story and your son will furnish you the details. However, neither will mention any individual heroisms. Surely, Harry will not, for modesty is just one of his many attributes. Just et me say: no award can be made for the self-sacrifice, the suffering both the self-sacrifice, the suffering both mental and physical, the hardships he has sustained in protecting our way of life. His devotion to duty has placed all personal feelings and necessities second to that of serving his untry. It was his feats and those men like him that will be discussd forever when men gather to talk

Temps - 2019

May 30 - high 77°, low 58°

May 31 - high 79°, low 60°

June 1 – high  $81^{\circ}$ , low  $52^{\circ}$ 

June 2 – high  $71^{\circ}$ , low  $50^{\circ}$ June 3 – high 75°, low 51°

trace precip.

.59" precip.

.06" precip. June  $4 - \text{high } 82^{\circ}, \text{low } 60^{\circ}$ .13" precip. June 5 – high 84°, low 60°

# Suspicious Fire, Death in Verona Ruled a Homicide

Grundy County Sheriff Ken Task Force was activated, Briley, in correlation with along with the Illinois State Grundy Co. Coroner John Fire Marshal and MABIS-IL Callahan, announced that the cause of death of Verona resident Elizabeth Ann Link, 39, of 3200 S. Verona Road, has been deemed a homicide – as the result of an "undetermined inflicted trauma."

On Tuesday, May 14, at approximately 5:40 a.m., Grundy Co. Sheriff's Deputies responded to 3200 S. Verona Rd. for a structure/house fire. As fire officials were extinguishing the fire, the body of Elizabeth A. Link, a resident of the home, was discovered inside the residence. An autopsy was completed later that day, along with toxicology tests. At the request of Sheriff Briley, the Will/Grundy Major Crimes

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Division 15 Fire Investigators to investigate the fire and death of Ms. Link.

Sheriff Briley and Coroner Callahan emphasized – this is an active, ongoing investigation with the goal of bringing justice for Elizabeth. If anyone has any information that may help authorities, call the Grundy Co. Sheriff's Office at 815-942-0336, or you can report an anonymous tip to Grundy Co. Crimestoppers, 815-942-9667.

> The Paper (815) 584-1901

# **Area Suspect Arrested in Multiple Vehicle Burglaries** in Shady Oaks

On June 5, Grundy County conducted an investigation, Sheriff's Deputies responded to several motor vehicle burglaries that occurred in the Shady Oaks Manufactured Homes Community. Sheriff's Deputies reported multiple burglaries in the following areas: Beach Street, Aspen Street, Main Street, and Doral Street in Minooka.

From the burglaries, numerous items were reported missincluding prescription medications, cigarettes, fishing poles, wallets, debit cards, jumper cables, a car battery, sound equipment including a kicker speaker with speaker box and an amplifier.

Approximately six hours after being burglarized, one of the victims located his missing items for sale on Facebook Marketplace and reported the information to the Sheriff's Office. Deputy Darren Roach attempt to deter such crimes.

which led Deputies to a residence on Eisenhower Drive in Dwight. With the assistance of the Dwight Police Department, Deputy Roach approached the residence and observed the garage door open. As he approached the garage door, in plain sight, Deputy Roach observed several items matching the description of items reported stolen. A further investigation led to the arrest of Michael Moats of Dwight and Corey Gibbons of Minooka.

Sheriff Ken Briley extended thanks to the DPD for their assistance and commended Deputy Darren Roach for a job well done.

The Sheriff's Deputies would also like to remind citizens to lock their vehicles, windows, and residences in an

# IL 170 to Close June 17, **Detours Announced**

The Illinois Department of back to IL 170. Transportation has announced that the IL 170-Norfolk Southern Railway grade crossing located west of Budd will close Monday, June 17, for approximately seven days, to allow the Norfolk Southern Railway to rebuild their crossing.

IL 170 traffic will proceed as follows:

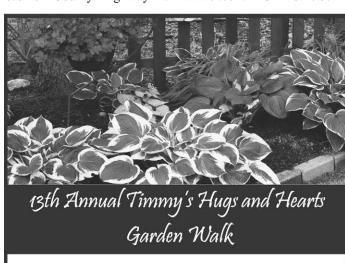
IL 170 northbound traffic will proceed west on IL 17 to IL 18; thence north on IL 18 to County Highway 40; thence on east on County Highway 40

IL southbound traffic will proceed west on County Highway 40 to IL 18; thence south on IL 18 to IL 17; thence east on IL 17 back to IL 170.

Motorists are urged to use caution and expect some delays while traveling on the detour

Slow down and use extreme caution while driving through all work zones.

For IDOT District 3 updates Twitter, follow twitter.com/IDOTDistrict3.



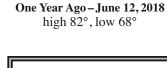
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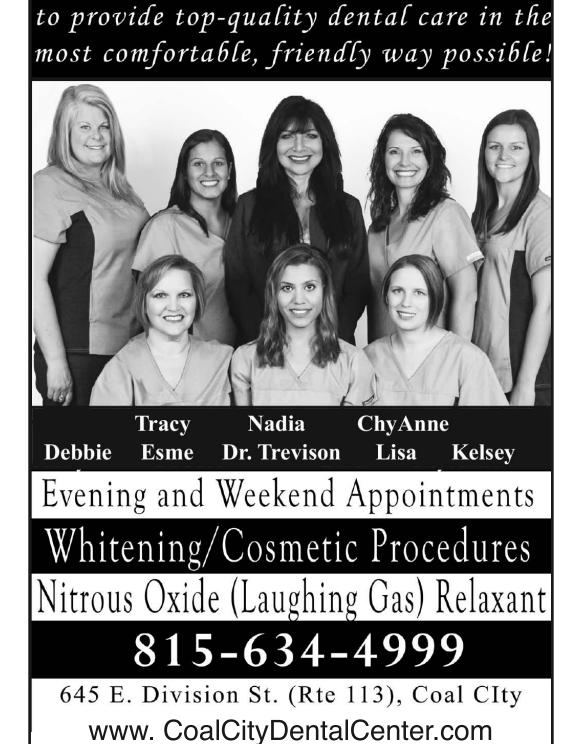
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Ransom Man Involved in

**Single-Vehicle Accident** 

a single-vehicle accident at IL Rt. 23 and N. 2525 Rd. (South Ot-

when a deer ran onto the roadway. The car was unable to avoid

On June 1, at 9:21 p.m., LaSalle County Deputies investigated

Jonathan Carr, 32, Ransom, was southbound on IL Rt. 23

Carr was treated and released by Grand Ridge EMS. No cita-

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Winners drawn on June 21st at Heritage Health. All proceeds go to Alzheimer's Association.



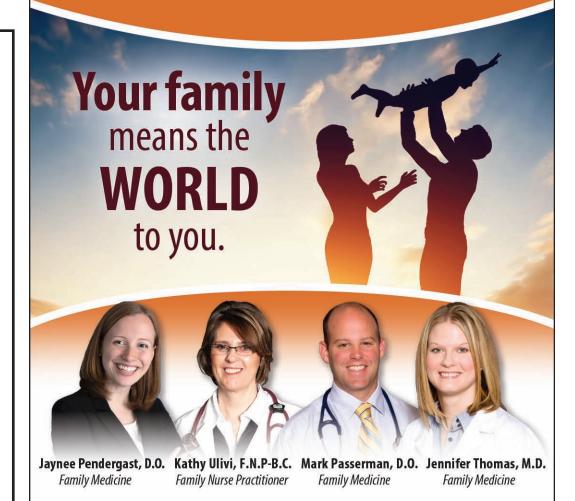
tions were issued.

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PRAIRIE CREEK LIBRARY held its Annual Art Show in conjunction with the Dwight Woman's Club Garden Walk June 9 showcasing the talents of local artists and artisans. Above: Dave Razunas with his wood projects; quilted art by Joy Ahearn and others; artwork by school-aged children and adults; butterfly cookies for Cayson and Caiden in the Children's Corner, where refreshments were provided by Dwight Woman's Club members. Below: One of the many flowering plants enjoyed by those who attended the 2019 Dwight Woman's Club Garden Walk.



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# **Dwight Historical Society Meeting June 17**

etv will meet Monday, June 17, in the Historic Depot Museum on West Main Street.

The business meeting will be at 6:30 p.m., with the program beginning at 7:00 p.m. which will focus on reminiscences about the many eating places in Dwight throughout the history of the town.

Some of the talk will be about the Field Trip to Peoria meetings of the Historical Sotwo days later on June 19. It ciety are open to the public.

The Dwight Historical Soci- will be an opportunity to register with Joy Ahearn in order to take the trip and get more information. Or call her ahead of the meeting at 815-584-5070.

Peoria sites will include historic homes, a cemetery, and the library. There will also be an oral history as the city bus winds its way through Peoria.

Everyone is welcome. All

## Kankakee Kultivators Garden Tour June 20

A Garden Tour of gathering 3:00 p.m.; and enjoy lunch places, presented by the Kankakee Kultivators, is set for Thursday, June 20, at Governor Small Memorial Park, 801 S. 8th Avenue, Kankakee – featuring seven gardens and one bonus site.

Tour the gardens from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; shop the Artisan Faire from 9:00 a.m. to

from 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Ticket fees apply, and include lunch. For more information and a list of ticket outlets, call 815-922-0285, visit kankakeekultivators.org., or "like" them on Facebook. Tickets may be purchased at the Kankakee Civic Auditorium the day of the tour.

# Yost House, Jones House Museums Hosting Music Programs June 15

The Catherine V. Yost and 1851 Melodeon, plus music the Jones House Museums in from a Victrola as well. Addi-Pontiac are each holding a special program featuring music from early in the 20th century Saturday, June 15, from 2:00-4:00 p.m.

The Yost House, located at 298 W. Water St. in Pontiac, will feature local singer Anne Finnegan, accompanied by a circa 1850 baby grand piano played by Paula Trainor-Rosenbaum. They will perform a variety of early 20th century songs until 3:30 p.m., and an original-to-the-home, hand cranked Victrola will be played featuring a number of early 20th century recordings. Admission is free, as is parking in the public lot at the corner of Mill and Water Streets.

The Jones House, located at 314 E. Madison St. in Pontiac, will feature a recently restored

tionally, guitar music will be played on the second floor. Admission is free and free onstreet parking is available.

The Yost House is an 1898 Queen Anne Victorian home, built and occupied by the Z.F. Yost family - which was a prominent Pontiac family throughout the late 19th and most of the 20th century. Everything in the house is original to the family, which is unique and gives visitors an opportunity to discover how the family lived for nearly 100 vears.

The Jones House is Pontiac's oldest surviving brick dwelling. It has been restored and furnished with a variety of items from throughout the 19th and 20th centuries.

# 'We're Here' Health Care Rally in Pontiac June 13

On Thursday, June 13, from 4:30-6:00 p.m., Livingston County Democrats are invited to join the local community action group, WE'RE HERE which is sponsoring a rally at the northeast corner of the Livingston Co. Historic Court House (corner of Main and Madison) in Pontiac.

The County Board meets that evening at 6:00 p.m.

The purpose of the rally is to show the Board there are more than just a handful of individuals supporting restoration of the Livingston County Community Health Care Pro-



WHERE: Dwight United Methodist Church

WHEN: July 8 - July 12 9:00 am - 12:00pm

WHO: All children who have completed grades K - 5

COST: \$6.00 per child through July 1st.

REGISTRATION: Please visit www.dwightumc.org or call 815-3420

## **Odell KC Extravaganza** June 21

The Odell Knights of Columbus will hold their annual Extravaganza Friday, June 21, at the KC Hall.

Tickets are available for a fee, and include two chicken dinners with all the trimmings – to be served from 4:00-7:30 p.m., and a chance to win cash prizes. Chicken dinners can also be purchased at the door.

The drawing starts at 7:00 p.m. Only 250 tickets will be

Top prize is \$2,000; second prize, \$1,000; third through tenth prizes, \$100; 11th through 15th prizes, \$50. Winners need not be present to win. Tickets are available at Odell Bank, Ruby Lu's, and from any KC member.

Odell KC members assigned to work at the Extravaganza include Doug Abry, Joe Bartnik, Brian Cassady, Daniel Cassady, John Cassady, Kevin Cassady, Mike Cassady, Joe Cleary, Jr., Joe Cleary, Sr., Lee Cleary, Michael Cleary, Tom Doran, Mike Dwyer, Tom Dwyer, Chuck Fogarty, Casey Fraher, Tom Fraher, Frankie Legner, Kevin Mackinson, Ray Masching, Ron Masching, Tony Noonan, Dan O'Lone, Randy Pagel, Craig Rebholz, Jim Rebholz, Don Ribordy, Paul Ribordy, Rich Ribordy, Don Stadel, Leo Stadel, Dan Sullivan, Terry Sullivan, Jerry Turner, Don Verdun, Dick Verdun, Steve Verdun, Dave Wolf, Jason Wolf. All other members are also welcome to assist.

# **Dwight** Senior Citizen **Duplicate Bridge Results**

Duplicate Bridge was played June 6 at Prairie Creek Public Library.

#### NORTH/SOUTH:

- 1. Janyce Gross/Nancy Evers 2. Mary Anne McNamara/ Darlene Drechsel
- 3. Judy Cashmer/Janet Kresl

#### EAST/WEST:

- 1. Norma Rodosky/Evelyn Neuhalfen
- 2. Rosie Dix/Barbara Christensen
- 3. Joan Francis/Evelyn Lydigsen

The next duplicate play will be Thursday, June 20.



THE DWIGHT LIONS had their annual steak dinner at Renfrew Park June 5. At the meeting, the outgoing President, Eric Stewart, installed the new Club Officers for the coming year. Pictured are Keith Perry - Vice President, Andrew Funk - President, and Dale Coughlin - Treasurer. Not pictured is John Price - Secretary. Also in attendance at the meeting were recent High School graduates and the club's scholarship winners and their families. Pictured Gretchen Hilt - Lions Club Scholarship, Gary Marx -Scholarship Committee Chairman, and Dakota Wahl - Keith Lauritzen Memorial Scholarship. This will be the last meeting of the season for the club and they will resume meetings and activities in the fall.



# **Alloy Specialties Receives** \$45,000 GLCEDC Grant

The Greater Livingston to purchase equipment. County Economic Development Council has approved a \$45,000 Economic Incentive Grant to Alloy Specialties, located in Blackstone.

Allow will hire ten new employees and will use the funds for building improvements and

To qualify for this incentive, Alloy Specialties must provide a wage and benefit package of \$29,201 annually and retain the hired employees for a minimum of one year after the positions are created.

To be a good loser is to learn how to win.

- Carl Sandburg



FATHER CHRIS HAAKE of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Dwight, blesses the motorcyle above, owned by Don Salzburg, right. The Blessing of the Bikes is a tradition in which riders of motorcyles are blessed by a priest in the hope that it will bring safety for the coming season. Assisting Father Haake are Alex and Filemon Ortiz.

# Celebrate Sunday, June 16



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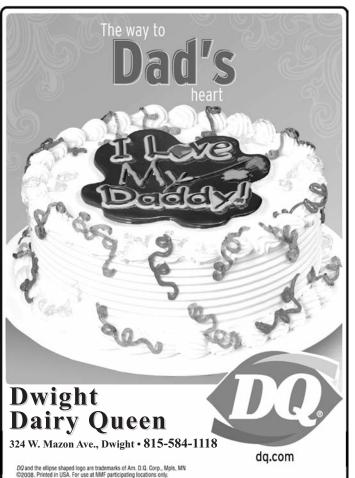
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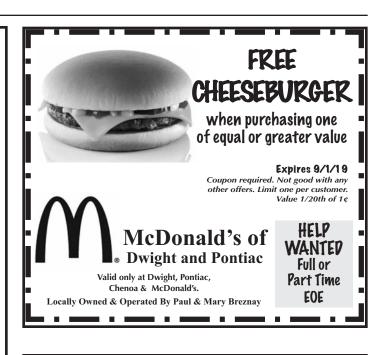
**Thursday** - Taco Fiesta Bar Friday - All you can eat Shrimp Saturday - Prime Rib

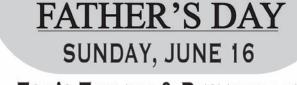
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# **Morris Hospital Recognizes Area Volunteers**

Morris Hospital honored 232 active volunteers for their dedicated service at the 2019 Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon May 22 at Morris Country Club.

This year's national volunteer week theme, "Volunteers: Every Moment Makes a Difference," rang true for volunteers who donated more than 43,000 hours of service in support of Morris Hospital over the past

Morris Hospital President & CEO said volunteers with the Morris Hospital Patient Transportation Service make a difference every time they give a ride to someone in the community who needs assistance getting to and from a medical appointment. He said volunteers make a difference each time they interact with patients and visitors, assist customers in the Gift Shop, take smiles to patients through the pet therapy program, assist at screenings and special events, assemble admission folder packets, and knit or crochet hats for newborns or blankets for cancer patients.

The hospital also acknowledged volunteers who achieved significant anniversaries as Morris Hospital volunteers this past year. Donna Binion, Ralph Binion, Judy Kramer, Bob Patnode, and Missie Wright were recognized for 20 years of volunteer service. Jan Christensen was recognized for 30 years of service, and Marilyn Wilder was recognized for 35 years of service.

The following Morris Hospital volunteers from the area were honored for achieving milestones in their service hours:

- Dwight: John Galik, 750
- Gardner: Pat Lenzie, 2,000 hours; JoAnne McMillan, 500 hours; Jennifer Styx, 250 hours.
- Mazon: Ralph Binion, 5,000
- Odell: Byron Atkinson, 100
- South Wilmington: Sylvia Zdeb, 750 hours.

For more information on volunteering at Morris Hospital, visit morrishospital. org or call 815-705-7022.

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Makayla Marie Flickinger

## Makayla Flickinger Makes WIU Dean's List

Makayla Marie Flickinger, a sophomore from Braceville, earned Dean's List honors at Western Illinois University during the spring 2019 semes-

Makayla is the daughter of Mike and Rebecca Flickinger of Braceville. She is a 2017 graduate of Gardner-South Wilmington High School.

# Area KCC **Students** Inducted Into Phi Theta Kappa **Honor Society**

Fifty-seven Kankakee Community College Students were inducted into Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society during the spring 2019 semester, including Megan Kersten of Buckingham and Kyla Brychta of Herscher.

Phi Theta Kappa is an international academic honor society for community college students. To join Phi Theta Kappa, students must have a 3.5 grade point average or better on a 4.0 scale.

KCC holds induction ceremonies for new Phi Theta Kappa members each fall and spring semester.

For more information on the Alpha Delta Eta chapter at KCC, contact Susan LaMore, chapter adviser, at slamore@

#### LETTER TO THE EDITOR

# 'Squirreled Away...'

Observations following informational meeting concerning proposed high school fieldhouse:

Costs range from \$8+ to

\$12+ million. School enrollment has

dropped 32.7% in ten years. – \$2.5 million (41.7%) of our \$6 million reserve to be used as a down payment.

 Estimated tax rate increase of \$.10. Probable fee to use the work-out room.

 Percentage of annual budget to fund the project was a little sketchy.

I am irate that so much of the taxes we have been paying to the school to EDUCATE our community's children has seemingly been squirreled away for someone's grand idea of a sports complex. The purpose of our schools is education not providing unlimited sports opportunities. Many taxpayers have been struggling, for this?

Dwight does need a community center with space for sports participation for children and adults but our school tax dollars should not be used for that purpose. If school taxes had not been kept so high (apparently unnecessarily since there is so much excess) people may have more to support a community center.

We are a small community, not Joliet, or even Pontiac. Let's use our school funds to make our near 60 year old building accessible to all for education, and perhaps, (gasp) tax relief.

Please let the school board know or those of us left here will be paying for a long time. Find them at www.dwight.k12 .il.us, click menu.

Beverly DeLong

# **Dwight UMC Vacation Bible School July 8-12**

Dwight United Methodist Church is preparing for VBS lift off and is inviting all children who have completed kindergarten through fifth grade to join in To Mars and Beyond Vacation Bible School, Monday, July 8, through Friday, July 12, from 9:00 a.m. to noon at Dwight UMC - 701 Columbia Street.

This space adventure includes new music, new science experiments, creative crafts, fun recreation, and memorable Bible stories.

Explore To Mars and Beyond VBS by calling Stacey at 815-584-3420 or registering online at www.dwightumc.org. A fee applies per child, with the fee increasing after July 1.

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

## Angela Merkel

Social media, memes, political commentators and others have made light or indicated irony of Angela Merkel's presence at the D Day events. An-Merkel. German Chancellor, celebrated the end of Nazism, Fascism and most of all the end to GENOCIDE with other world leaders. Could

anyone deny that Germany and the German people themselves were liberated by the D Day invasion? I think she was very appropriately attending D Day commemorations on beaches of Normandy.

> Andy Kelleher Dwight



ST. PAUL SCHOOL RECENTLY HONORED its six eighth grade students with a Graduation Mass and Ceremony. Pictured are Mr. Richard Morehouse – principal, Mrs. Carrie Lovell - eighth grade homeroom teacher, Nathaniel Weis, Alyson Kincade, Tyler Pugh, Natalie Davis, Tyler Frauli, Jack Duffy, Father Chris Haake, and Deacon George Wagner.

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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

Commonly known as: 10690 E. 1700 N. Rd., Pontiac, IL

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

# **Gas Prices For** This Week

10 years ago, the national average gas price was \$2.35. 20 years ago, the national average gas price was \$1.17. 30 years ago, the price was \$1.00. What a time to be alive! Safe travels.

Sources: https://www.titlemax.com/discovery-center/planes trains-and-automobiles/average-gas-prices-through-history/

City/Village	June 5	June 12
Dwight	\$2.70	\$2.66
Seneca	\$2.69	\$2.68
S. Wilmington	\$2.81	\$2.79
Streator	\$2.67	\$2.50
Odell	\$2.79	\$2.69
Pontiac	\$2.75	\$2.65
Gardner	\$2.78	\$2.72
Braceville	\$2.80	\$2.80
Morris	\$2.68	\$2.65
Herscher	\$2.89	\$2.89
Kankakee	\$2.97	\$2.66
Chicago	\$3.70	\$3.14
Illinois	\$3.03	\$2.90
U.S.	\$2.81	\$2.75

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

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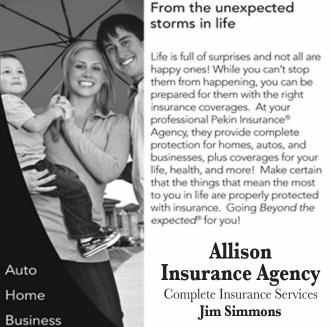
#### PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN (Never known to fail)

Oh most beautiful flower of Mt. Carmel, fruitful vine, splendor of Heaven, Blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin, assist me in my necessity. Oh, Star of the Sea, help me and show me herein you are my Mother, Oh, Holy Mary, Mother of God. Queen of Heaven and Earth. I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succor me in this necessity. There are none that can withstand your power. Oh, show me herein you are my Mother, Oh, Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse in thee. (3x). Holy Mother, I place this cause in your hands.

Holy Spirit, You who solve all problems, light all roads so that I can attain my goal. You who give me the divine gift to forgive and forget all evil against me and that in all instances of my life You are with me. I want in this short prayer to Thank You for all things as you confirm once again, that I never want to be separated from You in eternal glory. Thank You for your mercy toward me and mine

The Person must say this prayer 3 consecutive days. After 3 days the request will be granted. This prayer must be published after the favor is granted.

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#### **OBITUARIES**

#### William L. Brooks Sr.

GARDNER – William L. Brooks Sr. of Gardner passed away peacefully June 5, 2019 at Riverside Medical Center, Kankakee.

Cremation rites were accorded.

Private burial will be in the Abraham Lincoln Na-

tional Cemetery, Elwood, at a

He was born September 12, 1937 in Gardner, the son of Clyde and Gertrude Kroll Brooks. He was a veteran of the United States Navy, serving two years.

Bill married Barbara Hillman July 4, 1959. He retired from Fatlan Trucking and was a Teamster, Local 179; a lifetime member of the Gardner Masonic Lodge; and served on the Gardner Zoning Board for many years.

After retirement, he enjoyed moving cars for Rub Ford in Gardner, and visiting friends at the Riviera Restaurant. He never forgot a joke, and he loved telling them.

He is survived by his loving wife, Barb; two sons: William L. Jr. (Sue) Brooks of Wilm-

ington and Darren (Pam) Brooks of Gardner; five grandsons: Justin (Sarah), Jason (Gina Wright), Weston (fiance Katelyn Kamphorst), Cale (Jana) Brooks,

grandchildren: Ava Meyer, Brantley and Isaac Brooks; Mya Folgers; Kate and Maggie Brooks; sisters: Phyllis (Dave) Maskel

Joshua; six great-

gers; Kate and Maggie Brooks; sisters: Phyllis (Dave) Maskel and Faye Lynn (Bill) Malek. He was a brother-in-law and uncle to many.

Preceding him in death were his parents; son and daughter-in-law, Darryl (Peggy) Brooks; sister, Jean Fischer; and brother-in-law, Bob Fisher.

Preferred memorials can be made to Operation St. Nick, P.O. Box 781, Morris, IL 60450.

Family and friends may sign the guestbook, upload photographs, or share Bill's memorial page online at: www.ReevesFuneral.com/not ices/William-BrooksSr.

Arrangements were under the direction of Reeves Funeral Home, Gardner.

#### Marilyn O. Dehm

CHATSWORTH – Marilyn O. Dehm, 92, of Chatsworth passed away at 9:35 p.m., Friday, June 7, 2019 at Good Samaritan Home, Pontiac.

Marilyn was born July 17, 1926 in Livingston

County, a daughter of Claude and Mayme Berlette Wilson. She married Glen Dehm August 21, 1943 in the Chatsworth United Methodist Church. He died May 20, 2012.

She is survived by two sons: Cary "Snook" (Jane) Dehm of Chatsworth and Scott (Tammy) Dehm of Chenoa; one daughter, Gayle (Dennis "Sport") Hornickel of Chatsworth; one brother, Claude Jr. (Barb) Wilson of Dwight; and two sisters: Lois Wallrich of Chatsworth and Mary Lou West of Knoxville.

Also surviving are 12 grandchildren and 25 greatgrandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; an infant daughter, Glenda Carol Dehm; a son, Jimmy Dehm; a daughter, Glenna Rae Dehm McGreal; a grandson, Eric Todd Dehm; three sisters: Donna Hornstein, Lila Dohman and Frances Friedman; and five brothers: Clarence "Elwood", Vern, Jack, Dwain, and infant Claude Wayne Wilson.

Church Men may Chatsw Church Walter Good Total Chatsw District Concerns Clarence "Elwood", Vern, Jack, Dwain, and infant Claude Wayne Wilson.

Marilyn was educated in the Chatsworth schools. She and her husband, Glen, farmed in



the Chatsworth area. They wintered in Naples, Florida. She was a member of the Chatsworth United Methodist Church and the Charlotte Home Extension.

She enjoyed crafting/ sewing,

gardening, bowling, helping on the farm, puzzles, reading books, and the Thresherman's Reunion.

Most of all she loved her family and hosting family gatherings. Marilyn was a loving mom, grandma, greatgrandma, sister, aunt, and friend who will be greatly missed.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m., Tuesday, June 11, in the Chatsworth United Methodist Church with Rev. Lynette Barnett officiating.

Burial in Chatsworth Cemetery followed the services.

Visitation was Monday from 4 until 7 p.m. in the church.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Chatsworth United Methodist Church; Baltz Library; the Walter Clemons American Legion in Chatsworth; or the Chatsworth Fire Protection District.

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

Calvert & Martin Funeral Home in Chatsworth was in charge of arrangements.

Family members of the deceased, please instruct the Funeral Home to send information to:

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## Gloria Harrington

MORRIS – Gloria Harrington, 94, a lifelong resident of Morris, passed away peacefully Thursday, June 6, 2019 at Regency Care of Morris.

Born October 23, 1924 in Morris, Gloria Maxine was a daughter of

Charles and Alice Bartlett Fraley. She was a graduate of Morris High School in 1942. She married LeRoy Harrington, who preceded her in death April 15, 1989.

She was a member of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Morris, worked in the cafeteria of Garfield School for many years, and prior to retirement at Morris Bakery. Gloria enjoyed camping, vacationing, gardening and crocheting.

Survivors include seven daughters: Sharee (the late Jerry) Beeler of Mazon; LaRae (the late Doug) Cotter and Cynthia Lyne, both of Morris; Kathie (John) Spreitzer of Seneca; Michelle (Peter) Lake of Puxico, Missouri; and Heidi Harrington and Stacie Cortez, both of Morris; 14 grandchildren: Deborah Logan and Kelly (the late Andrew) Krull, both of Mazon; Kimberly (Calvert) Kuykendall of Morris; Jason Edmunds, currently serving in the U.S. Army; Jamie (Jesus) Rios, Douglas Cotter Jr. and Keri Andrews, all of Morris; John (Dena) Walker of Ala-



bama; Amy Coote of Morris; April (John) Crawford of Gardner; Nichole (Adam) Akre, Pontiac; Susan (John) Garrettson, Georgia; and Adam Cortez and Allissa (Matt) Magolan, Morris.

Twenty-three greatgrandchildren; 17 great-greatgrandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews also survive.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; daughter, Patricia "Tricia" (Dave) Edmunds; one grandson, Timothy Cotter; two sons-in-law, Jerry Beeler and Douglas Cotter, Sr.; and siblings: Francis Walsh, Shirley Olson, Melvin Fraley, Kathryn Fraley and Mary Byrd.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Monday, June 10, 11 a.m., by Father Robert Noesen in Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Morris, with visitation for two hours preceding the Mass.

Burial: Mount Carmel Cemetery, Morris.

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

The guestbook may be signed, photographs uploaded, and Gloria's memorial page shared at:

www.ReevesFuneral.com/ notices/Gloria-Harrington\_

Arrangements by Reeves Funeral Homes, Ltd., Morris.

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# Minutes with Roma



# Attention Span(s)

As a member of the "millennial" generation I often hear, and read things pertaining to, and associated with, attention spans.

The biggest point is that because of technology, primarily phones, and the applications on the phones, we have short ones, or maybe no attention spans at all.

I also think it applies to people belonging to generation Z (the generation of people born after millennials), but the event I recently attended had primarily millennials, which my good friend wikipedia defines as 1981 to 1996.

Meaning people in this age range are roughly 22-38. I bring this up because on Friday I attended a show through a Chicago concert series called SoFar Chicago. Essentially the idea stems from where the company was originated, London. The premise being that, in London, shows were almost primarily played at bars where it was loud and people were focused on socializing as opposed to taking in the performance.

This spun into having shows at different or obscure places, such as apartments, office buildings, and other non-traditional spaces for music. The idea being that if you're playing a show the people should be focused on the show and not socializing.

SoFar does roughly 100 shows in Chicago a month, so they happen all over the city every day. I can happily report from the one I attended that 100 or so millennials sat and took in an hour-and-a-half show and watched the whole thing.

They prompt you to not be on your phone much throughout, unless it's to record a quick video and post it somewhere, so there was that, but largely, everyone listened to three, 30-minute sets from artists they knew little to nothing about prior to the night.

It was cool to see everyone collectively put the phone down, even if just for a few hours, and collectively enjoy an event. I'm guilty of overusing the phone, so it was nice to see I was also capable of doing it. So, while the poor attention reputation may be fair as a whole, for a moment it was proven incorrect.

Aaron J. Boma 2016 ISU Grad

### Charlotte M. Vodacek

MAZON – Charlotte M. "Char" Vodacek, 76, of Mazon passed away Sunday, June 9, 2019 at Central DuPage Hospital.

The family will celebrate Char's life privately with a visitation Friday, June 14, at 10 a.m., followed by a Celebration of Life at 10:30

Celebration of Life at 10:30 a.m. at the U.C. Davis-Callahan Funeral Home.

Burial will be in Mazon Cemetery.

She was born in Morris November 24, 1942, the daughter of Enar and Sarah Isham Nelson.

Raised and educated in Mazon, Char graduated from Mazon Township High School in 1961. She married Thomas Vodacek April 14, 1962.

She worked as a waitress for many years at Seven Gables and the Rockwell Inn, and as a bartender at Bud's Tap and the American Legion. She enjoyed going to the "Boat" and spending time with her family.



daughter, Debra
(Mike) Sinnott of
Verona, and son,
Troy (Kathryn) Vodacek of Urbana;
grandchildren:
Joshua (Meghan)
Slattery, Zachary
(Alaina) Sinnott, Jordan (Ash-

She is sur-

Thomas;

vived by her hus-

lee) Sinnott, Alyssa (Austin)
Dillavou, and Tyler (Emilee
Furrow) Vodacek.
Also surviving are her

great-grandchildren: Kendall and Paige Slattery, David, Hadley, Benjamin, Ian, and Connor Sinnott; another great-grandchild expected in July; a sister, Sharon DiJohn of Summerlin, Nevada; and a brother, Douglas Nelson.

She was preceded in death by her brother, Mitchell Nelson; and sisters: Lucinda Kavanaugh, Sylvia Wallin, and Sandra Burkhart.

Online condolences may be directed to the family by visiting the website: www.ucdavis callahan.com

Letters to the Editor in *The Paper* should be limited to 250 words. Letters must be signed when submitted and received

by Friday noon prior to Wednesday publication.
Letters are limited to one every 60 days per household.
Political letters will not run the week prior to an election.

We welcome your thoughts.

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Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC

Plaintiff,

Douglas H. Muir aka Douglas Muir; Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants
Defendants.

CASE NO. 18-CH-69 Property Address: 893 East 2900 North Road, Streator, Illinois 61364

NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE
Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a judgment of said
Court entered in the above-entitled cause on February 15, 2019, I, Sheriff, Tony Childress of Livingston County, Illinois, will hold a sale on July
23, 2019, commencing at 10:00 AM, at the Law and Justice Center, 110
North Main Street, Pontiac, IL 61764, Room, to sell to the highest bidder or bidders the following described real estate, or so much thereof as

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PIN: 01-01-19-400-004

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IN ACCORDANCE WITH 735 ILCS 5/15-1507(c)(1)(H-1) AND (H-2), 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(5), AND 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1), YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT THE PURCHASER OF THE PROPERTY, OTHER THAN A MORTGAGEE, SHALL PAY THE ASSESSMENTS AND LEGAL FEES REQUIRED BY SUBSECTIONS (g)(1) AND (g)(4) OF SECTION 9 AND THE ASSESSMENTS AND COURT COSTS REQUIRED BY SUBSECTION (g-1) OF SECTION 18.5 OF THE ILLINOIS CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY ACT.

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# Creating a Meaningful **Service**

In this day and age, personalized funerals have become a standard, rather than a preference, according to funeralone.com. Families are beginning to recognize the importance of planning a meaningful service that truly tells a story of the life lived.

Here are a few ideas to get you started:

- Create a memory table: One of the essentials of any personalized funeral service is a memory table. We love memory tables because you can do so much with them. You could even make multiple memory tables that are set-up like "stations" to represent different chapters or passions in the deceased person's life. The possibilities truly are endless here, so encourage your families to use their imagination. For a primer on creating a memory table, check this website
- Make a quote board: A quick and easy way to add a special touch to a funeral service? Having families create their own quote board. Choose a quote that means something to the family or loved one and put it on a chalkboard, paper, or fabric. Then, add decorations of any kind and voila! You have a wonderful display for the service.
- Show off their true colors: People who belong to official organizations are not the only ones who consider themselves a part of an important community. Sports fans and hunting enthusiasts are two other groups who have their own unique ways of showing off pride for their community... namely in the colors of clothing that they wear.
- Display photos in a unique way: Sure, a memory board is a great way to display the families' photos of their loved one, but why not help them think outside the box and create something that will make the service even more beautiful? Your families could tie photos to balloons, create a wreath with them or hang them on clothespins to add some visual appeal to the service.
- Offer a memorial stone station: Set up a station with small stones and permanent markers. Then, create a sign that instructs every guest to write their names and a brief note on a rock to honor the loved one. The family can choose to keep the rocks in their home, garden, or to scatter them somewhere that's meaningful to the deceased.

# Ideas for Planning a Celebration of Life

The loss of a loved one is never an easy experience. In many cases, attending a funeral can make the experience that much more difficult when you are surrounded by a room of people who are overwhelmed with sad-

The alternative to this is a celebration of life. A celebration of life is a great way to pay tribute to a loved one and celebrate their legacy. Unlike most funerals that often share similar prayers and readings; a celebration of life is unique to the

According to Fratelli Vescio Funeral Home Ltd. (fratellivesciofuneralhomes.com) a celebration of life should reflect your loved one's passions. More importantly, though, a celebration of life should be focused around the who, where, and how.

Who is the celebration of life for? While it is important to celebrate

the life of the deceased, you need to remember that the event is not for them. Its main purpose is to allow the family to say goodbye, give them closure, and begin the healing process.

Where will this event take place? A celebration of life is they can take place just about anywhere. Many families often hold them at the funeral home or the deceased's home as these venues often offer a beautiful space for loved ones and friends to gather.

How will you honor your loved one at the event? This is when you can begin thinking about what you would like the celebration to include. To help get you started, check out the planning checklist below.

It's really a process of asking – and answering – questions. Sit down with other family members, at least once, but maybe even more than once; to explore the celebration-of-life ideas which arise from answering the questions below.

1. WHO WILL BE INVITED? The number of guests define the where, when, and how of your celebrationof-life. Write down the names of everyone you think would want to be there and then set it aside. You can add new names to the list as you go along.

2. WHERE, AND WHEN, SHOULD THE **EVENT TAKE PLACE?** Here's where your imagination is tempered by any scheduling or travel-related issues facing those who will be invited. Be sure to check in with out-of-town relatives and friends about their situation before settling on these critical details.

3. WHO WILL ORCHESTRATE OR **CONDUCT THE EVENT?** If your loved one was religious, you may opt to have their pastor or church minister perform these tasks. However, many families today hire a non-denominational celebrant to oversee the celebration-of-life.

4. WHO WISHES TO SPEAK AT THE **EVENT?** Many times family members or friends will be very direct about their desire to make a short presentation at the celebration-of-life; other times you need to come out and ask folks if they would be willing to publicly share their thoughts and feelings. Either way, you'll want to select those people who have shared a close relationship with the deceased and have something meaningful to contribute.

5. WHAT GROUP ACTIVITIES WOULD BE APPROPRIATE? We've heard some exciting celebration-of-life ideas over the years. This question involves thinking about what your loved one liked most about their life and gives everyone a remarkable space to share memories, laugh, and even cry together.

6. WHAT FOOD OR BEVERAGES SHOULD BE SERVED? What you serve may depend on the theme of your celebration-of-life, or may be based on your loved one's favorite dishes. It's entirely up to you; we've even seen "pot luck"celebrations-of-life where guests actually sign up to bring select foods and beverages.

7. WHAT READINGS AND MUSIC SHOULD YOU INCLUDE? Music is an integral part of life for many people, and a celebration-of-life is the perfect event in which to showcase the meaningful music of your loved one's life. But, if your loved one didn't appreciate music (and lots of folks don't), it may be more appropriate to read chosen spiritual selections, or excerpts from literature.

8. WHAT DETAILS OF YOUR LOVED ONE'S LIFE DO YOU WANT TO SHARE WITH GUESTS? Not every biographical detail needs to be highlighted; rather you're trying to capture their essence by telling revealing anecdotes or stories. Sometimes you can reveal their character by detailing one short moment in their life experience.

9. WHAT DECORATIONS WILL YOU HAVE? Many families create a tribute video and use it as the centerpiece of the event. Others choose to use a memory table of photographs and other memorabilia instead.

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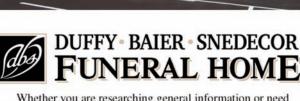
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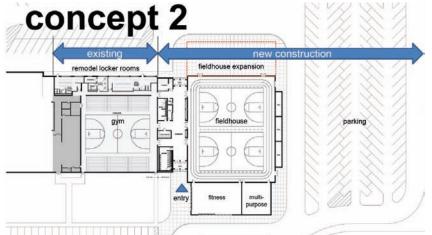
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# **Community Forum Held for DTHS Fieldhouse Project**





ARTWORK depicts the second design concept presented by the Dewberry architects for a proposed fieldhouse project to be situated on the Dwight Township High School property.

by Madelyn Fogarty

Community members were invited to an open forum at Dwight Township High School on June 5 to review concept designs, ask questions and provide feedback on a proposed fieldhouse project. An estimated 60 persons attended the meeting.

In November of 2017, the DTHS Board of Education approved an Exploratory Committee which began looking at the feasibility of a community recreation center. The initial committee was comprised of various community members including Superintendent Dr. Richard Jancek, Kim Rodosky, Tim Henson, Chuck Trainor, Ryan Hansen, Justin Eggenberger, Deb Karch and Bill Flott. Initially, the committee worked on putting together its vision and goals which were to include a facility for all community members to help promote lifelong health and wellness while providing more facility space for athletic and non-athletic activities. The times since December 2017 and visited three neighboring fieldhouse facilities while gathering information.

Early on, the concept was presented to various Village of Dwight officials to see if there might be interest in a joint venture between the village and the school district. However, Dwight officials did not express an interest in pursuing the project. The committee forged ahead, focused on providing

more space for athletic activities and other events with an expanded and upgraded facility while also creating a community center for health and well-

Two design concepts were presented. Concept 1 is a twocourt fieldhouse at a preliminary estimated cost of \$8.3 million for an attached facility or \$9.6 million for a free standing facility (21,776 sq feet new construction with 1,566 sq feet of demo). Concept 2 is a twocourt fieldhouse with a fitness center and multipurpose room at a cost of \$10.7 million for an attached facility or \$12.3 million for a free standing facility (26,771 sq feet new construction plus 15,626 sq feet of remodel and 1,566 sq feet of demo). Both concept designs include a two lane indoor walking track. The proposed attached concept designs would be built off of the DTHS gymnasium's west end. The standalone concept designs would use the current DTHS Ag plot for the facility.

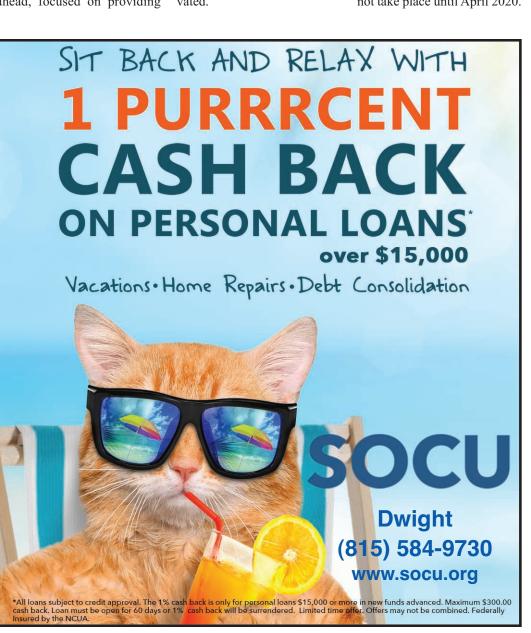
Proponents for the facility committee has met thirteen point out that the current lim- Education on June 19. The ited gym space often creates scheduling challenges and sees teams practicing from early morning to 11 p.m. or later. In addition, the current facility is in need of addressing ADA compliance issues with the current weight room on an upper level with only stair access and no ADA complainant restroom facilities at the west end of the building. Current locker room facilities also need to be reno-

The biggest concern is funding. With Dwight's High School District in a very healthy financial state, including a \$6 million total fund surplus and no other current debt, funding options presented include using a portion of existing fund balances (\$2.5 million) and then using various other funding sources such as Alternative Revenue Bonds paid for with wind turbine and sales tax revenues (\$300,000 annually); construction bonds; and a possible Vertical Construction Grant which, if received, is a 50/50 matching grant. An increased tax rate to reduce the length of the bond payback could be considered. It was noted that the tax rates at both Dwight public schools have gone down each year since 2015. Another concern is the declining enrollment at both Dwight schools. However, Dr. Jancek noted that participation numbers have not declined

The next step will be to take community feedback from the meeting to the DTHS Board of board will decide in the coming months whether it wants to move forward with one of the facility concepts and if that facility would be attached or detached. A detached facility requires the project go to referendum, but the board could choose to take either project to referendum to ensure voters have a voice in the project decision. If the project goes to referendum, that vote would not take place until April 2020.

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However, the North would In the 1A-2A girls match- fall to the South in a nail-biter,





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> Patricia S. Rosenbaum **Dwight Township Supervisor**





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Assembling the right tools and materials - To put together your bookshelf, you will need the right tools. To work toward a comfortable retirement, you'll also need the right tool – in the form of a long-term financial strategy, based on your specific retirement goals, risk tolerance and time horizon. These include those you've placed in your IRA, your 401(k) or other employer-sponsored retirement plan, and those held outside your formal retirement accounts. Ideally, you want a diversified mix of investments capable of providing growth potential over time.

Review your work - Once you've finished your bookshelf, you occasionally may need to make some minor adjustments or repairs in response to slippage, cracks or other issues that can develop over time. As an investor, you also may need to tweak your financial strategy periodically and adjust your investment mix - to accommodate changes in your life, such as a new job, new family situation and new goals.

Consequently, conducting an annual portfolio review with your financial professional should be a priority. Tools are a big deal on Father's Day. But the construction-related tasks they represent, physically and symbolically, go beyond any one holiday and can be used by anyone interested in working toward a solid financial

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# **Area Industry Hires Summer Interns From Area High Schools**

Thanks to the generosity of Morris Hospital, a kickoff breakfast was held to formally recognize and congratulate the 43 students selected for the 2019 Grundy County Internship Program.

Nikki Wills, Business Director of the Grundy Economic Development Council, opened the event by thanking the businesses, students, and educators in attendance.

Dr. Kenny Lee, Superintendent of Minooka Community High School, and Erin Murphy-Frobish, Vice President of Human Resources at Morris Hospital, also addressed the students and discussed the benefits and opportunities that will be afforded to them as part of this program. Lee challenged students to take advantage of the opportunity, while Murphy-Frobish addressed the value of the program to local businesses taking part in the program.

Senator Rezin emphasized that the students should take pride in being chosen for this opportunity, and that the internships offer a chance to gain meaningful professional work experience and learn more about the many different employment options within Grundy County.

The 43 paid internships this year are with 16 different companies, offering a diverse set of opportunities for students. The program began in 2013 with just 12 internships and three companies. The program continues to become more competitive as over 125 students applied for the positions.

The Grundy Co. Internship Program, was based on a mutual desire expressed by leaders in education and industry to highlight local employment opportunities and retain local talent in Grundy Co. Senator Rezin and the GEDC partnered with local industry and education to launch the program in 2013.

The 2019 Grundy Co. summer interns are:

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Village of Minooka Ella Ferguson.

\* = denotes new 2019 par-

# **Odell Grade School** 4th Quarter Honor Roll, **Perfect Attendance**

**Perfect Honors** (Straight A's)

Sixth Grade: Seth Mund. Seventh Grade: Brianna Hil-

Eighth Grade: Sydney Gragert, Abigail Matern, Grace

#### **High Honors** 3.5-4.0 GPA

Fifth Grade: Madison Franklin, Max Reichardt, Mariah

Sixth Grade: Korbin Lemay, ger, Claire Tucker.

Seventh Grade: Alex Beirbaum, Robert Bolen, Zechariah Landstrom, Emma Reichardt. Eighth Grade: Dalton Baker, Ashlyn Heddins, Neva Morris.

#### **Honors** (3.0-3.5 GPA)

Fifth Grade: Kynlee Brandt, Tyler Drechsel, Cody Knight.

Howard, Avery Johnson. Seventh Grade: Alex McMeen, Summer NegRay, Knobbe, Alaina Chayse Franklin.

Eighth Grade: Alec Jewell, Levy Tucker, Lucas Tucker, Cory Foster, Kayla LaVarier, Mabe, Giovanni Haleigh Colon.

**Perfect Attendance** 

Preschool: Seth Caudle, Regan Russel, Jackson Riebel. Kindergarten: Ezri Monroe, Cooper Lamps, Tristen Sassen- Riley Riebel, Peyton Welsh. First Grade: Riley Russell. **Second Grade:** McKensey Michalski, Tyler Rangel, Gavin Vejvoda, Hunter Welsh.

> Third Grade: Isaac Caudle. Fourth Grade: Michael Caudle, Madalynn Causer, Emily LaVarier, Gabriel Reimer, Casey Vejvoda.

> Fifth Grade: Ashlyn Hanson, Cody Knight, Max Reichardt, Mariah Wallis, Bryce Wild-

Sixth Grade: Kyla Baker, Nevaeh Cox.

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Eighth Grade: Glorianna Bir-

kett, Cory Foster, Sydney Gragert, Kohlvin Thweatt.

# **Tri-Point High School** 4th Quarter, 2nd Semester **Honor Roll**

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• 4th Quarter •

4.00 Club and Above

Freshman: Ayden McNeill, Robert Mogged. **Sophomore:** Elise Bruner.

Junior: Cadence Denning-Senior: Abigail Kerrins, Hallie

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**High Honors** 

Freshman: Jose Amador, Dominic Carrera, Kaylen Creek, Alexis Poe, Melina Schuette, Helena Woods.

Sophomore: William Coffey, Ellenie Dyrby, Logan Vieira. **Junior:** Brittney Billerbeck, Rodney Billerbeck, Wyatt Dohe, Rahel Gilleland, Jacqueline Houck, Jade King. Senior: Anicah Bruner, Cas-

sidy Hindman, Jacob Ritchie. **Honor Roll** 

Freshman: Kole Bouk, Mikaayla English, Tabitha

Jabaay, Hope McDermott. Sophomore: Aaron Hughes, Kendra Weber.

Junior: Margie Billerbeck, Zachary Hollingsworth, Faith McDermott, Kiara McDonald, Peyton Ritchie, Gabrielle Spangler.

Senior: Kayla Dunlavey, Lindsay Haren, Tara Hummel, Hayden Lane, Noah Manning, Katie Paquette.

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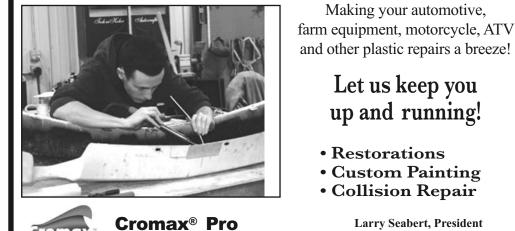
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• Dwight – Wednesday, June 26, 9:00-11:00 a.m., at the **Dwight Public Services Com**plex, 209 S. Prairie St.

No appointments are necessary. Call 815-844-2272 for more information.

#### **Creative Caregiver Support Group**

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For more information, contact Brandie Taylor, Caregiver Advisor, at 815-844-2272.

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# School's Out, Pool's Open

Grab your swimmies and foam noodles -- The Robert W. Stevenson Memorial Pool is now open for the summer.

Pool Manager Kelly Bruce said repairs to the main pump and chlorinator delayed this year's opening by a week. It was supposed to open May 31 but it opened this past weekend with three days of free swimming.

Kids and families can now sign up for a summer of splashing and fun. Rates for 2019 are \$3 per person per visit. If you like to dip more often, Dwight residents can get an individual pass for \$55 or family pass for \$100. Non-resident costs is \$125 for a family pass or \$75 for individual pass.

Public swimming hours are 1-5:30 p.m. daily; and 6:30-9 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The pool is available to rent Saturday mornings or Tuesday and Sunday evenings for \$100 an hour. Family memberships receive a \$20 dis-

The pool offers water aerobics or lap swims for \$50 June 10-August 9: 7 a.m. Monday-Friday and 5:30-6:15 p.m. Monday and Wednesday, Swimming lessons are offered too. Cost is \$35 for members, or \$50 for non-members per session:

Session I: Monday - Thursdays • June 17-27 Make-up days Fridays June 21 and June 28 Session II: Monday-Thursdays • July 15-25 Make-up days Fridays July 19 and July 26

There is also a competitive co-ed Dolphin Swim Team for those 18 and under. There is a \$50 enrollment fee. Meets held Tuesday and Thursday evenings and some Saturdays. Although practice began June 3, new members are welcome.

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# VILLAGE OF SAUNEMIN

VILLAGE OF SAUNEMIN					
May 1, 2018 - April 30, 2019					
CHECKING ACCOUNTS:					
GENERAL – Balance May 1, 201 INCOME:	18	27,765.52 158,978.99			
Community Building Donations	\$ 250.00	100,5 700,5			
Community Building Rental	3,555.00				
County Taxes	16,557.01				
Utility Taxes	20,660.69				
Misc. Income	321.85				
Income Taxes					
	40,777.21				
Interest	28.01				
Local Use Taxes	12,418.23				
Fines - Fees - License	10,369.01				
Municipal Taxes	22,320.01				
Park Income	312.30				
Property Sale	4,152.00				
Transfer In	16,682.68				
Replacement Taxes	810.86				
Video Gaming Taxes	9,764.13				
EXPENSE:		167,191.45			
Advertising	1,249.88				
Audit	3,800.00				
Budget Transfer					
Celebration - General	790.00				
Community Building	4,344.98				
Contract Service - Mileage/Labor	5,207.50				
Fitness Center	15,000.00				
Garbage Contract	21,744.00				
Utilities	9,065.08				
Donations Engineering Face	1,600.00				
Engineering Fees	1,157.50 8,556.57				
Insurance	26,370.75				
Legal Maintenance	839.41				
Membership	1,252.00				
Misc.	1,857.24				
Mowing Contract	5,000.00				
Office Supplies	934.92				
Park	4,444.50				
Police Contract	,				
Property Acquisition	8,800.00				
Salaries	12,715.12				
Snow Removal	9,452.25				
Transfer Outs - 75% of Muni Tax	13,245.62				
Transfer Outs - Video Game Tax	9,764.13				
Balance April 30, 2019		<u>19,553.06</u>			
<b>SEWERAGE</b> – Balance May 1, 2 <b>INCOME</b> :	018	27,728.34 49,546.75			
Interest	109.25				
Sewerage payments	49,437.50				
EXPENSE:		7,333.61			
Sewerage expense	<b>7.000</b> 55				
Tile Repair/Replacement	7,333.61	(0.044.40			
Balance April 30, 2019	69,941.48				
MOTOR FUEL – Balance May 1	16,033.23				
INCOME:	25.29	28,081.33			
Interest State Allocation	10,693.37				
Miss Income	10,093.37				

26,060.34 **EXPENSE: Engineering Fees** 3,132.84 Repairs 22,927.50 Checks for acct Sidewalks Balance April 30, 2019 18,054.22 **CELEBRATION** – Balance May 1, 2018 2,854.37 **INCOME:** 1,456.00 Donations/Sales/Budget 1,456.00 1,797.64 **EXPENSE: Event Expenses** 1,797.64 Balance April 30, 2019 2,512.73 TIF – Balance May 1, 2018 60,918.90 **INCOME:** 65,568.78 County Taxes 65,502.00 Interest 66.78 **EXPENSE:** 81,998.76 Legal Expense 968.00 Tile Repair 13,377.14 4,764.69 **Extension Costs** Transfer Out - to Jr. Debt Service 36,206.25

Misc Income

17,362.67

11,682.68

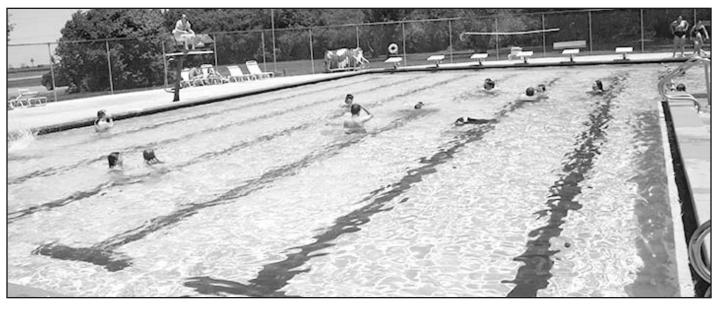
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Transfer Out - to Gen Checking

Property Acquisition Expense Balance April 30, 2019





**INCOME:** 

**EXPENSE:** 

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**INCOME** 

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**Bond Payments** 

Interest

Transfer in - From TIF

Balance April 30, 2019

- Balance May 1, 2018

Balance April 30, 2019

Balance May 1, 2018

To General Checking

Transfer Out to Jr. Debt

Balance April 30, 2019

- Balance May 1, 2018

Balance April 30, 2019

- Balance May 1, 2018

Balance April 30, 2019

the best of my knowledge.

Mary Billington

**CASHIER SAVINGS ACCT** 

Historical Improvement/Expense

Transfer from General Checking

Transfer to General for Park Exp.

**CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSITS** 

Motor Fuel Balance April 30, 2019 \$

TOTAL SAVINGS

General Balance April 30, 2019 \$ 5,809.45

TOTAL CD'S

I, Mary Billington, being duly appointed as Saunemin Village

Treasurer, swear that the above report is true and accurate to

6/4/19

VIDEO GAMING SAVINGS ACCT

Transfer in - General Savings

LOW INTEREST LOAN ACCT

GENERAL SAVINGS ACCT -

75% Muni Sales Tax from General



IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 11TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LIVINGSTON COUNTY- PONTIAC, ILLINOIS - Continued from previous column. -VILLAGE OF SAUNEMIN Fifth Third Bank as Successor by Merger to JR DEBT - Balance May 1, 2018 40,561.94 Fifth Third Mortgage Company 48,422.14 Plaintiff,

48,346.25

40,637.83

11,899.67

11,915.12

43,329.13

13,293.05

17,140.00

<u>39,482.18</u>

3,217.50

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3,311,60

7,291.07

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Deidre Sandeno aka Deidra Sandeno; Unknown Heirs and Legatees of Chad D. Sandeno; Karen Sandeno, individually and as Independent Administrator of the Estate of Chad D. Sandeno; David Sandeno; E.C.S. Minor Heir; Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants

Defendants. CASE NO.17 CH 22

Property Address: 310 West South Street, Dwight, Illinois 60420

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SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF LIVINGSTON,

STATE OF ILLINOIS: LOT 23 IN BLOCK 4 OF NEWELL'S ADDITION TO THE VILLAGE

OF DWIGHT, LIVINGSTON COUNTY, ILLINOIS. Commonly known as: 310 West South Street, Dwight, Illinois 60420

P.I.N.: 05-05-09-106-023

First Lien Position; Single-Family Residence; Judgment Amount \$165,400.67

IN ACCORDANCE WITH 735 ILCS 5/15-1507(c)(1)(H-1) AND (H-2), 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(5), AND 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1), YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT THE PURCHASER OF THE PROPERTY, OTHER THAN A MORTGAGEE, SHALL PAY THE ASSESSMENTS AND LEGAL FEES REQUIRED BY SUBSECTIONS (g)(1) AND (g)(4) OF SECTION 9 AND THE ASSESSMENTS AND COURT COSTS REQUIRED BY SUBSECTION (g-1) OF SECTION 18.5 OF THE ILLINOIS CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY ACT.

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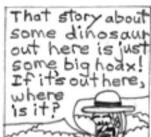
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### **Prairie Creek Library**



PRAIRIE CREEK LIBRARY HAD 111 CHILDREN register for the summer reading program. The children will be participating in crafts, activities, and games centered around the theme, "It's Showtime at the Library." Several movie stars visited the library for Opening Night – the kids enjoyed meeting them and taking pictures.

# St. Joseph Church Rectory in Cabery Demolished



THE RECTORY AT ST. JOSEPH CHURCH IN CABERY has been demolished by the Joliet Diocese even though a benefactor offered to purchase it. The St. Joseph Preservation Society, led by Cheryl Weaver, of Cabery, wants to turn the 115-year-old church into a private chapel but the diocese under Bishop Daniel Conlon wants to tear it down like they did the rectory. The case has been appealed all the way to the supreme court of the Vatican. Although the rectory was never part of the litigation -- it does not fall under canon law -- the preservation society's consultant, Brody Hale, believes it was torn down as a power move by the bishop.





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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that a public meeting on said budget and appropriation ordinance will be held at 7:00 p.m., D.S.T., on July 18, 2019, at the Odell Firehouse.

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PRAIRIE CREEK LIBRARY, DWIGHT, had 37 grade school children sign up to "Create a Puppet" on June 4. The kids took the puppets home to have their own puppet shows this summer. This event is part of the summer reading program at Prairie Creek Library - "It's Showtime at the Library."

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

BANK OF PONTIAC, an Illinois Banking Corporation, Plaintiff

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, Mc-Clarey 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



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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 11TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LIVINGSTON COUNTY - PONTIAC, ILLINOIS

Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC Plaintiff,

Streator, Illinois 61364

Douglas H. Muir aka Douglas Muir; Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants

Defendants. 18 CH 69 Property Address: 893 East 2900 North Road,

#### NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE

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Commonly known as: 893 East 2900 North Road, Streator, Illinois 61364 P.I.N.: 01-01-19-400-004

First Mortgage Lien Position; Single-Family Residence; Judgment Amount \$130,371.61. IN ACCORDANCE WITH 735 ILCS 5/15-

1507(c)(1)(H-1) AND (H-2), 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(5). AND 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1), YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT THE PURCHASER OF THE PROP-FRTY OTHER THAN A MORTGAGEE SHALL PAY THE ASSESSMENTS AND LEGAL FEES RE-QUIRED BY SUBSECTIONS (g)(1) AND (g)(4) OF SECTION 9 AND THE ASSESSMENTS AND COURT COSTS REQUIRED BY SUBSECTION (g-1) OF SEC-TION 18.5 OF THE ILLINOIS CONDOMINIUM PROPERTY ACT.

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Fifth Third Bank as Successor by Merger to Fifth Third Mortgage Company Plaintiff,

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Defendants.

CASE NO. 17 CH 22 Property Address: 310 West South Street, Dwight, Illinois 60420

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FRIENDS AND FAMILY OF JERRY L. YEDINAK gathered to celebrate the late owner of Jerry's Tap & Family Dining in Ransom. Yedinak, of Ransom, passed away Sunday,

He is survived by daughters: Maranda (Doug) Trainor, Katie (Josh) Hamilton of Blackstone, and Kristina Yedinak of Ransom; sons, Jeremy (Brianne) Yedinak of Blackstone and Jason

His grandchildren are: Kyla, Keaton, Denver, Madisyn, Dycen, Nick, Kane, Rylan, Kaisley, Xayden, Mason, and Kollins, all who adored

Also surviving: Mary Jane Yedinak; sisters: Nancy (Royce) McBeath of Dwight and Judy (Craig) Moore of Ottawa; many nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews who lovingly referred to him as "Uncle Moosie." Yedinak was born and raised in Streator. He joined the United States Army before establish-

Yedinak was very active in the Ransom and surrounding communities. He belonged to both St. Patrick Church in Ransom as well as being a member of the former St. Stephen's Church and

He served as a trustee at St. Patrick Church,

He was a member of American Legion Post 674 in Ransom for many years and served as Post Commander. He served on the Ransom Grade School Board, serving as Board president. He was a 3rd Degree member of the Msgr. George A. Dzuryo Knights of Columbus Council #790. He was a member of the St. Vincent De-Paul Society and delivered Meals on Wheels

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their "Papa Jerry."

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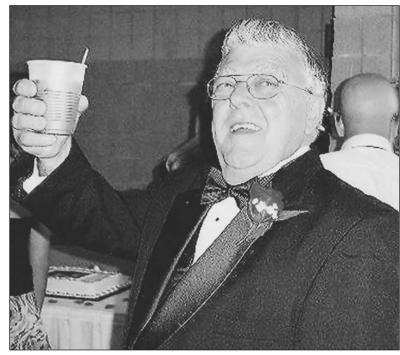
(Kerry) Yedinak of Ransom..

# Remembering Jerry Yedinak



ABOVE: JERRY'S FAMILY GATHERED AT JERRY'S TAP to celebrate his legacy. His grandchildren, shown below, were known as "Jerry's Kids." Yedinak is shown below.





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JUNE 12: 7 p.m., Bible

• JUNE 13: 7 p.m., Wor-

• JUNE 15: 10 a.m., Fa-

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• JUNE 16: 9 a.m., The

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Good Way Study; 10

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Church

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New Life

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Day.

Group.

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Psalm 8

Rev. Grant Speece

• JUNE 16 - Father's

Day: 10:30 a.m., Wor-

ship. Sermon title: "God

Christ

#### **DWIGHT Dwight United**

**Methodist Church** 701 S. Columbia 584-3420 church Dwightumc.org Pastor: Michael Ebersohl

• JUNE 12: 8:30 a.m.. UMW meeting

• JUNE 13: 5:30 p.m., Praise Band rehearsal • JUNE 15: UMW Farmer's Market, St. Patrick's Church parking lot; 7 a.m., Men's Bible Study at Rte. 66, Dwight; 9 a.m., AA meeting; 6 p.m.,

YAGOS - Gardner Restaurant. • JUNE 16 Father's Day: 8 a.m., Early Worship; 9:15 a.m., Sunday School; 9:30 a.m.,

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#4877; Kiwanis meeting; 6:30 p.m., Bible Warriors. • JUNE 18: 8:30 a.m., Hens Bible Study; 9 a.m., Bible Seekers. • JUNE 19: 2 p.m.,

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Pastor • JUNE 12: 6 p.m., Wednesday Devotions with Holy Communion. • JUNE 16: 9 a.m., Worship with Holy Communion.

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815-584-3522 Office Father Chris Haake, Pastor • JUNE 15: 9:00 - 10:00 a.m., Reconciliation; 4:30 p.m., Mass. • JUNE 16: 10:30 a.m., Mass. St. Peter's **Lutheran Church** 326 W. Chippewa St. 815-584-1199 Pastor Chrissy Salser

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Worship. • JUNE 18: 8 a.m., Staff meeting; 4 - 6 p.m., Salvation Army/ Compassion Ministry.

 JUNE 21: No Bible Study; 8 p.m., AA.

# **BRACEVILLE**

**Braceville United Methodist Church** 106 W. Goold St. 815-237-8512 Church 815-483-9343 Cell bracevilleumc.com Pastor Karen Fabian

• 10:30 a.m., Sunday Service.

• Through June 14:: Vacation Bible School, 9 a.m. - noon.

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#### **EMINGTON Emington** Congregational **United Church**

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#### **MAZON Mazon United**

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# **ODELL**

9 a.m.

St. Paul Catholic Church 200 S. West St.

Father Chris G. Haake, Pastor • JUNE 16: 8 a.m.,

Mass. • JUNE 19: Reconciliation following 8:00 a.m. Mass.



ABOVE AND BOTTOM LEFT: Dwight Fire Academy recruits practice forcible entry tactics during recent training sessions. Bottom right: A recruit goes through practical evolutions for the proper selection, carrying, and deploying of ground ladders. Photos courtesy Johna Bradley, public information officer for Dwight Fire Protection District.





# **Dwight Fire Recruits Learn Tools of the Trade**

The Dwight Fire Protection District has been busy with its fire

On May 6 the duty crew trained on how to draft water from a static supply. The process of raising water from a static source to supply a pumper is known as drafting. This type of operation may occur from any type of static water source including lakes, ponds, portable tanks, and water-carrying vehicles without pumps.

On May 18, the academy went through practical evolutions for the proper selection, carrying, and deploying of ground ladders. Recruits were tasked with setting up the ladders to access the roof of structures for ventilation, as well as to access windows for rescue and entry into a building, according to Public Information Officer Johna Bradley. Following the ladder practicals, recruits were sent inside the building to perform search practicals under smoke conditions, tasked with clearing rooms, searching and removal of victims, and locating the fire.

Forcible entry is a fundamental skill recruits are learning. A successful forcible entry operation consists of four points:

- 1. A skilled forcible entry size-up.
- 2. The department purchasing the most efficient tools for forcible
- entry tasks. 3. Learning and training on the most efficient way to utilize those
- 4. Formulating and training on a plan of attack for any forcible

entry problem that could be encountered.

"If you see us outside smashing doors or running saws or running any drill please stop and say 'hello.'"

> - Johna Bradley, Dwight Fire Department

Each Basic Operations Firefighter (BOF) Academy receives multiple lectures and a day of hands-on training practicing the points above, Bradley said. Additionally, throughout the year, all firefighters train on the forcible entry props multiple times. Each training evolution replicates a forcible entry scenario to put the firefighter in a realistic fire ground situation.

Some of the scenarios include: Using the leverage of a Halligan tool and axe to break a door to an apartment, house or store; cutting padlocks or other locking devices with a power saw; using a power saw to remove window bars or gates; or simply practicing a 'non-destructive' method of entry to use when applicable.

The current administration of the Dwight Fire Protection District has upgraded all forcible entry tools, power saws and training props to a modern, cutting-edge level and the instructing staff of the department is second to none in the region.

Training can be loud and perhaps even a bit disruptive. But Bradley said they are doing it for the taxpayer to make Dwight the most professional fire department in the region.

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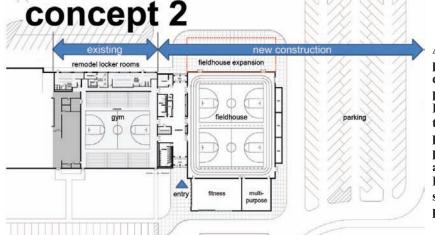
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# **Community Forum Held for DTHS Fieldhouse Project**





ARTWORK depicts the second design concept presented by the Dewberry architects for a proposed fieldhouse project to be situated on the Dwight Township High School property.

by Madelyn Fogarty

Community members were invited to an open forum at Dwight Township High School on June 5 to review concept designs, ask questions and provide feedback on a proposed fieldhouse project. An estimated 60 persons attended the meeting.

In November of 2017, the DTHS Board of Education approved an Exploratory Committee which began looking at the feasibility of a community recreation center. The initial committee was comprised of various community members including Superintendent Dr. Richard Jancek, Kim Rodosky, Tim Henson, Chuck Trainor, Ryan Hansen, Justin Eggenberger, Deb Karch and Bill Flott. Initially, the committee worked on putting together its vision and goals which were to include a facility for all community members to help promote lifelong health and wellness while providing more facility space for athletic and non-athletic activities. The times since December 2017 and visited three neighboring fieldhouse facilities while gathering information.

Early on, the concept was presented to various Village of Dwight officials to see if there might be interest in a joint venture between the village and the

more space for athletic activities and other events with an expanded and upgraded facility while also creating a community center for health and well-

Two design concepts were presented. Concept 1 is a twocourt fieldhouse at a preliminary estimated cost of \$8.3 million for an attached facility or \$9.6 million for a free standing facility (21,776 sq feet new construction with 1,566 sq feet of demo). Concept 2 is a twocourt fieldhouse with a fitness center and multipurpose room at a cost of \$10.7 million for an attached facility or \$12.3 million for a free standing facility (26,771 sq feet new construction plus 15,626 sq feet of remodel and 1,566 sq feet of demo). Both concept designs include a two lane indoor walking track. The proposed attached concept designs would be built off of the DTHS gymnasium's west end. The standalone concept designs would use the current DTHS Ag plot for the facility.

Proponents for the facility committee has met thirteen point out that the current limited gym space often creates scheduling challenges and sees teams practicing from early morning to 11 p.m. or later. In addition, the current facility is in need of addressing ADA compliance issues with the current weight room on an upper level with only stair access and

The biggest concern is funding. With Dwight's High School District in a very healthy financial state, including a \$6 million total fund surplus and no other current debt, funding options presented include using a portion of existing fund balances (\$2.5 million) and then using various other funding sources such as Alternative Revenue Bonds paid for with wind turbine and sales tax revenues (\$300,000 annually); construction bonds; and a possible Vertical Construction Grant which, if received, is a 50/50 matching grant. An increased tax rate to reduce the length of the bond payback could be considered. It was noted that the tax rates at both Dwight public schools has gone down each year since 2015. Another concern is the declining enrollment at both Dwight schools. However, Dr. Jancek noted that participation numbers have not declined

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The next step will be to take community feedback from the meeting to the DTHS Board of Education on June 19. The board will decide in the coming months whether it wants to move forward with one of the facility concepts and if that facility would be attached or detached. A detached facility requires the project go to referendum, but the board could choose to take either project to

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along with enrollment.

school district. However, no ADA complainant restroom referendum to ensure voters facilities at the west end of the Dwight officials did not exhave a voice in the project depress an interest in perusing the building. Current locker room cision. If the project goes to referendum, that vote would project. The committee forged facilities also need to be renoahead, focused on providing not take place until April 2020. SIT BACK AND RELAX WITH PURRRCENT CASH BACK ON PERSONAL LOANS over \$15,000 Vacations. Home Repairs. Debt Consolidation **Dwight** (815) 584-9730

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