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Thought for the Week: A minute's success pays the failure of years. Robert Browning

rates & treats

Scarecrow Festival 2006

6-8 pm Downtown Festivities!
6:00 pm Family Friendly Costume Parade Starts@ 3rd & Wayne St.

Come on down-don't be afraid! To miss this fun would be insane

Lots of treats will be passed out So much fun you'll want to shout! Some food & events will be

Others will cost a nominal fee Come on Parents – and masquerade too

Make Halloween fun for all of you!

You may not recognize Wayne Street

Or all the Goblins that you'll

But with the food & games & fun You'll be so glad you chose to come!

Sponsored by the Warren Area Chamber of Commerce. The Scarecrow Festival brochures are @ the Warren Banks & City Building. In case of heavy rains, please come to the Knight Bergman Civic Center. If you have any questions, please call 375-3010.

Scarecrow Judging Thursday Oct 26th @ 10am!

JUDGING TOUR

Following are the list of Scarecrows, builders/sponsors and their locations for this year.

The Headlouse House Haunters - GDW & Evalution - 233 N. Wayne St.

PopCan Andy - Andrew Freck - 202 N. Wayne St.

Mr. Cash - National City - 201 N. Wayne St.

Sgt. Specs – Warren Weekly - 124 N. Wayne St.

Indiana Natural Farm Girl – Donna & Jim Bolinger - 113 N. Wayne St.

Sports Crow - PJ's Flowers - 114 N. Wayne St.

Cap'n Crossbones - Bolinger's Propane - 104 N. Wayne St.

Tribute Red Hatters - Gifford Family - 486 E. 1st St.

Cap'n Jack Sparrow - Nuss Family - 722 E. Jefferson

Friendship Crow - Bowlds & Burnworth - 403 N. Grover St. Snow Crows - Denise Arbuckle - 119 N. Main St.

Army & Clumsy Crows - Wilburn Family - 309 N. Main St.

Mr. Bones - Huff Family - 315 N. Main St. Pirate Crow - Dr. Berghoff's

office - 470 Bennett Dr.
Jesse & Shane - Dollar General
- 1111 Hgtn Ave.

Chip-Dogwood Glen Golf-753 E. 900 S.

FREE TREAT BAGS

Make your first stop at the Warren Scarecrow Festival the Library Table!

The Friends of the Warren Library will have McGruff (Take a Bite Out of Crime) reflective trick or treat bags for you to fill as you make your way down the street. Parents can enter a drawing for one of two McGruff coffee mugs.

See you at the Festival and remember to be safe.

FESTIVAL ACTIVITIES

Check out the exciting activities planned...

6:00 – 8:00 PM Activities

** Parade @ 6 starting @ 3rd &
Wayne Streets

Gebhart's Floral Barn & Greenhouse treats

MarkleBank's Games and treats

Accent Interior's Polaroid Pictures

S.A.M.'s Hayrides Bolinger's Propane's Pirates & Witches on the Rooftop

Methodist Home Child Care's Craft Making

Warren Public Library's treats & crafts

East of Chicago's Chili Cook-Off

Ron & Bonnie Boxell's Hot Dogs Small World Nursery School Drinks

Wagon Wheel's Treats
East of Chicago's Balloo

East of Chicago's Balloon Man Video Vision treats Pulse Opera House Candy

Warren Pharmacy Treats
Dr. DeaKyne's Corn-hole Dentist Style

Ackley Automotive's Face paint & Spider Tic Tac Toe

Church of Christ Trunk or Treat PJ's Flowers & Ware Brandon Monuments treats

United Methodist Home Treats & Games

Cate's Insurance's Balloons DeWeese's Appliances & D&D Bike Shop waters

Warren Fire Department Chips & Nelson's Chicken

Town of Warren & Police Dept treats

Sigma Phi Gamma Treats Rachel Decker's Bracelets Cady's Express treats Warren Methodist Church &

SOS Treats
Dogwood Glen Golf Course
Putting Booth

First Baptist Church Chips
Citizen's Phone treats
Dollar General's treats

Dollar General's treats
It's not too late if your business
or organization wants to be a part
of this family-fun filled evening,
please call 375-3010 to join!! There
is still time to register your Tastiest Chili and Stylish Scarecrow
to win CASH prizes!! Applications and Brochures are located
@ City Building, National City
and MarkleBank.

McKenzie's Hope

Please attend the McKenzie's Hope fundraiser this Thursday October 26th @ 6:00 pm at the Knight Bergman Civic Center! Everything is being donated for the evening... including the hog roast & Dane Fife, therefore all proceeds go to McKenzie's Hope. Let's turnout in great numbers to show Warren's support for

McKenzie's Hope, a center for abused children. Tickets available @ the Banks in Warren and at the door. Call 375-2656 if any questions.

3rd Anniversary Challenge

It was three years ago, the last Sunday in October, 2003, that Gerald & Ruth Moreland came to the Warren Church of Christ for a trial sermon. The church voted that day to call them to come be their minister. They began their ministry the first Sunday in January 2004. It has been a wonderful time since then. We have seen many joyous occasions celebrated together with new members being added and decisions made for the Lord. The Morelands want to thank the Warren community for their warm reception and the wonderful way we have been accepted into the life of this great town. They hope they can have many more years together.

To celebrate this anniversary Gerald is challenging the church to have 250 present for the day. We are calling the day "Try the Tithe" taken from Malachi 3:10 where God challenges us to "Test Him" in this tithe and see if He will not pour out more blessing than we can imagine. He will be speaking on the "Generosity of God." Gerald has said he will tithe on the attendance that day and ride his bike home, right after Bible School, up newly paved SR 5 to Huntington and take newly paved SR 224 on to his home in Markle, making about 25 miles on the day. 25 miles would be 10% of the 250 present. His Youth Minister, Todd Winkler, has said he'll ride the distance with him, since he also lives in Markle. There may be others in the church that will join in on the ride. He walked home on the first anniversary back in 2004 when they went over 200 and walked to Huntington and rode in bike back to Warren in 2005 for the church's 90th Anniversary when they had

over 300. He says this challenge should be a "nice Sunday afternoon ride"!

We invite the public to join us for this special day as we also officially dedicate the new pews we've installed in the balcony and in the back of the church building. The balcony was remodeled earlier in the year and the new back pews were installed just last week. We'd love to fill the house of God will joyful worshippers this coming Sunday, Oct. 29 at 9:30 A.M. Another special of the day will be Lori Mower, director of the Huntington Co. Week Day Religious Education program, who will report on the amount of participation our students give to this unique opportunity of learning. 25% of this 5th Sunday offering will go to this worthy mission outreach. It will be a great day and we hope you can join us for this event. The church is located at the corners of 3rd & Wayne Streets in downtown Warren.

House of Judgment

Members of Huntington Baptist Church are putting on a drama called House of Judgment. This drama is about a family that soon finds out how fast your life can change. Come see the Smith family and what happens to them.

This presentation will be held on Thursday, October 26th and Friday, October 27th. This is a walk-thru drama, lasting approximately 20 minutes. On October the 26th we will begin at 6pm and run until 9pm. On October the 27th we will begin at 6pm and run until 11pm.

This presentation is appropriate for age groups from the 5th grade on up. There is no cost to come. Please come and bring your friends.

Huntington Baptist Church is located at 2435 Waterworks Road, Huntington, Indiana. If you have any questions please call the church at 260-356-6954 and ask for Kiel Nunn.

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KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

UPTOWN GARDENER

by Ruth Herring & Her Daughters

We will be helping the Uptown Gardener out this week, by helping her write this column. We will start out with what the Gardener is up to. "As many of you know, this writer met fate with some stairs and now I have a hip fracture. I'm doing quite well, but will be slowed down for several weeks. I promise as soon as I am able, I will try to get the letter started again. My thanks to all of you who have sent cards, flowers and prayers. Your kindness means a lot to me."

As we were growing up, the fall season always brought many apples into our house. I can remember going to many orchards in the area and getting a good supply. One memory I can remember is going to the Bradford Family orchard. If I am remembering right, they had a big cider press. Now I'm not a big fan of apple cider, but my sister is. But I do enjoy at least a taste of it every fall, and that usually does me until next vear.

Apples come in many different types and you can make lots and lots of good stuff with them. Over the years, we have had homemade applesauce, apple dumplings, apple cake, apple bread, crisp, cobblers and the list goes on, but I think the best thing Mom would make is meatballs. Yes, she would put apples in the meatballs. Quite strange but quite good. This recipe has been at our dinner table several times over the years. In fact, my daughter loves them so much, we had to make them for her graduation party. I had many people ask for the recipe, but never had the time to write it out, so I figured this would be a good recipe to contribute to the column this

Gayle, my Dad, Wayne, and I would like to thank everyone personally, for all of the kindness shown to Mom while she is recuperating from her accident. The surgeon said Mom is a very young woman on the inside, and he fixed her up to run another hundred thousand miles, and we are grateful for that. Sometimes I think that all of that good stuff she grows in the Uptown Garden, makes her healthy and strong. Hopefully she will be back in full swing in a couple of weeks. God Bless you all and Thank you for being loyal readers of the column, she really enjoys writing this.

Johnny Appleseed Meatballs

2 lbs. Hamburger

1c. peeled and diced apples

1/2c. rolled oats

1/2 c. diced onion

2 eggs

1 tsp Salt

1/4 tsp black pepper

Mix all together and form into balls the size of a walnut. Brown in a slightly oiled skillet. When nice and browned make a sauce of:

2-3/4 oz pkgs of brown gravy mix

2 Tosp brown sugar

2 c. water

Pour over meatballs. Bring to a boil, then cover and let simmer 1

SEND YOUR FAVORITE OUT-OF-TOWNER, COLLEGE STUDENT OR RELATIVE A SUBSCRIPTION TO THE ${\it Warren \ Weekly. \ I}$ t makes a treasured $\it g$ ift EVERY YEAR. (SEE PAGE 7 FOR DETAILS)

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Hour of Power (Wed) 7:00p.m. CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH ..7:00p.m. Van Buren, Indiana

765-934-2199 Pastor Anna Kroencke

Worship9:30 a.m. Sunday School9:00 a.m. Youth Fellowship Sun6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study
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Sunday School9:30 a.m. Sunday Evening6:00 p.m. Church School10:45a.m. Wednesday Worship7:00 p.m. MT. ETNA UNITED METHODIST

260/468-2148 Rev. Tom DeFries - Pastor

Sunday Mdrn Worship 10:30 a.m. Fellowship & Classes 9:30 a.m. Come As You Are

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METHODIST Corner of 900S & 300W

Kathy Newton, Pastor Sunday School8:45 a.m. CWF Ladies (3 Tue)6:00 p.m. WARREN UNITED METHODIST

Rev. Mike Malone, Pastor Sunday School9:30 a.m. Worship9:30 a.m. Morning Worship9:30 a.m.

WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-3022 Gerald O. Moreland, Minister

Todd Winkler, Youth Minister Ruth Moreland, Secretary & BS Supt. DILLMAN UNITED BRETHREN

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McNATT UNITED METHODIST 375-4359 Bill VanHaften, Pastor

Lois Slusher, Supt. Sunday School10:30 a.m. Bible Study - Wed. 7:00 p.m.

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6th & Nancy Sts. Warren Rev. Andy Trowbridge, Pastor

Wednesday Prayer Service

694-6622

Pastor Dan Sommer

SALAMONIE CHURCH OF BRETHREN

468-2412 Mel Zumbrun, Pastor

BUCKEYE CHRISTIAN CHURCH 758-2085

Kyle Dahlquist, Pastor Sandy Keplinger, Supt. Worship9:30 a.m.

BANQUO CHRISTIAN CHURCH 8294S 900W 35

Gary Riley, Pastor Sunday School9:30 a.m. Youth Choir Practice 5:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study6:30 p.m. Thurs. Kings Kids6:30 p.m. BYG Youth Svc. (2&4Sun.) .. 6:00 p.m.

> LIBERTYCENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Dan Helm, Pastor

HILLCREST CHURCH OF THE

NAZARENE 375-2510 Bill Keen, Pastor

Bus Service 375-2510 Fellowship9:15 a.m. Sunday School9:30 a.m. SUNDAY: Worship & Communion9:30 a.m. Worship10:30 a.m. Morning Worship Youth Group (Wed.).....6:00 p.m. Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat Wed. Midweek Service.......6:30 p.m. Chapel Services

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-2102

2nd Worship Service10:30a.m. Junior Church 10:00 a.m. Sunday Evening6:00 p.m. Youth Group (6th-12th).5:30p.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Mid-Week (Wed) Communion 1st Sunday of the Month (3yrs old - 5th grade) .. 6:30-8p.m. Fun Factory 1st/3rd Sundays 6:00p.m.

THE NEW BEGINNING SR 218, 2 1/8 mile west of Poneto Steve Sutton, Pastor 765/728-2065 for more info

Coffee Fellowship......8:30 a.m. Sunday Worship......10:30a.m. Wed Evening Carry-in & Fellowship Worship9:15 a.m. ThursdayPrayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

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

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

Debbie Wiley, S.S. Supt. Sunday School9:00 a.m. Sunday Worship10:00 a.m. LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday Evening Service 6:00p.m. **VB UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

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BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST Rev. Barry Humble, Pastor

Joe Kober, S.S. Supt. Sunday Worship 9:30a.m.

Sunday School 10:30a.m. HANFIELD UNITED METHODIST 101 N 400 E - Marion, IN

765/664-8726 Timothy Helm, Senior Pastor 1st Worship......9:00 a.m.

2nd Worship......10:30 a.m. 3rd Worship11:11 a.m. Sunday School Children & Youth Programs

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Dr. Jeane Spoor, Pastor Sunday School9:30 a.m. Worship10:30 a.m. **LANCASTER WESLEYAN**

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David Thrift, S.S. Supt. Handicap Accessible & Staff Nursery Sunday School10:45 a.m. Sunday School9:30 a.m. Worship10:30 a.m. Wednesday: CYC/Teen/Adult Meetings 7:00 p.m.

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MOUNT ETNA WESLEYAN Rev. Charles Dederick, Pastor Rev. Rick Pulling, Interim Pastor Sunday School9:30 a.m.

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8013W 1100S - 90. Montpelier Rev. John Wallace, Pastor

Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School10:30 a.m.

Attend the Church of Your Choice

AREA NEWS

USED EYEGLASSES

Don't forget to bring your used eyeglasses downtown on Friday night for the Scarecrow Festival. Look for Sgt Specs outside of Creative Elements and drop them in the bucket. The bucket will be at Town Hall beginning Monday, October 30 and will be available until November 14. For those of you at the Home you may drop your glasses off in Fellowship Hall - there is a mailbox on the table labeled Warren Weekly. At that time the eyeglasses collected will be turned in and be on their way to help someone in

Thank you for sharing and caring.

Hog Roast

A Hog Roast Fundraiser (Sponsored by The Boxell's & Bradford's) will be held Saturday, November 4th, 2006 from 5:00-8:00 p.m. at the Warren Hillcrest Church of the Nazarene, 406 E. 1 St. Street, Warren. Tickets are Adults - \$6.50, Children - \$3.50 and Kids 5 & Under – Free.

All Proceeds Going To Buy A New Sign.

CEMETERY CLEAN-UP

Clean up of summer and fall flowers and decorations begins November 1 at the Woodlawn Cemetery. Any item you want to keep should be removed by then. Winter decorations may be placed after November 15. Please label and securely anchor all arrangements. Call 260.375.2970 for more information.

Preschool StoryTime

Pre-school story time is held at the Warren Library every Friday morning at 10:15 for about 30 minutes.

Children are introduced to a variety of books and finger plays and become acquainted with other children.

READING WITH MOLLY

The beautiful Golden Retriever just loves to hear stories, but prefers the stories read by boys and girls. There are still spaces available after school for children who would like to read to Molly as part of the PAWS Reading program. Call the Library (375-3450) to schedule a time.

TASTE OF THE HOLIDAYS

The Warren United Church of Christ will be hosting a bazaar and luncheon on Saturday, November 4 from 9 am to 1 pm at the corner of 2nd and Main Streets in Warren.

Come shop for "down home" baked goods, deli items, homemade noodles and crafts and enjoy a home cooked lunch served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

FALL FESTIVAL

Fall Festival is back! November 4th from 9 to 3 at Van Buren United Methodist Church.

Come shop at our Sweet Shop, General Store, and Popcorn Bowl. Have lunch at the Snack Shop. There will also be Scrapbook, Deb's Ceramics, Be Designed Hats and Tastefully Simple booths. Children's Activities too!

SUPPORT MEDICAL ADVANCES

Give Blood this Month in Huntington County.

Every 15 minutes, someone in the United States is diagnosed with a medical condition that requires a blood stem cell or bone marrow transplant. November is National Marrow Awareness Month, and while not everyone is eligible to donate bone marrow, you can help save a life through blood donation.

In order for bone marrow and stem cell operations to be a success, a blood transfusion is necessary. A bone marrow transplant requires a transfusion of one or two units of blood each day for approximately five weeks. This means that a patient will need between 35 and 70 units of blood to survive post transplant. You can give blood at one of the following blood drives:

- Thursday, Nov. 9, at Huntington University Habecker Dining Commons Banquet Room from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Huntington University is located at 2303 College Ave. in Huntington. To schedule your blood donation appointment, go to www.givelife.org and enter sponsor code "HuntingtonU."
- Thursday, Nov. 9, at Knight Civic Center from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Knight Civic Center is located at 132 S. Nancy St. in Warren.
- Monday, Nov. 20, at the Lions Club from 12 noon to 6 p.m The Lions Club is located at 381 Leedy Lane in Andrews. This is a Pint Size Heroes drive.
- Friday, Nov. 24, at the VFW from 11 a m. to 4 p.m The VFW is, located at 220 W. Park Dr. in

Huntington. All presenting donors will receive a can Koozie®.

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

SOUP SUPPER

Banquo Church is hosting a Soup Supper on Saturday, October 28th. There will be several kinds of soup to choose from along with Peanut Butter or Toasted Cheese sandwiches, Pop, Tea, Orange Drink, and Coffee. Dessert will be available by donation too.

Supper will be from 4:00—6:00 p.m. (or until we run out of soup!) and is a Free-Will donation dinner.

The Banquo Church is just north of the intersection of Huntington County Road 900 S. and State Road 105 in southwest Huntington County.

All proceeds will be used for the Banquo Book Scholarship Program. This program assists our college students with books and other materials.

MAP AND COMPASS READING COURSE

Don't forget about the Map and Compass Reading Class to be held at the Warren Sportsman's club on Saturday, October 28th. Come and learn a new skill or brush up on an old one. The class will begin at 2:00pm. This class will last approximately 3 hours. A night compass course will then be offered at 6:00pm that same day. Come and enjoy the fun! This is a free class sponsored by the Warren Sportsman's Club. To register please call Ken or Robyn Groves at 375-2984.

This class is the same day as our Pancake and Sausage Breakfast. So come and have a great Breakfast and then come back for our class.

Go Fish-In Program

The Warren Sportsman's Club is sponsoring a Go Fish-In Program on Saturday, November 4, 2006. This is a 6 hour class requirement in order to become certified from the state. This program is put on by qualified fishing instructors from the DNR. Come and get your certification to be able to put on Fishing Derbys in your area.

There is no fee for this class, but pre-registration is required in order to attend this program. There is a limited number of people that will be able to attend, so call early to secure your spot. Please call Ken and Robyn Groves at 375-2984 in order to register for the Go Fish-In Program.

Lunch will be served to those who are attending the program. The program will begin at 9:00am and end at approximately 3:00pm.

Come and Join us for this great program.

COUNCIL NOTES

Oct 27

The Van Buren Town Council met on Wednesday evening, Oct. 18. The meeting, held in the Council Room at Town Hall, was con-

ducted by president Tony Manry. The meeting opened at 7 p.m. with all in attendance repeating the Pledge to the American Flag.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as submitted.

Council voted to purchase a newtornado siren. The new siren is expected to be heard in a radius of one mile outdoors. It will also include battery back-up.

A citizen in attendance urged that as many as possible attend a CAFO meeting on Thursday evening. It was determined that this is one of the most important projects to be undertaken in Grant County. It was also noted that it is important to protect businesses and taxpayers.

It was also noted that four businesses have been closed in the Van Buren city limits in October. Cause of the closings was lack of support from the town.

It is time to renew trash pick-up contracts and bids are to be in by Nov. 15.

Officer Pat Collins gave his report to Council.

A town Halloween Party will be held on Oct. 31 at the elementary school. Trick or Treat hours

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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 27 Warren Recycle Day

Scarecrow Festival - downtown Warren

Oct 28 Pancake/Sausage Breakfast, 6-10a.m., Warren Sportsman's Club Oct 31 **Happy Halloween** Chamber of Commerce, noon, Assembly Hall Nov 1 Nov 1 Van Buren Town Council, 8 p.m. Nov 4 Go Fish-In Program, 9 - 3, Warren Sportsman's Club Nov 10 Warren Recycle Day **Nov 11** Veteran's Day **Nov 11** KBC Board Meeting, 8 a.m. at KBC **Nov 11** Holiday Craft Show at KBC

Nov 13 Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m. Assembly Hall
Nov 14 Our Town Committee Meeting, 7 p.m. Assembly Hall
Nov 15 Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m.

Nov 15 Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m.
Nov 23 Thanksgiving Day

Nov 24 Warren Recycle Day
Nov 24 & 25 A Christmas Carol at the Pulse Opera House
Nov 30 A Christmas Carol at the Pulse Opera House
Dec 1 & 2 A Christmas Carol at the Pulse Opera House
Dec 7-9 A Christmas Carol at the Pulse Opera House

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 After School Adventure - Tuesdays & Thursdays, after school till 5:30 p.m. at Hillcrest Church of the Nazarene Preschool Story Time - Warren Library 10:30 Fridays Walking in the Gym - at KBC 7-11a.m. Monday thru Friday.

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CHURCH BAZAAR

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2006 9:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.

You won't want to miss this one. Homemade Pies, Noodles, Crafts, Christmas Items and Much More. Rolls & Coffee while they last!

Free-will lunch will be served starting at 10:30 a.m. Plean to come and enjoy the fun, food and fellowship.

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will be 6-9 p.m. only on Halloween.

The Nov. 1 meeting has been changed from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

HARVEST DANCE

The American Red Cross and the Knights of Columbus are pleased to present the first annual Harvest Dance. This event is being held to support the many community programs that the American Red Cross offers to all Huntington County residents. Programs such as disaster education, health and safety training, and blood services better equip community members to prevent, prepare for, and respond to emergencies. The event will take place Saturday, October 28th, 2006, from 7pm-midnight at the Knights of Columbus Hall, located on 23 1/2 E. Market St. The cost of admission will be \$5 per person; those 21 and older will be granted admission with a valid ID. Thank you for supporting your Huntington County American Red Cross, and we hope to see you there! The DJ will be Dr. Feelgood's from Ft. Wayne and he will be playing a variety of music from the 50's to today.

The American Red Cross has helped people mobilize to help their neighbors for 125 years. Last year, victims of a record 72,883 disasters, most of them fires, turned to the nearly 1 million volunteers and 35,000 employees of the Red Cross for help and hope. Through more than 800 locally supported chapters, more than 15 million people each year gain the skills they need to

prepare for and respond to emergencies in their homes, communities and world. Almost 4 million people give blood—the gift of life—through the Red Cross, making it the largest supplier of blood and blood products in the United States. The Red Cross helps thousands of U.S. service members separated from their families by military duty stay connected. As part of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement, a global network of more than 180 national societies, the Red Cross helps restore hope and dignity to the world's most vulnerable people. average of 91 cents of every dollar the Red Cross spends is invested in humanitarian services and programs. The Red Cross is not a government agency; it relies on donations of time, money, and blood to do its work.

DAY OF HEALING

Record turn-out is projected for the 14th annual Day of Healing: A Personal Growth Conference, an event hosted each fall by the Wabash Friends Counseling Center. Featuring keynote speaker and author Dr. John Townsend, The Day of Healing will take place on Saturday, October 28, at the Honeywell Center, 275 W. Market St., Wabash.

"We are running 80 registrations ahead of our highest conference attendance ever," states Scott Makin, director of the Wabash Friends Counseling Center and Licensed Mental Health Counselor. "In 2004, we had 850 conferees—this year we are planning for over 900. Who knows, maybe we will even hit

1,000.

The majority of these conferees will gather from the Midwest states, including Ohio, Michigan, Illinois, and Indiana (over half are coming from outside of Wabash); however, one attendee will be traveling from Florida while 3 missionaries from Africa will also be present.

Not only is attendance at an all-

time high but display booths in the lobby will be the most ever. Over 20 business and other professionals will be in the main lobby of the Honeywell Center as a service to those attending the conference. Attendees can anticipate a wide variety of displays that will provide products and services that may be helpful to them and their families. Among these will be the Wabash County Mental Health Association, White's Residential & Family Services, WFRN radio station, Joy Christian Bookstore; Eniva; Huntington University Excel Program and Graduate Counseling program; Indiana Wesleyan University LEAP and Graduate Counseling program; In Trust Financial Advisors; Ivy Tech Community College; Oaklawn Psychiatric Hospital; Original Limu; St. Joseph Behavioral Health; Trinity Evangelical Divinity School Graduate Counseling program; University of St. Francis Graduate Psychology; Wheaton College Graduate School; L.I.F.E. Center; Little Bird Portraits; Rainbow Pottery; Springside Life Center; and Wabash County Convention and Tourism Burear.

There will also be a booth offering \$7 discounted subscription rates to conferees from Christianity Today magazine on several of their top magazine choices

In addition, the conferees are invited to take advantage of other amenities offered during the conference lunch hour such as chair massages by Jami Hashbarger of Helping Touch Massage, 1593 Stitt St., Wabash, complimentary carriage rides by Sentimental Journey Carriage Rides, and

live piano music during registration and live violin music over lunch.

For those who enjoy a leisurely stroll, attendees may choose to explore antique shopping in downtown Wabash, the state-of-the-art Wabash County Museum, or historical Paradise Springs Park. A relaxing ride on the city tram will also be available to transport conference attendees to several downtown locations and restaurants.

The Day of Healing will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. Registration is available in advance or on site the day of the conference for \$25 per person. A scholarship fund is available through the Wabash Friends Counseling Center for those who are unable to pay the registration fee.

The Day of Healing has been approved by the National Board for Certified Counselors for 5.0 continuing education hours. For more information or to register, call 260.563.8452 or 877.350.1658 or e-mail scott@wabashfriends.org. You may also visit the event website

wabashfriendscounseling.com.

THE SILENT MENACE

"Lead, the Silent Menace...Is Your Child Safe?" That's the message of a new public awareness campaign launched this month by the Children's Lead Poisoning Prevention Program at the Indiana State Department of Health to educate Hoosiers about the dangers of lead poisoning.

"Exposure to lead is not going to cause distinct symptoms in a child, which is why it is called the silent menace," said Loren Robertson, assistant commissioner, Human Health Services. "Without a blood test, parents cannot be certain if their child has lead poisoning."

"Some of the effects of childhood exposure to even low levels of lead include reduced learning abilities, speech delays, developmental delays, hearing disorders, behavior disorders, attention disorders, activity disorders, and anemia," said Robertson. "It is very important to not only be aware of the effects of lead, but also to be certain your child is safe by knowing the risk factors for lead poisoning."

The lead poisoning awareness campaign warns parents of the possible ways children can be exposed to lead, including kids ingesting lead paint dust while parents are remodeling the home and a baby being lead poisoned during pregnancy because the mother, herself, was exposed to lead as a child. The campaign includes a brochure, postcards, a poster, and a billboard.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) says lead poisoning is the most preventable environmental health threat to young children. State health officials report that the effects of lead poisoning are irreversible, worsen with length of exposure and, in extreme cases, may cause coma or even death.

"We urge parents to talk to their health care provider or local health department about getting their children tested if they believe they could have been exposed to lead," said Robertson. "The CDC estimates that nearly half a million children have high enough levels of lead in their blood to cause irreversible damage to their health and lifetime potential."

Most lead poisoning in the U.S. is a result of exposure to lead-based paints and lead-contaminated soil and dust from older homes and buildings. The older the structure, the more likely it is to have lead in the paint, and the most concerning are those built prior to 1978. Indiana ranks 11th nationally for number of older homes.

Three Indiana organizations were among the recipients of a

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GENEALOGY REPORT

YENCER

Alice J. Yencer, 55, of Jackson Township died on Tuesday, Oct. 17, 2006 after a short illness.

She worked at the Subway at Pak A Sak in Montpelier and previously at Peyton's Northern in Bluffton. She was a 1968 graduate of Montpelier High School and attended Chapel Grove Church in southern Wells County.

She was born on Dec. 14, 1950 in Wayne County, Ky., the daughter of Claude and Verda Lee (Smith) Edwards. She was married to Frank A. Yencer in Montpelier on Nov. 1, 1968.

She is survived by her husband Frank, two daughters Mrs. Howard (Melissa) Adams of Keystone, and Mrs. Lucas (Jennifer) Cox of Fort Wayne, and two sons, Chad Yencer of Poneto, and Steven Yencer of Liberty, Ind., along with her father Claude Edwards and her step-mother Maxine Edwards of Somerset, Ky.

She is also survived by three sisters. Doris Jones of Somerset. Ky., Joyce Cooper of Indianapolis, and Marilyn Sue Bradley of Montpelier, and five grandchil-

She was preceded in death by her mother Verda Lee Smith Edwards on May 27, 1972.

Calling hours were held at the Glancy Funeral Homes - Walker Chapel in Montpelier. A service celebrating Alice's life was held at the Montpelier First Church of the Nazarene with Pastor Rich Hadley officiating. Burial followed in Jones Cemetery, Wells County.

REED

Mona Jean Reed, 73, Roanoke, died at 9:45 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 21, 2006 at her residence.

Born in Huntington County on Dec. 26, 1932 to Clifford D. and Louella Prather Fox, she married Max J. Reed on Dec. 31, 1905; he survives.

A member of Union Church, she worked for Kmart Corp. for 25 years, retiring in 1992 from Troy, Mich. She was also a member of the American Legion Post 160 Auxiliary in Roanoke.

Other survivors include two sons, Zane Reed of Ossian and Jeffery Reed of Markle; a daughter, Cathy Bonewitz of Roanoke; three brothers, Jerry Fox, Henderson, Nev., Bob Fox, Hurst, Texas, and D. Fox of Warren; fourgrandchildren; and three great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a brother, Max Fox, and a sister, Mary Leedy.

Services were held at the Myers Funeral Home, Huntington Chapel. Burial was at the Union Cemetery in Huntington County. Preferred memorials are to the Heartland Hospice or the American Cancer Society.

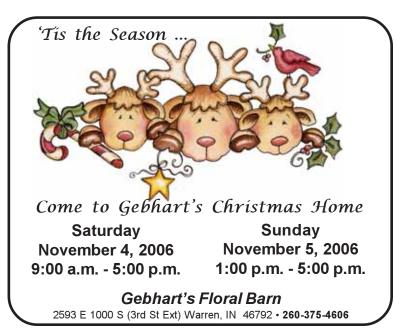
DAUGHERTY

The father of Mrs. Roland (Cindy) Felver and Mrs. Kirk (Kim) Hevde of Warren, Ferris E. Daugherty, 82, Amboy, died Sunday, Oct. 22, 2006 at Howard Regional Health System in Kokomo.

Born in Huntington County on Nov. 11. 1923 to Orville and Helen Kaeiger Daugherty, he worked at Fisher Body in Marion for 15 years and raced harness horses for 31 years in Indiana, Ohio and Illinois.

Other survivors include his wife, the former Delilah Omlor, of Amboy; five sons, Mike and Monte Daugherty of Anderson, Maurice of Pendleton, Greg of Marion and Brad of Huntington; two other daughters, Mrs. Chris (Melody) Merritt of Pendleton and Mrs. James (Melinda) Talbert of Middletown; two stepsons, Jim Mark of Jonesboro and Don Mark of Elwood; a brother, Bob Daugherty of Seattle, Wash.; 30 grandchildren; and 10 great grandchildren.

Services will be held Thursday at 11 a.m. at Glancy Funeral Homes, H. Brown & Son Chapel in Warren. Calling hours there are Wed. from 2 to 8 p.m. Burial will be in Lancaster Cemetery in Huntington County.



LEWIS

Eunice E. Lewis, 88, of Bluffton died at 3:15 p.m. on Sunday, October 22, 2006 at the Bluffton Regional Medical Center. She had been in failing health for the past several years.

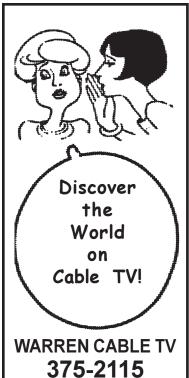
She was born on March 30, 1918 in Weiner, Ark., the daughter of Frank and Cora (Wilson) Weaver. She had been a resident of Wells County since 1950. She was married in January 1936 in Muncie to James R. "Red" Lewis, who preceded her in death on Feb. 7, 1977. She was a homemaker and a former member of the Moose and Eagle lodges.

She is survived by children Delphur F. Lewis of Bluffton, Evelyn E. Foreman of Liberty Center, Emma L. Lewis of Bluffton, Dorrence W. Lewis of Bluffton, and Olive L. Simmons of Bluffton. She is also survived by her brother Francis Weaver, Jr. of Muncie, and her sister Pat Adkins of Fort Worth, Tex., along with 12 grandchildren and 30 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by one son, James E. Lewis.

Calling is from 5 to 8 p.m. on Wednesday at the Thoma/Rich, Hewitt & Chaney Funeral Home, and one hour prior to services on Thursday. Services are set for 2 p.m. on Thursday, at the funeral home, with Pastor Douglas McClure officiating, Burial will follow in Six Mile Cemetery. Preferred memorials are to the family.



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CARD SHOWER & OPEN HOUSE

A card shower and Open House is planned for Margaret M. Knight, who will celebrate her 90th birthday on Saturday, October 28, 2006. Her children hope that all of her friends and family will honor her with a card. The address is 801 Huntington Ave, Warren, In 46792. The Open House will take place on Sunday, October 29 in the 2A Activity Room at the United Methodist Memorial Home from 1:30 - 3:30. Anyone wanting to stop by and wish Margaret a Happy Birthday is more than welcome.

Margaret is the mother of 4 children, Janet (Dean) Schmidt, Waldo (Margaret) Knight, Carol (William) Byrd, and Cindy (Tim) Fitch. She has 14 Grandchildren, 32 great-grandchildren, and 9 great-great-grandchildren.







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2006 grant from The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to address this continuing problem. The St. Joseph County Health Department received \$3 million, the Allen County Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program received \$1.9 million, and Indiana Black Expo, Inc. received almost \$358,000.

Governor Mitch Daniels has proclaimed October 22 – 28 as Lead Poisoning Prevention Week. To mark the occasion, the Indiana State Department of Health is encouraging organizations and individuals to do their part in their communities to bring attention to this preventable condition.

Examples include contacting local county health departments for testing locations and requesting public awareness campaign materials from the Indiana Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program. For more information, contact the program at 317-233-1250. Individuals can also visit www.in.gov/isdh/programs/lead for more information on lead poisoning and to download copies of the lead poisoning awareness materials.



BY DENNIS STROUD

In 1919, the Warren Businessmen Association bought a factory site, along the railroad, at the end of West Fourth Street. They built a 40 x 100 building and lured Mr. Locke and his factory to Warren from Fort Wayne. The company was called the Gal-Va Manufacturing Company. This company made wood clothes racks, washing machines, ironing boards, wash boards, wheelbarrows and other wooden articles.

In September, 1919 there was a new room added and E.M. Mossburg became sole owner of the place. There was a good demand for wash boards, ironing boards and washing machines. But ever since the factory started it was difficult to get workmen and materials because of the nation-wide scarcity of both. At that time the name of the factory was changed to the Warren Manufacturing Company.

In 1922, there was a growing demand for the wood Handy washing machine. In June a steady run was made for twenty-four days and 1000 washing machines were finished in that time. But at that time shipping conditions, due to a railroad strike, made it difficult to get raw material and to ship the finished prod-

uct.

I am looking for more information on the Warren Manufacturing Company. If you know anything about this place please let me know.

SIGMA PHI

The October social for the Beta Delta chapter of Sigma Phi Gamma was held Tuesday, October 17th at the sorority's room in the civic center. Hostesses for the evening were Tara Korporal and Susan Ralston.

The evening was spent socially and playing Dominoes.

Prizes won were as follows: High—Georgia Poulson; Low—Sharon Gebhart. A contest to see how many words could be made from the letters in the word "scarecrow" was won by Jenny Plummer. Beth Ostermeyer won the prize for the best costume. The door prize was won by Georgia Poulson.

Delicious refreshments were served to: Georgia Poulson, Sharon Gebhart, Betty Yoder, Sandy Booher, Sandy Eichorn, Peggy Sue Clark, Beth Ostermeyer, Jenny Plummer, Suzette Gephart, and Opal Brubaker.

FINISH GREAT SEASON

The Lady Eagles, in only their 5th season as a team, ended their best season ever with a season end banquet. They met this season with only 10 athletes, 5 Varsity and 5 Jr. High girls. Their coach this year, Mark Campbell, chose to play at the Varsity level, and took this young team to a level of performance that was almost unbelievable. They were 12-1 in regular season matches winning 36 and losing only 6 games. Their lone loss came from a match with Lakeland Christian Academy of Winona Lake, which regularly plays IHSAA teams. They also finished 5th of 8 Varsity teams in the Fort Wayne Invitational Tournament the second weekend of September, winning 5 of 9 games and 1 of 3 matches. They finished their season by winning the Indiana State HomeSchool Volleyball Varsity Tournament. Winning their 4 seeding matches and 3 tournament matches, and 14 of 15 games. So, their overall match record becomes 20-3, and their overall game record is 55 11. Their victories were by an average of 11.5 points, while their losses were by 4.5 points. They won 17 of 23 contests decisively in straight games.

At the Banquet, Stephanie Gahman was chosen for the Team Spirit award, Kaleigh Shultz for Most Improved, Kelsey Featherston for Christian Character and Samantha Kelsey for

Most Valuable Player. Tina Criswell was honored for her dedication to the team, by fighting through her recovery from an auto accident last summer. Stephanie Gahman and Tina Criswell were honored as graduating Seniors for their years of participating on the Volleyball team. Tina has been a participating athlete for all 5 seasons. Stephanie also participated all 5 seasons with the Lady Eagles and had 2 previous seasons with the W.A.C.H.E. (Wells Area Christian Home Educators) Lady Warriors.

ANGER & PERFECTIONISM

by The FlyLady, Marla Cilley When you finally have reached the absolute bottom and you think there is no place to go, there is always two more places. You can give up entirely and be planted six feet under or you can scream out for help and start pulling yourself up! You have a choice. The difference is you have to get mad and scream and not give up.

Anger is not a bad emotion. As women we have been taught to just take it and not explode with anger. Exploding with anger is rage and rage is not OK, but giving yourself permission that you are upset and angry is a good thing and telling the person that you are angry at. When you keep it in it is like poison. So what do we do to ourselves? We turn anger into sad and we feel sorry for ourselves for being mistreated. Then WHAT? The anger goes to sad and then to depression. We eat to make the hurt go away or we sleep to not have to deal with what is!

It is all our perfectionism again sandwiched with that procrastination that paralyzes us into depression. I can see you all shaking your heads at me. "How can perfectionism be the foundation to my feeling bad." Well here is how it all fits together!

When something goes wrong in our lives and we can't fix it: what do we do! We can't fix it to make it right again or we can't change the other person; we want everything back the way it was!! Do you see the perfectionism rearing its ugly head? We do everything in our power to CONTROL THE ISSUES! And make it all better! Only to be shot down time and time again! So if we can't do it right what do we do! We were taught to do nothing!! I wish that was all we would do, but we have to turn it inward to abuse ourselves.

When we are unable to fix things we begin to feel guilty because of our inability to make things right or perfect! We then start to beat ourselves up! It is bad enough when we have been abused by others but now we are abusing

the only person that cares for you: YOU!

This is why anger is good! It is focused toward someone else and not yourself. Now it is not good to be angry all the time because you are in fight or flight mode and when you really need to scream out for help you will not be able to. Adrenalin is an amazing body chemical. It is a power surge that supplies the energy right when you need it! This is how a mother can lift a car off of a child. I have said it many times, "Too much of a good thing can be bad for you!" Try eating a whole chocolate cake!

I have a good supply of adrenalin now! At one time I was totally depleted of my resources. I used them all up by always being upset and walking on eggshells. The adrenalin kept me from feeling what was happening inside my own body. It was a drug!

So anger can free you if you use it sparingly! Focus your justified anger toward what is making you angry and not at yourself. Do what you need to do to take care of the situation. Don't turn it inward to punish yourself when you can't fix it! You are not responsible for anyone but you! Let go of the guilt, pain and stress and be good to yourself by getting angry at the right person! Then let it go and get on with your life! You have a job to do! You may not know what that job is but you choose life too! And if you stick around the breeze come your way and you will set out on your journey. Life is a journey not a destination.

So what anger have you been turning inward?

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How to Stay Sane Grocery Shopping

by The Dinner Diva, Leanne Ely Here are some great tips to keep you sane and saving money as you gather your week's groceries:

- 1. If you leave the house without a list, you will overbuy, underbuy or forget something. Don't DO THIS! We have this tendency to THINK we'll remember and then forget the very thing we needed so desperately. The list is ESSENTIAL shopping equipment!
- 2. Don't shop when you're hungry. I know you've heard this one at least 800 times, but how many times do you end up eating absolute junk or buying stuff you wouldn't normally because you're

starving? A simple snack before you leave the house will quell the hunger monster.

- 3. The basics of saving money on your groceries are eating things your family likes. Only buy stuff that is on sale if you KNOW your family will eat it. Also, make sure you don't buy in bulk because it's cheaper if it will just end up going bad. I just bought a huge bag of pears one week that were on sale only to give them mostly away. Why? Because they started to go bad. Got them off the sale rack for a great price. Need I say more?
- 4. Real food costs less. When you consider the health costs and nutritional deficits caused by junkfood, even if the dollar amount is higher for fresh apples rather than a frozen snack food that's on sale with a double coupon, which is the better choice?
- 5. Are you stocking your freezer with extra dinners? This will save your fanny later on when time is tight. Mark them and date those freezer meals, use freezer quality zipper topped bags and use them on those nights when you're running children every which way and trying to get some shopping done. I promise -you will be so pleased with yourself if you have a stash in the freezer for those busy times!

I wouldn't leave you without a recipe --here's a crock-pot recipe from a past Menu-Mailer that is my absolute favorite navy bean soup recipe. And as an added bonus, it will not only freeze well, but your family will be warmed by it, too.

Crock Navy Bean Soup
(FREEZES WELL)
Serves 6
1 pound dried navy beans
2 cans chicken broth — (or
use veggie broth)
2 cans diced tomatoes
1 cup red wine — (optional—

can skip)
1 onion, chopped
1 teaspoon paprika
1 bay leaf
1 tablespoon garlic powder

1/2 teaspoon thyme
1 pinch crushed red pepper
(optional)

Soak your beans overnight, rinse and drain well.

In a crock-pot, combine the soaked beans and the rest of the ingredients. Add water to cover (by an inch).

Cook on low for 4 to 8 hours or until beans are tender. Crockpots vary greatly in cooking times, depending on brands, age of the appliance, brand and size.

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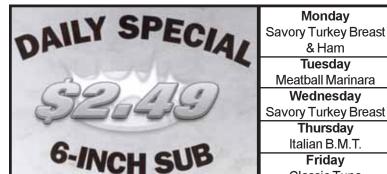
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The Crossroads of America Poultry Club will host an APA-ABA joint National Poultry Show at the state fairgrounds in Indianapolis, Indiana on November 17-18-19 of 2006. All profits from the show will be donated to the APA/ABA Youth Program. Admission is free to the general public.

This is an opportunity to see rare birds that you may never come across again. The national show attracts exhibitors and their finest birds from across the country. The experts who breed these birds will be in attendance and available to tell you about their birds, breeding programs, biosecurity and the increasing interest in heritage breeds.

The American Livestock Breeds Conservancy and the Society for Preservation of Poultry Antiquities have collaborated to produce a Rare Breed Poultry Tour. Join us Friday, November 17 at 1:30 to 3:30 pm for guided tours of the rare breed poultry present at the poultry show. See living examples of Nankin and Java chickens, Cayuga ducks, Pilgrim geese, Bourbon Red turkeys and others, and learn about the history and the unique characteristics of these breeds. Tour leaders will include staff and members of the American Livestock Breeds Conservancy, members of the American Poultry Association, and members of the Society for Preservation of Poultry Antiquities, such as:

Frank Reese, Jr., is the national leader in Standard Bronze turkeys and other heritage turkey varieties like the Bourbon Red, Black, White Holland and Narragansett. This year his Good Shepherd Ranch will raise close to 10,000 standard bred turkeys for the heritage turkey market. Mr. Reese's farm also produces Barred Plymouth Rock chickens, Dark and White-Laced Red Cornish chickens, Alyesbury and Rouen ducks and Dewlap Toulouse, Emben and American Buff geese. He has raised fowl for more than 50 years.

Craig Russell, a lifelong poultry fancier and historian. Mr. Russell has served as president of the Society for the Preservation of Poultry Antiquities for more than ten years. He raises old breeds of chickens such as Dorkings, Old English Games, Orientals, old breeds of waterfowl such as Pomeranian geese and more than ten kinds of turkeys.

Danny Williamson, is an American Poultry Association and American Bantam Association licensed judge and a master breeder of White Call ducks, Black turkeys, and Dark Brahma chickens. He works closely with Good Shepherd Ranch to bring heritage poultry back to the market.

Marjorie Bender, is Research and Technical Programs Manager for the American Livestock Breeds Conservancy. She has a M.Ed. in Agricultural Science from the University of California-Davis and has been involved in sustainable agriculture since 1991. Her responsibilities include coordinating poultry census, promoting rare breeds into appropriate habitats, and leading ALBC's heritage turkey conservation effort.

Don Schrider, is a master breeder of Brown Leghorn chickens, poultry author and historian, and works as the Communication Director and poultry specialist for the American Livestock Breeds Conservancy. He currently leads ALBC's pilot project to recover breed production characteristics of the Buckeye chicken; part of the Renewing America's Food Traditions project.

Christine Heinrichs, author of How To Raise Chickens, to be published Spring 2007, is Publicity Director for the Society for Preservation of Poultry Antiquities. Her book includes sections on heritage breeds, traditional breeding systems and natural incubation. She has written about poultry for more than ten years. She is currently seeking property and funding for the first Fowl Trust Site.

These and other poultry experts will be available to answer questions and for print and broadcast interviews, including:

Dr. Charles R. H. Everett is an expert on Oriental Games, but he knows plenty about all kinds of chickens. He grew up on a farm in Tennessee and has been involved with chickens most of his life. He currently serves as Secretary/Treasurer for the Society for Preservation of Poultry Antiquities.

Don Cable began with chickens and a Victory Garden at age eight in San Francisco during World War II. He has continued to raise various types of poultry throughout of his life. He currently serves as Show Coordinator for the Society for Preservation of Poultry Antiquities. He also edits the Nankin Quarterly

for the international club devoted to preserving the very old and rare Nankin.

Bill Wulff owns and operates the poultry related publication, Poultry Press. From Indiana, he is one of America's top poultrymen and has won more major poultry shows than any other exhibitor. He was recently featured on the Animal Planet television special, Fowl Play.

Predating dog and cat shows, formal and organized poultry shows have been a competitive comparison of perfected poultry in the United States since 1870. The shows are arbitrated by comparison of the specimen with a written standard that outlines the

ideal form and color pattern for each individual breed. These standards and the organizational structure are overseen by two organizations, the American Poultry Association and the American Bantam Association, in much the same way as the American Kennel Club and United Kennel Club oversee dog shows.

There also specialty breed associations which focus on the promotion of particular standard breeds. There are 37 specialty associations holding their national meets at this special show including the prestigious American Poultry Association, American Bantam Association, and the Society for Preservation of

Poultry Antiquities.

The American Livestock Breeds Conservancy is also holding its annual conference and members meeting, Becoming Better Breeders — Tools and Strategies for Success, in conjunction with this show. For more information contact ALBC at (919) 542-5704 or visit www.albc-usa.org.

The National Poultry show this year is expected to be the largest poultry show in America's history. Don't miss this once in a lifetime opportunity to see living examples of America's agricultural poultry heritage and resources.



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