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Thought for the Week: Laugh at yourself first, before anyone else can. Elsa Maxwell

GOSPEL FEST

If you like Good Gospel Music, you will "LOVE" This!!!

Allen and Cathy Godsey (The Northmen) & Buddy and Ester Liles (formerly with The Florida Boys Quartet) will be in concert here in Warren at The Hillcrest Church of the Nazarene. Thursday, Sept. 30th, 7PM.

1st Street in Warren, IN.

No admission Charge – Love

The Church is located at 402 E.

No admission Charge – Love offering will be received

ANNUAL DINNER

Twin Bridge Conservation Club is planning an "All You Can Eat" Fish, Chicken and Tenderloin supper on October 2, 2010 in Mt. Zion.

The meat is prepared by Dan's Fish Fry, and will be served from a 4:30 to 7:30 pm.

The club house is located at 6374 S 600 W in Wells County (S. R, 218 2 miles east of S. R. 3). Tickets purchased at the door are \$8.00 for adults, \$4.50 for children for ages 6 - 12 and 5 and under eat free.

Carryouts will be available.

SUNDAY BRUNCH

Dogwood Glen will be hosting Sunday Brunch on September 26th from 11am - 1pm. Buffet menu provided by Kim's Katered Affair will include: Breakfast Pizza, Ham & Cheese Strata, Fried Chicken, Meatloaf, Bratwurst & Sauerkraut, Vegetable Lasagna, Au Gratin Potatoes, Seasoned Green Beans, Vegetable Medley, Assorted Breads, Salads, Desserts & Beverages. Cost: \$10 for Adults, \$5 for 10 & under. Please call Dogwood Glen at 375-4750 for reservations.

MARKET REPORT

This will be our last week for the farmers market this season.

We invite our customers to come out and enjoy biscuits and gravy with the vendors.

It has been a good year for the market even though the growing season was not the best. We were all glad to be able to provide you with what we could.

There should be green beans and maybe a few more tomatoes, apples and fall items. Also will be the regulars. The tenderloin guys plan to have more of the tenderloin patties and the breaded ones.

So come out and join us for our final day of the season.

Plans are for a winter market November 20th the Saturday before Thanksgiving to help with your holiday preparations.

NEW AT THE **L**IBRARY

What's New On The Library Shelf?

Bearers of the Black Staff: Brooks; Bridge of Peace: Woodsmall; Island: Hilderbrand; Somewhere Inside: Ling; Body Work: Paretsky; Eat, Pray, Love: Gilbert; Juliet: Fortier; Quickening: Hoover; Split Image: Parker; How To Be an American Housewife: Dilloway; Let's Take the Long Way Home: Caldwell; Rembrandt Affair: Silva; Summer In Sonoma: Carr; Loco Motive: Daheim; Breath: A Lifetime in the Rhythm of an Iron Lung: Mason.

For brief summaries of these titles, check the Warren Public Library website: www.warren.lib.in.us and click on the What's New On The Library Shelf? icon in the upper

left hand corner.

COURTYARD STUDIO

OPENS....

The Courtyard Studio, 223 Wayne Street, Warren, will open on Saturday October 1st at 10:00 a.m. You can stop in to register for the Scarecrow Doll Art Party (a couple of the dolls will be on display) or call Ruth at 750-1798. Make sure you stop in for a sampling of delicious homemade peanut brittle.

Mark your calendar for October 29th. During the evening of the Scarecrow Festival, One World Handcrafters from North Manchester will be at the Courtyard Studio for your shopping enjoyment.

TIP: To remove latex paint from fabric, apply men's shaving cream to the area and rub. The sooner you apply the shaving cream, the more success you will have.

BLOOD DRIVE

The blood drive at Dillman Church last spring was a great success! We are hoping that with your help we can answer the American Red Cross' plea for blood donors and help fill the need again.

Whether it's your 1st time to donate or your 50th, we need your help.

The Blood Drive will be held at Dillman Church on Saturday, September 25th from 7am to noon. To schedule a time to donate or for questions, please feel free to call: Bridget Schweikhardt at 375.3569; Linda Schweikhardt at 765.934.2422; Judy Mauger at 375.2727 or Micky Banter at 375.2008.

COUNCIL NOTES

The Town Council of Warren met Monday, September 13, 2010 in Special Session at Assembly Hall.

A rate study for the wastewater service was discussed and it was recommended that a 20% increase in the customer service charge as well as the metered usage charge be implemented. For an average user of 4000 gallons of water a month, the raise would increase monthly billing by \$6.98.A discussion regarding the establishment of a Stormwater Utility was also continued. A tentative schedule was set introduction of the wastewater ordinance on October 11, Public Hearing on October 25 and

adoption on November 8 with the rate to be in place for the January 1, 2011 billing.

Fall Clean-Up, by consensus, was set for October 4th through 9th, following the same schedule and rules as used previously.

Morrison reported that the office will be closed on September 24th for Keystone Training in Daleville and that State Board of Account Auditors are presently on site.

A regular Council meeting was held at 6:30 p.m. September 13, 2010.

President Cartwright called the meeting to order by announcing the opening of a public hearing on the 2011 Municipal Budget.

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"BLITHE SPIRIT" CONTINUES AT THE PULSE

"Blithe Spirit" continues for two more weekends at the Pulse. Performances are on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings at 8:00 p.m. Lobby opens at 7:00 p.m. and the theatre doors open at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$5 for children, although adults can get \$2 off per ticket if they bring a non-perishable item for the Food Pantry. (Not good with any other promotion.)

The high-spirited comedy features performances from local performers Matt Stephenson, Stacia Brinneman Dupree, Audrey Dean, Julie Turney, Rachel Jackson, Scott Nedberg & Kim Nedberg. Come and support your home town theatre!

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KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

SUPPER THANK YOU

Thanks to everyone that supported our 2010 Pork Chop Supper. The attendance was the best ever! We will try very hard to use your donations in ways that will provide the most benefits to our community.

> Thanks again! McNatt United Methodist Church

HONOR EMPLOYEES

In Indiana, over 19,000 people with physical and developmental disabilities rely on Direct Support Professionals for essential support with employment, connections within their community, and basic health and safety needs. As the teachers, cheerleaders and many times the primary advocate for the individuals they serve, Direct Support Professionals (DSPs) require a broad range of skills. yet they earn an average wage far below the typical American worker.

To honor their important role and highlight the growing shortage of Direct Support Professionals in Indiana, Governor Mitch Daniels declared September 13-17, 2010 to be Direct Support Professional Recognition Week.

Pathfinder Services employs over 166 Direct Support Professionals in Huntington County, 75 in Marshall and Starke Counties, and 60 in Wabash County. "As we celebrated the 20th Anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act earlier this year, we are glad to take this week to celebrate the contributions of the valued DSPs who make so many accomplishments possible for Hoosiers with disabilities," said Sandy Wing, Senior Director of Community Services for Pathfinder Services, Inc. "Direct Support Professionals week is a time we can give a special thank you to our staff for everything they do throughout the year to help improve the lives of everyone we serve," Wing added.

"Indiana's 26,000 Direct Support Professionals are making differences every day in the lives of those they support," said Shannon Gilbert, President of Direct Support Professionals of Indiana, a new group of DSPs focused on development and awareness about their profession. "DSPs assist individuals to see beyond their disabilities and help them live meaningful lives within their community. Some individuals with disabilities may have been told they would never walk or they have never been given the opportunity to make their own choices. This is not acceptable in the eyes of a DSP. This week is a great time to recognize the DSPs who make dreams into a reality for people with disabilities."

Indiana DSPs will be celebrating Direct Support Professionals Recognition Week by increasing awareness of their role supporting Hoosiers with disabilities and encouraging others to investigate a career in their important field. Indiana's DSP week coincides with National Direct Support Professionals Week as declared by the United States Senate in June of this year.

Pathfinder Community Supports is the Adult Services division of

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Rev. Barry Humble, Pastor Jerome Markley, S.S. Supt. Sunday Worship 9:30a.m. Sunday School 10:30a.m.

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Pastor - Heath Jones Youth Leaders - Kelly Jones Worship9:30 a.m. Sunday School10:40 a.m. Adult Bible Study Sun 6:30p.m. Youth Group Sun 6:00p.m

Handicap Accessible Little Panther Preschool 765.934.2099

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Pastor Richard Evans 260/224-3376

Sunday Service10:30 a.m. Wednesday7:00 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 Service10:30a.m.

HANFIELD UNITED METHODIST

101 N 400 F - Marion 765/664-8726 Timothy Helm, Senior Pastor 1st Worship..... 9:00 a.m. 2nd Worship......10:30 a.m.

HERITAGE POINTE

Sunday Morning Worship9:30 a.m. OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat Chapel Services9:00 a.m.

THE NEW BEGINNING

SR 218, 2 1/8 mile west of Poneto Steve Sutton, Pastor 65/728-2065 for more info Sunday Worship......10:30a.m.

ThursdayPrayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. **NEW HOPE MINISTRIES**

9019 E 300 S - Warren Indiana

Jim Graham, Pastor 260/494-6753 260/489-1456 260/375-4224

Sunday School 9:30am Morning Worship 10:30am

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 375-2510

Rev Mark Davis Bus Service 375-2510

www.hillcrestnazchurch.org Sunday School9:30 a.m. Evening Worship.....6:00 p.m. Youth Group (Wed.).....6:00 p.m. Wed. Midweek Service......6:30 p.m.

SOLID ROCK UNITED METHODIST 227 N Main St, Warren, IN

375-3873 Kathy Newton, Pastor

Sunday School9:00 a.m. Worship Service10:00 a.m.

LANCASTER WESLEYAN

468-2411

Doug Sharrard, Pastor David Thrift, S.S. Supt. Sunday School9:30 a.m. Worship10:30 a.m.

CYC/Teen/Adult Meetings 7:00 p.m. LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH 694-6622

Pastor Dan Sommer Sunday School9:00 a.m. Fellowship 9:55a.m. Worship 10:15a.m. Wed. Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

LIBERTY CENTER **UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** Pastor Devin Cook

Morning Worship9:30 a.m. Sunday School10:45 a.m.

MCNATT UNITED METHODIST

375-4359 Bill VanHaften, Pastor

Lois Slusher, Supt.

Coffee Fellowship......8:30 a.m. Worship9:15 a.m. Sunday School10:30 a.m. Bible Study - Wed. 7:00 p.m.

MT. ETNA UNITED METHODIST

260/468-2148

Tony Johnson - Pastor Trad. Worship 9:00 a.m. Mdrn Worship 10:30 a.m. Fellowship 10:00 a.m.

MOUNT ETNA WESLEYAN Rev. Charles Dederick, Pastor

Sunday School9:30 a.m. Worship10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening6:00 p.m. Mid-Week (Wed)6:00 p.m.

PLUM TREE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-2691

Dr. Jeane Spoor, Pastor Sunday School9:30 a.m.



SALAMONIE **CHURCH OF BRETHREN**

468-2412 Mel Zumbrun, Pastor

Worship9:30 a.m. Church School10:45a.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

375-2102

Pastor Scott Nedberg Sunday Worship...... 9:30 a.m. Junior Church 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

Communion 1st Sunday of the Month **VB CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE** 765/934-3321 Parsonage

Jeff Wass, Pastor

Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Adult Worship10:30 a.m. Children's Church 10:30a.m. Evening Praise Hour..... 6:00p.m.

Hour of Power (Wed) 7:00p.m. **VB UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** 765-934-1431

Pastor Blake J. Neff

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

www.vanburenumc.org WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-3022

Ethan T Stivers, Minister Nathan Ratcliff, Youth Minister Tara Bower and Melinda Haynes -

Secretaries Shanna Fortney, Bible School Supt.

www.warrenchurchofchrist.org Worship & Communion9:30 a.m. Sunday School10:45 a.m. Youth: K-5th grade, Mon 6-7pm Jr/Sr Hi, Sunday 6-8pm

6-8pm 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 School9:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship10:00 a.m. WARREN WESLEYAN CHURCH 375-2330 6th & Nancy Sts. Warren

Rev. Allen Laws, Pastor

Wesley Welch, Supt. Sunday School9:30 a.m. Worship10:15 a.m. Wednesday Prayer Service..7:00p.m.

www.warrenwesleyan.com **FARRVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH**

11044 E 200 N, Marion, IN 765-934-3609 Pastor - Dan Metz

Sunday Worship...... 10:30 am Sunday School Classes9:30 am Youth Group6:00 pm Sunday Adult Bible Study..... 6:00 pm Thurs, Bible Study7:00 pm

NEWS AREA

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Asking for input and receiving none, the hearing was closed.

Ryan Daniel of OCRA was present to discuss funding opportunities, requirements for CFF grants in particular. In discussion of the situation with the newly discovered sinkhole and possible ramifications related to repair restructuring. Daniel suggested use of a planning grant to begin the engineering process. It was determined that III-A Development District be contacted to begin the process. Noted was that the timing of a planning grant would place any application for CFF in the SpringRound of 2012.

A resident was present to discuss an increase in water usage. He had been notified through the Clerk-Treasurer's Office on approximately August 16th that usage had increased by 4000 gallons for the September 1 billing. The meter had been rechecked and subsequent readings showed a return to average levels. He requested Council action as the Clerk-Treasurer would not adjust usage back to his average level. Following discussion, it was determined that Council would not approve any adjustment as cause had not been shown to do so.

THEME/DESIGN CONTEST

The Huntington County 4-H Theme & Design Contest is currently accepting entries for the 2011 4-Hyear. 4-H members are eligible to make entries in both theme and design categories and may have more than one entry in each category. All entries must be submitted to the Purdue Extension -Huntington County Office no

listed.

Sep 23

Oct 2

Oct 6

Oct 6

Oct 11

Oct 11

Oct 18

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later than Friday, October 29, 4:00 pm. The winning entries will be utilized in a variety of 4-H promotional materials for the 2011 4-H club year.

Additional details and contest entry forms may be secured from the Huntington County Extension Office, located at 354 N Jefferson - Suite 202, County Courthouse Annex Building, Huntington or email to laldridg@purdue.edu or phone 260-358-4826.

SALON COLOR CLASS

Last Friday, The staff at Studio E held a Matrix Color class. Those attending were; Jill Eltzroth, Miranda Bolinger and Ashley Allred. Kelly Gray from the Coach House Day Spa was also in attendance. The Salon has recently switched to the Matrix SoColor (permanant haircolor) and Matrix Sync (Demipermanant color). Shelly Foust, Educator for Matrix guided the class. She taught the staff mixing formulas as well as new techniques such as how to better cover resistant grey hair. The class ran 3 hours where she also taught the staff how to "evoke emotion" and the importance of client satisfaction through the use of color. They also were given a brief overview of the NEW Matrix styling product line "Design Pulse".

Studio E is accepting new clients. We offer a wide variety of services such as Nails and Tanning. The salon accepts Walk-in's, however, calling (260-375-2212) for appointment ensures time set aside JUST FOR YOU! Studio E is located at 210 Wayne St. Downtown, Warren.

KBC MINUTES

Knight Bergman Center Minutes of September 20th meeting.

Board member present: Bob Pond, Mark Davis, Denny Stroud, Sharon Gebhart, Janice Jordan, Karen Herr, Shelly Boxell, Rosemary Zeller, Ron and Bonnie Boxell. Absent were: Jerry Boyer, Ron Neff Guest: Kathy Newton, Rose Broyles, LuEllyn Pond

Meeting was called to order by President Shelly Boxell.

Minutes were read, spelling corrected, Sharon Gebhart added to board members present, big tree came down before minutes were printed. Motion made to accept the minutes with these corrections made by Mark and seconded by Bonnie, motion carried.

Financial Report reviewed. A motion was made by Bonnie to accept and allow the bills to be paid. It was seconded by Sharon and motion carried.

Old Business:

Guest Kathy Newton then was given time to report on the Food Pantry. She asked that we allow the Pantry to have its own identity. After a long discussion, and many questions it remains as it was. The Bread of Life Food Pantry will remain operating under the umbrella of the K.B.C. We will make cash more available for Rose Broyles to get the groceries she needs each week. We are asking any donations given to the pantry have the checks made out to "Bread of Life Food Pantry." The pantry is well stocked and staffed to serve those in this community. The hours remain Wednesday 2-4 and 4-8. It was also decided that the Bargain

Basement will be available to help in the community. If anyone is in need of winter clothing, please see Rose at the Pantry.

W.A.R.R.E.N. Preservation Fund report given by Sharon, Bob and Luellyn. Sharon mentioned that we are also back to where we started after the drop in the economy. If the economy stays stable we will be making some decisions in the next month or so as to where and how to invest. LuEllyn reported on the grant, they continue to try to find out why we did not quality for the grant. She talked at length to the gentleman today. Bob and Luellyn are not going to give up. These people are suggesting that we have a fundraiser. We are considering having a Sunday Dinner. Janice made a motion and Bonnie seconded that we hold Dec. 5 open. We will discuss this more at the next meeting.

W.A.R.R.E.N. baseball: The wall is going up. We need a list of all who have donated materials and time to do this project. Thanks guys it looks

Bargain Basement: The leak in the bathroom has been addressed: It was a cracked stool, the stool has been replaced. There are still problems with the lights and that will be checked into soon. Ditch Repairs: Still waiting on the State.

Compressor Update: Bruce is still waiting on parts

Mower Updates: Still being worked on.

USS Salamonie Museum: Tabled until next month. Office for Boys and Girls Club: Ned and Shelly will be meeting with them tomorrow night.

New Business: A large TV has been donated to the center by a family at Heritage Pointe. Bill Couch made the stand and donated all the material and labor. A card was signed and sent. The TV will be kept in the office. It will be made available to anyone wanting to show videos for meetings etc.

Basketball was tabled.

Ron Boxell is now the Maintenance Coordinator. Anyone with concerns regarding the grounds or the building is to call Ron 375-3370. He then will direct the problem to the right source. Bob made the motion and Denny seconded, motion carried.

New rules for the use of the Facility will be posted thru out the building.

Next meeting will be October 18, 2010 @ 5:30 at the center.

SENIOR GOLF

Results from the Senior Scramble at Dogwood Glen for Thursday, September 16th. First Place (33): Steve Laymon, Fred Schweikhardt, Shuttleworth, Jim Slaughter. Second Place (33): John Dickason, Jim Hunnicutt, Larry Langdon, Andy Lopez. Closest to the Pin #3 Jim Hunnicutt, #6 Rex Ziegler, Long Drive #8 Tom Smiley and Myron Ridgeway. Thankyou to Citizens Telephone and PNC Bank for sponsoring this weeks golf balls.

PLATELET DONORS NEEDED

Although platelets becoming increasingly important in modern medical care, comparatively few people donate this life-saving component of blood.

Just four percent of the 7 million donation procedures performed each year through the American Red Cross involve donors who give platelets. That, Red Cross officials say, is something they hope to change by encouraging more people to donate platelets, and help save the lives of patients needing specialized care.

"Each year, thousands of children and adults will undergo care and treatment for cancer, leukemia and other serious diseases," said Sharyn Whitman, CEO for the Indiana-Ohio Blood Services Region of

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Oct 20 Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m. Bread of Life Food Pantry - Wed 2 - 4:00pm & 6 - 8:00p.m. at KBC **Bargain Basement -** Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KBC

KBC Board Meeting, 5:30 p.m. at KBC

Bluffton Free Street Fair

Mt Zion Fish Fry, 4:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m.

Warren Chamber of Commerce, noon, Assembly Hall

Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Assembly Hall

Autumn Begins

Columbus Day

Cancer Support Group - 3rd Tuesday 6:30-8p.m. at Bluffton Regional South Campus

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the American Red Cross. "And since platelets are very fragile and must be transfused within five days of donation, someone very sick may literally be waiting for your donation."

Platelets are cells in blood that help form clots and control bleeding. Cancer patients often platelets need when chemotherapy and radiation lower their platelet counts, or when their bodies can't produce enough platelets on their own. Patients undergoing surgery, trauma care or bone marrow transplants may also need platelets to stop or prevent internal bleeding or blood loss.

Platelets are most efficiently collected through apheresis—a special donation process that involves separating platelets from other blood components. Depending on blood type, some whole blood donors may be asked to consider donating platelets at designated donation sites through the Red Cross.

The Red Cross is primarily recruiting new male donors with AB positive, A positive, B positive and O positive blood.

"Whatever you choose to give, be it platelets or blood, you'll be helping to save the day," said Whitman.

Give blood or platelets Oct. 1 to 31 and be entered to win a weekend getaway for two at the Inn and Spa at Cedar Falls, Ohio

and a zip-line tour through Hocking Hills Canopy Tours.

Platelets can only be collected at a donation center and require an appointment. Please call 1-800-589-8127 to schedule your platelet pheresis donation or to learn more.

Platelet pheresis donation (call 1-800-589-8127 or 260-480-8299 to schedule a platelet donation):

Mon. 6:30 a.m. – 6 p.m. Tues. & Weds. 11:30 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Thurs. 11:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. Fri. 6:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Sat. 6:30 a.m. – noon Sun. 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Lutheran Hospital Donor Center located at 7900 W. Jefferson Blvd., Suite 107 in Fort Wayne (in the South Lobby of Lutheran Hospital) Traditional whole blood or platelet pheresis donation (no platelet pheresis on Wednesdays):

Monday through Wednesday: noon – 6 p.m.

Thursday through Saturday: 6 a.m. – noon

Sunday: by appointment only How to Donate Blood

To schedule an appointment to donate please call 1-800-REDCROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit redcrossblood.org for more information. Individuals who are 17 years of age (16 with parental permission in some states), meet weight and height requirements (110 pounds or more, depending on their

height) and are in generally good health may be eligible to donate blood. Please bring your Red Cross blood donor card or other form of positive ID when you come to donate.

MEMORY WALK

When: Sat. Sept. 25, 2010

Where: Headwaters Park, Superior and Barr

Who: All community members are invited to attend

Time: 10:30 AM – Registration - 11:30 AM Ceremonies begin - Noon Walk begins.

Please join the Alzheimer's Association in its Walk to End Alzheimer's Disease. Our goal is to raise awareness and provide funds for programs and services in Northeast Indiana to those dealing with this devastating disease and to fund research to end Alzheimer's Disease.

Today, approximately 5.3 million Americans have Alzheimer's disease, including 120,000 Hoosiers. Every 70 seconds someone develops Alzheimer's disease, making it the 7th leading cause of death. The direct and indirect costs of Alzheimer's disease and other dementia amount to more than \$148 billion annually.

The Alzheimer' Association is the world leader in Alzheimer's research and support Having awarded more than \$150 million to nearly 1,300 research projects. The Alzheimer's Association is the largest private funder of Alzheimer's research. The Association's vision is a world without Alzheimer's disease. For more information about Alzheimer's disease, call 800-272-3900 or visit www.alz.org

MORE WHEAT

If this dry weather pattern continues into October, area farmers might remember an old saying: "Plant your wheat in the dust and your bins will bust!" They will, of course, keep their fingers crossed that enough rain will come in the fall to get it off to a good start before winter.

This year the prospects for growing wheat certainly look better that a year ago. Some major international wheatproducing countries have had weather problems. Drought and wildfires have hit Russia and surrounding counties, while too much rain has caused flooding and other issues in Canada. Supplies of wheat world-wide have dropped. As a result, cash and futures prices of wheat in the U.S. have risen past \$6.00 per bushel.

Purdue agricultural economist, Chris Hurt, feels that wheat planting will increase by more than 50% as compared to last year. He recommends that farmers contact seed suppliers to secure the varieties that they hope to plant. "Seed availability may be the limiting factor on how many acres of wheat get seeded this fall," he said.

You might remember that state-wide there was recordlow wheat planting in Indiana in the fall of 2009. Only 300,000 acres of winter wheat were planted in 2009 according to a United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) planting report. In the fall of '09 low returns and poor prices for wheat along with extremely wet weather limited acres planted in Indiana.

Note that basically all the wheat grown in Indiana is soft red winter wheat which is fallseeded. It must go through a period of about 6 weeks with temperatures near freezing. This is called vernalization and

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NEUER

Lela Mae Neuer, 87, Huntington, Indiana died at 3:40 a.m. Thursday, September 16, 2010 at Heritage Pointe in Warren, Indiana.

Mrs. Neuer was born August 15, 1923 in Huntington to Oris Alfred and Hazel Mae Landon Foor. Her parents preceded her in death.

Mrs. Neuer graduated from Huntington High School in 1941. Lela married John William Neuer May 1, 1943 at St. Mary's Rectory. He preceded her in death on September 9, 1997. She was a member of St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church. Mrs. Neuer worked as a factory worker at Schachts Rubber Manufacturing Company, retiring in 1985.

Survivors include three daughters: Debra K. (Lynn) Harris, Andrews, IN., Kathy A. (Matt) Johnson, Huntington and Karen S. Rupe, Huntington, a brother: Ronald W. (Jane) Foor, New Haven, IN, four grandchildren, three stepgrandchildren, one greatgrandchild, and five step-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents and husband, Lela was preceded in death by two brothers: Dean Foor and Robert Foor.

A Funeral Mass was held Saturday, September 18, 2010, at St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, 860 Cherry St., Huntington with Father Ron Rieder officiating.

Memorials may be made to Masses at St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church or contributions to St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in care of McElhaney-Hart Funeral Home, 715 N. Jefferson St., Huntington, IN 46750.

Burial was in Mt. Calvary Cemetery, Huntington, Indiana.

McElhaney - Hart Funeral Home, 715 N. Jefferson St., Huntington, IN was in charge of arrangements.

SCHOEFF

Eldon B. Schoeff, 87, a life long resident of Jackson Township, Huntington County passed away Friday evening September 17, 2010 at his residence.

Mr. Schoeff was a life long farmer in Jackson Township. He was a 1941 graduate of Roanoke High School. He played basketball for the Markle Boosters for several years during his younger days. He was a life long supporter of the Huntington County 4-H. He also enjoyed fishing and hunting.

Mr. Schoeff was born on April 13, 1923 a son of John F. and Mary B. (Smith) Schoeff.

Survivors include – A sister: Betty Fullhart of Warren, Sister in Law: Ruth E. Schoeff of Huntington, and several Nieces and Nephews. He was preceded in death by 6 brothers: Christy, Elmer, Clarence, Dwight, John and Ernest Schoeff. 2 sisters: Mildred Schoeff and Zelda Alford.

Private family services will take place in the Zion Cemetery in rural Huntington County.

Preferred memorials in honor of Eldon can made to the Huntington County 4-H, c/o Myers Funeral Home, 2901 Guilford Street, Huntington, IN 46750

Myers Funeral Home, Huntington Chapel is in care of Mr. Schoeff's arrangements.

KALMES

William W. Kalmes, 56, of Ocean Springs, MS, passed away Wednesday, September 8, 2010 at his residence.

He was born Tuesday, May 4, 1954 in Colorado. He was the son of the late Joseph Kalmes and Betty Bryan. Betty Bryan resides in Colorado. He married his wife Linda (Ferguson) Kalmes in 1981. Bill retired from the US Navy on February 28, 2001. He was retired from the Mississippi Dept. **Employment Services.** Bill was a former resident of Van Buren. IN. He and his wife had lived on the Mississippi coast for the last 15 years.

Surviving are his Wife-Linda

(Ferguson) Kalmes of Ocean Springs, MS., Daughter-Jasmine (Danny Shook) Kalmes of Ocean Springs, MS., Mother-Betty Bryan of Colorado., Father-In-Law James H. Ferguson of Van Buren, IN., Mother-In-Law Betty (Schweikhardt) Ferguson of Van Buren, IN., 3 Sisters & 3 Brothers.

He was preceded in death by his Father-Joseph Kalmes.

Private Memorial Services will be held at a later date.

Memorials may be made to: American Cancer Society, 417 Security Square, Gulfport, MS, 39507.

Ferguson & Glancy Funeral Home, Van Buren, IN is in charge of local arrangements.





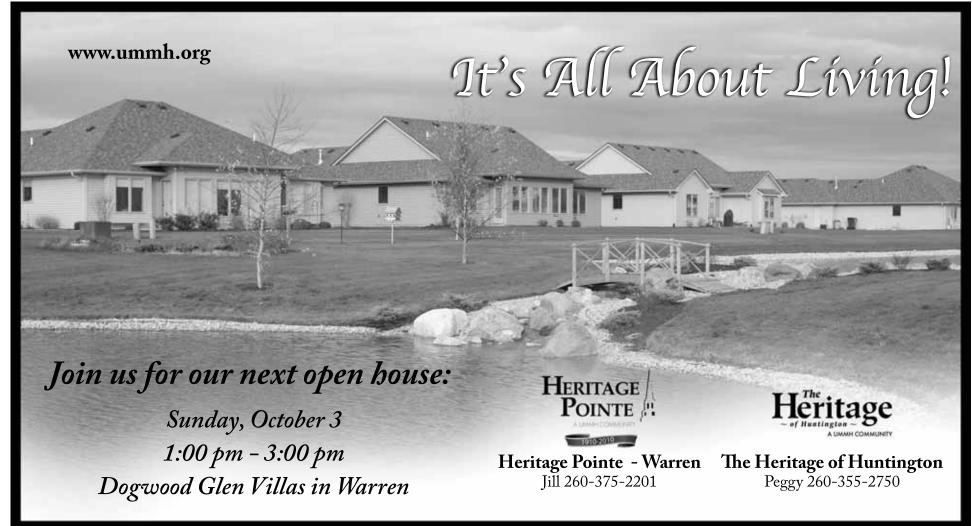
To WED

Brandon Biberstine and Jamie Reynolds are engaged to be married on Saturday, October 2, 2010 at the Community Christian Church in Bluffton with a reception at the Knight Bergman Center in Warren.

Brandon is the son of Matt and Cindy Biberstine of Liberty Center and works at Dollar General Distribution Center in Marion.

Jamie is the daughter of Jeff and Lisa Reynolds of Warren and





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it is required for winter wheat to joint, flower and produce seed.

Area farmers who harvested wheat in 2010 more than likely had some incidence of Fusarium Head Blight (FHB) also known as scab in their fields. For this reason university specialists are recommending that farmers avoid planting seed held in their bins this fall. University of Wisconsin Extension specialists have prepared a publication called, "Top 7 Recommendations for Winter Wheat Establishment in 2010."

The Wisconsin specialists recommend the following, "To maximize wheat yields in 2010, it is imperative that growers plant certified or private (professionally prepared) seed that is true to variety, clean, and has a high germination percentage (>85%)." This publication can be found at the following Web site: www.coolbean.info.

Wheat continues to be an important crop for this area of the state. According to the most recent Indiana Agricultural Statistics information (2008), Huntington County ranked 13th out of 92 Indiana counties in wheat production.

For more information, contact Ed Farris, Agriculture and Natural Resource Educator, Purdue Extension – Huntington County Office, 354 N Jefferson – Suite 202, Huntington by calling 260-358-4826.

CHILI COOK-OFF

The 1st Annual Historic Forks of The Wabash chili Cool-off hosted by Beta Chapter of Sigma Phi Gamma International Sorority will be held on Saturday, October 16, 2010 Chili tasting starts at 5:00p.m.

Chili will be judged by the public as well as a panel of "highly qualified secret judges". The public will be purchasing soup cups four-4oz. cups and one-12 oz. cup for \$3.00.

Other items will be available for a small fee. Hotdogs @ .50, Pepsi, Diet Pepsi, Sprite and Water @ .50 and 3 cookies for \$1.00.

Winners will be announced and prizes will be awarded at approximately 7:00p.m. Judges prizes will be 1st. place \$50.00, and 2nd. place \$25.00 Peoples choice will be \$25.00 and prize valued at \$25.00 will be

awarded for the best booth decoration.

You may register from now until October 11, 2010 by calling either The Forks of the Wabash at 260-356-1903 or the Convention and Visitors Bureau at 260-359-8687 to pick up registration forms.

Bring your family and friend to Historic Forks of the Wabash to enjoy a warm cup of Chili and visit this historic site on the Wabash.

FOOD/CRAFT BAZAAR

The Mt Etna United Methodist Women are planning their 2010 Fall Food and Craft Bazaar to be held on Saturday, October 30th from 9am to 2 pm. They are currently reserving booth spaces for anyone who would like to show off and sell their handicrafts. Booth Spaces are \$25.00 for an 8x8 booth and one table. Some booth spaces do have electricity. Booth spaces, tables and electricity are all on a first come first serve basis upon receipt of your registration and booth payment. All vendor types are welcome. Example – Mary Kay, Tupperware, Pampered Chef, etc. Items not allowed to sell are: Pies prepared soups and noodles.

If interested in a booth space, please send Name, Address, phone number and the type of crafts you will be selling along with a check made payable to the Mt Etna UM Women to: Wilberta Horrell, 10629S 500W, Warren In 46792 or call 260.375.3071 for additional information and registration form.

Mt Etna UM Church is located at the corner of State Roads 124 & 9 in Mt Etna IN.

September Forgot to Change Its Name

by V Neil Wyrick Did you know that September is the seventh month in the year? Well, it was until the year 153 BC. That is why its name is derived from the Latin word septum, meaning seven. And when two other months were added to the calendar, it just got shoved along but didn't get a name change. And as you might well expect everyone doesn't call it September. In Croatia they call it Rujan which mean red month, the color of the leaves falling in anticipation of winter. In the Czech Republic it is called Zari which means to glow or shine. Perhaps it could be called the airport month because if you use your imagination, as you watch the birds in their activity, think of them as lining up on their private little airports readying for their flight south.

Where you live not only affects what you call it, but what you celebrate. In Japan, Respect for the Aged Day sends a message that bodes well for any nation willing to do just that. In the Netherlands, it can hardly be said they celebrate their budget but it is the month in which it is $read\,out\,loud\,by\,the\,Queen\,who$ arrives in a gilded coach to do so. We, of course, think of it as the end of summer, as the month of Labor Day, which by the way was first celebrated in New York City, September 6, 1882. Today we honor the workers by doing as little of that working as possible on the first Monday of this ninth month.

Mother Nature starts shopping in September for colors other than the green she has been wearing all summer long. And you can help her choice of colors out in your own garden by planting winter pansies, flowering kale and fall mums. It is time to practice gardening intelligence by watering trees and shrubs less so that they can harden before winter sets in. And it's a time for sharing, because if you have a garden you have most likely planted more squash and tomatoes than you could possibly eat.

September can be the best of times - the heat of summer is almost over and the cool, comfortable weather of fall comes to call. It can be the worst of times - it is the worst monthforhurricanes. And since I live in South Florida, this September gift is not appreciated.

To those of us who have added up a large number of years, there is a song written some fifty years ago that will stir our memories.

Try to remember the kind of September

When life was slow and oh, so mellow.

Try to remember the kind of September

When grass was green and grain was yellow

Try to remember the kind of September

When you were a tender and

callow fellow.

Whether it is nature's fall or our own chronological fall, we all continue to say, "Where has the summer gone?" Well, ask the leaves, already they are having planning sessions on when they will let gravity take over.

The summer of our youth remembered and now in my 78th year, I just give thanks that I have arrived at this, the fall of my existence. Give thanks because it is the best way to enjoy either kind of fall.

GENERATIONS OF PERFECTIONISTS!

by The FlyLady, Marla Cilley

From the day we were born we have had perfectionism shoved down our throats. You know those words as well as I do, "If you can't do it right then don't do it at all!" We were also forced to redo things when we didn't do them to suit the person giving the ORDERS!

None of us like to be dictated to! What we were taught by these words and actions is that it didn't matter how well we did something because it was never going to live up to the expectations of that person we were trying to please. Do you want to know what happened then? We gave up! We didn't even try anymore because we knew it would not be good enough.

This pattern of being put down was all you heard. That is why we feel the need to beat ourselves up when we don't do something right! This negative attitude was drilled into our

heads. We were brainwashed with this perfectionism. Now in our parent's defense; they had the same thing done to them. It is all they knew! We can put a stop to this vicious cycle of perfectionism through the generations.

We are our own person and we have made a choice to change. We are not being dictated to by our parents any longer. You may have just gotten fed up with living in CHAOS (Cant Have Anyone Over Syndrome) or you may have heard about this FlyLady person who can help you get your house clean. Whatever the reason; you are ready to try something new. This time the choice is yours!

When we get to make the decision it is much easier for us to do! The only problem is that we still have those negative voices echoing in our heads. This is why we beat ourselves up! It is those voices from the past that make FLYing difficult! They tell us the same old message we have heard from day one! You have to do it perfectly or don't do it. So when you are not FLYing the way you think you are supposed to then you quit trying. This is also why we get overwhelmed!

In the perfectionism we had forced on us; we look at the whole picture instead of just doing something. We don't think that 15 minutes can make a difference in a messy house. This goes back to getting it done right. We expect ourselves to magically do it all in one day! We are not Supermen or Superwomen! So with this negativity ping ponging in our

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heads we tell ourselves we don't have time!

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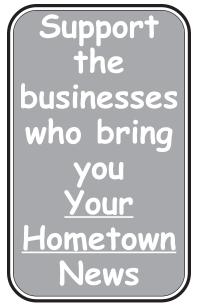
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Poulson Hog Roast

The descendants and families of Grover and Edna Rennaker Poulson met a the home of Larry and Roselyn Poulson on August 15, 2010. Dan Poulson and his daughter, Kristi Williams, planned and organized it. Dan knew it would be a hog roast with him furnishing the hog and other food. The hog was roasted by Joe Nash.

Grover and Edna celebrated their 50th anniversary in March 1963. Grover died in February 1964 and Edna September 1970. There were 12 children born to this couple, 7 sons and 5 daughters. Lois, Everett, Ralph and Margaret Knight are deceased. Still living are Harold 91, Freda Finley 86, James 85, Mildred Gilbert 83, William 81, Robert 79, Hazel Ruth Brooks 76 and Daniel 75. There were 46 grandchildren, 80 great-grandchildren, 121 great-great grandchildren and 13 great-great grandchildren and 2 more yet this year. So with all these children and their families we had a total of 230 present, which is only half of our total family members.

People started coming early Sunday morning from as far as California, Florida, Wisconsin, West Virginia, Georgia, Illinois, Ohio and many from all parts of Indiana.

Before our noon meal Carol Byrd gave prayer and Cylest Brooks sang the National Anthem.

After our meal we had a balloon launch with a picture taken as we let them go. There was a card attached to each balloon asking anyone that found one to send back and let us know where it had been found. Then a group picture was taken and also each family picture was taken.

Then it was fun time. It was a hot day, but still kids enjoyed a moonwalk, courtesy of John Brooks, hay rides by Kenneth Poulson which was a nice long ride. He made 4 trips and each time the wagon was full. Young and old enjoyed the ride. Also corn toss, ladder golf, croquet, tattoos, pitching washers, volleyball, stick horse races, sack races and Dizzy Lizzy races. Kids had a lot of fun. It was so hot the adults didn't do much but sit and visit.

Certificates were given: Harold Poulson the oldest at 91. Youngest was foster child of Jason and Jamie Onsley, 3 months. Ralph Poulson family having 42 members present. Gracie Schmidt being the one from farthest away, California. Mark and Margaret have

the family with the most (90) members. All 12 children had family members to enjoy the day.

Around 4:00 a 5 gallon wooden crank ice cream freezer was filled and the cranking began. Even the little ones wanted a turn cranking. What a story they will have about helping make ice cream. It took a little longer to get it done, but it sure was good, along with cake and cookies. It was a hot day so homemade ice cream was just right to end the day.

Grover and Edna would be so happy that the family is growing and still have family gettogethers every year in August and at Christmas.

A big thank you to Cindy Fitch for sending every family a note about August 15 and also making cards for all 200 balloons. A big thank you to Kristi for all she did. To all the guys who came to set up tents on Saturday morning and coming back on Monday evening to take table, chairs and tents down.

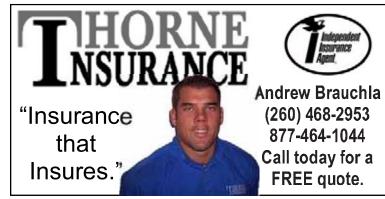
Especially a big thank you to all the families that came. Dan was wanting to get 200 there, you made him happy by getting 230 there.

Appreciation to Larry and Roselyn and Danfor being hosts for the day.

We've gotten notes back from balloons being found in Ashland Ohio about 195 miles, Berne and Plum Tree







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