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Thought for the Week: *It is better to have half of nothing than to have all of nothing.* Unknown

## DID YOU FEEL IT?

Earthquake felt in Indiana  
The U.S. Geological Survey reports that a 5.2 magnitude earthquake occurred at 4:36 a.m. early on Friday morning in southern Illinois on the Wabash Valley Seismic Zone, which is near the New Madrid Seismic Zone that includes Indiana.

After shocks occurred throughout the morning, originating in Illinois, but being experienced in Indiana. After shocks, their times and magnitudes as of 1 p.m. were: 6:03 a.m. EDT 3 miles NW of Mount Carmel, IL 2.5 tremor located 6.2 mile depth; 6:15 a.m. EDT 4 miles S of Noble, IL 2.5 tremor located 6.2 mile depth; 6:36 a.m. EDT 6 miles NNE of Bellmont, IL 2.4 tremor located 11.1 mile depth; 6:46 a.m. EDT 7 miles NNE Bellmont, IL 2.2 tremor located 11.1 mile depth; 7:55 a.m. EDT 6 miles NW of Mount Carmel, IL 2.6 tremor located 6.2 mile depth; 11:14 a.m. EDT, 8 miles E from West Salem, IL 4.5 tremor located 6.2 miles deep.

While the earthquake was felt in Indiana, the Indiana Department of Homeland Security's Emergency Operations Center has only received reports of very minor damage as of 1 p.m.

For more information on the earthquake, visit the U.S.G.S. website: Click Here for the <http://earthquake.usgs.gov/eqcenter/recenteqsww/Quakes/us2008qza6.php>.

The Indiana Department of Homeland Security works closely with the Central U.S. Earthquake Consortium for earthquake awareness and emergency preparedness. For more information, please go to "Are You Ready" at [www.in.gov/dhs](http://www.in.gov/dhs) or visit [www.cusec.org](http://www.cusec.org).

**Donate Blood!**  
The Life you save may be your own.

## BLOOD DRIVES

Mark your calendar for the Red Cross Blood Drives to be held at the Knight Bergman Civic Center. Dates are May 1 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. and June 26 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

For more information or to schedule an appointment, please call 1-800-GIVE-LIFE (1-800-448-3543). Walk-ins always welcome!

## FREE CONCERT

Free Southern Gospel Concert: The "Northmen" will be at the Nazarene Church in Warren, IN Sunday, April 27, 2008 at 10:30 AM A free will offering will be received. More info? call Pastor Mark (260)375-2510

## SUPPER PLANNED

The Nazarene Church in Warren, IN will offer an All You Can Eat Pork Tenderloin Supper. Featuring Huggy Bear Tenderloins. Saturday, May 17, 2008 4:00 - 7:00 PM Adults \$7.50 Children 5-12 \$4.00, 4 & under is free. Tickets available at Huggy Bear Motel & Huggy Bear Ice Cream Stop or by calling the Church at (260) 375-2510

## ALUMNI BANQUET

The alumni of Warren High School will hold their annual banquet at the Knight-Bergman Civic Center in Warren on May 10. The social hour will be at 5:30 followed by dinner and program at 6:30. All former students, teachers, and friends of the Warren School are welcome to attend. The classes of 1948 and 1958 will be recognized as honored classes. All graduates from 1938 and before will also be recognized.

Reservations are \$10.00 per person and may be made by contacting Jim Howell at 260-375-3048 or email at [howellj@citiznet.com](mailto:howellj@citiznet.com).

## CONGRATS, BEN!

Congratulations to Ben Warpup for being a regional winner in the PBS39 Reading Rainbow Young Author and Illustrator Contest. Ben's story, Locked in School, received third place in the Second Grade category. There were 77 regional entries in the contest. Local participants besides Ben were Braydon Stanley, Brooke Trice and Maggie Winters. The Fort Wayne Museum of Art hosted the Award Celebration on April 12. The Museum created a wonderful Reading Rainbow exhibit in the education gallery that will display the winning books through the middle of June.

Congratulations to all the participants and especially to Ben Warpup who as a third place winner also received a \$10 gift certificate and a Reading Rainbow backpack and DVD.

## GOLF LEAGUE

A Warren Golf League is starting to meet and play every Thursday for Seniors at DogWood Glen Golf Course. Starts May 1st @ 8:30 am \$12.00 w/cart or season pass. For more information or to sign up please call 375-4750.

## SSF SCHEDULING

The event times are filling up fast, Call Vickie now @ 375-3900 to be sure your event is scheduled and advertised in the brochure! The deadline for the festival brochure is May 1st. The royal blue "Star Spangled Celebration" T-shirts are coming soon to National City Bank.

Remember the Fantastic Floats of the past? It's time to assemble the Best Float! The parade entry forms are available at Citizen's Phone and if any questions, please call 375-2111. The SSF meetings are held on the 3rd Monday at 6:00 pm in the Warren Assembly Hall.

## CHURCH WOMEN UNITED

Church Women United of Huntington County May Friendship Day on Friday, May 2, 2008, 9 a.m. at Victory Noll Ministry Center 1900 W. Park Dr., Huntington

The theme: GOD'S WISDOM: INSPIRED HOSPITALITY

The leaders: Women of Victory Noll

Offering of the LEAST COIN will be taken.

Reservations for continental breakfast may be call to Johanna Lange at 260-356-0976 by April 29th.

## BMV2You

Area residents are invited to renew a driver license on-site by visiting the Indiana Bureau of Motor Vehicles' (BMV) mobile license branch, BMV2You from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesday, April 29 at Heritage Pointe, 801 Huntington Avenue in Warren.

## PULSE PRESENTS

The Pulse Opera House presents The Farndale Avenue Housing Estate Townswomen's Guild Dramatic Society's Production of Murder at Checkmate Manor

Exit stage left. Or was it stage right? Oh, well. When the ladies of the F.A.H.E.T.G. Dramatic Society take the stage, almost anything can happen. The scenery collapses, cues are missed and lines are forgotten but the show must go on!

Although rarely seen in the United States, the Farndale plays have become a phenomenon in England and around the world. In 1975 playwright Walter Zerlin, Jr. attended an amateur theatrical staged by his mother's drama group. He later recounted "My mother had been in her drama group for years. I always remember seeing her in shows with women playing men's parts, and doing it dreadfully. But

throughout it all was the fun and drive they had, no matter what problem beset them." Inspired by the determination and enthusiasm of the ladies, he collaborated with David McGillivray and the Farndale Avenue plays were born.

In addition to taking on a murder mystery, the ladies have attacked such classics as MacBeth, A Christmas Carol and The Mikado. Some of the other titles include The Farndale Follies, We Found Love and an Exquisite Set of Porcelain Figurines Aboard the S.S. Farndale Avenue and They Came From Mars and Landed Outside the Farndale Avenue Church Hall in Time for the Townswomen's Guild's Coffee Morning.

The Pulse production features Julie Turney as Mrs. Reece, Stacia Brinneman as Thelma, Rachel Jackson as Audrey, Rita Hecht as Felicity, Kim Nedberg as Sylvia with assistance from Steve Rodenberger as Gordon, the backstage manager. The show is directed by Cynthia Smyth-Wartzok with technical direction by Ron Wartzok.

The Farndale Avenue Housing Estate Townswomens Guild Dramatic Society's Production of Murder at Checkmate Manor runs May 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17. The box office opens at 7:00 p.m. and is located in the lobby. Doors to the theatre open at 7:30 p.m. and the curtain is at 8:00 p.m. Tickets are \$12 for general admission, \$5 for children 12 and under and \$10 per ticket for groups of 12 or more. Anyone who can recite the title of the show without looking will get \$1 off their ticket. Reservations may be made online at [www.pulseoperahouse.org](http://www.pulseoperahouse.org) or by phone at (260) 375-7017.

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## KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

### THANK YOU

After a couple months in Hospitals I am back in my apartment recuperating major surgery. I want to extend my sincere thanks for the encouragement I received from greetings, phone calls, flowers, prayers, visitation of chaplains, the good care of doctors and caretakers, and God's Will.

Thank You  
 Norma Thompson

### LIFE'S LESSONS FROM YOUR MOTHER

by Bryan Golden

Your mother tried to teach you some valuable lessons. Moms have a unique ability to impart essential wisdom. Unfortunately, most of us were too young to really appreciate their value.

Mothers Day is a great time to review the following advice you got when you were a kid.

*You can be whatever you want to be.* - You have no limitations. The whole world is open to you. Your future is ahead of you. You can accomplish whatever you set your mind to. It's ok to dream.

*Be nice to your friends and they will be nice to you* - People respond to the way you treat them. If you are mean and selfish, no one will want to play with you. Share your toys and don't be a bully. Be considerate of the feelings of others.

*Do your homework and you will get good grades* - Success takes work. If you don't put in the effort, you won't reap the rewards. Those who work hard will succeed.

*Clean your room now* - Get things done today and you won't have to worry about them. If you let things pile up, it will be difficult to catch up.

*You can play once your chores are done* - Get your work done before you take a break. Then you can relax and have a good time.

*Stay in school* - If you don't get an education, your opportunities will be limited. Don't drop out of school. The more you learn, the more you benefit.

*Sticks and stones will break your bones but names will never hurt you* - It doesn't matter what other people say. Don't allow others to upset you. There will always be mean people. Don't pay attention to them.

*Don't waste your time* - Time goes by very fast. Don't wait to pursue your dreams.

*Be thankful for what you have* -

There are many who are not as fortunate as you. Be grateful for your home and family. It doesn't matter what someone else has.

*Don't complain* - Whining is annoying. If you have something to say, say it. If you complain all the time, no one will want to listen to you.

Bryan is a self-development expert, syndicated columnist, author of "Dare to Live Without Limits", and professor. E-mail Bryan at info@BryanGolden.com or write him c/o this paper. © 2007 Bryan Golden



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Mike Malone, Pastor</i></p> <p>Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.          Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.          Handicap Accessible &amp; Staff Nursery</p>	<p><b>HILLCREST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE</b>  <b>375-2510</b>  <i>Rev Mark Davis</i>          Bus Service 375-2510          www.hillcrestnazchurch.org</p> <p>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.</p> <p><b>JEFFERSON CENTER UNITED METHODIST</b>          Corner of 900S &amp; 300W  <i>Kathy Newton, Pastor</i></p> <p>Sunday School ..... 8:45 a.m.          Worship Service ..... 10:00 a.m.</p> <p><b>LANCASTER WESLEYAN</b>  <b>468-2411</b>  <i>Doug Sharrard, Pastor</i>  <i>David Thrift, S.S. Supt.</i></p> <p>Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.          Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.          Wednesday:          CYC/Teen/Adult Meetings .... 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH</b>  <b>694-6622</b>  <i>Pastor Dan Sommer</i></p> <p>Sunday School ..... 9:00 a.m.          Fellowship ..... 9:55a.m.          Worship ..... 10:15a.m.          Wed. Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>LIBERTY CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b>  <i>Dan Helm, Pastor</i></p> <p>Morning Worship ..... 9:30 a.m.          Sunday School ..... 10:45 a.m.</p> <p><b>McnATT UNITED METHODIST</b>  <b>375-4359</b>  <i>Bill VanHaften, Pastor</i>  <i>Lois Slusher, Supt.</i></p> <p>Coffee Fellowship..... 8:30 a.m.          Worship ..... 9:15 a.m.          Sunday School ..... 10:30 a.m.          Bible Study - Wed. .... 7:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>MT. ETNA UNITED METHODIST</b>          260/468-2148  <i>Rev. Tom DeFries - Pastor</i></p> <p>Trad. Worship ..... 9:00 a.m.          Mdrn Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.          Fellowship &amp; Classes ..... 9:30 a.m.          Kids Club, Youth Group &amp; Adult Studies - all Sunday ..... 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>MOUNT ETNA WESLEYAN</b>  <i>Rev. Charles Dederick, Pastor</i></p> <p>Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.          Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.          Sunday Evening ..... 6:00 p.m.          Mid-Week (Wed) ..... 6:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>THE NEW BEGINNING</b>          SR 218, 2 1/8 mile west of Poneto  <i>Steve Sutton, Pastor</i>          765/728-2065 for more info</p> <p>Sunday Worship..... 10:30a.m.          Thursday Prayer Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>PLUM TREE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST</b>  <b>375-2691</b>  <i>Dr. Jeane Spoor, Pastor</i></p> <p>Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.          Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.</p> <p><b>SALAMONIE CHURCH OF BRETHREN</b>  <b>468-2412</b>  <i>Mel Zumbrun, Pastor</i></p> <p>Worship ..... 9:30 a.m.          Church School ..... 10:45a.m.</p> <p><b>UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST</b>  <b>375-2102</b>  <i>Rev. Rick Pulling, Interim Pastor</i></p> <p>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.</p> <p><b>VB CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE</b>  <b>765/934-3321 Parsonage</b>  <i>Jeff Wass, Pastor</i></p> <p>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.</p> <p><b>VB UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b>  <b>765-934-1431</b>  <i>Pastor Blake J. Neff</i></p> <p>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</p>
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## AREA NEWS

### MAY MENU & DATES

The truck from Angel Food Ministries arrived in Warren last Saturday, for the first time, to deliver the 236 orders made for the April Menu and was greeted by another enthusiastic and energetic group of volunteers to unload, greet, distribute and help assist customers load up their orders. The little bit of rain did not dampen the spirits of those sharing the day. We thank Mike Haggerty for his handy forklift for inside the truck and the motorized ground forklift for unloading outside the truck. This saved a lot of back muscles and time in the process of unloading.

The MAY MENU & SPECIALS are: 1.5 lb. Bacon Wrapped Beef Filet (4 x 6 oz.), 2.5 lb. Breaded Chicken Breast Filets, 1.5 lb. Bone-In Pork Steaks (4 x 6 oz.), 28 oz. Salisbury Steak Dinner Entrée, 2.5 lb. Beef and Bean Burritos (10 x 4 oz.), 2 lb. Popcorn Chicken, 9.5 oz. Stouffer's Flat Bread Pizza, 16 oz. Cauliflower & Carrot Blend, 15 oz. Corn Niblets, 16 oz. Green Beans, 2 lb. Fresh Onions, 29 oz. Pears, 32 oz. Borden 2% Reduced Fat Shelf-Stable Milk, 9 oz. Breakfast Cereal, 8 oz. Corn Muffin Mix, 16 oz. Bean Soup Mix, 1 Dozen Eggs, 1 Dessert Item. ALL THIS FOR JUST \$30. After you purchase 1 unit (and you may order as many as you want) of the above 18 items, you may order as many of the following SPECIALS: MAY SPECIAL #1- 7 lb. Grill Box \$20.00- 1.75 lb. Chicken Breast Kebob Kit (makes 6-8 Kebobs) 1.5 lb. Chicken Breast, 4 oz., Vegetables (Onions, Peppers) & Skewers, 1.25 lb. Ribeye Steaks (2 x 10 oz.), 2 lb. Thick Cut Pork Chops (4 x 8 oz.), 2 lb. Beef Hamburger Steaks (4 x 8 oz.) MAY SPECIAL #2 - 5 lb. Steak Box \$20.00- 1.5 lb. Bone-In New York Strip Steaks (2 x 12

oz.), 1.5 lb. Bone-In Ribeye Steaks (2 x 12 oz.), 2 lb. Sirloin Strips (4 x 8 oz.) MAY SPECIAL #3 12 lb. Chicken Combo Box \$20.00- 5 lb (avg) Whole Chicken, 2 lb. Breaded Chicken Tenders, 30 oz. Individually Vacuum Packed Boneless Skinless Chicken Breasts (6 x 5 oz.), 1 lb. Fully Cooked Breaded Chicken Wings, 2 lb. Chicken Breast Nuggets.

Ordering dates and times are: This Thursday April 24, 3:00-7:00 p.m., Saturday, April 26, 9:00-11:00 a.m., Thursday, May 1, 3:00-6:00 p.m., and Saturday, May 3, 9:00-11:00 a.m. at the Warren Church of Christ. Orders can be made at the 15 area churches as well. Each of the churches have their designated times and days. You need to pay at the time of ordering. We accept cash, money orders, checks and FOOD STAMPS (at the WCC site only for Food Stamps). Menus, order blanks and brochures about Warren Angel Food Ministry are available the 15 area churches and 12 area business locations. We have this information in Warren, Van Buren, Markle, Liberty Center and Dillman communities. We are assisting all their Food Banks and will help other folks who are facing tough financial times. You may want to purchase a unit of food to give to these Food Banks or if you know of families who need help also. With rising food and gas prices Warren Angel Food Ministry is truly a God-Send for Warren and the area. For questions call Janice Jordan at 375-2293. Deadline for ordering the May Menu & Specials is May 3 (except for those ordering at the churches). Delivery date for

the May Menu is Saturday, May 17, with pick up from 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

### COUNCIL NOTES

by Bonnie Lloyd

The Warren Town Council met on Monday evening, April 14, in Assembly Hall. President Bill Cartwright called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. and all in attendance repeated the Pledge to the American Flag.

The Downtown Project is expected to start sometime after April 21.

Council agreed to give \$2,250 to the Sportsman Club to purchase shingles for a new roof for the club building.

The Second Street water main project is scheduled to be completed by the week of April 23.

The financial consultant for water and wastewater presented his financial review. A water rate increase was recommended, but no increase in sewage.

Council agreed to pay the annual Keystone maintenance fee of \$2,800.

The budget for 2008 has been approved by the state.

Curtis Day reported they have put new drainage under the ball diamonds at Tower Park.

The Fire Department had submitted an application for a grant to purchase an air compressor for the department.

The April 28 Council meeting was rescheduled for 4 p.m. At 6 p.m. they will meet with the Chamber of Commerce Economic Committee. This meeting is open to the public.

Spring Town Clean-up has been set for May 5 to 10.

### NEW AT LIBRARY

New books at the Warren Public Library are:

Fiction - Suddenly by B Delinsky; Hold Tight by H Coben; Delusion by P Abraham; The Whole Truth by J Bell; The Dead Room by H Graham; Victim by G Wilson; Embrace Me by L

Samson; St Patrick's Day Murder by L Meier; Death Walked In by Carolyn Hart; Nightshade by S Albert; The Third Circle by A Quick; Sante Fe Dead by S Woods; The Whole Truth by D Baldacci; Hokus Pokus by F Michaels; Quicksand by I Johansen; The Death Dealer by

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| Apr 24 | Warren Recycle Day   |
| Apr 26 | Gebhart's Greenhouse Open for Business   |
| Apr 28 | Warren Town Council, 6:30 pm, Assembly Hall  |
| May 7  | Warren Chamber of Commerce, noon, Assembly Hall                                    |
| May 7  | Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m.   |
| May 8  | Warren Recycle Day   |
| May 10 | Warren Alumni Banquet, contact Jim Howell 375-3048                                 |
| May 11 | <b>MOTHER'S Day</b>  |
| May 12 | Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Assembly Hall                                      |
| May 13 | KBC Board Meeting, 5:30 at KBC   |
| May 14 | Chamber of Commerce Drawing, 6:30 at Lightning 5 Cafe (across from Dollar General) |
| May 17 | <b>Armed Forces Day</b>  |
| May 19 | SSF Committee meeting, 6 p.m., Assembly Hall                                       |
| May 21 | Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m.   |
| May 22 | Warren Recycle Day   |
| May 26 | <b>MEMORIAL DAY</b>  |
| May 26 | Warren Town Council 6:30 p.m., Assembly Hall                                       |
- Bread of Life Food Pantry** - Wed 4 - 5:30pm, Sat 10 - 11:30 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

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Nonfiction – Twist of Faith by A Beiler; Treasury of Wit & Wisdom; Sundays in America; The Knowledge Book; The Way Toys Work; Flea Market Furniture Makeovers.

### VB COUNCIL

by Bonnie Lloyd

The Van Buren Town Council met on Wednesday evening, April 16 in the Council Room at Town Hall. In the absence of president Tony Manry, Marvin Surber conducted the meeting. Those in attendance repeated the Pledge to the American Flag.

Officer Pat Collins presented the Police report to Council.

Deputy Kevin Wertherington introduced the new trainee, James Henderson.

He is currently in 40 hour basic training and will start riding with Wertherington next week.

Superintendent Jim Webb gave his report. He noted there are a number of houses that need to be cleaned up. Notices will be sent May 6 to the property owners.

It has been called to the attention of Council that a number of people are using town dumpsters. Also a number of tires are being dumped. Both using the dumpsters and dumping tires is not allowed. These dumpsters are located back of Town Hall. It is reminded that anyone caught dumping trash and tires on town property is subject to a fine.

Council made a motion to purchase a new tractor for mowing.

Council has been notified that the J.C. Morgan Bank has purchased the Harvey Trailer Park in Van Buren.

### CHAUTAUQUA

The Chautauqua Club met April 4, 2008 at 1:30 p.m. in the Calico Room at Heritage Pointe. President Betty Yoder called the meeting to order, asking everyone to join in repeating the Creed. Roll call was answered with 22 members telling about a favorite dish of their Grandma's or something about their Grandma. Secretary report was read and approved. Treasurer reported a balance of \$162.50.

Nancy Bonham introduced Pam Durdahl who gave a very interesting program about "A Friend's House". "A Friend's House" is located in Bluffton, IN. It is a safe place to live, learn and be loved. It is for women between the ages of 18 to 28 who are truly ready to make a change in their lives. "A Friend's House" offers a chance for women to break the cycle of behavior that contributes to their dependence on our society.

Karen Hunnicutt served lovely refreshments to Janet Beavans, Lucille Beavans, Sue Blair, Nancy Bonham, Ann Brauchla, Sharon Gebhart, Phyllis Hubartt, Georgina Laymon, Florence Mott, LuEllyn Pond, Jane Ruble, Peggy Schweikhardt, LuAnn Shafer, Martha Shafer, Ann Spahr, Carolyn Sparks, Alice Whitmore, Betty Yoder, Oma Zent, Freddie Couch, Bertha Turner and guest, Pam Durdahl.

Next meeting May 2, 2008 at 1:30 p.m. in Calico Room.

### HYPERTUFA

Learn how to make your own flower pot or trough using a mixture of sand, peat, and cement. You've probably seen this artificial stone that looks like an antique, but is very light weight and durable. Hypertufa can be used to make fake rocks, flower pots, concrete looking leaves, and other garden decorations.

This program is sponsored by the Blackford County Extension Service. And will be held on May 17, 2008 from 10:00 a.m. until Noon at the Blackford County Fairgrounds. The cost is \$20.00 and is due at the time of registration. Everyone will be making a trough to take home. Dress accordingly, this is a fun, but messy project!

Reservations will be taken until May 13, just call the Blackford

County Extension Service at 765-348-3213.

### GREENER GARDENER

The "Greener Gardener" Program will show you how to reduce your negative impact on the environment. This program will be held on May 1, 2008 at 6:30 p.m. at the Blackford County Courthouse Annex. The program is Free.

Call the Blackford County Extension Office to make a reservation at 765-348-3213. Please call by April 30th.

### BAYVIEW

The Bayview Reading Club welcomed guest, Martha Vandelene, to their April 8 meeting at 2 P.M. in the Calico Room of Heritage Pointe. The Club Collect was read, and the minutes of last month's meeting and the treasury report were given and approved. President Lilly Nutter noted that the illness of two members would be lightened by a card of greeting and best wishes from Bayview Club.

As there was no old business to discuss, the program began, with Martha Rumble's sharing a reading from a recent Ideals magazine. It told many interesting facts in the life of hymn writer, Fannie Crosby. Her blindness began at 6 weeks of

age, and her father died soon after, leaving Fannie and her mother. Mother worked as a maid, so Fannie's grandmother was her caretaker. She was an excellent teacher and giver of strength to Fannie. Much of Fannie's "life of inspiration" came from grandmother's teachings in life's faith and purpose. Before she was 8 years old she was writing poetry. Later, in attendance at the New York Institute for the Blind, Fannie read, wrote and played the harp. After her graduation, she became a teacher, and she married. But she never stopped composing hymns, sometimes 36 a week.

The total number, until Fannie died at age 95, was 8000. She has been called "America's Hymn Queen"! Bayview members responded to Martha's presentation by remembering many familiar hymns written by Fannie Crosby.

Marian Dawson had a book entitled "Moments for Grandparents" (suitable for us all), concerning a certain possibility for our lives of paying attention to "God nudges." The book continued to tell the story of a 4th century monk, Telemachus, who strongly felt he'd gotten a message from God to go to Rome. There he observed the gladiatorial contests in the Coliseum and was so moved that he confronted the warriors by shouting "STOP — in the name of Christ!" The crowd dispersed, left the Coliseum, and that was the last contest fought to the death of one of the gladiators, after a history of many years, since 391 B.C. The lesson here is that one voice, although it may be unknown, can matter. In that early century's society's thinking about the so-called sport of

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# GENEALOGY REPORT & AREA NEWS CONTINUED

## SILLS

 Robert E. Silles, 76, of Keystone died at 11:32 a.m., Wednesday, April 16, 2008, at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne after a fall on the family farm.

Born to LeAnder P. and Stella (Carnes) Silles on July 6, 1931, in Wells County, he married Betty (Slentz) Silles on April 19, 1952, in Wells County. She survives him.

A graduate of Chester Center High School in Wells County, he served in the U.S. Air Force and was a farmer in Wells County. He also retired from International Harvester in Fort Wayne. He was a member of the Grover Sheets American Legion Post #111 in Bluffton, a former member of the Moose Lodge in Bluffton, and a member of the Petroleum Lions Club. He spent winters in Old Town, Fla.

Others surviving relatives include two sons, Randall E. (Lisa) Silles of Poneto and Rod W. (Lora) Silles of Bluffton; two daughters, Cindy L. (Lester) Davis of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Pam S. (David) Kratzer of Huntington; two brothers, Lee (Margie) Silles Jr. of Poneto and Lloyd "Danny" (Joyce) Silles of Bluffton; one sister, Melba Ilene Alexander of Hartford City; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by five brothers, Wayne Wilbert Silles, Leslie Harold Silles, Paul Ivy Silles, Claude Silles and Russell E. Silles; and four sisters, Audrey Lucille Bell, Gladys Margaret Meyer, Fern Lenora Gilland and Ellen Jane Elliott.

Funeral services were held at Glancy Funeral Homes - Walker Chapel in Montpelier with Rev. Dick Case officiating. Burial was

at Jones Cemetery in Wells County.

## KING

Dottie J King died Sunday, April 13, 2008 at her home in New Jersey. She was 65.

She was born February 23, 1943 in Van Buren, Indiana, a daughter of William and Elnora Banter Korporal.

Mrs King was a 1961 graduate of Van Buren High School.

She had lived in NJ since 1973, moving from Indiana.

She was a retired real estate associate, working for William Spann Real Estate in Clinton, NJ.

She was a member of the Clinton United Methodist Church since 1979 and she was a beloved mother and grandmother.

A brother, Darroll Korporal of Marion, Indiana died earlier.

Survivors include her husband of 44 years, David L. King; a son, Damon R. King of Whitehouse Station; a daughter, Jennifer L. Mayer of Pittstown; a brother, Donald Korporal of Warren, IN and four grandchildren, AJ Mayer, Norah Mayer, Tyler King and Hailey King.

Memorial services were held at the Clinton United Methodist Church.

Memorials can be made to the Hunterdon Hospice, 2100 Wescott Dr, Flemington NJ 08822 or the church, 12 Halstead St, Clinton NJ 08809.

Arrangements were handled by Scarponi-Bright Funeral Home, Lebanon, NJ.

## ELLERMAN

Madge E. Ellerman, 91, of Heritage Pointe, died at 6:30 a.m. Monday, April 21, 2008 at Heritage Pointe.

Mrs Ellerman was born April 15, 1917 in Allen County to Jesse D and Garnett E (Smith) Wait. She married Eugene Max Ellerman on June 2, 1940 in Warren. He preceded her in death on June 20, 1980.

Mrs Ellerman was a 1934 graduate of Warren High School and a member of Warren United Methodist Church. She was a retired school teacher and taught the second grade at the Warren Elementary School. She was former Co-Owner of E.J. Ellerman & Son Chevrolet Agency in Warren. She was a former member of the Warren Tri Kappa Sorority. She entered Heritage Pointe on June 6, 2005.

Survivors include two sons, James M (Judy) Ellerman of Adrian, MI and Joseph E. (Robin) Ellerman of Uniontown OH; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Preceding her in death in addition to her husband and parents are two brothers, Dwight Wait and Herman Wait.

Calling hours will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Heritage Pointe. Services will follow at 1 p.m. Friday at Heritage Pointe with Rev. Howard Cress officiating. Burial will be at Woodlawn Cemetery.

Glancy Funeral Homes - H Brown & Son Chapel is in charge of arrangements.



## LOTS OF TWINS TOGETHER

The Warren Church of Christ was seeing lots of doubles on Sunday, April 20 as nine sets of twins and seven single twins gathered to be honored for TWINS SUNDAY. Special guest twins Faye and Janice Rostvit from Colorado Springs, CO. sang and shared their story for the morning. Other twins shared special music, a poem and stories of their lives together. A delicious catered meal by Kim's Katering of Warren was enjoyed by all who could stay for lunch. The Rostvits also shared their ventriloquism abilities as they shared their puppets during the meal portion of the day.

190 gathered to enjoy the special day as area twins came to help us celebrate the gift of being twins. A slide show of the 15 individual twins that attend the Warren Church of Christ was presented showing a range of past and present twin shots. Some of the twins were identical and some were not. We even had a brother-sister set and a twin that had twins. Gerald Moreland preached about the biblical twins Esau and Jacob. Everyone had a great day of worship and fellowship together.

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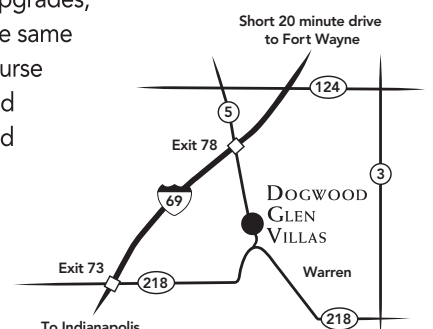
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gladiators' killing, began to change. A quote from this description of someone responding to "God's nudge" was: "Courage is fear that has said its prayers." We thought of the courage and prayers of our soldiers in the Middle East.

Lilly Nutter was impressed by a March 24 Time magazine article about the use of plastic water bottles, which discussed both the impact on the environment and on our health. Should we re-use water bottles? What about plastic baby bottles? As heat intensifies the chemical dangers in plastic bottles, the latter is of even more concern than our re-use, which will present bacterial problems. Lilly noted from the article that a HDPE container (high-density polyethylene) is safe (but heavier and clumsier) and stainless steel (inside and out) is O.K. unless frozen. Perhaps the best idea is "drinking our water from a tap, in a glass!"

Margaret Bell had read in the Journal-Gazette of February 27, about the new "Doomsday" vault in the Arctic, in Longyearbyen, Norway. It has been called a "frozen Garden of Eden.: Just 620 miles from the North Pole, it is designed to hold 4.5 million crop seeds from all over the world, and is built to withstand global warming, earthquakes, and even nuclear strikes. The article said seed banks established earlier in both Iraq and Afghanistan have been wiped out, and one in the Philippines was flooded in the typhoon of 2006.

Crop diversity will always be an essential factor in maintaining our productive world, and the new bank joins 1400 other banks around the world.

Having had our minds renewed, challenged and refreshed from some of our Bayview members' readings, the meeting was adjourned for a time of reflection and sharing.

### VB STORYTIMES

Twenty-four children and two adults were at the Van Buren Public Library After School Story Time on Friday April 11th, 2008 to learn about Gun Safety.

The children entered into the library signed in and glued another piece to their attendance star.

Karen introduced our Special Guest Ann Siegfried from SCAN, Stop Child Abuse and Neglect. She used a puppet, named, Eddie Eagle, and a video to share with the children how important it is to be careful around a gun. If a gun is found, Ann shared a saying, Stop! Don't Touch. Leave the area and tell an adult. The children had fun as they did the motions

to this saying. We want to thank Ann for coming and sharing with the children about Gun Safety.

Refreshments were served.

Those attending were Elizabeth Bryant, Olivia Bryant, Savannah Hancock, Liam Hancock, Mom Trudy Hancock, Jacob Clupper, Jarren Griffith, Chelsea Cason, Cathryne Anderson, Emilee Morgan, Nixon Smith, Emily Webb, Micah Metzger, Joey Kiefer, Zach Handshoe, Caitlyn Hoffheins, Jeff Knight, Logan, Julien, Mallory, Kayla Handshoe, Matthew, Caitlin Imhoff, Rayne Rumble and Amanda Keifer.

Thirteen children and one adult were at the Van Buren Public Library After School Story Time on Friday April 18th, 2008 to have a lesson on Disaster Preparedness.

The children entered into the library signed in and glued another piece to their attendance star. Next week we will have the attendance drawing.

Karen introduced our Special Guest Autumn Suggart from Marion Red Cross. Autumn shared information on what to do in case of a disaster. Autumn gave each child a Disaster Preparedness Activity Book. These books have a lot of activities the children can take home and do along with ideas on what to do in time of a disaster.

The library staff wants to thank Autumn for coming and sharing with the children on what to do during these scary times.

Refreshments were cookies and juice.

Those attending were Elizabeth Bryant, Olivia Bryant, Olivia Peterson, Savannah Hancock, Liam Hancock, Mom Trudy Hancock, Jacob Clupper, Cathryne Anderson, Nixon Smith, Jadlyn Griffith, Micah Metzger, Jessica Smith and Mallory Smith.

### CLUB NEWS

Brown Doyle Unit 368 met April 3, 2008. President Julie Webb called meeting to order. Anna Pickard gave opening prayer. Guest Mary Etta spoke at our meeting. She is running for Congress.

Secretary Jere Edwards called the roll and read minutes. Treasurer Irene Pickard gave finance report. Community Service chr Linda Long asked for stuff to go to Upland for Ronald McDonald House. She also said she didn't know when Education week was. Needs to know date. Girls State Chr: Flo Doyle said we now have a girl, "Jamaica Westfall." Children & Youth Chr Anna Pickard asked if she could have a fingerprint and picture ID for the kids, April 26<sup>th</sup> from 12:00 to 2:00. This is for any members child, grandchild, kids that live in Van Buren and/or go to Eastbrook grade school. Linda Long made motion to do this. Second Belle Williams. President Julie Leader Chr, there will be a leadership class April 26 at the Post at 3:00 p.m. Jr Activities Chr Julie Webb gave us the Junior Aux officers for 2008-2009. they are President Frankie Flemming, Vice President Christina Casto, Secretary Karlee Laypoole, Chaplain Emily Ebb, Historian Caitline Casto, Sgt @ Arms Heidi Hutchison. The Juniors are having a car wash at the Fire Barn may 10<sup>th</sup> to earn money to go to Junior State Conference in Santa Clause. Poppy Days are May 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>.

Anna Pickard asked if we could have an initiation of members. Ruth Bole made motion to do this at our September meeting. Second Anna Pickard.

Those attending were Julie Webb, Jere Edwards, Carol Ritter, Anna Pickard, Betty Turner, Joyce Loftis, Belle Williams, Flo Doyle, Linda Long, Waneta Linton, Lequita Taylor, Elisha

Butler and daughter Katlynn, Sally Bancroft, Ruth Bole, Irene Pickard.

Next meeting May 8, 2008.

### TEEN INVOLVEMENT

The Indiana Youth Institute (IYI) is offering a workshop to teach youth workers in Northeast Indiana ways they can better connect with young people and inspire them to become more engaged in their communities and schools.

Youth workers, teachers, community leaders, youth ministers and others who impact the lives of youth in Northeast Indiana can register for the workshop, "Taking It to the Streets," to be presented from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. May 16 in Andorfer Commons at Indiana Tech, 1600 E. Washington Blvd., Fort Wayne.

The workshop is being taught by Milton Creagh, a motivational speaker and former host of the national PBS television series, "Parenting Works." Through a series of thought-provoking questions, Creagh will teach youth workers how to get children to step outside of their comfort zone and recognize their true potential.

In addition, participants will learn:

- How to relate better to others
- New ways to communicate with youth and parents, and
- Techniques to get youth more involved in their communities and schools.

This workshop also will be presented in Muncie, Jeffersonville, Evansville, Bloomington, Carmel, Merrillville and South Bend. For more information about the workshops in those cities, go to [www.iyi.org](http://www.iyi.org).

Cost of the training is \$45, but individuals can save \$5 per session by registering online with a credit card for this or other IYI trainings at [www.iyi.org/training\\_registration](http://www.iyi.org/training_registration). Continuing Education Hours for the workshop are available through the National

Association of Social Workers and the Indiana Association of Prevention Professionals. Parks and recreation professionals may request Continuing Education Units through the Indiana Parks and Recreation Association after attending the workshop. And, Continuing Renewal Units (CRUs) are available for teachers, school counselors and other licensed educators.

This training is supported in part by the Clowes Fund and the Nicholas H. Noyes, Jr., Memorial Foundation, Inc.

The Indiana Youth Institute promotes the healthy development of children and youth by serving the institutions and people of Indiana who work on their behalf.

### SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

The Huntington County Extension Office currently has applications available for four local 4-H scholarships. Huntington County 4-H members who are eligible may stop by the Purdue Extension - Huntington County Office to pick up an application or may request the applications via email. Applications must be received no later than Friday, May 30, 2008.

Janelle Marie Saunders Memorial (\$1,000) - open to a current high school senior or Huntington County 4-H alumni who completed their final year of 4-H within the past two years. Applicants need to be pursuing post high school studies in the area of nursing or a health/medical related field.

Ray Vanderspool Memorial (\$1,000) - applicants must be a current high school senior. Selection criteria include 4-H member record, community involvement and academic record.

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### EGYPTIAN TOUR (PART III)

We sailed north to Qena to see the Dendera Temple built by the Romans and Greeks and dedicated to Hothor-goddess of maternal and family love. By now the temples were beginning to run together. Each one is famous, huge, old, and fabulous in its own regard. Each is dedicated to some god, built by a famous pharaoh on the backs of many workers, and an architectural phenomenon. The footprint of a temple is primarily the same. Some statue or obelisk outside the first gate called a pylon. Beyond the gate is a court yard followed by a covered array of huge columns, and then the entry to the most holy place near the back of the complex. Even though the layout is similar, each temple is uniquely decorated and some cover acres. (My apologies to you history buffs for this general explanation.)

We boarded the boat and sailed south on our way to Aswan. Along the Nile, the longest river in the world, there were hundreds of donkeys being used as beasts of burden, women doing their laundry, kids swimming, animals drinking and in general people living like they have since 5000 B.C. Papyrus reeds grow along the bank and were made into sheets similar to paper used to record the earliest form of written communication. We stopped along the way to see more famous temples: The Temples of Karnak, Edfu, Esna, Kom Ombo, and Philae each awesome and unique. We also visited an alabaster shop and a papyrus studio.

Upon arrival at Aswan, famous for its two dams, we visited a Nubian spice market before embarking on our visit to the two dams and to Lake Nasser. You may remember that the High Dam was built to control flooding on the Nile River. The Soviets and Egyptians worked together on this project completed in 1972. Some years before, the Low Dam was built by the British but was no longer effective.

Next we flew down to Abu Simbel. You've seen it in the movies. The massive facade of the main temple is dominated by the four seated colossal 66 foot statues of Ramses and sculpted directly from the rock face. When Jim was in Roll Elementary he read a story in his Weekly Reader newspaper about the moving of Abu Simbel up the mountain to keep it from being flooded by the new Lake Nasser. It was deemed a World NESCO site and other countries helped with the logistics. One of the major obstacles was to figure out how those early mathematicians positioned the temple so that the sun would shine through to the back sanctuary twice during the year. One day was the vernal equinox and the other was the autumnal equinox. Those early scientists were extremely intelligent.

We couldn't finish our trip without taking a sail on a felucca. These are those beautiful, traditional sailboats seen in various Egyptian pictures. As we were sailing around we were serenaded by small boys in homemade wooden boats using ping-pong-like paddles. They were singing traditional Arabic songs with an occasional "Row, Row, Row, Your Boat," sung in English. I'm sure this was thrown in for good measure and hopefully a good tip.

Egyptians in general are very well educated. Most go on to college and most speak English, Arabic, and a patois. In fact, there seemed to be more education than there were jobs available for them. You might find a 4-year college graduate working in a used car shop. None the less, even young children usually understood English. Folks there were thought to be uneducated if they could not speak another language besides Arabic.

It was enlightening to understand how the Egyptians view themselves. Even though Egypt is in Africa, they see themselves first as Egyptians and secondly as Africans. Politically and religiously they consider themselves Islamic Arabs. They closely identify with other Arab nations and, we were told, that Arab nations banded more



closely together after 911. They were extremely offended that the United States lumped them all together as radicals.

The trip was interesting and educational, and gave us the opportunity to better understand one of the oldest countries in the world. Each time we travel out of the United States we are always reminded of how fortunate we are to live in America. It was apparent that we Americans had better be ensuring the education of our youth.

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for a minimum of 5 years, with 4-H record and school/community activities considered in the selection process.

Huntington County 4-H (2 scholarships @ \$125 each) – current high school senior or a 4-H alumni not older than 25 years of age

These scholarships will be presented during the 4-H Fair in July at Hier's Park.

For more information about the Huntington county 4-H scholarships, contact Purdue Extension – Huntington County Office, County Annex Building, 354 N Jefferson-Suite 202, Huntington or call 260-358-4826

### NEW 4-HER WORKSHOP

The Huntington County 4-H Junior Leaders are sponsoring a workshop for all new 4-H members and their parents on Thursday, April 24 at Heritage Hall, Hier's Park. The workshop will be held from 6:30-8:00 pm and families may attend anytime during this 90 minute time.

The purpose of the workshop is to help in answering questions that new members may have about the Huntington County 4-H program. There will be learning stations that Junior Leaders will staff to answer questions about different aspects of the county 4-H program. Learning station topics include: making posters, animal projects, rewards and recognition in 4-H, what to expect from 4-H project judging and completing 4-H paperwork.

For more information about the New 4-H Member workshop, contact Purdue Extension – Huntington County Office, 354 N Jefferson – Suite 202, Huntington or call 260-358-4826.

### ACGSI MEETING

Allen County Genealogical Society (ACGSI) of Indiana meeting information.

14 May 2008 - "How to Retrieve Information From Other Sites" Presented by Marge Graham, Allen County Genealogist. Have you been told that you must go to the site of an ancestor to find specific information? Have you run up against a brick wall in doing your research locally? Marge, Allen County's own Genealogist, will present a program on how to find that special information while sitting in our own ACPL Genealogical Center. Marge says, "If you can't find it here, you aren't looking in the right place." She will also discuss when it may be necessary to contact a site directly or the possibility of employing a professional genealogist. This presentation will be on the practical ways to do research for that hard to find information.

21 May 2008 - Computer Interest Group. This will be a round table discussion of problems, surprises or helps found using the computer with genealogical research. Come join us and bring a concern or "How do I—" question for us to help you with.

18 June 2008 - Annual Dinner Meeting at Hall's Guest House. Recognition of Homesteaders and First Families. Cost is \$16.00. Contact Lois Snouffer, 637-7601, check should be mailed to Lois Snouffer 2028 Trader Crossing, Fort Wayne, 45845-1592. More information next month.

All meetings will be in Room A at the Allen County Public Library, 900 Library Plaza, Fort

Wayne Indiana. General meetings start at 7:00pm, gathering time at 6:30pm

### FLEA MARKET

Flea Market 4-H Building Hartford City, April 26<sup>th</sup>, Doors open at 8 Spaces available outside. For more information call 765-330-2015.

### ELTZROTH AT RE/MAX

Kittie Keifer, broker/owner of RE/MAX Professional Group in Huntington, is pleased to announce that Carly Eltzroth has joined the real estate office as a sales associate.

With more than two years of real estate experience, Eltzroth provides services to Huntington, Wells and Adams counties. She is a graduate of Belmont High School and Robert Troyer Real Estate. A member of Church of Christ, Eltzroth resides in Warren, Ind., with her husband, Edison. She has four children and four grandchildren.

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