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Thought for the Week: *Honeymoon: A short period of doting between dating and debting.* Ray Bandy

A SCARECROW THANK YOU

The Warren Area Chamber of Commerce Thanks Everyone who participated in the Scarecrow Festival!

Hugh & Lou Ann Shafer for cornstalks in town!
Kelly & Dewayne Jones for cornstalks in town!
PJ'S Flowers for orange bows/ties on stalks!
Carol Irick for numerous bales of straw!
Gebhart's floral Barn for mums & pumpkins!
Salamonie Mill for cups!
Town Council for approval of the festival!
Tim Ford & The Fire Department Volunteers!
Town Marshall Steve Donnelly & Police Dept!
Ron Neff for Coffee and many Chamber chores!
Jane & Joe Clark for adding a magic touch to Friday evening!
Lilly Nutter & The Red Hatters for Judging!
United Methodist Memorial Home & David Martin for helping with the Scarecrow judging tour!
Warren Public Library for Scarecrow & friends Story hour!
Warren Weekly for publicizing all the events and updates!
Thanks to the Businesses & Organizations for participating on Oct 31 festivities:

Handcrafters Market Place – Treats; Accent Interiors – Polaroid Pictures; DeWeese Softwater /D&D Bike – Treats and WWJD bracelets; PJ's Pizza – Treats; Wagon Wheel Café – Guess # of Candy pieces, treats & prize basket; Salamonie Active Men – Awesome hayrides; National City Bank – Treats/Hosting the spot for hayrides; Dr. DeaKyne & Dr. Berghoff - Child Safety Dental Prints; Knight-Bergman Civic Center – Cotton Candy; Pulse Opera House – Halloween Music; Video Vision – Treats; Hunnicutt-Kennedy Insurance – Popcorn; The Type Galley – Treats; Bolinger's Propane/Warren Service & Supply – Roof Top Witches, Hula Hooping & Treats; United Methodist Memorial Home – Cider & donut holes; Kiwanis – crafts; PJ's Flowers & Gifts/Ware Brandon Monuments – Treats; Gene's Market/Cady's Express – Bobbing for Apples & treats; R & S Electronics – Treats; Sigma Phi Gamma Sorority – Treats; Town Council & Police Dept. – Police Badge Stickers, Treats & Safety Coloring books; Needful Things – Touchy-Feely Bowl-o-surprises, hopscotch & treats; Huntington County Red Cross – Treats; Ma & Pa's Restaurant – Treats; Hgtn County Children's Choir – Ring Toss; MarkleBank – Pumpkin Pick Patch & Treats; Warren Chamber of Commerce – "Ghoul-aush", Halloweenies & nachos; Warren Furniture Works – "Spooktacular Hosting" of the Chamber booth!!! And treats !!

The Warren Area Chamber of Commerce thanks everyone who participated in the Scarecrow Festival! From making a scarecrow, going to the Library's story time, dressing up to join in Friday nights festivities, touring the Scarecrows, decorating your storefronts and enjoying the "oh sooo tasty" Kiwanis Luncheon Sunday!

All of you make Warren the great community that it is today!

**If you have some great photos from Friday Nights events, please deliver duplicates to the Town Hall!

FISH FRY

American Legion Auxiliary Unit 368, Van Buren, is having a fish fry at the post on Friday night, November 14th, 2003.

Time 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. Price \$7.00 each, 12 & under \$4.00. All you can eat. Homemade desserts.

Come out and enjoy the best fish around.

SCOUTING FOR FOOD

Saturday, November 8th from 9:00 until noon the Warren area Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts and Girl Scouts will be collecting canned and non-perishable food donations for the Bread of Life Food Pantry. Please have your donations ready for pick-up, or if you will not be home, you may place the items in a bag and leave it on your front porch. Last year, the combined Scouts' food drive collected over 1,400 items for the Pantry! Thanks, in advance, for your generosity.

IN HONOR OF VETERAN'S DAY

The Huntington County Veterans' Council has announced upcoming activities which will take place in the county in observance of Veteran's Day 2003.

On Saturday, Nov. 8, the Deal-Robbins VanGilder Funeral Home Patriotic Awards will take place at 11:00 a.m. at VFW Post 2689. The awards, presented each year since 1992, have become an annual tradition. This year's recipients of this coveted award are, from American Legion Post 7, Wayne L. Ashbaugh; from American Legion Post 85, Robert J. Thobe; from American Legion Post 160, Darrell "Monk" Ward and; from VFW Post 2689, Paul Baumgardner. This event is open to the public.

Immediately following the Patriotic Awards will be the annual Veteran's Dinner, conducted this year by VFW Post 2689. The free dinner lasts from noon on Saturday until 3:00 p.m. and all veterans are invited. This event is restricted to veterans only, although this year the families of the Patriotic Awards recipients are invited to join their veteran at the dinner.

The annual Veteran's Day Program, sponsored by the Huntington County Commissioners and the City of Huntington, will take place at 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 11 at the First Church of the Nazarene, 1555 Flaxmill Road. The public is invited to this program.

Conducted by the Huntington County Veterans' Service Office, this event honors all veterans, past and present, but this year will focus on 44 specific World War II veterans and will also have a special segment honoring all veterans who have served in Operation Iraqi Freedom as well as any other military operation within the past five years.

The focus starts with the introduction of the four World War II veterans who were recently presented with their high school diplomas at a recent school board meeting at the Roanoke Elementary School. They are: Robert E. Charles, Dalton P. Hanauer, Robert L. Hosier and Paul Eugene Parker.

Guest speaker for the evening will be Angie Roman, Executive Assistant to Senator Richard Lugar for Military and Veterans Affairs. Angie is also a Staff Sergeant with the Indiana Army National Guard, currently assigned as the Personnel Sergeant for the 638th Military Intelligence Battalion. She was instrumental in obtaining the Bronze Star Medals which will be presented during the program.

Lt. Col. Tom Agness, Indiana Guard Reserve, will present the Bronze Star Medal to 40 World War II recipients of the Combat Infantry Badge or to a member of their family if they are deceased. The recipients are: Harold J. Amstutz, Charles Lewis Applegate, Sam Bowlin, Robert L. Boze, Carl M. Brown, William E. Campbell, Francis T. Carlson, Richard G. Class, Clyde M. Elsten, George L. Fleck, Lewis S. Hart, Gerald G. Hartley, Max L. Heeter, John Hughes, Arley Jones, Charles D. "Jack" Kannapel, Mathias E. Kiefer, Donald E. Kocher, Paul J. Lane, Evo J. "Joe" Merckx, Max R. Miller, Conrad M. Moore, Ferris E. Pedersen, Harry W. Rice, J. Edward Roush, Keith Settlemire, Roy D. Shideler, James H. Sholle, Welcome B. Singer, Earl M. Smith, Donald C. Stine, James R. Stout, Stanley R. Sutton, Joseph R. Tillman, Phillip M. Tinkle, David A. Vogelhut, Walter E. Ward, Vaughn E. Whitacre, Donald R. Williams and Clyde D. Winkler.

Tom Applegate, Huntington County Veterans' Service Officer, says there will also be some surprise medals presented. Recently returned Huntington County troops from 1st Battalion, 293rd Infantry and their families are invited to the program, as well as participants in any other military operation and peacekeeping missions conducted within the past five years. They will be asked to stand collectively to be recognized. A special tribute will be paid to the fifteen young men from Indiana who died during Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom.

The program will conclude with an audio-visual tribute to all soldiers, sailors, airmen, Marines and Coast Guard members. The public is invited to this event, which is expected to last approximately 1 ¼ to 1 ½ hours.

Ooops!

There was some misinformation with the Co-Ed Softball Photo(s) in Friday's October 24, 2003 edition.

The winning team members are (kneeling): Adam Stroup, Amy Moreland, Luke Moreland, Santos Villanueva and Joey Villanueva. (Standing l-r) Eric Gerdes, Michael Thrift, Candace Foust, Abby Hedrick, Kim Hollowell, Kevin Stroud, Tara Gordon and Vickie Davis. Also on the team are Kim Heyde and Jenny Rybolt.

HULA HOOP WINNERS

Bolinger's Propane and Warren Service & Supply announces the Hula Hoop Winners of over 5 minutes!

Shelby Bradford, Jessica Stucky, Tiffany Brown, Taylor Lahr and Levi Jones.

Please come to Bolinger's office and receive your prize! Monday through Friday 7:30 am to 5 pm. Thank you to all who participated in the Hula Hooping! Especially Ned Trout & Joe Johnson! Thanks guys!

RECEPTION NOVEMBER 9

Montpelier Arts, Inc. will be honored by the Montpelier Historical Society at a ceremony to be held Sunday, November 9, 2003 at 2:00 P.M. at the Community Building. Kenny Neff, President of the Historical Society, will present a plaque to be hung on the Montpelier Wall of Fame.

Jayne Mattson, Paula Carfield, Jan Ingersoll and Virginia Wittwer, some of the original founders of the local art society, will be present at the open house to be held from 2:00-4:00 PM.

The public is invited to attend and express their thanks to these ladies for their accomplishments through Montpelier Arts, Inc. and The Brass Latch which have greatly benefited the city of Montpelier throughout the years.

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

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KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

VETERANS DAY:

DAY TO HONOR EVERYONE WHO SERVED

There are heroes among us.

In war and in peace they defend our ideals and on November 11, Veterans Day, we get a chance to thank them.

People often confuse Memorial Day and Veterans Day. Memorial Day is a day for remembering and honoring military personnel who died in the service of their country, particularly those who died in battle or as a result of wounds sustained in battle.

While those who died are also remembered on Veterans Day, Veterans Day is set aside to thank and honor all who served honorably in the military – in wartime and peacetime.

Veterans Day is largely intended to thank living veterans for their service, to acknowledge that their contributions to our national security are appreciated, and to underscore the fact that all those who served – not only those who died – have sacrificed and done their duty.

November 11 was originally called Armistice Day. It honored veterans of World War I on the anniversary of the war's end.

In 1954, considering the tremendous number of veterans of World War II and Korea, November 11 became a day to honor American veterans of all wars.

On October 8, President Dwight D. Eisenhower issued the first "Veteran's Day Proclamation" which stated: "In order to insure proper and widespread observance of this anniversary, all veterans, all veterans' organizations and the entire citizenry will wish to join hands in the common purpose."

To veterans, we say "Thank you." We sincerely appreciate and recognize your sacrifices and your service on our behalf.

GET NUTS!

THEY'RE PLAYING A NEW ROLE IN TODAY'S HEALTH

If you want to prevent diabetes and keep your heart healthy, try nuts.

Studies by the University of Toronto's St. Michael's Hospital show that some nuts have a large potential for cholesterol reduction. The researchers compared the effect of a diet rich in fiber, soy products, and almonds with Mevacor, the statin drug.

The diet reduced bad cholesterol by 28.6 percent compared with 30.9 percent with the statin. Included in the diet were oat bran cereal, soy milk, strawberries, oat bread, fruit almonds, tofu, barley, and vegetables.

In the U.S., the Food and Drug Administration has ruled that packages of walnuts, almonds, peanuts, pistachios, pecans, and hazelnuts may state on their labels that "scientific evidence suggests but does not prove that eating 1.5 ounces a day may reduce the risk of heart disease if part of a healthy diet"

Each nut has its own virtues. Walnuts are an excellent source of heart-healthy omega-3 oils. Almonds are high in vitamin E.

Doctors reporting in the Journal of the American Medical Association say nuts may reduce your risk of diabetes. Diets high in unsaturated fat from nuts appear to lower risk of type 2 diabetes.

In the 16-year study of 84,000 nurses, those who reported eating five or more 1-ounce servings of nuts per week were 27 percent less likely to develop diabetes than those who didn't eat nuts. Those who ate a tablespoon of peanut butter five times a week had a 21 percent lower risk.

Almond/Cereal Snack Mix

Preheat oven to 300 and coat a pan with no-stick spray. In a large bowl, combine 1 egg white, 1 1/2 t Cajun seasoning, 1 t Worcestershire sauce, 1/2 t garlic powder, 1 t water. Mix thoroughly. Add 2 cups wheat cereal squares and 1 1/2 c whole almonds. Bake 30 minutes or until golden.


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Mike Helms, Pastor

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

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Van Buren, Indiana
 765-934-2199

Rev. Pat Mullen, Pastor

Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:40 a.m.
 Bible Study, Wednesday..... 6:00 p.m.
 Youth Fellowship Sun 6:00 p.m.

THE CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY

ALLIANCE — Majenica

Rev. Gus Hacker

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Worship 7:00 p.m.

MT. ETNA UNITED METHODIST

260/468-2148

Rev. Tom DeFries - Pastor

Sunday
 Trad. Worship 8:30 a.m.
 Mdrn Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Fellowship & Classes 9:30 a.m.
 Come As You Are
 Kids Club, Youth Group & Adult
 Studies - all Sunday 6:00 p.m.

JEFFERSON CENTER UNITED METHODIST

Corner of 900S & 300W
 Kathie Jones, Pastor

Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

WARREN UNITED METHODIST

Rev. Mike Beall, Pastor

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.

Handicap Accessible & Staff Nursery

WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST

375-3022

Eric Vitz, Interim Minister

Becky Hartley, SS Supt.

Fellowship 9:15 a.m.
 Worship & Communion 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45 a.m.

DILLMAN UNITED BRETHREN

8888S 1100W-90, Warren

375-2779

Lynn Mefferd, Pastor

Sun - 1st Worship Service..... 8:15a.m.
 Sunday School..... 9:30a.m.
 2nd Worship Service... 10:30a.m.
 Youth Group (6th-12th) 5:30p.m.
 Wed - "Circle of Friends" (Begins 9/17)
 (3yr-5th grade)... 6:30-8p.m.

McNATT UNITED METHODIST

375-4359

Bill VanHaften, Pastor

B. Morton, Supt.

Coffee Fellowship..... 8:30 a.m.
 Worship 9:15 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 Bible Study - Wed. 7:00 p.m.

WARREN WESLEYAN CHURCH 375-2330

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Rev. Bill Barlow, Pastor

Wesley Welch, Supt.

Sue Brown, Children's Ministry

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:15 a.m.
 Children's Church 10:15 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00p.m.
 Thursday Bible Study 7:00p.m.

LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST

CHURCH

694-6622

Pastor Dan Sommer

Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 Fellowship 9:55a.m.
 Worship 10:15a.m.
 Wed. Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

SALAMONIE CHURCH OF

BRETHREN

468-2412

Mel Zumbrun, Pastor

Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Church School 10:45a.m.

BUCKEYE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

758-2085

Nathan Doyle, Minister

Sandy Keplinger, Supt.

Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

BANQUO CHRISTIAN CHURCH

8294S 900W 35

Gary Riley, Pastor

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.

LIBERTY CENTER

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Steve Bard, Pastor

Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45 a.m.

HILLCREST CHURCH OF THE

NAZARENE

375-2510

Bill Keen, Pastor

Aylssa Lugbill, Assoc. Pastor

Bus Service 375-2510

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..... 7:00 p.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

375-2102

Charles Dye, Jr., Pastor

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

THE NEW BEGINNING

SR 218, 2 1/8 mile west of Poneto
 Steve Sutton, Pastor
 765/728-2065 for more info
 Sunday Worship..... 10:30a.m.
 Thursday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

WARREN 1st BAPTIST CHURCH Corner of N. Wayne & Matilda Sts.

Rev. Bill Fisher, Pastor of Preaching
 & Discipleship

Sandy Richison, S.S. Supt.

Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 Sunday Worship 10:00 a.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Mtg 6:30 p.m.

VB UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

765-934-1431

Pastor Blake J. Neff

Youth Pastor Adam Pierce

Worship Service 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45a.m.
 UMYF 6- 7:30 p.m.
 Prayer-Bible Study (Thur)..... 7:30 p.m.
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BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST

Rev. Barry Humble, Pastor

Joe Kober, S.S. Supt.

Sunday Worship 9:30a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

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Timothy Helm, Senior Pastor

1st Worship..... 8:20 a.m.
 2nd Worship..... 9:45 a.m.
 3rd Worship 11:11 a.m.

Sunday School Children & Youth
 Programs

PLUM TREE UNITED CHURCH

OF CHRIST

375-2691

Dr. Jeane Spoor, Pastor

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.

LANCASTER WESLEYAN

468-2411

Doug Sharrard, Pastor

Teresa Davis, S.S. Supt.

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Service 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday:
 CYC/Teen/Adult Meetings 7:00 p.m.

UNITED METHODIST MEMORIAL

HOME

SUNDAY:
 Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.

OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT
 Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat

Chapel Services 9:00 a.m.

MOUNT ETNA WESLEYAN

Wayne Wright, Pastor

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.

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

ASBURY CHAPEL

UNITED METHODIST

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Student Pastor - Eric Dubach

Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

Wed Evening Carry-in & Fellowship
 6:30 p.m.

*Attend the Church
 of your choice*

AREA NEWS

INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL

Chocolate fondue, eis cafe, bate el chocolate and much, much more. German folk dancing, the French cancan, moving to the beat of castanets and even more. Finger painting a Picasso, making St. Nikolaus shoes, and having your picture taken in the costume of King Louis XVI. This is the short list of opportunities you will find at the International Festival at Huntington North High School on Saturday, November 8 from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm.

Approximately 100 booths featuring projects developed by over 250 foreign language students at Huntington North will be offered at the festival. We are inviting all elementary and middle school students in the county and would also like to extend an invitation to others who might be interested. The high school students will be at each station to inform guests about different aspects of French, German, and Spanish culture as well as to offer many food items, handouts, make and take crafts, and get involved activities. This first time event is sponsored by the Foreign Language Department at the high school. It is made possible due to a generous grant given by ECOLAB Industries of Huntington.

All opportunities are offered on a first come first serve basis with each group equipping itself to serve at least 100 people. We are asking guests to enter the front west door of the high school. As they enter, they will receive a passport that includes a map indicating the location of all learning centers. Booths will be set up in the commons area, in the hallways, in the cafeteria, and in some classrooms.

The Huntington North Foreign Language Department would like to express its great appreciation to ECOLAB Industries for making the festival possible. Our goal is to offer students and citizens of Huntington County something... just a little bit different.

TRASH TO TREASURE

You can recycle "trash" into holiday "treasure" with some fun, simple instruction. A Trash to Treasure Christmas class will be at the Wells County Public Library on Thursday, Nov. 20 from 7 to 8 p.m. Vi Tester, the library's creative recycler, will help you change styrofoam into glittering snowflakes, tissue paper into ornaments, and blank paper into greeting cards. Participants should bring scissors and pretty molds (candy, soap, cookie, etc.) they would like to use. The class is free. Ages: young adult to adult. Call to register. 824-1612.

PLEASE READ
& RECYCLE

PROGRAM PLANNED

What: Identity Theft & Armchair Shopping

When: Monday, November 10, 2003

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Where: Heritage Commons Activity Room, Hartford City

Cost of Program: \$1.00 at the door

This is a special interest program sponsored by Purdue Cooperative Extension Office of Blackford County. The program will be presented by Debbie Reed, Consumer and Family Science Educator from Randolph County. The date is Monday, November 10, 2003, at 6:30 p.m. at Heritage Commons-Activity Room, 100 Independence Parkway, Hartford City. The cost of the program is \$1.00

To make a reservation call the Blackford County Purdue Extension Office at 765-348-3213. Deadline is November 7th.

AUTUMN FEST

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Indiana is celebrating its 9th Annual Autumn Fest. This fundraising event will be held on Thursday, November 13th from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. at Corvette Classics. The sponsors of this event are Barnes & Thornburg Law Offices and Hamil, Lehman, & England, PC.

Attendees will be treated to wine tasting from Cap n' Cork, hearty hors d'oeuvres prepared by Oyster Bar chefs and a live and silent auction. Ticket prices are \$60 per person or with a large group rate discount of \$55 per person. All proceeds will benefit local children through the youth mentoring programs.

To learn more about this event or to RSVP, call Katy Salawou at 888-456-1600 or email at ksalawou@bigbrotherbigsister.org

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Indiana is a United Way agency partner which serves Adams, Allen, DeKalb, Huntington, Kosciusko, Noble, Wells, and Whitley counties.

COMMUNITY MEMORIAL SERVICE

A Community Memorial Service will be held Monday, November 10 at 7 p.m. at the Wells County Community Center (4-H Park). Sponsored by Bluffton Regional Medical Center, this service is for families who have lost a loved one during the past 12 months.

"The community memorial service provides a period of reflection and fellowship for the families of our patients, and also our associates, who have lost a loved one," said Connie Dawson, bereavement counselor at Bluffton Regional.

Pastor Larry Sprinkle of the First Church of Christ will offer the invocation and benediction. Dr.

Bernhard Wiebe, a physician with Markle Medical Center and director of Family Hospice of Northeast Indiana, will speak. Mrs. Zola Hidy will provide piano music, while Tony DeHoff sings chosen selections. The memorial service will include reading the names of the deceased. Family members will receive a rose and a crystal angel in memory of their loved one. Following the service, light refreshments will be served.

Grief counseling services are available when needed at Bluffton Regional and will be available at the memorial service.

If you are interested in attending this event or would like to have a deceased family member's name added to the memorial list, please contact Connie Dawson at (260) 824-3210, ext. 5584. Girl Scouts will provide free babysitting services throughout the service.

OPEN GYM HOURS AT PAL

The PAL gymnasium will be open from 3:00 to 4:00 pm every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday beginning November 4 for individuals who are registered PAL basketball players wanting to work on their skills for the upcoming season. After 4:00 pm, the gym is reserved for team practices.

Registration forms and additional information will be available during those hours in the gym's east lobby for boys and girls in grade 5 through 12 who have not yet registered for the 2003-04 season.

PAL is located at 2099 Riverside Drive in Huntington and can be contacted by calling 260-356-9272 or emailing pal@onlyinternet.net.

RED HATTER NEWS

The Real Elegant Dames are really busy having fun!. We were invited by the Warren Chamber of Commerce to judge their fabulous Scarecrow contest.

The UMMH graciously provided not only a bus, but also a patient driver, (Dave Martin) to enable the gals to traverse the town to view the 47 outstanding exhibits entered in the contest. What a priceless treat to see the creativity and imagination expressed.

Our tour guides were the exuberant Gina Canady (co-president of the Chamber) and multi-talented Brady Smecken, ass't principal of the Salamonie School.

The unforgettable event was enjoyed by the following Red Hatters... Mary Brown, Fritz Boxell, Martha Buzzard, Jo Chatham, Irene Henderson, Willy Hethcote, Velma Lindstrom, Lilly Nutter, Helen Jo Strassner and Maro Wall. (Don't know whether the tour guides enjoyed it; we gave them a real workout.) The next exciting event for us is we have been invited to CUT THE RIBBON for the Grand Opening for our own Dollar General Store, Saturday, 8 November, at 9:00 a.m. How delighted we are to have this sorely needed business. Looking forward to seeing you there.

NATIONAL FAMILY CAREGIVERS MONTH

According to the National Family Caregivers Association, more than one quarter (26.6%) of the adult population has provided care for a chronically ill, disabled or aged family member or friend during the past year. Based on current census data, that translates into more than 50 million people. November is nationally recognized as a time to thank, support, assist, educate, and celebrate family caregivers. Locally, Aging and In-Home Services of Northeast Indiana, Inc. (AIHS) will be hosting two free seminars on

November 1 and November 22 in honor of National Family Caregivers Month. On Saturday, November 1, the featured topics will be "Taking Care of the Caregiver" by Evelyn Frierson of Visiting Nurse Services and Hospice, and "Caring for the Alzheimer's Patient" by Melissa Barile of the Alzheimer's Association of Greater Indiana. On Saturday, November 22, the presentations will be "Geriatric Case Management" by Dorian Maples of Dorian Maples and Associates, and "Nutrition for the Elderly" by Gail Haver of Aging and In-Home Services. Open to the public, these programs will be held at the AIHS office at 2927 Lake Avenue in Fort Wayne from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Seating is limited, so contact the AIHS office at (260) 745-1200 to place your reservation.



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Community Calendar

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| Nov 5 | Warren Chamber of Commerce, noon, Assembly Hall |
| Nov 5 | Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m. |
| Nov 8 | Knight Bergman Center Board Meeting, 8 a.m. at KBC |
| Nov 10 | Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Assembly Hall |
| Nov 11 | Veteran's Day |
| Nov 14 | Warren Recycle Day |
| Nov 19 | Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m. |
| Nov 22 | Montpelier Lion Club Craft Show, 9 to 3 |
| Nov 24 | Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Assembly Hall |
| Nov 27 | Thanksgiving Day |
| Nov 28 | Warren Recycle Day |
| Mar 26, 2004 | Salamonie School Carnival Food 5:15 - 7, Games 6 to 8 |
| 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 Salamonie Valley Museum Open Sundays 1 to 4 p.m. at KBC Storytime at Warren Public Library 10 a.m. Fridays, Walking in the Gym 7 a.m. to Noon at Knight Bergman Center | |

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TOP SCARECROWS

Members of the Warren Red Hat Society spent the morning last Thursday, judging scarecrow entries located throughout the town of Warren today. Three overall winners were selected by the panel of 9 judges.

The first place cash award of \$100 went to Bridget Swaidner's second grade class at Salamonie School. (Above) This entry was entitled "Story Time"

The second place cash award of \$75 went to Jodie McDaniel & Ash Bradford from the LaQuinta Inn in Warren. (Below Left) The entry was entitled "Country Folks"

The third place cash award of \$50 went to Rhonda Andrews of Ma & Pa's Kettle. Andrews created "To Oz" (Below Right)

All 48 entries were on display throughout Warren until Sunday afternoon. The winning scarecrows were on display at the Knight Civic Center on Sunday, Nov. 1 during the community-wide lunch buffet sponsored by the Warren-area Kiwanis.

Other winners included:

Creative Category – C. Skinner & C. Herzog/Salamonie School 2nd Grade – Rea Cycle, 1st place; Sheryl Horst/US Postal Service – Mail Carrier/Pony Express, 2nd place; 3rd Place Tie between Christie Bell/ABC123 Daycare and Brad & Sarah Flaughner "Flaughner Family Band"

Athletic Category – Flemming Family – Loud and Proud 1st Place; Robert Sliger III – Ball Team 2nd place; 3rd Place was a tie between the Boxell Family "Fred the Fisherman" and Deb Baker – "T-Ball".

Thanks to all who participated in decorating scarecrows – You are all Honorable Mentions in Warren Area Chamber of Commerce's Scarecrow Contest. So many talented people in this area.



LONG HAUL TOUR

Valent U.S.A. Corporation is pleased to announce the kickoff of the Valor® Long Haul Tour to educate Midwest farmers about the benefits of fall herbicide application. Valent representatives will be driving a bright yellow Ford F-350, embellished with Valor logos and fitted with spray equipment, through nine states and will provide some Midwest farmers with free trial applications of Valor Herbicide.

They will be in the Warren area on Friday, November 7th at Royster Clark for a 7:30 breakfast meeting.

Valent will conduct sprayings in more than 100 fields throughout the Midwest, allowing growers to see the added burndown power and residual control that Valor provides when applied in the fall. Fall burndown is relatively new to most Midwest farmers, and the tour is designed to provide information and answer questions about fall herbicide applications.

The tour will also feature Valent-sponsored meetings at local agricultural retailers. These events will provide farmers the opportunity to ask questions and win trial-sized jugs of Valor Herbicide and other great prizes.

Traditionally, Midwest farmers have allowed troublesome winter annual broadleaf weeds like henbit, chickweed, mare's tail, purple deadnettle and dandelion to remain in the field during winter months. These weeds play host to disease and soil-borne insects and can deplete the soil of nitrogen and other essential nutrients needed by crops. Valor has the power to eliminate winter annuals and the residual control to ensure farmers have a clean field for planting in the spring.

"Currently, only 10 to 15 percent of farmers use fall burndown," said Valent market manager Jamie Nielson. "The tour will educate the growers on the many benefits of a fall application of Valor. Valent has also recently lowered the price of Valor by 20 percent, making it an even better alternative to current weed control options."

The tour kicks off Oct. 27, 2003 in Fairfield, Neb., and will continue through Kansas, Missouri, Illinois,

Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin and Iowa. Farmers interested in learning more about fall burndown or a free application of Valor should contact their dealers for more information.

"Valent is dedicated to providing solutions that will increase profitability for farmers throughout the Midwest," Nielson said. "We are also committed to educating farmers about the best weed control option for their needs."

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TRI KAPPA MEETING

Our meeting of Gamma Upsilon Chapter of Tri Kappa was held at Rita Bolinger's home on October 7, 2003.

We had great weather that evening for our dinner meeting. We enjoyed some of the meeting outside around a campfire.

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GENEALOGY REPORT

PHILLIPS

A former music and art teacher at the school in Markle, Grace Lucile Phillips, 103, died at 6:45 p.m. Tuesday, October 28, 2003 at the United Methodist Memorial Home in Warren.

Born Feb. 3, 1900 to Ambrose Neil and Arizona Leiter Burgett, she married Earl Edward Phillips in Huntington in 1927. He preceded her in death in November of 1968.

In addition to the Markle school, she also taught art and music at Horace Mann school in Huntington and at the school in Andrews. She obtained two degrees from Huntington College—her teaching degree in 1922 and a bachelors in English in 1949. She also attended Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill., was a member of the Indiana Teachers' Association; an 85-year member of the Order of Eastern Star #75 Floral Chapter and a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church in Huntington for more than 60 years. She also was a member of several other clubs and organizations.

Survivors include one son, Dr. William A. Phillips of Sun Lakes, Ariz.; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by three sisters and a brother.

Services were held at the Warren Methodist Memorial Home with calling from 9 a.m. until time of services Saturday. Pastors Herbert Edwards and David Arnold officiated and burial was in the Gardens of Memory, Marion.

Memorials may be made to the Tower Chimes Fund of the Trinity United Methodist Church in Huntington.

BIRTHS

Scott and Stacy (Beck) Clupper, Van Buren, are the parents of a son, Jaren M. Clupper, born at 8:44 a.m. October 30, 2003. The infant weighed 7 pounds 7 ounces and measures 20 inches. He joins a brother, Jacob, age 3.

Grandparents are Jerry and Stephanie Beck and George and Donna Clupper, all of Van Buren. Great-grandparents are Mary Catharine Clupper, Van Buren, Rosemary Miller, Ossian and Leroy and Thelma Beck, Van Buren.

Phillip and Lisa Powell-Sabinske, Warren, are the parents of a daughter Amelia Rose Powell Sabinske, born at 7:48 p.m. October 20, 2003. The infant weighed 7 pounds 14.5 ounces and measured 20.5 inches. She joins siblings, Emma, age 11, Spencer, 9, Connor, 7, Lily, 5 and Fletcher, 2. Grandparents are Guy and Wilma Powell.

Daniel and Tricia (Baumgartner) Tucker, Montpelier (rural Southern Wells), are the parents of a son, Canyon Adam Tucker, born at 11:16 p.m. October 17, 2003. The infant weighed 7 pounds 1 ounce and measured 19.5 inches. He joins siblings, Timber Danielle, 6, Meadow Brooke, 4 and Juniper Marie, 2.

Grandparents are Keith and Ruth Baumgartner, Bluffton, and Jerry and Sarah Tucker, rural Montpelier. Great-grandparents are Marguerite Kipfer of Bluffton and Betty Baumgartner of Craigville.

Brian Wiley and Stacy Bentley Wiley, Warren, are the parents of a daughter, Addison Lynn Wiley, born at 8:10 p.m. Oct. 24, 2003 at Parkview Huntington Hospital. The baby weighed 9 pounds at birth.

Grandparents are Jack and Margaret Bentley, Warren, and Roger and LaDiana Wiley, Huntington. Great-grandparents are Helen Hoover Woods, Zanesville, and Thurman and LaRelda Ralston, Warren.

TROUT- NIEMEYER

Laurie Trout and Michael Niemeyer were married Aug. 16, 2003 at the Kossuth Street Baptist Church in Lafayette. Pastor Donald Whipple officiated the ceremony. Musicians included Jacy Hobbs, pianist, and Anissa Edwards, soloist.

Faith Boston served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Joanna Smelser and Sarah Flinn.

David Niemeyer, brother of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were Charles Weaver and Michael Carpenter. Ushers were Adam Conley, and Scott Howard, cousins of the bride, and Jason Omlauf.

A dinner reception at the Radisson Inn in Lafayette followed the ceremony. Mindy Fairchild and Courtney Minnier were the greeters, gift and wedding certificate attendants, and reception assistants.

The couple chose a wedding trip to Mackinac Island.

The bride is a 2000 graduate of Huntington North High School. She is a fourth-year student in Purdue University's professional pharmacy program. Her parents are Stan and

Terrie Trout, formerly of Warren, now of Fort Wayne. Her grandparents are Harold and JoAnn Trout, Warren.

The bridegroom is a 2000 graduate of Penn High School, Mishawaka. He is a senior at Purdue University and plans to graduate in May 2004 with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering, after which he plans to attend graduate school for mechanical engineering at Purdue. His parents are Doug and Kathy Niemeyer, Granger.

The couple resides in West Lafayette.

BRATCH-HEASTON

Jennifer Marie Bratch and Tyler James Heaston were married July 12, 2003 at the United Church of Christ in Warren. Donald E. Ritchey officiated the ceremony.

Musicians were Linda Aldridge, pianist, and Jasmine Heaston and Trevor Jones, soloists.

Bridesmaids were Angyl McClain and Tina Mosley. Rachel Key was the flower girl.

Michael Trosper served as Best man. Groomsmen were Aaron McDaniel and Brady Booher. Dylan Campbell was the ring bearer. Ushers were Jeremy Mosley and Tom Key.

A reception at the North Star Civic Center followed the ceremony. Sandy Eichhorn was the cake server. Stacy Campbell was the gift and guest book attendant.

The couple chose a wedding trip to Indianapolis.

The bride graduated from Southwood High School, Wabash, in

1999 and Purdue University, West Lafayette, in 2003, earning a bachelor of arts degree in psychology and law and society. She has returned to Purdue where she is working toward her master's degree. Her parents are Mark and Pam Key, rural LaFontaine.

The bridegroom graduated from Huntington North High School in 1999 and Purdue University, West Lafayette, in 2003, earning a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering. He is employed as

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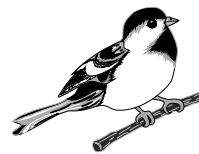
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for Christine Martin will be delivered soon.

The Special Events committee, officers of the Women's Fellowship are in charge of the program for the December 14th Christmas party. The children of the church are having a play.

Georgia Poulson gave the lesson on material aids. She read a story about a young man in Burma who fled the country, traveling for five nights under cover of darkness to a Refugee Camp in Thailand for help. Help is being given to Angola, Africa for a Literacy Program. The government had procluded education to people in the rural areas. The churches in many areas are assembling kits for aid. No word from Crossroads in Ft. Wayne about the articles needed for the children this year. We are reminded that "Tools of Hope" [former Blanket Sunday] will be in January. Blankets are still needed, but the Tools of Hope allows for other needed articles to be purchased also. \$5 will purchase a blanket. Church World Service will use the much needed money in the Balkans, U.S. in San Francisco to New Jersey, and the children of Iraq. Many church members are hosting parties for "Gift of the Heart Kits".

We also were reminded that used stamps are needed to send to the veterans, greeting card fronts are still needed, soup labels for the school, and coke tabs for the Riley Ronald McDonald House. We have part of the materials needed to make the comforter on sewing day in January. We are thinking about restarting the collection of film canisters and small medicine bottles to be shipped overseas for medicine. We will package up some and find out how much it will take to mail them ourselves. Small bottles of shampoo, conditioner, soaps supplied in motels are needed for missions and Crossroads. We will also be collecting snacks and candies to send boxes to the college students. Items will be needed before November 19th.

The members joined in the love circle, sang "Have Thine Own Way" repeated the Mizpah Benediction and collected the love offering.

Betty Parker and Ellen Layman served delicious refreshments to: Roselyn Poulson, Peggy Wilson, Jo Spade, Marjorie Gard, Georgia Poulson, Rosemary Zeller, and Opal Brubaker.

WINNERS

Winners of the 2003 Van Buren Town Halloween Party were:

Animals – 1st Nathan Brown, 2nd Trevor Brane, 3rd Seth Brane

Skeleton – 1st Randon Timmons, 2nd Connor Pannell, 3rd Cory Smith

Clown – 1st Jeffrey Duckwall, 2nd Kaley Kitts

Cartoon Character – 1st Seth Story, 2nd Cameron Buzzard, 3rd Jordan Miller

Scariest – 1st Cory Athey, 2nd Dakota Williams, 3rd Spencer Goodman

Old West – 1st Christian Bratcher, 2nd Valerie Trees, 3rd Christopher Duckwall

Sports – 1st Thomas Smith, 2nd

Sam Litchfield, 3rd Erika Rogers
Miscellaneous – 1st Owen Gunyon, 2nd Carrigan Beouy, 3rd Josh Lawson

Ghost – 1st Wesley White, 2nd Mark Stevenson, 3rd Emily Webb

Prettiest – 1st Lauren Trees, 2nd Autumn Harmon, 3rd Tori Hinshaw

Vampire – 1st Joseph Dailey, 2nd Philip Dailey, 3rd Drew Ashley

Witch – 1st Laquite White, 2nd Brit-tany Jones, 3rd Sami Athey

Famous person from History – 1st Brandon Kirby, 2nd Will Bratcher, 3rd Cody Buzzard

Most Unusual – 1st Dalen Beck, 2nd Danielle Bradley, 3rd Rylee Sheets

Warrior – 1st Adam King, 2nd Carson Lee-Suddarth, 3rd Blake Martz

Band over all Best – 1st Josh Mieher

RAIDERS OF THE DAY

The following students were Raider of the Day winners at Southern Wells Elementary for September and October:

Drew Runkle (5), Grant Harris, (K), Emilee Junk (1), Spencer Campbell (K), Vanessa Drennen (1), Dain Gerber (1), Tanner Thompson (K), Austin Vaughn (2), Alyssa Culbertson (5), Timber Tucker (1), Damion Watters (K), Arturo Escamilla (1), Acacia Herr (5), Tara Gerstorff (K), Jordan Gillum (5), Ashley Rugg (K), Amanda Reimer (2), Ace Piper (K), Riley Schorey (K), Jessica Pattison (1), Austin Gearheart (K), Jake Masterson (2), Jessie McClure (2), Cody Thatcher (K), Brandon Bryant (K), Bryce Bonewit (K), Josh Markley (2), Rikki Johnson (3), Wyatt Korporal (K), Madi Getts (K), Terry Culbertson (2), Linly Lloyd (5), Mickayla Pettibone (3), Isaiah Perry (1), Kayelynne Baublett (2), Jarron Morris (K), Autumn Stevens (K), and Cori Mossburg (2).

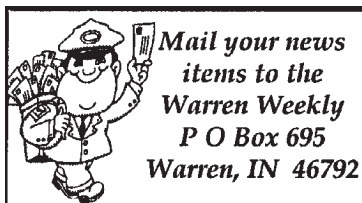
Congratulations Raiders! Keep up the good work and great Raider behavior!!

SURPRISE VISIT

Lieutenant Colonel Roger L. Daugherty, Air Force Base, Warner Robins, GA and his mother, Jane Montgomery, surprised his grandmother, Marjorie Gard with a visit for her birthday, last Thursday. He and his wife Major Joette Daugherty are stationed in GA but will be returning to Dayton Air Force Base in December.

CARRY-IN HELD

The children of Arthur and Marjorie Gard gathered at the family home near Warren, IN, Saturday for a carry-in dinner honoring their Mother's 89th birthday. Their 69th wedding anniversary and Arthur's 91st birthday will be Tuesday, November 4th. Lots of good food and memories were shared by Sandra and Gary Wegenke, Kalamazoo, MI, Dianne and Jim Burk, Decatur, Jane and Harve Montgomery, Angola, Charles and Cathy Ann Gard, Huntington, Richard Gard and Cindy Kerr, Kokomo, Cathy and Zach Pearson, Bluffton, Cheryl and Brian Biddle, Dayton, OH, Nikki Newsome and Michelle Kline, Huntington.



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AREA NEWS CONTINUED

SCARECROWS AT LIBRARY

Salamonie Second graders have scarecrow pictures and stories displayed at the Warren Library. Stop in to see their impressive works.

BAY VIEW READING

The Bay View Reading Club met in the lounge of the McAllister building on Oct. 21, 2003.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Lavonna Myers, by reciting the Club Collect in unison. Roll call was given by naming the favorite fall flower. The Treasurer report was given and approved.

The Committee that had been assigned to bring in a statement to be added to Standing Rule #2 was presented in written form by Lilly Nutter. This was followed by discussion and voted to put on hold until November meeting. The Club was asked to be thinking about where we wished to make a cash donation this Christmas. Two suggestions were made: the food pantry here in Warren and the Methodist Bashour Children's Home near Warsaw. Other suggestions may be made in November before it is voted on.

A discussion followed about the possibility of changing our meeting date from the 3rd Tuesday to the 2nd Tuesday and also the possibility of changing our meeting place. Pres. Lavonna Myers is to check this out and report back to us. However the November meeting will be held at the same time and place as usual. Business meeting was adjourned and turned over to the hostess committee of Lilly Nutter, Mary Wiley and Velma Lindstrom.

Mary Wiley gave a historic account of the Bay View Club from the beginning in the late 1800's in Bay View, Mich., when a group of ladies decided to form a club for the purpose of seeking knowledge and mental improvement by engaging in the study of history and literature by reading both secular and sacred writings in connection with their routine daily lives. Shortly afterwards a group of Warren ladies decided to form their own Chapter here and the Club has been active her for over 100 years now.

Velma Lindstrom provided the door prize, which went to Helen Stokes. Lilly Nutter served delightful refreshments to the group who were seated at beautifully decorated tables in a Halloween Theme.

Those present besides the ones mentioned above were Minette Bellante, Mabel Fields, Karlen Henry, Helen Husband, Virginia Olsen, Martha Rumble, Emily Lapp, Helen Jo Straussner and a guest, Iva Mae Wygant.

CLUB NEWS

8/40 Salon 195 held its meeting October 22, 2003 at Fairmount.

Chaplain Rosemary opened the meeting in regular form. La Secretair/Cassier's reports were read.

Kim Hammons brought up our Constitution and Standing Rules. We change the 4th Standing Rule. Betty Hiatt gave the eleven rules on caring and posting of the flag and 8/40 banner.

Irene Pickard read the names of the members who weren't paid for the year 2004.

Irene also reported on publicity, that our write ups are all printed in the paper each meeting. She will have a publicity book at the end of the year.

Jeannie Cromwell sold tickets on our Precious Moments figurines.

A basket was passed around for Camp Super Kids. Also Hannah was passed for Nurse Scholarship.

Jeannie turned in money for the eagle flag pins.

50/50 was won by Betty Hiatt.

Those attending were Mary Wayne, Louise Grindle, Betty Hiatt, Jeannie Cromwell, Waneta Linton, Helen Broyles, Mary Stone, Kim Hammons, Rosemary Hammons and Irene Pickard.

Next meeting will be 6:00 Thursday, November 20th at Marion Post 10. A carry-in.

We are to bring stuff to put in ditty bags at next meeting, for the three hospitals in Indiana.

STORYTIME

Camryn Marcus, Ashleigh Marcus, Carson Bolinger, Olivia Bolinger and Uriah DeWeese enjoyed Story Time at the Warren Library, October 24 as Jane Ruble read Clifford's Halloween and The Witch Who Went for a Walk. Mrs. Ruble also had the flannel graph story Perky the Pumpkin and poems Five Blind Bats and Five Little Ghosts. The children also made Halloween sack puppets.

Story time is each Friday morning at 10:00.

WARREN'S WW-II MOTHERS

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In the 4th of July issue of the Warren Weekly, I wrote an article about the contributions and sacrifices made by Service Men and Women from the Warren Area during WW-II. I explained that I purposely left out individual names because I didn't want to overlook or miss someone who gave so much. With some new information I have now, I am going to soften a little on that stand.

Virginia (Ditzler) Neel of Sebring, Florida recently sent me a small booklet she is going to donate to the Warren Museum. It's titled "The American Guidebook". It was published in 1944 by the Mother's of World War II of Warren, Indiana, Unit 85. Since this was Unit 85, the organization may have been state-wide or nation-wide.

The title page reports that "the purpose of the association is to promote the welfare and social interest between Parents of Enlisted Personnel. The booklet has all kinds of useful information, such as how to display our flag, how to stretch your food rations, thumb-nail sketches of all Presidents, ALL rank insignias for all branches of the Services, and even how to mail letters to Prisoners-of-War held by the enemy!

But there were two areas of interest to me. (1) A member-list of 64 Members of the Warren Area who belonged to the organization. Even though the title page said Mothers of Enlisted Personnel, the mother of Admiral Good from Warren was included. And (2), it had a list of 297 men and 7 women from the Warren Area who were serving in the Armed Services in 1944. Now this second list had to be only a partial list because it (1) was published in 1944 and the War and the Draft continued well into 1945, and (2) I'm not 100 percent sure of the area from which the men and women came. (Salamonie and Jefferson Township men and women were included, but not any from McNatt, Liberty Center, Van Buren, and Wells County.

I can't list all 304 men and women here, but I will try to list the 64 members of the organization—that ought to bring back some memories for our Senior Citizens. The list included the following:

Eva Beavans, Mira Beavans, Lela Bilbee, Vida Boulware, Fern Boxell, Hazel Brown, Lelah Brown, Sylvia Brown, Cora Campbell, Josie Campbell, Ether Campbell, Rena Carroll, Gertrude Chenoweth, Mary Clements, Lillian Click, Fedrn Corah, Evalina Crist, Goldie Dalrymple, Stella Darrow, Mayme

Ditzler, Ola Dungan, Nettie Eltzroth, Amy Eubank, Mary Gard, Emma Gilmer, Esther Glass, Ola Good, Sarah Harrold, Marie Heffner, Vera Helms, Eura Huff, Alma Huffman, Ellen Huffman, Glenna Johnson, Etta Keller, Elma Klepser, Vivian McCracken, Aenone Mossburg, Betty Neel, Alice Perry, Cora Richardson, Ica Richardson, Josie Ross, Dora Ruble, Effie Ruble, Pauline Shafer, Nora Shaw, Mary A. M. Shultz, Nellie Siberry, Fern Sills, Abigail Simpson, Pearl Smith, Anna Strait, Ada Stroud, Helen Tam, Fern Thompson, Mildred Thompson, Ada Trout Rosa Wamsley, Ada Wiley, Edna Williams, Nora Williams, Marie Winningham, and Sadie Yount.

I said that there were 7 women in the Services from the Warren Area during WW-II. These were Betty Beavans, Pauline Boxell, Olive Click, Geneva Conrad, Margret Davis, Vera Dickey, and June Ditzler. June was a 1939 Warren Graduate, and a sister to Virginia Neel. June joined the Marine Corps. I'm told that Olive Click, who joined the Navy's WAVES, had been a Third Grade teacher in the Warren School. Her father was Roy Click who worked at the Lumber Company in town. Pauline Boxell was a 1939 Warren Graduate. Her brother was Dwight Boxell who married Margaret Ann Fox. Betty Beavans was the wife of Dick Beavans who was in the Service too (Betty was the daughter-in-law of Warren's Postmaster, Gus Beavans. Vera Dickey was related to Dorothy Coolman whose husband had the Cooman's Drug Store in town.

Now I myself didn't know all the details above—I counted on the very good memory of Virginia (Ditzler) Neel. Remember, not only was her sister one of the seven, but she was a grade or two behind many of the girls. Virginia said that she didn't have information on Margret Davis or Geneva Conrad. I'm sure that there are Warren Weekly readers in the Warren Area who are familiar with those two young women. It would be great if some resident of Warren or the surrounding area could document the military service histories of Warren's Women in Service during WW-II. I think that would be a great addition to both the Warren Library, the Warren Museum, and the Huntington Library background information on our area.

I have sent copies of Virginia's Booklet to both the Warren and Huntington Libraries. Anyone interested in checking specific names can go to the Library and have the pages of the names copied. I could only cover the organization's members here. After receiving the list of

Service Men and Women, I called the VA Representative for Huntington County to share my new information. He said that the list of personnel in this Booklet is the most complete he knows of ever since the WW-II Monument on the Courthouse Lawn was destroyed and the names discarded. HOW SOON WE FORGET!!

TIPS FOR EFFICIENT WINTER FIREPLACES WOOD STOVES

When cold winds blow, snuggling down in front of a fire can give you a good feeling that is warmer and more comfortable than central heat alone.

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Wood that has been split, stacked, and covered for eight months or more is best. Green wood makes a cooler fire and creates creosote buildup in the chimney.

Don't burn treated wood. It gives off dangerous gases.

If you cut your own, be sure to wear a hard hat, eye protection, and earplugs.

When buying, remember that a cord measures 4x4x8 feet, about 500 board feet.

Have your chimney flue and seal checked before starting the burning season.

You can save ashes from wood and use them for fertilizer for plants and gardens.

BE YOUR OWN HOLIDAY MONEY MANAGER

If you were still paying the bills for last year's Christmas a few months later, you need a plan for this year's spending. Financial managers quoted in Self magazine offer this guide for overspenders:

Limit the amount you spend on gifts and special occasions throughout the year to 2 percent of your gross income.

Of that amount, use 80 percent for holiday spending. This should cover gifts, decorating, parties, and cards.

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