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Thought for the Week: *All of us have moments in our lives that test our courage. Taking children into a house with a white carpet is one of them.* Erma Bombeck

FESTIVAL COMING

Scarecrow Festival Friday
October 31 6-8 pm

PICK YOUR THEME...
BASE IT ON A DREAM...
DESIGN YOUR CROW...
DON'T BE TOO SLOW...
LET'S ALL SCHEME...
WHO WINS THE SHOW?...

Don't Delay... October 24th is the registration deadline for the Scarecrows and the Chili!

Participants within city limits, please have your scarecrow visible from the road on the morning of judging, October 30th, and display through the Halloween weekend. Participants outside the city limits: Please deliver your scarecrow to the Warren Assembly Hall (across from the town hall) on October 29th, call 375-3010 to set up an appointment. A prop needs to accompany your scarecrow for displaying downtown. Denny's hardware is selling scarecrow frames for \$5.

Overall Scarecrow cash prizes to be awarded: 1st place \$100, 2nd place \$75 and 3rd place \$50. Chili cash prizes will also be awarded. The Scarecrows will be judged the morning of October 30th. Winners will be announced @ Friday night's festivities.

Scarecrow Festival 2008 sponsored by Warren Chamber of Commerce. Scarecrow & Chili registration forms are available at National City Bank, Markle Bank, Bolinger's Propane & Warren Service & Supply, City Building and East of Chicago. Please return completed registrations to the town hall or P.O. Box 40, Warren, IN, 46792. If any questions, please call 375-3010. No Entry Fee- You must register to win!!!

Please
Read &
Recycle

MEETING RESCHEDULED

The Warren Town Council has rescheduled its Regular Session for Monday, October 13th to Tuesday, October 14th at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Meeting Room of Assembly Hall, 131 N Wayne Street, Warren. The move is intended to allow members to attend the Indiana Association of Cities and Towns Annual Conference.

HOME COMING

Plum Tree United Church of Christ will celebrate their Homecoming Rally Day on Sunday, October 12, at the church in Plum Tree, IN. The day starts with a worship service followed by a special musical program at 10 a.m. and continues with a carry-in dinner at approximately noon. Current and past members of the church, their extended families and new visitors are all welcome to attend. The church is located at 3029 East - 600 South, Huntington (at the intersection of State Road 124 and County Road 300 East, about 2 miles East of State Road 5).

"A Musical Celebration" special program will feature vocals by the CC Trio, who regularly perform at the Gospel Barn in Bluffton. The worship service will be conducted by Pastor Dr. Jeane Spoor. Please bring a dish to share for the dinner. For more information contact Verla Jane Park at 468-2737 or jpark@citznet.com, Connie Mounsey at 758-2490, Michelle Stockman at 758-2297 or Ralph Eltzroth at 375-2691.

Officially organized in 1866, this country church has had a history of community service for over 140 years and welcomes visitors on any Sunday. Monthly church dinners and holiday celebrations, a Lenten study series in the spring and active youth and woman's fellowship groups are just some highlights of the worship year at Plum Tree U.C.C.

The church currently supports the following community organizations and projects: the Bread of Life Food Pantry in Warren; McKenzie's Hope Child Advocacy Center in Huntington; Crossroads Children's Shelter in Ft. Wayne; care packages to military personnel from our area; support of local families in need, and contributions to a number of church missions and special offerings.

The church Mission Statement is "We seek to be a church attentive to the word of God, responsive to the call of Jesus Christ, inclusive of all people, and supportive of one another. We go now to live into that vision."

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

National Fire Prevention Week will be commemorated this year from October 5-11. The theme for 2008 is "Prevent Home Fires."

"As winter months and holidays get closer, the rates of fire and fire deaths increase. Take a little time to ensure that you and your family do not have to suffer the effects of a fire in your home," said U.S. Fire Administrator Greg Cade. "Each of us would benefit from checking our own homes for fire hazards and making sure that everyone in the residence knows what to do in case of fire."

Each year, fire departments respond to over 400,000 residential fires. Annually more than 3,500 people die from fire in their own homes. In many cases, some simple steps may have prevented the fire from starting. The most common causes of home fires result from cooking, heating, electrical malfunction, smoking materials, and candles. Each of these activities carries with it a risk of fire, but that risk can be greatly lessened if you follow some common sense safety tips.

- Stay in the kitchen when you are cooking. Many fires start from "unattended" cooking.

- Maintain heating equipment and chimneys by having them inspected and cleaned annually by a qualified professional.

- If you smoke, put it out, all the way, every time.

- Keep things that can burn away from light bulbs, light fixtures, and lamps. For any suspected electrical problems, call a qualified electrician.

- Use flashlights during emergencies, not candles. If using candles, blow them out when leaving the room, and keep them away from things that can burn.

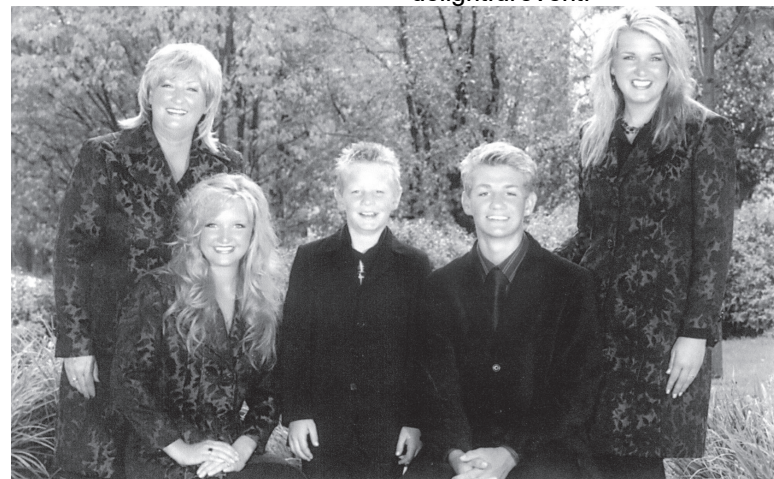
The U.S. Fire Administration has a great deal of information, related

to each of the common causes of residential fire on its Web site. There is also information on smoke alarms, escape planning, and fire sprinklers. Please find out what you can do to ensure that you and your family lower the risk of a home fire.

COMING ATTRACTION

Autumn Flavors to Christmas Favors, The Warren United Church of Christ will be hosting the annual Church Bazaar on Saturday, November 8th. 9 am-2 pm.

Mark your calendars now and watch for more features of this delightful event.



THE BROWNS AT HERITAGE POINTE

It's truly a family affair when the Browns hit the stage with their gospel music. The five-voice musical styling of Shelly, Jessica (21), Michaela (19), Adam (17) and Andrew (11) exude excitement on the stage and offer a life-changing experience to all who hear them. The Browns deliver the powerful message of the gospel through word and song that engage audiences of all ages.

The Browns have been touring across the United States since the group began its full-time ministry six years ago. The heralded group began on the local and state level and has expanded and grown into a national touring group.

The Browns have released seven recordings, including their newest single "My Name is Already There." They have just returned from finalizing the music tracks for a new CD due for release the first of the year. They are produced by the award winning talent of Roger Talley at Crossroads and Summitt studios. Their booking is affiliated with Michael Davis of the Dominion Agency based out of Wade, NC.

Even when they're not on stage or on tour, the Browns manage to stay plenty busy on their farm property west of LeMars, Iowa.

The Browns will be performing at 2 p.m. on October 9th in the Applegate Chapel at Heritage Pointe.

The public is invited to attend and hear this wonderful family sing and play their violins.

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Leave news and/or advertising at PJ's Flower and Gift Shop, mail to P O Box 695, Warren, fax to 260.375.7007 or email to wwklly@citiznet.com. Van Buren residents may call Mary Jo Zoda at 765-934-3637.

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KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

THANKS TO ALL

The Warren Sportsman's Club would like to thank everyone who came out and participated in our recent Pancake and Sausage Breakfast. The town is so good about supporting us in everything we do. We really appreciate your attendance. We would like to also thank those who purchased raffle tickets.

The winners were: Deer Figurines ~ Robyn Groves, Fawn Picture ~ Fred Schweikhardt, Buck Picture ~ Kedrick Barr, Buck in Fog Picture ~ Ken Groves, Eagle Afghan ~ Jane Simon, and our 50/50 drawing was won by Jonetta Keller.

Thanks also for coming out and enjoying our Outdoor Cooking Class. A great Time was had by all and a lot of food was tasted and enjoyed. Thanks for letting us put on programs that help the community. All programs put on at the Sportsman's Club are open to the public. So keep checking the Warren Weekly for a schedule of these free programs.

Thanks again!

PARK BEING TRASHED

A number of years ago local citizens, including several teenagers, got together and worked diligently to build a nice park for the community. For many years it was one of the highlight spots of the town.

Recently Council has been informed that a serious problem has developed there. Since Weaver Popcorn employees are no longer allowed to smoke on their premises, many are going to the Park. The once clean and peaceful park has become trashed with cigarette butts and other debris.

Even though there are proper disposal containers available it seems these people are disrespectful and continue to throw everything on the ground.

To date warnings have gone unheeded.

No doubt many of these violators do not live in Van Buren. Whether or not these people live in Van Buren or elsewhere, it would seem that they should show appreciation for the fact they have a job by respecting the community.

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<p>ASBURY CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST 8013W 1100S - 90, Montpelier <i>Phillip Freel Jr, Pastor</i></p> <p>Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Wed Evening Carry-in & Fellowship 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>HILLCREST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 375-2510 <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>SALAMONIE CHURCH OF BRETHREN 468-2412 <i>Mel Zumbrun, Pastor</i></p> <p>Worship 9:30 a.m. Church School 10:45 a.m.</p>
<p>BANQUO CHRISTIAN CHURCH 8294S 900W 35 <i>Gary Riley, Pastor</i></p> <p>Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Youth Choir Practice 5:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Thurs. Kings Kids 6:30 p.m. BYG Youth Svc. (2&4Sun.) .. 6:00 p.m. CWF Ladies (3 Tue) 6:00 p.m. 1st Sun. (Qtrly) Praise Hour. 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>SOLID ROCK UNITED METHODIST formerly Warren & Jefferson Ctr Corner of 900S & 300W for October Corner of 3rd & Main for November <i>Kathy Newton, Pastor</i></p> <p>Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Worship Service 10:00 a.m.</p>	<p>UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-2102 <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>BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST <i>Rev. Barry Humble, Pastor</i> <i>Jerome Markley, S.S. Supt.</i></p> <p>Sunday Worship 9:30a.m. Sunday School 10:30a.m.</p>	<p>LANCASTER WESLEYAN 468-2411 <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>VB CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 765/934-3321 Parsonage <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>CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH Van Buren, Indiana 765-934-2199 <i>Pastor - William Shelor</i></p> <p>Youth Leaders - Heath & Kelly Jones Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:40 a.m. Adult Bible Study Sun 6:30p.m. Youth Group Sun 6:30p.m. Handicap Accesible Little Panther Preschool 765.934.2099</p>	<p>LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH 694-6622 <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>VB UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 765-934-1431 <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>
<p>WORD OF LIFE — MAJENICA <i>Rev. Malcolm & Jackie Howell</i> 260/356-1246</p> <p>Sunday Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Tuesday Eve. Bible Study 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>LIBERTY CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH <i>Dan Helm, Pastor</i></p> <p>Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m.</p>	<p>WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-3022 <i>Gerald O. Moreland, Minister</i> <i>Janice Jorden, Angel Food Director</i> <i>Ruth Moreland, Secretary</i> <i>Shanna Fortney, Bible School Supt.</i> www.warrenchurchofchrist.org</p>

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AREA NEWS

PULSE FUND RAISER

Need a nice gift to send to family, friends or business associates across the country or even next door?

Pulse Opera House is doing a fund raiser to help with off season expenses. They are offering beautiful fresh evergreen wreaths, door swags, garland, centerpieces and live decorated trees that will make a nice centerpiece, all reasonably priced.

Also they will offer gift items of the wreaths which are 25 inch size, door swag, the centerpiece and the decorated tree which can be sent directly to the recipient living in any of the 48 states. Delivery would be about the week of Thanksgiving. Also for each gift item a gift card will be enclosed with your personal message, wreaths will have a hanger. With each gift item the company will plant an evergreen tree in honor of the recipient at the company's forest farm in Minnesota.

This is a great way to solve the hard to buy for family, friends or business associates close by or far away.

For more information contact any member of the Pulse or call or stop in at the Handcrafters Holiday Shop telephone 375 2442.

Cut off date for ordering is October 25 and delivery will be November 17-21.

GUEST SPEAKER

The Warren Church of Christ will host guest speaker President David Faust of Cincinnati Christian University this coming Sunday, Oct. 12 at their 9:30 A.M. worship service. October's Mission of the Month is CCU and he will update the church on what's happening at the school as well as bring a message from God's Word. President Faust is also a contributing editor and writer for the Christian Standard, a weekly periodical distributed to churches throughout the country. He has authored and co-authored 12 books as well.

Gerald Moreland, minister of WCC, is a 1966 graduate of CCU and invites the public to come hear this great man of God as we worship the Lord together.

OCTOBER MENU

The Menu for October's Warren Angel Food Ministry order is: Regular Box 1.5 lb. Ribeye Steaks (4 x 6 oz.), 4.5 lb. (avg) Split Chicken Breast Family Tray Pack, 26 oz. Heat and Serve Meatloaf and Brown Gravy, 1 lb. Chicken Breast Fajita Strips, 1 lb. Boneless Center-Cut Pork Chops (4 x 4 oz.), 1 lb. Fully Cooked Meatballs, 1 lb. All Meat Hot Dogs, 1 lb. Frozen Sliced

Carrots, 1 lb. California Blend Vegetables, 1 lb. Pasta, 28 oz. Marinara Sauce, 48 oz. Hawaiian Punch, 32 oz. Borden 2% Reduced Fat Shelf Stable Milk, 12 ct Corn Tortillas, One Dozen Eggs, One Dessert Item All For Just \$30. The New Senior Box (Ten perfectly seasoned, nutritionally balanced, fully-cooked meals – just heat and serve. Each meal has been developed with dietary needs of senior citizens in mind, and contains 3 oz. of protein, a starch & two vegetables or fruit.) is: BBQ Chicken; Slow roasted chicken diced and served with Western Flavor BBQ Sauce. Served with southern-style Black Eyed Peas and Collard Greens and Cinnamon Apple sauce, Meatloaf with Brown Herb Gravy; Traditional Meatloaf topped with Herb seasoned Brown Gravy, served with Sweet Potatoes with brown sugar & maple, green peas, mushrooms and green beans, Sweet 'n Sour Chicken; Slow cooked chicken chunks served in a sweet 'n sour sauce over steamed Rice with Steamed Broccoli, Mushrooms and Wax Beans, Meat Patties with Country Style Gravy and Onions; Lightly Floured and Seasoned and served with a rich Brown Gravy and Onion. Creamy Mashed Potatoes, Steamed Broccoli with a sprinkling of Cheese along accompanied by Diced Beets, Spaghetti with Meat Sauce; Spaghetti Noodles served with a rich traditional Italian Meat Sauce. Seasoned Italian Green Beans, Diced Pears and an Oatmeal Cookie, Salisbury Steak with Brown Mushroom Gravy; Traditional Salisbury Steak Patties with Brown Mushroom Gravy; Mashed Potatoes, Peas and Carrots and diced Pineapple, Thyme Baked Chicken; Slow cooked chicken chunks served in a savory Thyme Sauce with Parsley Potatoes, Three Bean Salad and Diced Peaches, Creole Baked White Fish; Delicate White Fish baked with a Creole Sauce served with Red Beans and Rice, Creamed Spinach, and a Chocolate Chip Cookie, Chicken Curry With Vegetables; Cooked tender chicken with Cut Green beans and Yellow Corn over Seasoned Onion Broth Rice with Broccoli Oriental Vegetables and Diced Pears, Ground Beef Stroganoff; Tender Ground Beef in a rich Stroganoff Cream Sauce served over Parsley Egg Noodles, Green Beans and Onions, with Fruit Cocktail. All for Just \$28. Anyone can order the Senior Box and you can order as many boxes and specials as you wish.

Specials (available after purchasing a Regular Box or Senior Box) are: October Special #1 - 7 lb. Grill Box - \$21.00 - 2 lb

Top Sirloin Strips (4 x 8 oz.), 2 lb Baby Back Ribs, 1.5 lb Hamburger Patties (4 x 6 oz.), 1.5 lb Pork Chops (4 x 6 oz.). October Special #2 - 4.5 lb. Meat and Chicken Combo - \$21.00 - 1.5 lb. Ribeye Steaks (2 x 12 oz.), 1.5 lb. New York Strip Steaks (2 x 12 oz.), 1.5 lb. Bacon-Wrapped Chicken Filets (4 x 6 oz.). October Special #3 - 3.75 lb. T-Bone Special - \$21.00 - 3.75 lb. T-Bone Steaks (5 x 12 oz.). October Special #4 - 10 lb. Chicken Tender Box - \$18.00 - 10 lb. Breaded Chicken Tenders. October Special #5 - Fresh Fruit and Veggie Box - \$21.00 - 1 head New York State Green Cabbage, 1 head California Iceberg Lettuce (Cello wrapped), 1 bunch California Broccoli, 2 lb. Medium-Large Idaho/East Oregon Yellow Onions, 5 lb. New Crop Yukon Gold Potatoes, 3 lb. North Carolina New Crop Red Apples, 2 lb. Bag of California Fancy Lemons, 1 Super Sweet Gold Pineapple, 1 lb. Bag of California Peeled Baby Carrots.

Order times are: Thurs., Oct. 9, 3:00-7:00 p.m. & Sat., Oct. 11, 9:00-11:00 a.m. at the Warren Church of Christ, 302 N. Wayne St., Warren. Deadline is Saturday, Oct. 11. Food Stamp Orders Must be made at the Warren Church of Christ only. Other orders may be made at participating area churches as well.

Delivery Date Is: Saturday, October 25, with Pick up times, 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 a.m. Volunteers should call Janice Jordan, Director, at 358-6783 or 375-2293.

Note: Angel Food Ministries in GA reported a record 567,768 orders for September! It just keeps growing and blessing!!

TRUNK-R-TREAT

The Warren Church of Christ will again have their annual "Trunk-R-Treat" with trunks of cars filled with candy and goodies for the Scarecrow Festival on Friday, October 31. The cars will be in the parking lot of the church at Wayne and 3rd St. Stop by on

your way into town from the north side or come all the way up to the church from the south end and check it out.

SCHOOL EVENTS

Salamonie School Events for the week of 10-6 & 10-13

Thursday Oct 9: 12:30 Early Dismiss/Goal setting conferences 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. YMCA Open Swim (\$3.00)

Friday Oct. 10: Fund raiser orders & money are due

Saturday Oct. 11: 10:00 a.m. Salamonie Rebels Football vs. West Jay @ Salamonie Concessions open featuring Pork Sandwiches 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. YMCA Open Swim

Monday Oct 13: 6:00 p.m. Salamonie Rebels Volleyball vs West Jay @ Salamonie 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. YMCA Open Swim

Tuesday Oct 14: 4:00 p.m. Salamonie Rebels Volleyball @ Crestview Middle School

Wednesday Oct. 15 - 12:30 p.m. Early Dismissal; 4:30 p.m. 7th gr. Salamonie Rebels Football vs Adams Central @ Salamonie (last game of the season)

VBPL HAPPENINGS

Clifford the Big Red Dog will be at the After School Fun time at the Van Buren Public Library on Oct. 17, 2:30-3:30. Be sure to come join the fun.

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Community Calendar

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

Oct 8 Warren Chamber of Commerce Drawing, 6:30 p.m. at Accent Interiors
Oct 9 Warren Recycle Day
Oct 13 COLUMBUS DAY
Oct 13 Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Assembly Hall
Oct 15 Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m.
Oct 20 Knight Bergman Center Board Meeting, 5:30 at KBC
Oct 20 Salamonie Summer Festival, 6 p.m.
Oct 23 Warren Recycle Day
Oct 25 Angel Food pick up 11:30 - 12:30
Oct 27 Warren Town Council, 4 p.m., Assembly Hall
Oct 31 Scarecrow Festival, 6-8pm, Downtown Warren
HALLOWEEN
Nov 4 Election Day
Nov 5 Chamber of Commerce, noon, Assembly Hall
Nov 5 Van Buren Town Council, 7p.m.
Nov 6 Warren Recycle Day
Nov 8 Warren United Church of Christ Bazaar, 9am-2pm
Nov 9 Daylight Savings Time - move clocks back 1 hour
Nov 10 Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Assembly Hall
Bread of Life Food Pantry - Wed 2 - 5:00pm at KBC or by appointment - Call 375-2381. **Bargain Basement** - Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KBC
Depression Support Group 2nd & 4th Thurs at Hope Missionary Church, Bluffton 6-7:30 **Cancer Support Group** - 3rd Tuesday 6:30-8p.m. at Bluffton Regional South Campus **Farmers Market** Saturdays 8-noon in Daugherty Parking Lot.

*Warren Area
Chamber of Commerce*

**Sign up at
GDW/EVALUATION
now thru
October 31
for the
MONTHLY DRAWING
to be held on
November 12, 2008
at 6:30 p.m.**

AREA NEWS CONTINUED

MORE VBPL

HAPPENINGS

Hoosier Hydrocarbons, Inc. is in the Van Buren area to lease ground to look for oil. Their reps name is Ted Bosecker, 800-749-3265.

The Van Buren Popcorn Festival Committee met last night. The 2008 festival results were discussed. There was a positive total from this year's festival. The Royalty contest brought in over \$5000. with their great fund raising. A new Festival Chairperson is needed for future festivals.

Thanks needs offered to this year's chairman for the 5 years he has helped the festival, Byron Brankle and his wife Linda. Also, treasurers Jim and Carolyn Lee and parade chairmen Richard and Judy Zent, and all other event organizers. It takes a lot of work to have the yearly festival and thanks is a small comment to all those who have made the festival possible. Let's hope someone steps up to take over this event.

The Library at Van Buren continues to collect items for the old Humane Shelter. Food, supplies, cat litter, and cash are needed for the animals at the old shelter. Please bring items to the library or call to have them picked up.

DIABETIC METERS

For a limited time, you may obtain a Free Diabetic meter, to measure Blood Sugar levels, at the Warren Pharmacy. The Ascensia Contour and the Ascensia Breeze-2 are both available at no charge with a prescription from your prescriber. Please stop in to see these meters and talk with us!

VACCINE CLINIC

The Huntington County Health Department will have a Flu & Pneumonia Shot Clinic at the Warren Pharmacy on Thursday, October 16th. from 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM. Flu shots will be \$20 & Pneumonia shots will be \$35. Medicare patients may pay for the vaccination and send their bill into Medicare for reimbursement.

This service is provided by the Huntington County Health Department. The Warren Pharmacy is simply providing a location for this excellent service.

NEED COSTUMES?

Need costumes for Halloween – Stop by the Bargain Basement at Knight Bergman Center and check out their selection.

UNWANTED MEDICINE

On Saturday, October 25 citizens of Van Buren with unwanted household medicines and Sharps collection may take them to Marsh Pharmacy for proper disposal.

It is reminded that pouring unwanted medications down the drain can pollute Indiana lakes and streams.

The following medical items can be taken to Marsh for proper disposal: prescription medications, over-the-counter medications, vitamins and nutritional supplements, veterinary medications, and sharps or needles, including epipens.

Guidelines for the collection follows: All medicines must be in their original containers.

Seal sharps in a non-returnable, puncture resistant rigid container (such as a laundry detergent bottle).

Leave the name of the medication visible on the label.

Use a black permanent marker to black out personal information, including your name, address

and account number.

They are unable to accept controlled or hazardous substances.

NEW MANAGEMENT

Tiffany Dotsis recently took over management of 78 Lunch Box Café, formerly Edibles Restaurant located at the Warren Truck Stop. The Café has been undergoing considerable renovations. Tiffany hopes to make this a family restaurant and will have special menus for lunch and supper. There will be Sunday brunch from 11-4 weekly.

Plans are to decorate the walls with old pictures of Warren. If you have any pictures you would like to donate, please let her know.

Tiffany says, "Please bear with us we're trying to improve the quality of food and the environment. We want family to feel like they are at home when dining with us."

WOODLAWN CEMETERY

The board of directors are pleased to announce the recent improvements to the grounds and invite you to drive through. The driveways have been chipped and sealed, preventing weeds and ruts. A big Thank You to the Huntington County Highway Department for the extensive lane preparation for the chipping and sealing of 1.3 miles throughout the cemetery. Several hours were needed to finish the curves and corners. The department did a superb job in furnishing the labor and equipment. Community minded citizens provided the funding for the expenses.

The driveways are now marked with name signs, allowing for easier location of burial sites. Choice sites remain available. Also the cemetery offers crematory areas.

Fall clean-up by the nine

member board of volunteers will start November 1. Winter decorations should be labeled and securely anchored after Thanksgiving.

President Guy Jackson, Vice President Robert Sliger, Treasurer Sharon Williams, Secretary Lou Ann Shafer, Marcia Jackson, George Kreigbaum, Larry Poulson, Ned Ruble and Mark Stucky welcome your suggestions and comments.

HOLIDAY MAILING

While the first signs of autumn may yet to appear, it's not too early to start thinking about holiday cards, letters and packages destined for servicemembers and their families stationed in faraway lands. According to Warren Postmaster, Stephanie Bauman, a spokesman for the Greater Indiana District of the U.S. Postal Service, the first deadline for the 2008 holiday season is about 60 days away.

Thursday, Nov. 13, is the deadline for sending holiday packages to troops stationed overseas using Parcel Post to all Air/Army Post Office (APO) or Fleet Post Office (FPO) ZIP Codes.

"The U.S. Postal Service is encouraging early deadlines," said Bauman, "to ensure packages reach their destination in time for the holidays."

All military mail, regardless of destination, is sent by domestic mail rate. International rates do not apply to military mail delivery.

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"Mail is one of the greatest morale boosters we can give our soldiers, sailors, Marines, airmen and Coast Guardsmen during the holidays," said Bauman. "When they see packages or letters waiting for them it brings them that much closer to family and the comforts of home."

The U.S. Postal Service also has a Military Care Kit to make it easier for military families and friends to send packages to servicemen and women and their families stationed overseas. Each free kit contains three flat rate boxes, two cube boxes, nine address labels, and 16 customs forms. The kit may be ordered by calling the USPS Expedited Package Supply Center at 1-800-610-8734.

"Another good deal," said Bauman, "is the Priority Mail Large Flat-Rate Box introduced earlier this year. It offers a \$2 discount to APO/FPO destinations and ships for \$10.95. Go online, use Click-n-Ship and the price drops to \$10.50."

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I would like to thank the many friends, family, Glancy Funeral Home – H Brown & Son, and anyone else about the funeral of my brother, Bill Oswalt.

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Again, thanks to everyone.

Still miss you.

Your sister & her family

Liz

Mark & Becky Campbell family
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FULLER

Former Chester Township resident, Thelma M. Fuller, 94, of Fort Wayne, died at 3:40 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 30, 2008, at her residence.



Born in Chester Township on Dec. 10, 1913 to Joseph "Joe" and Rosa May (Bricker) Slater, she married Carl H. Fuller; he preceded her in death on March 10, 1997.

Mrs. Fuller attended Jeff School in Wells County and Warren Schools in Warren. She worked at General Electric in Fort Wayne.

Other surviving relatives include three daughters, Margaret "Eloise" Evans of Warren, Reatha Conner of Fort Wayne and Barbara "Barb" Linnemeir of Columbia City; one son, Gary Fuller of Fort Wayne; one sister, Pauline Wells of Angola; one brother, Dale Slater of Huntington; and 12 grandchildren, 25 great-grandchildren and 34 great-great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Fuller was also preceded in death by one sister and six brothers.

Funeral services were held at the Glancy Funeral Homes H. Brown and Son Chapel in Warren with the Rev. Joe Sumwalt officiating. Burial was at Jones Cemetery, in Warren.

Preferred memorials are to Parkview Hospice.

BOLINGER

Elizabeth E. Bolinger, 98, Warren, died at 5:45 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 4, 2008 at Heritage Pointe in Warren.



A lifelong resident of the Warren community, she was born on Oct. 21, 1909 to Webster and Mildred (Shafer) Thompson. She married Herbert L. Bolinger on June 10, 1929 in Huntington County; he died in 1982.

A 1927 graduate of Warren High School, she was co-founder and former owner of Warren Service & Supply and Bolinger Propane. She was a member of the Solid Rock United Methodist Church in Warren.

Survivors include a son, James (Donna) Bolinger of Warren; two brothers, Wendell Thompson of Warren and Wayne Thompson of Muscatine, IA.; 16 grandchildren; 29 great grandchildren; and four great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by two sons, John and Mark Bolinger; three brothers, Elijah, John and Ned Thompson; two sisters, Sybil Lashley and Ruby Irick; and one grandchild.

Services were held at Solid Rock United Methodist Church with Pastor Kathy Newton officiating.

Calling hours were held at Glancy Funeral Homes, H. Brown & Son Chapel in Warren.

Burial will be in Thompson Home Cemetery in Huntington County.

Preferred memorials are to the church's building fund.

LAHR

The mother of a Markle resident, Esther M. Lahr, 75, rural Huntington, died at 1:55 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 4, 2008 at Parkview Memorial Hospital in Fort Wayne.

Born on June 30, 1933 in Huntington County to Howard and Pearl (Burkett) VanMeter, she married Ovid Lahr on Sept. 30, 1950 in Marion; he died Sept. 30, 2006.

A 1951 graduate of East Union High School in Wells County, she was a member of the Salamonie Church of the Brethren and worked at the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture for more than 34 years before retiring in 1990.

Survivors include three sons, Jerry Lahr of Warren, Don (Melissa) Lahr of Huntington and Rick (Vicki) Lahr of Markle; a daughter, Cindy (John) McKinzie of Huntington; a sister, Evelyn Knight of Austin, Texas; nine grandchildren; two great grandchildren; and four step grandchildren. She was preceded in death by two brothers and a sister.

Services were held at the Myers Funeral Home, Huntington Chapel. Burial was in the Gardens of Memory Cemetery in Huntington County.

Preferred memorials are to the American Heart Assoc. or the American Cancer Society.



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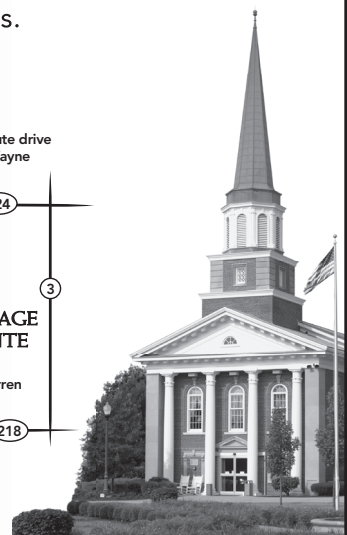
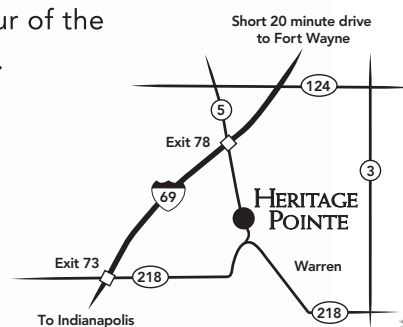
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All packages and mail must be addressed to individual service members, as required by U.S. Department of Defense regulations. "We cannot accept any mail addressed to 'Any Servicemember,'" Bauman added.

The U.S. Postal Service places APO/FPO mail on special charter flights, commercial airlines and military service aircraft to reach armed services members overseas as quickly as possible.

"Let the US Postal Service do what we do best – pick up and deliver your mail," said Bauman. "Prepare Priority Mail and Express Mail packages and then notify us online at www.usps.com/pickup that they're ready to be picked up. Free package pickup is available from home or office."

COUNCIL NOTES

On Wednesday evening, October 1, the Van Buren Town Council met in the Council room at Town Hall. At 7 p.m. president Tony Manry called the meeting to order and all in attendance repeated the Pledge to the American Flag. Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as submitted.

Officer Pat Collins presented the Police report to Council.

Council voted to make the first payment to Life Star in 2008 to lease a rescue truck. Making the payment in 2008 will save \$1100.

Superintendent Jim Webb

reported that all meters had been read in September. There were two water leaks repaired.

Town Clean-up will be October 10 to 12. No tires or wood will be accepted. Dumpsters will be available behind the Fire Station.

Guard rails had been put up in front of Town Hall. Red reflectors were expected to be put on the rails.

It was reported that there is a problem with dogs running loose around town. Some dog owners refuse to obey the law that dogs are to be tied up or kept penned up.

It was also called to Council's attention that Weaver Popcorn employees continue to trash the Park.

Other work to continue in October is hydrant flushing and cleaning of storm drains.

Trick of Treat hours will be from 6 to 8 p.m. on Friday night (Halloween) only. Due to Halloween on Friday, there was still uncertainty about a community party, due to school conflicts.

The next Council meeting will be October 15.

TRASH PICK-UP

It has been called to the attention of the Van Buren Town Council that there is a problem with Trash Pick-up on Thursdays. Residents are only allowed to put out six 33 gallon bags of trash per week. More bags than the six

quota will not be picked up.

Some people put out containers of trash, but Marion Services says it must be bagged in order for them to pick it up. Also, there is to be no yard waste, not even bagged.

It is reminded that anyone 65 years of age and older can have a senior citizen discount if reported to the Clerk-Treasurer.

WORK PROGRESSING

Work is reported to be progressing on the home of Orville and Irene James. The house was seriously damaged by fire several months ago, making the home unlivable.

A group of citizens got together and started working on the house and when completed the couple is expected to be able to move back in. Work days are on Saturday from 8am to 1pm.

Upcoming fundraisers include: an auction at the Van Buren Auction House on Thursday evening, October 23. Some large items are to be included.

On Saturday, October 25, from 8-10a.m. a Breakfast Buffet will be served at the American Legion Post.

The Lions Club will hold a chicken-noodle dinner on Saturday, November 8 from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Lions Club.

Monetary donations are still being accepted. They may be sent to the Orville James Fire

Fund, c/o MarkleBank, PO Box 392, Van Buren IN 46991.

The project is said to be coming along well, but they still can use more help.

PROPERTY DAMAGED

It has been reported that children playing basketball at the Van Buren Elementary School after school hours have damaged playground equipment and trashed the grounds. The playground is expected to be locked on weekends and will be watched by local police officers.

CHAUTAUQUA

The Chautauqua Club met October 3, 2008 in the Calico Room at Heritage Pointe for their October meeting.

Ann Spahr welcomed 26 members and 1 guest.

A surprise birthday party and card shower was held for Bertha Turner, who is celebrating her 100th birthday. Bertha was also

presented with a special cake.

A short business meeting followed. Jean Cress asked for privileged membership due to health problems. Vote was taken with a unanimous yes.

Peggy Schweikhardt presented the program. Peggy read a book by Hallmark "A Whole Lot of Reasons to be Thankful – Good Things – Great and Small."

Carolyn Sparks served lovely refreshments to Janet Beavans, Sue Blair, Nancy Bonham, Ann Brauchla, Freddie Couch, Elaine Eckman, Sharon Gebhart, Linda Howell, Phyllis Hubartt, Joan Huffman, Georgina Laymon, Ann Miles, Florence Mott, LuEllyn Pond, Jane Ruble, Peggy Schweikhardt, LouAnn Shafer, Martha Shafer, Ann Spahr, Harriett Tobias, Alice Whitmore, Oma Zent, Ruth Alice Christner, Mary Emma Huffman, Bertha Turner and guest Jean Ann Finley.

The next meeting will be November 7, 2008 1:30 in the Calico Room.

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TRACT 3: Prime Farm Land containing 6.7 Acres +/- nearly all tillable w/level to sloping Farm Ground w/frontage on Co. Rd. #450W (soil types of Blount-Pewamo) Nice Parcel to build on.

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AREA NEWS CONTINUED

HAPPY HATTERS

The Happy Red Hatters from Van Buren met at Cracker Barrel on Thursday for lunch.

Queen Mum Wauneta Linton conducted a short meeting with all getting instructions and ideas for the Family Fun Night at the Christian Church in October, date not set yet. Happy Birthday was kazooed for Mary Ellen Hawkins.

The group will meet for lunch at 9th Street Café on October 16th, leaving the church at 11:00. Attendance prize won by Helen Fincannon. Those present were, Anna Lou Saylor, Sara Hammitt, Wauneta Linton, Rosemary Hammond, Shirley Shinholt, Willadean Harte, Irene Pickard, Lucille Endlsey, Lana Stuber, Norma Briner, Paula Shepherd, Mary Ellen Hawkins, and Donna Zent.

EUCHRE CLUB

The Jackson Township Euchre Club met at the home of Carolyn Carroll. Carolyn Carroll won high, Marge Jones won low and Phyllis Dickey had the most lones. Others enjoying the evening were Sharron Roush, Sharon Gebhart, Marjorie Michaud, Jo Banter, Nancy Willman, Joyce Willman, Mary Jo Zoda, Jane Lieurance and Joan Huffman. Next month we will meet at the home of Mary Jo Zoda.

VOLLEYBALL REPORT

The Varsity Huntington Lady Eagles traveled to play the Lady Crusaders of Plymouth, at the Community Gospel Church Gym in Bremen, IN on Friday, 10/3/08, at 6PM. The Eagles put up a good fight, but fell to the Senior laden, defending State Champion, Crusaders 25-21, 25-16 and 25-21.

The Varsity Huntington Lady Eagles hosted the Lakeland Christian Academy Cougars (Warsaw/Winona Lake) at Horace Mann Gym Tuesday, 9/30/08, at 6PM. The Eagles endured the Cougars relentless attacks to win the match in five 23-25, 25-17, 23-25, 25-23 and 15-13.

The Varsity Huntington Lady Eagles traveled to meet the Fort Wayne Angels, Monday 9/29/08 at 7PM at the Fellowship Missionary Church on Tillman Road. The Eagles overcame the Angels 25-19, 27-25 and 25-17.

JR LEADER CALLOUT

The County 4-H Junior Leader organization will meet on Thursday, October 9 from 7:00-8:30 pm at Heritage Hall, Hier's

Park, Huntington. Youth currently in grades 7-12 are encouraged to join the fun, friendships and leadership opportunities available through this countywide 4-H group. In addition to a short business meeting to discuss fundraising and community service activities, a variety of games and activities will be conducted for those attending.

For more information on the Junior Leader program, contact Purdue Extension – Huntington County office, located at 354 N Jefferson Street – Suite 202, Courthouse Annex, Huntington or calling 260-358-4826 or email laldrig@purdue.edu.

ACCEPTING ENTRIES

The Huntington County 4-H Theme & Design Contest is currently accepting entries for the 2009 4-H year. 4-H members are encouraged 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 later than Friday, October 24, 4:00 pm. The winning entries will be utilized in a variety of 4-H promotional materials for the 2009 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 laldrig@purdue.edu or phone 260-358-4826.

SOILS CONTEST

The Area XI 4-H FFA Soils Judging Contest will be held on Saturday, October 11 in Huntington County. Registration for this event will be held at the Wabash Primitive Church, 340 S 200E, Huntington from 8:30-9:00 am. The contest will begin at 9:15 am.

Registered participants for this career development event include 4-H and FFA members from the nine counties in northeastern Indiana and will be involved in judging four different holes (or pits). The event requires knowledge of soil features and how they affect other soil characteristics. Youth must be familiar with texture and structure of the soil, slope of the ground, land capability, what practices are needed for different land classes, and how to read and understand fertilizer and soil amendments.

The area soils contest is conducted jointly between Purdue Extension and the Natural

Resources Conservation Service.

CATTLEMEN TO MEET

The Huntington County Cattlemen will meet on Wednesday October 15th at 7:00 pm in the 4-H Community Building, Hier's Park. Topics for discussion include the 4-H starter calf project, selection of judges for 4-H Fair/Preview Show, and planning for the 2009 Preview Show. Note that all individuals who work with 4-Hers in the starter calf project are encouraged to attend this meeting.

For more information, contact Purdue Extension – Huntington County Office, 354 N Jefferson – Suite 202, Huntington or call 260-358-4826.

SEEDLING ORDERS

As the leaves start to change color, don't be lulled into complacency. Remember that making the kind of green foliage you'll want to plant next spring a reality means ordering tree seedlings through the State of Indiana Nursery Program now.

Orders will be taken now through the end of May, but to maximize the chance that your order is filled with your primary requests, the DNR Division of Forestry recommends ordering early.

Consumers may choose from approximately 50 different species and age classes of native plants, including low-cost seedlings for a variety of plantings needs. Visit dnr.IN.gov/forestry for this season's order form and ordering information, or call Vallonia Nursery, (812) 358-3621.

Planting trees helps make Indiana a greener place to call home.



COOKIN' DADS

Salamonie Rebel Booster Dads grilling out last Saturday for a Football Game at Salamonie. Bob Buzzard, Tim Leidig, Dale Buff, Gordon Cocklin and Richard Goulding. Thanks for your help Dad's!



FUN RUN PARTICIPANTS

Huntington County Elementary Fun Run: Salamonie Rebel 5th grade girl's team (from Left: Beth Mitchell, Carlie Moser, Madi Canady, Ally Christian, Kim Wilson, and DeLaney Huff). The Rebel Team did a great job!

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