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Thought for the Week: Anyone who never made a mistake has never tried anything new. Albert Einstein

## **ATTENTION KIDS**

Mark your calendars now to be at the Mark's Ark Amazing Animals Show sponsored by East of Chicago Pizza during the festival! Shows will be held at 10:30 am and 1:00 pm on Saturday July 5th at Stage II downtown. Join in the fun as we get up close and personal with the animals!! Watch next week's Warren Weekly for a list of animals Mark likes to bring.

Pictured at right: Caden Brubaker

holds a python around his neck during a Mark's Ark Show.



## SWIM @ SALAMONIE

The Aquatic Staff from the Huntington YMCA will be offering Swim Lessons at the Salamonie Pool July 7- 18<sup>th</sup>.

Lessons will be 30 minutes each an Every weekday M-F for the two week period.

Lessons are in the evening from 6:00-8:00 pm.

Level 1 will be from 6:00 - 6:30 or 6:30 -7-00.

Level 2 will be from 6:00-6:30 or 6:30 -7:00.

Level 3 &4 will be from 7:00-7:30.

Level 5&6 will be from 7:30-8:00.

Cost of the lessons will be \$35.00 per person.

## RED CROSS HELP

The American Red Cross continues to operate mass care shelters and provide financial assistance to victims of floods and tornadoes in Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, West Virginia and Wisconsin. There are currently 11 major disaster relief operations in these 6 states with spending expected to exceed \$15 million. We are asking Huntington County residents to support these relief operations financially by donating to the National Disaster Relief Fund. Checks can be made out to the American Red Cross, with NDRF written on the memo line,

and mailed to the Huntington County chapter at 354 N. Jefferson St. Huntington, IN. 46750. The local chapter will then forward the money on the relief operations where it is desperately needed. For more information call the Huntington County chapter of the American Red Cross at (260) 356-2910.

## SUMMER READING

"Catch the Reading Bug" the Warren Library's Summer Reading program is already half over! It is not too late to start if you now find that you have time to read. You may just have to read a little longer each day! Bug Club is held on Wednesdays. Thanks to Conrad Etherington who loaned his bee man equipment and hive for the children to see on June 18. Karen Henshaw will be our guest on July 2 presenting her monarch butterfly program. Please plan to attend.

## Ротато Ваке

The Warren United Church of Christ will be hosting a Potato Bake on Sunday July 6 from 11:30 - 1:30 at the Knight-Bergman Civic Center. Meal includes a large baked potato with a variety of toppings, dessert and a drink. Cost is \$6.00 for adults, \$2.50 for children 5-12 years and no charge for children under 5. Come have a good meal and enjoy the Festival.

## FLOWER SHOW

Please bring your entries for the Flower Show to the downtown Annex on Thursday, 3rd. of July, from noon until 5 pm. Judging will be @ 7 p.m. Your entries should be picked up before 1:00 p.m. Sunday; 6 July. Thanking you in advance for again making this event such an exciting and beautiful one. Questions? Lilly Nutter, 375-2095. Leave a message if I am not home.

## FAMILY FUN FREEWAY!

July 4-6 Great Fun and entertainment for all ages! The Pedal carts are back by popular demand, Moonwalk w/slide, Adrenaline Rush - an obstacle course for adults & children, and MORE!

Friday, July 4: 7-10pm & Sat, July 5: 10am-10pm \$.50 per ticket. Some events will take multiple tickets. Sunday, July 6 FREE events brought to you by the National Guard. Come and enjoy in a great family environment.

## SIGMA PHI BINGO

Get your tickets early, Play 20 games of Bingo on Saturday, July 5<sup>th</sup> at the Knight Bergman Center. Doors open at 11:30 a.m. Play starts at 12:30 p.m. Refreshments will be available. Tickets may be purchased from any Sigma Phi Gamma member, Gebhart's Floral Barn, Warren Service & Supply/Bolingers Propane, PJ's Flowers & Gifts and the Daugherty Companies. Tickets can also be purchased at the door. All proceeds benefit the community.

## **EVENTS PLANNED**

Come out to the Sportsman's Club during the Salamonie Summer Festival. There are so many great things going on.

On Thursday, July 3rd we have our annual Open House and Free

Fishing games for the kids. We will also being selling our raffle tickets during this time. This will be from 5:00pm until about 9:00. On Saturday, July 5th we will be having our ever popular Pancake and Sausage Breakfast from 6:00am-10:00am. Cost is \$5.50 for adults, \$3.50 for kids 5-12 and kids under the age of 5 eat for free. Right after our breakfast we will be having our Kids Fishing Derby at the River by the bridge. Sign up will be from 10:00-10:30. Fishing starts at 11:00. Prizes will be given away for different categories. Come out and have a great time at the river. The Derby will last from 11:00-1:00.

We will be selling our raffle tickets all weekend long during the festival. Get them from any member or at Denny's Hardware or GDW Construction office. We have two raffles. One for a CVA Kodiak inline muzzleloader, 50 cal, and one for a Longaberber cake basket, including divider, liner and engraved lid. Prizes will be given away on Sunday, July 6th, between the Demo Derby and the Lazer Light Show.

We hope to see you sometime during the festival.

## JULY FOOD ORDERS

We again had a very successful Pick Up Day last Saturday as we distributed 420 orders, our largest so far! Thanks to all the volunteers who came to help. This is what makes this ministry a success.

We are ready to begin taking orders for the July Menu & Specials. You can come to the Warren Church of Christ on this Thursday, June 26 from 3-7:00 P.M., Saturday, June 28, from 9-11:00 A.M., Thursday, July 3, 3-7:00 P.M. and Saturday, July 5, 9-11:00 A.M. We know July 3 & 5 are Salamonie Summer Festival days, but that's a good time to get your order in as hopefully many of you will be in town to share in the CELEBRATION! You can pick up order blanks at area businesses and area churches. The churches will have these menus printed and inserted in their bulletins for your convenience. We are also going to have menus available in the Candy Bags from the Warren Pharmacy being given away during the parade. Call us if you need an order blank at 375-2293,

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# SALAMONE SUMMER FESTIVAL NOTES JULY 3 - 6, 2008

June 28 Golf Scramble @ Dogwood Glen Golfcourse 8:00am

July 3rd Fireworks at Tower Park and Food Vendors! Flower Show entries due.

July 4th Volleyball, Softball Tournament, Parade, Tractor Pull & Live Band Family Fun Freeway, Festival of Arts

July 5th Sportsmen's Breakfast, 3on3 Basketball, Kids' events, Basket Bingo, Rodeo, Live Band, Family Fun Freeway, Festival of Arts

July 6th Road Rally, Worship Service, Waterball Fights, Car & Bike Cruise-in, Demolition Derby, Live Music & Laser Light Show

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## KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

## DEAR FRIENDS,

I wish to thank everyone for all the kindness shown to me during my recent surgery. For the prayers, cards, visits and gifts. The staff at Heritage Pointe for caring for me, and to my wonderful husband for his care and love for me.

Freddie Couch

## DEAR EDITOR,

I'd like to thank you and everyone else who has accepted and supported David Uncapher, The Can Man, since his brain damage in 2002. The past month you may have noticed he hasn't been around much. He has arthritis and a pinched nerve on his spine. On the 23rd he had a procedure done to numb the pinched nerve. Please pray for a good recovery.

I'd also like to ask for everyone's opinion and help. I assumed everyone was ok with David's "Dumpster Diving," since in four years I've never heard a complaint after explaining his situation in this paper. Some people did have a problem and decided to "beat it into his memory" to stay away (with a dumpster lid). So I ask, should I:

- 1) Let him continue as he has?
- 2) Quit my job so I can assist and protect him 100% of the time?
- 3) Lock him away at home so he doesn't bother anyone?
- 4) Request those bothered to kindly ask him to leave again or lock up their dumpsters?

5) Let those bothered "beat it into his memory" to stay away!

Yes, I know who the assailant was, but I'm following God's advice and turning the other cheek. They need to look up "the golden rule" in Matthew 7:12. If David bothers you, call me, at 375-3843, or the

For now, I really want your opinions. Please relay them through the Warren Weekly. I've asked that answers be published too, if possible.

> Thank You Pam Uncapher, Mrs. Can Man

## SMALL TOWN, BIG HEART

Have you driven thru the downtown and looked at the second story of the old grocery store? What about the new paint on the building? A big thank you goes to all those who have volunteered their time to give this building a face lift. There are still a few buildings that need some TLC and attention. The goal is for the downtown buildings to have a fresh look, to go along with the new sidewalks and street lights. The upcoming Salamonie Summer Festival is a great time for us to showcase our town, to everyone who visit during this time. We want everyone to look around and be able to say, "Yes, I want to come home to Warren!"

All these renovations have been thru the generosity of donations from a few local businesses and residents. This project has NOT been funded by the Warren Area Chamber, Town of Warren Utilities, or from Economic Development. There is more paint to purchase and additional donations are needed.

If you would like to help in any way, just drop off your donation at Denny's Hardware and he will add it to the fund. If you like to paint and would like to volunteer your time, just let Denny know and someone will be in contact with you.

Our town's motto is "Small Town, Big Heart". Now is the time to live up to that statement!

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Worship ...... 10:30 a.m.

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Wed. Bible Study ......6:30 p.m.

Thurs. Kings Kids ......6:30 p.m.

CWF Ladies (3 Tue) ......6:00 p.m.

1st Sun. (Qtrly) Praise Hour.. 6:30 p.m.

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Rev. Barry Humble, Pastor

Jerome Markley, S.S. Supt.

Sunday Worship ...... 9:30a.m.

Sunday School ...... 10:30a.m.

....6:30 p.m.

Wed Evening Carry-in & Fellowship

## HILLCREST **CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE** 375-2510

Rev Mark Davis Bus Service 375-2510

www.hillcrestnazchurch.org Sunday School ......9:30 a.m. Worship ......10:30 a.m. Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m. Youth Group (Wed.).....6:00 p.m. Wed. Midweek Service......6:30 p.m. **JEFFERSONCENTER** 

**UNITED METHODIST** Corner of 900S & 300W

Kathy Newton, Pastor Sunday School ......8:45 a.m. **LANCASTERWESLEYAN** 

> 468-2411 Doug Sharrard, Pastor David Thrift, S.S. Supt. Sunday School ......9:30 a.m. Worship ......10:30 a.m. Wednesday:

> > Dan Helm, Pastor

Sunday School ......10:45 a.m.

McNATT UNITED METHODIST

375-4359

Bill VanHaften, Pastor

Lois Slusher, Supt.

Coffee Fellowship......8:30 a.m.

Worship ......9:15 a.m.

Sunday School ......10:30 a.m.

MT. ETNA UNITED METHODIST

260/468-2148

Rev. Tom DeFries - Pastor

Trad. Worship ...... 9:00 a.m.

Mdrn Worship ...... 10:30 a.m.

Fellowship & Classes ....... 9:30 a.m.

Kids Club, Youth Group & Adult Studies

Rev. Charles Dederick, Pastor

Sunday School ......9:30 a.m.

Worship ......10:30 a.m.

Sunday Evening ......6:00 p.m.

Mid-Week (Wed) ......6:00 p.m.

THE NEW BEGINNING

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Steve Sutton, Pastor

- all Sunday ...... 6:00 p.m. MOUNTETNA WESLEYAN

.. 7:00 p.m.

Bible Study - Wed. .....

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Youth Minister Lynne Payne Pastor Dan Sommer Worship ......9:30 a.m. Sunday School ......9:00 a.m. Sunday School ......10:40 a.m. Fellowship ...... 9:55a.m. Adult Bible Study ...... Sun 6:30p.m. Worship ...... 10:15a.m. Youth Group ...... Sun 6:30p.m. Wed. Bible Study ...... 7:00 p.m. LIBERTYCENTER Handicap Accesible

Little Panther Preschool 765.934.2099 UNITED METHODIST CHURCH WORD OF LIFE — MAJENICA Rev. Malcolm & Jackie Howell Morning Worship ......9:30 a.m.

260/356-1246 Sunday Evening Service ......6:00 p.m. Tuesday Eve. Bible Study .....6:30 p.m. **DILLMAN UNITED BRETHREN** 

8888S 1100W-90, Warren 375-2779 Dick Case, Pastor Sun - 1st Worship Service..... 8:15a.m.

Sunday School......9:30a.m. 2nd Worship Service ....10:30a.m. Youth Group (6th-12th).6:00p.m. Wed - Circle of Friends (3yrs old - 5th grade) . 6:30-8p.m.

HANFIELD UNITED MÉTHODIST 101 N 400 E - Marion 765/664-8726

Timothy Helm, Senior Pastor 1st Worship......9:00 a.m. 2nd Worship..... ...10:30 a.m. HERITAGE POINTE

Sunday Morning Worship ......9:30 a.m. OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat Chapel Services .....

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#### **SALAMONIE CHURCH OF BRETHREN** 468-2412

Mel Zumbrun, Pastor Worship ......9:30 a.m. Church School ......10:45a.m.

## **UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST** 375-2102

Rev. Rick Pulling, Interim Pastor Sunday Worship...... 9:30 a.m. Junior Church ...... 10:00 a.m. Sunday School ...... 10:30 a.m. Communion 1st Sunday of the Month Fun Factory 1st/3rd Sundays ...6:00p.m.

## **VBCHURCHOFTHENAZARENE** 765/934-3321 Parsonage

Jeff Wass, Pastor Sunday School ...... 9:30 a.m. Adult Worship ......10:30 a.m. Children's Church ...... 10:30a.m. Evening Praise Hour..... 6:00p.m. Hour of Power (Wed) ...... 7:00p.m.

#### VBUNITED METHÓDIST CHURCH 765-934-1431 Pastor Blake J. Neff

Worship Service ...... 9:30 a.m. Sunday School ...... 10:30a.m. Jr/Sr High UMYF (Sun)...... 6:30 p.m. Prayer-Bible Study (Thur).... 7:30 p.m. UMW 2nd Wed ..... 7:00 p.m. www.vanburenumc.org

#### WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-3022

Gerald O. Moreland, Minister Todd Winkler, Youth Minister Ruth Moreland, Secretary Shanna Fortney, Bible School Supt. Fellowship ......9:15 a.m. Worship & Communion ......9:30 a.m. Sunday School ......10:45 a.m. Teen Youth (AOL) Sundays 6:00 p.m.

WARREN 1st BAPTIST CHURCH Corner of N. Wayne & Matilda Sts. Rev. Bill Fisher, Pastor of

Preaching and Discipleship Rev. Robert Bothast, Pastor of Family Life

Lori Buzzard, S.S. Supt. Sunday School ......9:00 a.m. Sunday Worship ......10:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Service ..... 6:00p.m. WARREN WESLEYAN CHURCH 375-2330 6th & Nancy Sts. Warren

Rev. Andy Trowbridge, Pastor Wesley Welch, Supt.

Sunday School ..... Worship ......10:15 a.m. Wednesday Prayer Service..7:00p.m.

765/728-2065 for more info Sunday Worship......10:30a.m. www.warrenwesleyan.com ThursdayPrayer Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m.



Please Attend the Church of Your Choice

## AREA NEWS

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358-6783, 375-3022 or 224-4844. Our next Delivery Date will be Saturday, July 19, 11:00-12:30.

### SWIM LESSONS

Swim lessons for ages 3, 4, 5 and 6 year olds will be offered at the United Methodist Heritage Pointe swimming pool. These classes are for beginners. Parents are not required to get in the water.

There will be a total of 9 classes. For the first two weeks classes will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday beginning on July 8th and will run through July 17th. The last week will be on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday July 21-23.

Times for the classes will be 3:30 – 4:15 p.m. and 4:15 – 5:00

To sign up, call 375-2201 ext 290 and leave a message with the child's name, age, and phone number. Class sizes will be limited so hurry and call. Cost is \$35.00 per child.

#### SENIOR GOLF

Another wonderful day of golf was enjoyed by everyone last Thursday.

Reminder that tee time is every Thursday @9:00 a.m. with no need to pre-register just show up and we will put you on a team.

Winners of June 19th were the team of John Jones, Orin Grogan, Darl Caly and Charles Harris. Second place team was Jack Harmon, Earl Sharpe and Bud Lee. Closest to the pin at 3 & 6 went to Jack Harmon and Bill Couch. Longest drive was by Earl Sharpe.

Call 375-4750 with any questions.

## **KBC MEETING**

The KBC board held their June meeting, June 23 at the center. Present were: Bob Pond, Ned Trout, Mark Davis, Jerry Boyer, Ron Neff, Ron and Bonnie Boxell, Shelly Boxell, Karen Herr, Denny Stroud and Janice Jordan

Meeting was called to order by Vice President of 2007-2008, since the new officers do not take office until July. Officers for 2008-2009 are President Shelly Boxell, Vice President Ned Trout, Secretary Janice Jordan, Treasurer Rosemary Zeller

After a long discussion the minutes of the May meeting were approved.

Treasurer's report. A motion to pay the imitate bills was made, seconded and carried.

Old Business:

Discussion regarding the tuck pointing was held. Jerry will be in touch with Elmer Miller regarding this problem. This was tabled

until we have more information on this problem.

Security System update: Since the old system is outdated, we have been looking at other systems. Shelly presented information from Koehlinger Kruse. After reviewing the information, this company was recomended by the committe. A motion was made to accept Koehlinger Kruse proposal by Bob Pond, seconded by Bonnie and motion carried.

Carpet: The new carpet is down in the front hall. We as a board have some questions. We will be working with J R Flooring to fix these small problems.

New Business: We will be accepting new bids on a gate for the north hallway. This was tabled until we have more information.

New Flags: Ned said the class of "58" had offered to buy new flags. When he started checking he noticed that someone has already put new flags up. We will be using their donation to get lighting on the flag at night.

Funding Program: Bob submitted a proposal for our consideration. If 1000 people would donated \$100 for 3 years/ or \$300. It would be invested in a manner that we could draw a monthly check to help cover our day to day bills.(never touching the principle). A Motion was made that we start getting a committee. This committee could then put this program into action. A motion was made by Janice, seconded by Denny, that we accept this proposal as presented by Bob.

Pest control: Karen submitted a proposal from Indiana Pest Control to care for the Center. This was discussed and tabled until the next meeting.

The board members that can will meet next Monday to clean and get the building ready for the Summer Festival.

Next meeting will be held July 21 at 5:30 at the KBC Center office.



## AWARDED SCHOLARSHIP

The University of St. Francis has announced that Nicole Shaw, of Warren, was awarded one of two renewable



\$10,000 Parkview Health Freshman Critical Thinking Scholarship Awards, which she will use at the university to fund her studies as a nursing student. Katlynn Dotson, of Fort Jennings. Ohio, also was awarded the \$10,000 scholarship. The scholarships are awarded each year by Parkview Health.

All accepted Bachelor of Science Nursing students were invited to participate in a Critical Scholarship Thinking examination. Shaw and Dotson scored the highest to receive the scholarships. The scholarships were presented to the students in May during an honors convocation ceremony at the University of St. Francis.

Shaw, a 2008 graduate of Huntington North High School, ranked sixth in her graduating class of 418 students with a grade point average of 11.24 on an 11.0 scale. She ranked in the top 25 in her class for all four years of high school, and achieved perfect attendance for all four years as well.

Shawwas a four-year honor-roll recipient, a four-year Super Student Award winner and attended four honor classes and six advance placement classes overfour years. She was an Honor Roll Society member her junior and senior years and earned transferable IPFW college credit in a post-secondary joint enrollment class her senior year. Shaw also job-shadowed at Parkview Huntington Hospital for three weeks.

She was a member of the class council and was a 10-year 4-H member, participated in the Mountaineer Motivation Discussion Group and was a freshman mentor.

Her community involvement included volunteer work with the Indiana Department of Natural

Warren Area Chamber of Commerce Sign up at MarkleBank now thru JUNE 30 for the MONTHLY DRAWING to be held July 9, 2008 at 6:30 p.m. at MarkleBank

Resources, the American Red Cross of Huntington County, the **Huntington County Community** School Corporation and Miller's Merry Manor.

She is the daughter of Susan Denman, of Warren, and Todd Shaw, of Columbia City.



## BASKET BINGO

July 5, 2008 12:30 p.m. at Knight Bergman Center Doors will open at 11:30 a.m. Bingo will start at 12:30 p.m. Tickets available from any Sigma Phi Gamma member, Gebhart's Floral Barn, Warren Service & Supply, PJ's Flower & Gifts, The

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Items listed here are open to the public. If there is an admission charge or items are for sale or a donation is necessary, there is a one-time \$5 fee to be listed. Events can be listed for as long as 6 months. (If an event is cancelled, please notify WW.) Only event, place, time, and sponsor, for events in Warren, and the surrounding

area will be listed. Jun 26 Warren Recycle Day Jul 2 Chamber of Commerce, noon, Assembly Hall Jul 2 Van Buren Town Council, 7 pm. Jul 3-6 Salamonie Summer Festival **INDEPENDENCE DAY** Jul 4 Jul 9 Warren Chamber Drawing, 6:30 p.m. at MarkleBank Jul 10 Warren Recycle Day Jul 12 - 17 Wells Co 4-H Fair, 4-H Park in Bluffton Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m. Assembly Hall **Jul 14** Jul 16 Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m. Jul 19 - 24 Huntington Co 4-H Fair, Hier's Park in Huntington **Jul 21** KBC Board Meeting, 5:30 p.m. at KBC Jul 24 Warren Recycle Day

Jul 28 Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Assembly Hall Aug 6 Chamber of Commerce, noon, Assembly Hall Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m. 4ug 6

Aug 7 Warren Recycle Day

Aug 11 Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Assembly Hall Aug 13 Chamber of Commerce Drawing, 6:30 @ Denny's

Knight Bergman Center Board Mtg, 5:30 @KBC Aug 18 Aug 20 Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m.

Aug 21 Warren Recycle Day

Bread of Life Food Pantry - Wed 2 - 5:00pm at KBC or by appointment - Call 375-2381. Bargain Basement - Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KBC Depression Support Group 2nd & 4th Thurs at Hope Missionary Church, Bluffton 6-7:30 Cancer Support Group - 3rd Tuesday 6:30-8p.m. at Bluffton Regional South Campus Farmers Market Saturdays 8-noon in Daugherty Parking Lot.

## Area News Continued

## **DERBY RESULTS**

Fishing Derbies were held at all three Upper Wabash Reservoir properties, June 7. J. Edward Roush Reservoir had 152 people participate, Mississinewa Reservoir had 77, and Salamonie Reservoir had 148 participants. Prizes were awarded to those who caught the longest fish. Bozarths Resort at Salamonie, Marion Walmart, and Mark Coratii were main supporters of the events,

J. Edward Roush Reservoir winners: Grand prize tie, Seth Thompson age 9 and McClure Thompson age 8 of Huntington. Winners of the 2-5 age category: 1st Lilyana Moore age 2 from Huntington, 2<sup>nd</sup> Zachary Cook age 4 of Bluffton, and 3rd Melody Everett age 5 of Huntington; age 6 - 10 category: 1st Anna Nevil age 6 of Huntington, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ian Cook age 7 of Bluffton, 3rd Dennis Vanlttersum age 8 of Bluffton; age 11 - 14 category: 1st Ricky Wedlake age 11 of Huntington. 2<sup>nd</sup> Sam Harold age 12 of Huntington, and 3rd Ethan Kitt age 11 of Bluffton.

Salamonie Reservoir Winners: Grand prize, Miyah Holmes age 8 from Warren. This was the 2nd fish she has ever caught. Winners of the 2 - 5 age category: 1st Cooper Sloan age 2 of Roanoke, 2<sup>nd</sup> Madalyn Owen age 5 of Fortville, 3rd Karen Meredith age 4 of Wabash; age 6-10 category: 1st place tie Austin Rasmussen age 10 of Lagro and Josiah Stark age 7 of Jonesboro, 2<sup>nd</sup> Malou Jennings age 7 of Corunna, 3rd Michael Dragoo age 10 of Roann; age 11-14 category: 1st Jacob Nieman age 11 of Summitville, 2<sup>nd</sup> Christopher Knight age 12 of Muncie, 3<sup>rd</sup> Caleb Nieman age 14 of Summitville.

Mississinewa Reservoir Winners: Grand prize Dakota Wilkinson age 13 of Kokomo-. Winners of the 2-5 age category: 1st Kaden Rody age 3 of LaFontaine, 2nd Matthew Guillame age 3 of Peru, 3rd Connor Brunt age 2 of Fishers; 6-10 age category: 1st Alvin Silvers age 8 of LaFontaine, 2nd Michael Brunt age 6 of Fishers.  $3^{rd}$  Carina Mason age 6 of Wabash; age 11-14 category: 1st Matt Jalenek age 11 of Peru, 2nd Tie Ronnie Sharp age 12 Kokomo and Grace Whitham age 11 of LaFontaine, 3rd Nathan Homan age 11 of West Lafayette.

The free fishing derbies drew families from all over northern Indiana. Grand prizes included: rods and reels, tackle boxes, free food coupons, and other fishing equipment. Bozarth Recreational Resort donated all bait and prizes for the Salamonie Reservoir Derby. Bud's Fish 'N Hole donated most of the bait for the J. Edward Roush Fishing Derby, Marion Wal-Mart donated

the prizes for the Mississinewa Reservoir Derby and water for the participants to drink Riverside Bait in Marion donated 500 nightcrawlers. Mark Coratti gave food and cooked hotdogs for the Roush Lake participants. Other donations were given by Izaak Walton League of Wabash, Yohe Realty, Wal-Mart of Huntington, Wabash Engraving, Applebee's, Long John Silvers and Juergens in Huntington, Bob Evans in Huntington and Wabash, East of Chicago Pizza in Warren, Paesan's Pizza to Go, Kentucky Fried Chicken of Huntington, Pizza Hut of Huntington, Papa Johns of Wabash, Arby's, B-K Root Beer, Penguin Point, Ponderosa, Taco Bell, Subway, and Marsh Hometown Market all of Wabash.

To find out more about the Upper Wabash Interpretive Services, call 260-468-2127 or visit the website www.dnr.IN.gov/uwis.

## COLOR FUN

Enjoy learning about nature in an active and exciting way with your child or grandchild. Register him or her for the Color Fun program designed for youth, ages 2 to 5. Join the fun on Thursday, July 10 and Wednesday, July 16 from 10 to 11:30 am. The program is offered twice to accommodate more children.

In this one and a half hour program, children and their parent or caregiver enjoy activities focused around colors and nature. No matter the weather, the program is planned to be both indoors and out beginning at the Salamonie Interpretive Center. Participants should plan to arrive early to look around the exhibit area and enjoy the gift shop.

There is a \$2 fee per child for the program. The property entrance fee is waived for program attendees. Participants can choose to bring their lunch to eat together after the event.

The Salamonie Interpretive Center and Otter Run Tradin' Post is open 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. This barrier-free building features exhibits, floor to ceiling windows in the wildlife viewing area, and staff to answer your questions. The center is located in Lost Bridge West Recreation Area on Highway 105 in western **Huntington County.** 

Visit the Upper Wabash Reservoirs Interpretive Services web (UWIS) site www.dnr.IN.gov/uwis for more information about Interpretive Services programs. Register by calling the UWIS, 260-468-2127 or visiting the Salamonie Interpretive Center, 3691 S. New Holland Road, Andrews, 46702.

## FLEXIBILITY EXERCISE

Individuals age 50 or above are invited to the July 7 seniors' lunch at the Salamonie Interpretive Center to hear from Angel Sanders of Autumn Ridge Rehab Center about stretching exercises to keep your joints flexible.

The program kicks off with the meal at 12:30 p.m. The meat dish will be provided. Seniors should bring a dish to pass, their own table service and \$1 donation to help defray the cost of the provided meat dish.

Those interested should register by calling UWIS, (260) 468-2127, or visiting the interpretive center, 3691 S. New Holland Rd., Andrews, 46702.

The interpretive center and gift shop's hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 1 to 5 p.m. on Sunday. This barrier-free building features exhibits, floor-to-ceiling windows in the wildlife viewing area, and staff to answer questions.

The center is in Lost Bridge West Recreation Area, Highway 105, Western Huntington County.

## COUNCIL NOTES

by Bonnie Lloyd

The Van Buren Town Council held their regular meeting on Wednesday evening, June 18, 2008. The meeting was held in the Council Room at Town Hall. President Tony Manry opened the meeting at 7 p.m. with all in attendance repeating the Pledge to the American Flag.

Officer Pat Collins gave the Police report. There was a

discussion about purchasing a new police car. They are to get quotes.

There was also a discussion about having a golf cart ordinance.

Engineer John Huston submitted plans for the upcoming sewer project. Due to the needed update to the sewer system it may be necessary to raise sewer rates. Bids are to be opened Aug. 6. There may also be a public meeting.

Superintendent Jim Webb reported all meters had been read in June.

The recycling bins located behind the fire station have been taken away and will not be returned.

Members from the Lions Club were concerned about water draining into the club.

The next Council meeting will be held July 2.

## Co-Ed Softball

#### MEETING

The Warren Adult Co-Ed Slow Pitch Softball League will be having an organizational meeting on Sunday, June 29th at 2:00, at the Tower Park Pavillion. Anyone interested in putting in a team or getting on a team is invited to come. The league plays on Tues. Wed. and Thurs. from the end of July until Mid October. You must be 17 by July 4<sup>th</sup> to be eligible to

For any questions, contact Lisa at 375-4643 (Days or Weekend) for more information. Hope to see you there!

Team Name:

Team Address:

#### FIDDLER GATHERING

The 36th Annual Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering will take place June 27-29, 2008 at the Tippecanoe Battlefield Park in Battle Grounds. Held annually since 1973, the Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering is a nationally renown three-day traditional acoustic music festival featuring some of the country's finest old-time, bluegrass, Irish and folk musicians on one stage.

Headlining this year's Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering are the stringband Flat Mountain Girls; top acoustic swing musicians Frank Vignola & Aaron Weinstein; The Spondoolix from New York City, an amazing group who fuse Celtic, traditional and world sounds - all these groups are making their festival debut along with the high energy stringband, The Prairie Acre.

Popular Portland-based Foghorn Stringband will be returning as well as The Old-Time Country and Blues Review local favorites The Woodstove Flapjacks.

Concerts will be held 8 p.m. Friday; 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday. Adult admission to Friday night is \$6.00 advance, \$8.00 gate. Adult admission to Saturday afternoon concert is \$8.00 advance, \$10.00 gate. Saturday night adult tickets are \$9.00 advance, \$ 1 2.00 gate. Youths 13 to 18 can attend each concert for \$4.00 advance, \$5.00 gate. Sunday is "Family Day" admission is \$5.00. Adult

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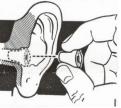
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## THANK YOU

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation for the many cards, flowers, food, prayers, concern, and expressions of kindness during the recent illness and passing of our husband, dad, grandpa and great-grandpa, Myron R Landrum. Please accept our families sincere thanks and gratitude.

The Myron R Landrum family

#### LEAS

JackL.Leas, 70, of rural Warren, died at 1:15 a.m. Thursday, June 19, 2008, at Heritage Pointe.

Born in Jackson



Township on Sept. 2, 1937 to Ralph L. and Ruey G. (Slusher) Leas, he married Barbara J. Crispen in Warren on Dec. 6, 1956; she preceded him in death on Jan. 26, 2002.

Mr. Leas was a Wells County farmer and a Southern Wells school bus driver for 31 years. He worked for Indiana Box as a semi driver for 17 years, and was a member of the McNatt Coffee Club and Asbury United Methodist Church in rural Montpelier.

Surviving relatives include three sons, Dave (Tammy) Leas, Mark (Lisa) Leas and Dennis (Sherri) Leas, all of Montpelier; two daughters, Gwen (Terry) McElhaney of Warren and Nancy (Gregg) Slentz of Hartford City; three brothers, Gail E. Leas of Warren, James C. Leas of Wells County and Robert D. Leas of Columbia City; one sister, Lois Jane Carpenter of Bluffton; 17 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

Mr. Leas was also preceded in death by a brother, Don K. Leas, and a sister, Lillian Bradford.

Funeral services were held at Glancy Funeral Homes Walker Chapel in Montpelier with the Rev. Phil Freel officiating. Burial was at Asbury Cemetery, in Wells County.

Preferred memorials are to the Asbury United Methodist Church.



## RHAMY

Levon E. Rhamy, 61, LaFontaine, died at 5:45 a.m. Monday, June 23, 2008 in Miller's Merry Manor-East in Wabash.



Mr. Rhamy was born October 20, 1946 to the late Everette Glenn and F. Isabel (Eviston) Rhamy. He married Louise Brown on April 17, 1966, she survives.

Mr. Rhamy was a Crane Operator at Martin Enterprises in Fort Wayne and served in the Army National Guard for 7 years in Marion. He attended Friends Church of Wabash, formerly attending Second Salem Baptist Church of Huntington County and First Baptist Church of Warren. He was a member of the Tractor Puller Association-Tuggers, Dirt Street Pullers and IGTPA.

Additional survivors include his sons, Ron Eugene (Divina Madris), Wabash, Kris John (Angela), LaFontaine, and Michael Todd, Marion; brother, L. Duane (Marsha) Rhamy, LaFontaine; 8 grandchildren, Drew Anna, Resa, Kenzie, Tanner, Jarrett, Stephen, Shandi and Kaitlyn; great granddaughter, Alexia.

Services are at 10 a.m. Thursday, June 26, 2008 in McDonald Funeral Home, LaFontaine Chapel, 104 S. Main St., LaFontaine, Ind. 46940 with Pastor David Phillips officiating. Burial will take place in Mount Etna in Huntington, County.

Visitation is from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, June 26, 2008 at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Cancer Services of North-Eastern Indiana in care of the funeral home.

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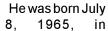
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## **F**ARR

Dale Gene Farr, 42, Marion, died Wednesday, June 18, 2008 in his home after a short illness.



Huntington County to Mrs. Eula Belle Witmer Farr and the late Franklin S. Farr.

He worked as a mechanic for Integrity Automotive Service Center. He had also worked at the DeVoe cardealership for over 20 years as a mechanic. Dale was a life resident of Van Buren and the Grant County area. He was a 1984 graduate of Eastbrook High School.

Survivors include son, Nathan Dale Farr, Wapakoneta, Ohio; Nathan's mother, Cathy Kunak, Wapakoneta, Ohio; mother, Eula Belle Farr, Van Buren; 3 brothers, Delmer (Dana) Farr, Belvidere, III., Darrell (Sherri) Farr, Citris Heights, Calif., Frank (Linda) Farr, Marion; sister, Dara Farr, Hazel Park, Mich.; and several nieces and nephews.

Services were held in Ferguson & Glancy Funeral Home, 201 W. Main St., Van Buren, with Dr. Blake Neff officiating. Interment followed in the Van Buren Cemetery.

## CLANCY

Geraldine L. Clancy, 93, died at 2:45 a.m. Sunday, June 22, 2008 in Heritage Pointe, Warren, Ind.

Mrs. Clancy married Joseph Michael Clancy in Fort Wayne on Oct. 8, 1938, he preceded her in death on Sept. 17, 2001.

Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10 a.m. Friday, June 27, 2008

in SS Peter and Paul Catholic Church, 860 Cherry St., Huntington with Fr. Ron Rieder presiding. Burial will be in St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery, Roanoke, Ind.

Calling hours will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday, June 26, 2008 at McElhaney-Hart Funeral Home and from 9 to 10 a.m. Friday at the church.

Memorials may be sent to St. Vincent de Paul Society in care of McElhaney-Hart Funeral Home, 715 N. Jefferson Street, Huntington, Ind. 46750.

## **BIRTH**

Elijah Grant McCracken was born to Brad and Ashly McCracken of Fort Wayne, Indiana, at Dupont Hospital, on April 23, 2008 at 4:30 a.m. Eli weighed 7 lbs. 12 oz. and was 22 inches long. Rodney and Sharon Smith, Fairmount, and Kent and Nora McCracken, Van Buren, are the proud grandparents of this baby boy!

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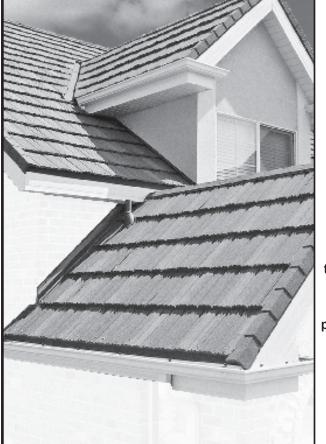
weekend passes are \$25.00 advance, \$30.00 gate; passes for youths 13 to 18 are \$12.00 advance, \$15.00 gate. Children 12 and under are free when accompanied by an adult.

Free events include a 10 a.m. Saturday children's concert; musician's workshops Saturday and Sunday at 9:30 a.m.; square and contradance with Nightingale at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday; and a gospel sing at 10 a.m. Sunday. The public can also sign up for open stage held Saturday and Sunday at noon.

Regional artists will display crafts, The Tippecanoe Battlefield Museum will also be open.

Food and musicians' supplies are available on the grounds. Musicians are encouraged to bring instruments. Lawn chairs should be brought for comfort. Concerts held rain or shine. Schedule subject to change without notice. A limited number of primitive camping sites are available on the groups. Tent camping is \$5.00/night (weekend pass required to camp). The Tippecanoe Battlefield is located seven miles north of Lafayette, Indiana, just off exit 1 78 of 1-65. Advance tickets are available from Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering, Inc., P.O. Box 49, Battle Ground, IN 47920, call 765-742-1419. http:// www.indianafiddlersgathering.org

The Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering is produced by Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering, Inc., a registered notfor-profit organization, in cooperation with the Tippecanoe County Historical Association and the Tippecanoe County Department of Parks and Recreation. Major sponsor for the event is The Farmers State Bank of Brookston and Battle Ground. The Saturday Afternoon Concert is sponsored by Lee's Inn. Workshops are sponsored by the Brookston Chiropractic, the Children's Concert is sponsored by Once Upon a Child, the dance is sponsored by The Shoup House Antiques, the Gospel Concert is sponsored by Wyatt Communications, Regional Musician's Spotlight is sponsored by WBAA-AMJFM-Purdue University Radio. Partial support is provided through the Indiana Arts Commission, Tippecanoe Arts Federation and the National Endowment for the Arts.



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## AREA NEWS CONTINUED

## NEW AT WPL

Newbooks received at the Warren Public Library include:

Adult Fiction – Resolution by R Parker; Fever by B Prongini; Plague Ship by C Cussler; Not in the Flesh by R Rendall; The Broken Window by J Deaver; Sail by J Patterson; I Shall Not Want by J Spence-Fleming; Married Lovers by J Collins; Winter Turns to Spring by C Palmer; December by E Winthrop; Tailspin by C Coulter.

Youth Books – Mary Ingalls On Her Own; Hoofbeats: Margret and Flynn; Colonial Voices: Hear Them Speak; Fleas; Home Sweet Home: Callahan Cousins; Keeping Cool: The Callahan Cousins; The Web Files; Good Boy Fergus; Detective LaRue; Dear Mrs LaRue; Chester Racoon & the Big Bad Bully; Serenity: Snow Biz; Serenity: You Shall Love.

Non-Fiction – Secrets Can Be Murder; Montana and Wyoming; Foreign Words and Phrases; Stolen Innocence; Is Your Frog Boiling?.

## **BUTTERFLY WORKSHOP**

The Huntington County Purdue Extension Office and Our Lady of Victory Missionary Sisters present Metamorphosis in Your Own Backyard, back by popular demand. This one hourworkshop features a description of the lifecycle of the monarch butterfly, butterfly facts & myths and information on how to attract butterflies to your yard. Monarch butterfly eggs, caterpillars in varying stages and butterflies will be available to view. You will be able to tour a milkweed patch to search for eggs on the plants and take home your own monarch egg or caterpillar to raise and release (while supplies last). This program is appropriate for all ages. Workshops are offered on Tuesday, July 8, 2008 at 10am and 4pm on the Victory Noll Campus at 1900 West Park Drive, Huntington. To register, please call the Huntington County Purdue Extension Office at 260-358-4826.

## **BOOK SALE**

The Friends of the Wells County Public Library is accepting donations of good, used books and other items for their annual Summer Used Book Sale, July 16-19. Books, magazines, videos, CDs, albums, nicely framed art prints, and other materials that are in good shape are welcome (no torn, moldy or broken items will be accepted). Proceeds from the sale benefit your local library programming. Members of the Friends of the Library get Early Bird Entry into the book sale on July 15 from 5 to

8 p.m. Not a member? Why not join? Annual membership: Donor: \$5; Patron: \$25; Contributing: \$50; Organizational: \$50; Corporate \$250. Membership is open to all persons who enjoy and benefit the library. Stop by the Wells County Public Library at 200 W. Washington Street and sign up today.

#### FREE CLASSES

Free computer classes for adults are offered in July at the Wells County Public Library with instructor Deb Perry. Each class approximately 50 minutes. Registration is required, so sign up today. You can register at the main library in person, by calling 260-824-1612, or online at www.wellscolibrary.org.

Mousing Class & Introduction to Computers: Tuesday, July 1 at 2 or 5:30 p.m. Very basic, gentle introduction for beginners. Learn the parts of the computer, computer terms, and how to maneuver the mouse. Great for seniors or those thinking about buying a computer. Those who feel very confident of their mousing skills might want to also sign up for the class which directly follows: Introduction to Word Processing.

Introduction to Word Processing: Tuesday, July 1 at 3 or 6:30 p.m. A basic introduction to Microsoft Word 2007. Learn to create a document, use various typing features, cut & paste, and save. Must be able to maneuver the mouse easily to get the most out of this class.

Beginning Internet: Tuesday, July 8 at 2 or 5:30 p.m. Learn what the internet is, what is available in our area, and try some simple online searches. A fun, gentle introduction to the internet. Must be able to maneuver the mouse easily to get the most out of this class. Those who feel confident about their skills and want to know more might want to also sign up forthe class which directly follows: Intermediate Internet.

Intermediate Internet: Tuesday, July 8 at 3 or 6:30 p.m. Already a little familiar with the internet but ready to take it to the next level? Learn intermediate online searching techniques. Explore some fun things to do on your computer.

## DONATE BLOOD

In the United States, about nine out of 10 summer travelers use a personal vehicle to get to their final destination1. Soaring gas prices and increased travel for vacations and sightseeing during the summer make the American Red Cross' drawing for a \$200 gasoline gift card during the week of Independence Day a perfect addition to your summer.

From July 1 to 6, you can enter into a drawing to win one of five \$200 gasoline gift cards by visiting any American Red Cross blood drive or donor center.

Summer blood donations in the Indiana-Ohio Region can drop as much as six percent from

Memorial Day to Labor Day. As a community, it's our job to make sure all recipients have the blood components to support the care they need during the summer.

Visit one of the following blood drives and you will be eligible to

enter into the gasoline gift card drawing.

Tuesday, July 1, from 2 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Evangelical United Methodist Church located at 1000 Flaxmill Road in Huntington.

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## Do You AGREE OR COMPLAIN

At the last meeting of the Van Buren Town Council Engineer John Huston submitted plans for an upcoming sewer project.

Due to a number of sewage problems around town the project is necessary. Unfortunately this may result in an increase in sewer

Having been a Council reporter for close to 20 years I have heard many complaints when these things happen. Most people in general conversation usually believe this decision is something Council dreamed up. Various laws at times make it impossible for Council to say no.

Most citizens have opinions about these matters but very few show up at Council meetings.

Just like you, I don't like raises, but having sat in many council meet-ings and hearing various town problems, it is evident small necessary raises are occasionally.

If you are dissatisfied about something being considered, attend a meeting, find out why the matter is being considered.

Council members are elected officials to represent you. They would apprec-iate your input. What good is the "Beautification" project?

## DEAR EDITOR:

As you pass through downtown Warren, you will see that there many empty buildings. The town has done nothing to help lure new businesses into town, and when one does come in, it is not supported. The Chamber members all stress "Help support your local businesses" yet they do not support and/or help the new ones that do come into town. As a former downtown business owner, I learned this first hand. I had a business that everyone could utilize, yet of all the people that own and work in downtown businesses, I can count on one hand the number that helped "support" my business.

Now the city has went and spent all this money to "beautify" downtown, do they really think that this will help bring new business into an already dying town? The only thing that it has done is hurt the already existing businesses because no one wants to try to fight their way through the mess. Many have lost hundreds, even thousands of dollars of which will never be able to be recuperated. And, still had to pay the full cost of their utilities, because we wouldn't dare let the town lose any money right along with everyone else.

Then to top it all off, the streets of downtown are closed for all the festivals, that people want to bring in thinking it will generate revenue. For who? Not for the business owners because, once again, the public that does support the businesses, can not get to them because the streets are all closed. Most of the Summer Festivals activities are held at the Civic Center and at the Park, so why not move everything to those locations and give the people of downtown that are trying to make a living a break.

Last but not least, now someone has came up with the idea to board up the second story windows that don't meet their approval, and paint (color of their choice). I also know of one building that has had the request to take down their awning because it does not fit in to the new street light plan. Shouldn't that have been taken into consideration before the final plans were okayed?

lurge each and every one of you that are reading this, to strongly support your local businesses, even though there are some business owners that want your business, but would not give you the time of day if you were to start a business. (If you are one of these owners, you know who you are, and should feel ashamed of yourselves for being the part of a rapidly dying town!)

> Signed A Concerned **Business Owner**

## LIBRARY THANKS

Thank you to Subway/Warren Deli, East of Chicago Pizza, Huggy Bear Ice Cream Stop, McDonald's, and Bob Evan's for providing coupons for children who have completed the Summer Reading Program at the Warren Public Library. The children really look forward to redeeming their coupons and the Library appreciates the support of these businesses.

## THE UPTOWN GARDENER

by Ruth Herring



picked the last of the strawberries. Always hate to see that part of the garden come to an end, we enjoy the fresh

betterthan frozen although they do taste good in the winter or perhaps to make a fresh made batch of jelly. They did very well this year, I don't know if it was the epson salt and fertilizer I put on in March or the rains coming at the right time.

The garden is doing well have been using lettuce and chinese cabbage, the potatoes are blooming as well as the green beans. Many of you have mentioned that the beans are coming up sparse or slow growing. Ours are about the same. I blamed it on our squirrels but maybe it is more Mother Nature doing her thing. I also have cut dill to dry I use it for several things. I have it hanging in the kitchen and makes it smell "just dilly".

When we got the storms and rains Sunday I was watching the movement and thought of what my dad always said. It was if a storm came up in the north or east and moved to the west it would come back a good rain. That is pretty much the way it was.

My grandpa was friends with an old Indian gentleman when the lived south of Wabash and he passed down many things of nature and living that grandpa passed on to my dad. I only wish I could have known my Grandpa Forst, he was a Civil war vet and died when I was 3 years old. What things my older sisters tell I misssed out on a lot not knowing him.

Fathers day our kids were home and had a cook out and made ice cream, sure tasted good and was very little left. Someone left the hambuger buns and Wayne and I do not care for them, we rather have bread for sandwiches. So I will make croutons from them. I will share with you how I make them.

Slice the buns in half again so there is 4 slices. Butter each piece and sprinkle garlic powder and chili powder and grated parmesan cheese, top with dried dill weed. Cut each piece in cubes and place on cookie sheet and put in oven at 200 degrees 'til bread is dry and lightly toasted. Cool and store in tight containers. I like to snack on them with a glass of cold tomato

Summer is officially here, enjoy each day and perhaps stop out to the farmers market and check us all out. Soon the produce people should be there.

Till next time enjoy

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Saturday, July 5, from 8 a.m. until 12 noon at Central Christian Church located at 500 MacGahan in Huntington.

If you are at least 17 years of age, weigh a minimum of 110 pounds and are in good general health, you may be eligible to donate blood. All donors need to present positive identification. For more information or to schedule your blood donation appointment, call 1-800-GIVE-LIFE (1-800-448-3543).

#### **BOOK CLUB**

Ouabache State Park will be starting a book club. The book club will meet every Thursday night in July at 8 p.m. to discuss nature related readings. The first book the club will be reading is Al Gore's Earth in the Balance.

Book club participants will meet at the Ouabache State Park Campview Shelter, Ouabache State Park. Parking is available across from Campground A and by the campground control station.

To become a book club member parties need to register by calling the interpretive naturalist Kate Curless, Wednesday through Sunday between 9 am and 2 pm at (260) 824-0926, or anytime by emailing her OuabacheInterp@dnr.IN.gov.

There is no fee to participate in this event, but participants must provide their own copy of the book. Normal park admission fees will apply. Indiana residents: \$4 per vehicle Monday through Thursday

and \$5 per vehicle Friday through Sunday and holidays. Out of state: vehicles are \$7 per vehicle.

For more information about the interpretive services, the book club, or becoming involved with interpretive and cultural events at Ouabache State Park, call (260) 824-0926 or OuabacheInterp@dnr.IN.gov.

## POULTRY BLOOD TESTING

Wells County 4-H members are reminded of the health requirements for poultry which includes proof (certificate) that the bird originated from a National Poultry Improvement Program (NPIP) approved flock or a negative blood test for pullorum-typhoid within 90 days of the fair.

Members should plan to bring their birds to the blood testing, Saturday, June 28th, 10 AM-2 PM at the 4-H Park Swine/Sheep Barn. To arrange a special time, prior to June 30th, contact the tester, Jeff Hook, 334-5586.

Only birds not from a NPIP flock need to be tested. Waterfowl, turkeys, and quail do not need to be tested.

Local veterinarians can also do the blood testing.

Salmonella pullorum and gallinarum (pullorum and typhoid) are bacterial diseases that can produce heavy losses in chickens, turkeys, and sometimes other poultry. Losses are greatest in very young birds, but can be seen at almost any age.

Survivors of these infections remain carriers for life and can become sources of infections for other birds. As a result, chicks are hatched with the infection and frequently die.

These diseases can be prevented by purchasing stock from hatcheries and breeder sources listed as participants of the National Poultry Improvement Program (NPIP).

For more information about the Poultry Health Requirements, check your 4-H Rule Book or the Wells Co. Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service, 260-824-6412.



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