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Thought for the Week: A witty saying proves nothing. Voltaire

SPECIAL MEETING

The Town Council of the Town of Warren has scheduled a Special Meeting for Wednesday, June 21, 2006 to be held following a Public Hearing scheduled for 6:30 p.m. but not prior to 6:45 pm. Agenda topics include preparation of the 2007 Municipal Budget, discussion of the Streetscape Project and any/all matters which could come before Town Council.

CALLING ALL BABIES!!

The Country Calico Club will hold Warren's Sweetheart Baby Photo Contest during the 2006 Salamonie Summer Festival. A display of the photos will be at the "Town Annex" during the festival, where you can vote for your choice. Entry forms with guidelines can be found at Cady's Express, Video Vision, or Citizen's Telephone Office. Warren's Sweetheart will receive a \$50.00 savings bond. Hurry, entry deadline is Wednesday, June 28th, 2006. For further information call Rhonda Poulson at 375-3128 or 359-3771.

COOKOUT NO, CHICKEN DINNER, YES!!!

No need to fire up the grill for a cookout before the fireworks this year. Come to Tower Park in Warren, Indiana for Nelson's Port-A-Pit Chicken. The port-a-pit chicken is being sponsored by the Salamonie Summer Festival. If you have not yet tasted Nelson's Port-A-Pit Chicken this would be a great opportunity. Serving time will be from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Monday, July 3, 2006. We will serve while quantities last. A dinner will include 1/2 chicken, pretzels, and a cookie for the price of \$6.00 per meal. Cold beverages will also be available from Boy Scout Troop #129. All proceeds for this dinner will go towards the fireworks fund.

WIN BIG

Have you ever wanted to turn \$2.00 into \$100.00 but just couldn't quite figure out how to do so? Well, during the Salamonie Summer Festival take a chance at turning that \$2.00 into \$100. Come to Wayne Street and 2nd Street during the Salamonie Summer Festival and try your luck in the cash cube. For \$2.00 and 20 seconds you can take your turn and see how much cash (play money) yon can gather up and hold onto in the cash cube. The cash (play money) that you grab and hold onto when your 20 second turn is up will be counted by the attendant and recorded. The person who grabbed and held onto the most cash (play money) from Friday night thru Sunday night will be awarded a \$100.00 bill (real money). The winner will announced before the fireworks on Monday, July 3, 2006.

RIVER FISHING DERBY

Annual Salamonie River Fishing Derby as part of Salamonie Summer Festival, Saturday, July 1st-8am-3pm.

Sign-up 8-10am at information Booth at corner of Second and Wayne Street.

Entry Fee-\$1.

Valid Fishing License Required. Winners determined by weight of largest fish.

Three Age Groups - 0-9; 10-16; 17 and older.

Monetary Prizes are as follows and are for each age group: 1st - \$50; 2nd - \$30; 3rd - \$20

Additional prizes at weigh in.
Fishing will be allowed from the
Warren Dam (SR218 Bridge) to
the I-69 overpass on Belleville

Sponsored by the Warren Sportsmen Club and GDW Construction.

THE MAGIC IN BOOKS

Marcus Lehmann will be presenting The Magic In Books at the Warren Church of Christ, Saturday morning, June 24 at 10:00

A.M. Tickets are \$1.00 and may be purchased ahead or at the door. Parents are free when accompanied by a child. The program is sponsored by the Friends of the Warren Library. The church is located at the comer of Third and Wayne (SR 5) Streets in Warren.

From the sorcerers and wizards of old to today's magicians, illusion artists have been capturing the attention of young and old forcenturies. For overthirty years, Marcus Lehmann has been using his magical charm to entertain audiences of all ages. His engaging performances display amusement and diversion like no other. Marcus has developed a hands-on magic that participants will not soon forget.

He has made his mark as a professional magician by incorporating new and exciting ways of presentation. He can be seen performing "Table-Side Magic" in several local restaurants, including Max and Erma's in Indianapolis, Pizza Huts in Lebanon, Noblesville, Crawfordsville, Frankfort, and Fishers. Marcus can also be seen at Grif I's Restaurant in Greenwood, as well as numerous Indiana area special events and corporate gatherings. Marcus has touched many lives with his amazing and lighthearted approach to magic. He has applied his magical talents to create a program to stress the importance and enjoyment of reading called The Magic In Books. In this, Marcus combines his concern for literacy among children of all ages in a delightful program for all ages.

RAFFLE PLANNED

The Women of the United Church of Christ of Warren are sponsoring a Comforter Raffle during the festival.

Tickets are \$1.00 each from any of the women of the Church. It will be given away before the Fireworks.

BASKET BINGO

Sigma Phi Gamma of Warren is having a Basket Bingo on July 1,2006 at the Knight-Bergman Civic Center Auditorium. Doors will open at 11:30a.m. Bingo will start at 12:30 p.m. Tickets are available from any member or purchase them from Gebhart's Floral Barn or P.J.'s Flower Shop. (Adults only Please) Proceeds go to benefit community projects.

PIONEER BREAKFAST

The Warren Chamber of Commerce will hold its annual Samuel Jones Pioneer Award breakfast on Friday, June 30, 2006, at the Knight-Bergman Center at 7:30 a.m. Tickets are \$6.00 each and can be purchased at the Town Hall Office, Warren Service and Supply, National City Bank, MarkleBank, DeWeese Soft Water and Appliance, Warren Pharmacy or by calling Rosemary Zeller at 260-375-2454.

Come one, come all – enjoy a breakfast catered by Kim's Catering Service and help start the Salamonie Summer Festival by attending and see who the new Samuel Jones Pioneer Award winner is.

In Concert

Scott Lamperd will be in concert at First Baptist Church on July 2 @ 6:00 p.m. Come enjoy this guitar pickin' extraordinaire and along with praise music and Bible teaching! First Baptist Church is located on the corner of N. Wayne and 8th Street.

FLOWER SHOW

Theme: "Small Town – Big Celebration"

The categories for entries are:
Theme\ Single Blossom\ Bouquet\ applesauce, cake looming plants in pots or baskets \ African Violets \ Non-flowering plants in pots/baskets \ Ferns \ Cacti or succulents \ Miniature arrangements \ Young Botanists (under 12) \ Nature's Goofs\. Entries accepted Thurs-

day, June 29, from 12 noon to 5:00 p.m, with judging same night (while flowers are fresh). There will be 3 prizes awarded in each category. Open to the public daily 10 a.m.- 9 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, June 30 & July 1st. Flowers to be picked up by noon on Sunday, July 2nd. So please share your floral treasures with us.

Questions: Lilly Nutter, 375-2095 (have voice mail for your msgs.)

LOOKING FOR

VOLUNTEERS!

Scorekeepers are needed Saturday, July 1st for the 3 on 3 basketball tournament 2-4 hr shifts.

Contact Mike Haggerty at 375-4650 X104.

VOLLEYBALL ON 4TH

Calling all volleyball players and spectators who Love the thrill of an action-packed fun sport, the annual volleyball tournament will once again be held at the Tower Park on July 4th at 10:00 am. Bolinger's Propane sponsors this fun filled co-ed tourney. Registration will begin at 9:30am on Tuesday, July 4th. There is a \$30.00 entry fee per team; each team must have as many women as men to be eligible to play. There will be single or double elimination depending on the amount of teams registered, so get your team together and come out and enjoy the day.

Ротато Ваке

The Warren United Church of Christ Joy Class will hold it's annual Potato Bake on Sunday, July 2nd from 11 am to 1 pm at the Knight Bergman Center. Menu consists of a large baked potato with a variety of toppings, applesauce, cake and a drink. Cost is \$5.00 for adults, \$2.50 for children ages 5-12 and kids under age 5 eat free.

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Leave news and/or advertising at PJ's Flower and Gift Shop or mail to P C Box 695, Warren. Van Buren residents may call Mary Jo Zoda at 765-934-3637 WARREN WEEKLY will make every effort to see that all advertising copy is correctly printed. The firm assumes no financial responsibility for typographical errors in advertising, but will gladly reprint without charge that part in which an error may occur, provided that it is reported within five days of publication. The publisher takes no responsibility for statements or claims made in any

KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

THANK YOU

Faith-Based Mentoring (an adult mentoring program offered through Family Centered Services) would like to thank Wal-Mart for allowing us to hold our bake sale at their door. We would also like to thank everyone who supported our cause through purchases and donations. Your support is greatly appreciated!

> Lisa Anderson, Program Coordinator Faith Based Mentoring Program Family Centered Services P.O. Box 643 Huntington, IN 46750 260-358-1859 (office) 888-437-9026 (pager) 260-358-1864 (fax)

CLUTTER ATTRACTS CLUTTER

by The FlyLady, Marla Cilley

Is your home more than 15 minutes worth of messy? If you have lots of hot spots then I will answer this question for you; YES! You ask, what is a hot spot? A hot spot is an area, when left unattended will gradually take over. My favorite analogy is of a hot spot in a forest fire, if left alone it will eventually get out of hand and burn up the whole forest. This is what happens in our homes. If left unattended, the hot spot will grow and take over the whole room as well as making the house look awful. When you walk into a room, the hot spot is the first thing you see. Your eyes are locked on it. CLUTTER ATTRACTS CLUTTER. If you put one item on this flat surface it attracts more items. Do you have areas like this that continue to grow if left alone? Does the rest of the family see this as a place to put things when they do not want to put them where they belong? It is our job to NIP this in the bud. Get rid of that pile, find the surface underneath, and stop the Hot Spot from becoming a raging Clutter inferno!

Our hotspots make our home feel and look cluttered. Why is it that we feel the need to fill up every flat surface in our homes? It is because there is an empty place to put something down. We walk in the door with our arms loaded and are desperate to unload; that is when we drop things in the first clear spot we find. It can be a chair, the counter top or even the floor.

Let's look at why we are trying to carry so much in the first place. We don't want to make a second trip to the car. Isn't that funny; we weigh ourselves down because we don't want to waste a few extra steps. I want to change your attitude about trying to carry too much and just make one trip.

We could all use a few more steps in our day. I have to walk up one level to get to our front door. If I come in through the basement, I would have to climb a flight of steps. It only takes a short amount of time to get up to the house and back down to the car. Here is what I do when I get out of my car. I gather up all the trash and my purse or computer and head to the door. Then I go back to anything else that is left in the car.

I do this with groceries too. I take the refrigerated groceries first and put it all away and go back down for another load. Every time I come in the house I put everything away. This keeps me from being overwhelmed. I don't like to see my countertops covered up with bags of groceries. Hove coming into our home and seeing clear counters.

When our flat surfaces are covered up with stuff; we get overwhelmed too. If my coffee table is piled high with clutter, I can't write. A messy desk is not an example of a productive mind. It is symptom

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Rev. Gus Hacker

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758-2085

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

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Gary Riley, Pastor Sunday School9:30 a.m. Studies - all Sunday 6:00 p.m. Worship 10:30 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. Sunday School8:45 a.m. CWF Ladies (3 Tue)6:00 p.m. ..10:00 a.m. 1st Sun. (Qtrly) Praise Hour.. 6:30 p.m.

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NAZARENE 375-2510 Bill Keen, Pastor

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Sun - 1st Worship Service..... 8:15a.m. Charles Dye ,Jr., Pastor 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

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Dr. Jeane Spoor, Pastor Sunday School9:30 a.m.10:30 a.m.

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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. **UNITED METHODIST**

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AREA NEWS

SUMMER READING

Summer Reading at the Warren Public Library is quickly coming to an end.

Children who have met the reading requirements are invited to a celebration on Saturday, June 24 at 9:30 to receive their reading rewards which include a free pass to the Magic of Books magic show by Mark Lehmann. Both events will be held at the Church of Christ Fellowship hall (corner of SR5 and 3rd Street). Your reading record/calendar is your ticket to the Reading Celebra-

Free Magic Show

The Friends of the Warren Library is sponsoring a magic show by professional magician Marcus Lehmann on Saturday, June 24th at 10:00 a.m. at the Warren Church of Christ. Children completing the Summer Reading Program will receive a free pass to the show. Any parents when accompanied by a child is free. Cost for other children and adults is \$1.00. Tickets can be purchased at the Warren Library or at the door.

Marcus' program is colorful and incorporates music and audience participation. Plan now to attend.

CARD SHOWER

A card shower is being hosted for Nellie Madeline Long for her 90th birthday on June 29, 2006.

Cards may be sent to her in care of Markle Health Care, 170 Tracy St, Markle, IN 46770.

OPEN HOUSE/RAFFLE

The Warren Sportsman's Club will be holding an Open House on Monday, July 3rd from 12:00pm to right before the fireworks. Come and see the exciting things that will be happening at the Sportsman's Club this summer and fall. We have lots of new programs getting started. Get information on different classes that will be held. For example: Hunter Ed, Trapper Ed, 4-H Shooting Sports classes, Turtle cleaning class, Outdoor Cooking class, Compass and Map Reading Class, just to name a few.

The Sportman's Club is also selling raffle tickets. The first prize is a Savage model 14 with Team Division (circle one): 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, 17-18, Over18 acutrigger in the caliber of your choice or \$300.00. Second prize is fishing gear valued over lacksquare\$150.00. Buy your tickets from any Sportsman's Club member

or come to the Sportsman's Club the day of the Open House and buy your tickets then. Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 tickets for \$5.00.

The Warren Sportsman's Club members really appreciate your support.

HELP WANTED

The Salamonie Summer Festival will include a great place for families to enjoy some fun activities. The Family Fun Freeway located on 2nd Street will include a Moonwalk, Castle Maze, Bungee Run, Tarzan Rope, Peddle Carts and many more challenging games. The games will be open on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday with tickets priced at 50 cents each. However, we are searching for organizations or individuals to donate their time to help take tickets and operate the games. Our greatest need for help is on Sunday. We are also willing to make this a fund raiser for your group if you have that need. If you are part of a group, organization, or club that would like to help or an individual that would like to get involved, please call Todd Winkler at 224-4843.

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

WOW

Women of Warren

We invite you to come, learn, enjoy and show your Love for the Lord on Saturday morning from 9 to Noon. We invite you to be a part of the most inspirational Women's Morning in Warren! Pastor Rebecca Fisher will help bring the Glory of God through praise! Paula Gast will help us understand how to Praise and Pray to Our Listening Lord. Please RSVP @ 375-3210 or 375-2303, if unable to RSVP. please arrive at the Warren Methodist Church, Saturday, June 24th at 9 am and relax! Brought to you by the SOS women's group.

COUNCIL NEWS

President David Scheib conducted the June 12 meeting of the Warren Town Council. The meeting was held in Assembly Hall and opened at 6:30 p.m. with all in attendance repeating the Pledge to the American Flag.

In special order of business a Public Hearing was held at which time Ordinance 2006-4, Flood Plan, was adopted.

Minutes of the regular meeting of May 22 were approved as submitted.

Kim Coolman reported on a Park Board meeting held prior to the Council meeting. The new restroom doors had been put up.

Forty trees and been planted along with flowers. Tennis courts are being repaired. There had been vandalism to some of the new playground equipment.

At a special meeting June 21 a Public Hearing will be held at 6:30 pm. This concerns Hillcrest annexation.

Salamonie Summer Festival preparations were discussed. Ven-dors will be located on Second Street, and later moved to Tower Park.

The Electric Service Contract, FERC has been approved and every-thing necessary filed.

In a Streetscape Project update, new street lights are expect-ed to be installed soon. Flooring replacement estimates for Town Hall, Police Station and Conference Room was reported

at \$15,000. Council voted in favor of the project. Mike Haggerty from Heartland Aluminum was in attendance at the meeting and told Council they had made an effort to cur-tail

establishment. The amended Town Code included Ordinance 2006-6, sewer

noise, especially at night, at the

An Indiana Downtown meeting has been set for June 29 at Valparaiso.

Clerk-Treasurer Marilyn Morrison gave the May Financial re-port. She also reported the 2007 Municipal Budget preparation is underway, with the first meeting set for Aug. 7.

The State Board of Accounts school was held recently in Indian-apolis.

Curtis Day gave the Utility/ Street Departments report. Work on the water tower had been completed and hydrants flushed. Lightning hit two water well recently. One required a new motor. Street paving was scheduled to get underway on Thursday, weather permitting.

A resident had expressed appreciation for help from town employees during town clean-up.

A representative of the Fire Department reported that on June 27 the Department will wash down streets in preparation for Salamonie Summer Festival.

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Festival Activities and Floats Get Presale Tickets here for the Rodeo \$7.00 presale

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Jun 21 Van Buren Town Council 7 p.m. Jun 23 Warren Recycle Day Jun 26 Warren Town Council, 8 a.m., Annex Jun 30 - Jul 4 Salamonie Summer Festival Jul 4 **Independence Day** Jul 5 Chamber of Commerce Luncheon, noon, Annex Jul 5 Van Buren Town Council 7 p.m. Knight Bergman Center Board meeting, 8am, KBC Jul 8 Jul 10 Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Annex Our Town Committee Meeting, 7 p.m., Annex **Jul 11 Jul 14** Warren Recycle Day **Jul 17** Salamonie Summer Festival Meeting, 6 p.m., Annex **Jul 19** Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m. 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

3 on 3 Basketball Sign-Up Saturday, July 1, 2006

Player Name, Address, Phone, Birthdate, Size

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AREA NEWS CONTINUED

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The new tanker had arrived and representatives of the Department had brought it for Council to

They reported the chicken supper had gone well; and was a sell out.

Officer Spitler presented his report to Council.

Announcements included: Council meetings: June 21, special meeting, Public Hearing, 6:30 p.m.; June 26, 8 a.m.; Utilities/ Town Hall closed July 4; Park Department meeting, July 10.

VB Council

On Wednesday evening, June 14, the Van Buren Town Council met in the Council Room at Town Hall. President Tony Manry called the meeting to order at 7 p.m. and all in attendance repeated the Pledge to the American Flag.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as submitted. During a Public Hearing Council approved Ordinance 2-2006, water and wastewater rates, and Ordinance 3-2006, sewer rates. The rates will increase 7%. It was noted that with the 7% increase, Van Buren rates are about the lowest in the state. The increase was necessary because of increased charges for state mandatory regulations. New sidewalks are expected to be put in soon at the Park. It was suggested that possibly parking in the area could be changed due to small children playing in the Park.

A citizen noted that smokers are parking in the area of MarkleBank and around adjacent properties. They were also concerned about unmown grass on vacant properties.

When asked what Council would do concerning the cow barn at-tempting to locate close to the town of Van Buren, Council re-sponded that they had sent a letter objecting to the barn be-ing built in the area.

The Garfield project was reported to be progressing.

A citizen in attendance was concerned about traffic on West Chester Street. Small children have been observed darting in and out of traffic, many unattended by adults. Traffic is heavier during games at the ball park. Council said they would check the situation and decide if stop signs would help.

Council approved an update on Tax Abatement for Les Korporal. It was also noted there are still untagged vehicles in town.

Council also discussed the Budget for 2007.

Officer Pat Collins reported to Council from the Police Depart-

Superintendent Jim Webb said May and June bacteria samples had been approved.

There had been problems at the water plant, but they were expected to be repaired soon.

Webb said they need to get quotes for cleaning the water wells and North tower.

Prisoners were to be in town one day to help clean the streets and one person was available for community service.

Mosquito spraying would get underway soon. There were plans to do some street patching.

The next Council meeting will be June 28.

Council decided to hold one meeting in July, scheduled for July 12 at 7 p.m.

OPEN FAIR

Show your talents at the Blackford County 4-H & Open Fair. Start pull-ing together your craft items and try out the recipes that you will want to exhibit. The list of categories and the rules are now available at the Extension Office. Cash prizes and ribbons will be awarded. Bring your items to the Blackford County 4-H Building on Saturday, July 22, 2006, between 7:00 a.m. and 8:30 a.m. Items will be on public display Saturday, July 22nd from approximately 11:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. Awards and ribbons will be distributed at the close of the Open Fair. You can pick up an entry form at the Blackford County Purdue Extension Office, 119 N. High Street, Hartford City, IN 47348, before July 14th. Or we will have entry forms at the fair starting July 17th.

For additional information contact the Blackford County Purdue Exten-sion Service at 765-348-3213.

FIDDLER'S GATHERING

The 34th Annual Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering will take place June 23-25, 2006 at the Tippecanoe Battlefield Park in Battle Ground. Held annually since 1973, the Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering is a nationally renown three-day traditional acoustic music festival featuring some of the country's finest old-time, bluegrass, Irish and folk musicians on one stage.

Headlining this year's Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering is what critics are calling the hottest oldtime ensemble working today, Seattle-based all-woman Uncle Earl recently featured on the cover of Sing Out!.

Also appearing will be The Forge Mountain Diggers, a super-group of old-time musicians from New York City featuring Tom Bailey and David Bass. French-Canadian group Nightingale will be making their festival debut and

legendary Hoosier traditional musician Dan Gellert is making a return. Swing quartet Bleu Django will be returning also.

Concerts will be held 8 p.m. Friday; 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday. Adult admission to Friday night is \$6.00 advance, \$8.00 gate. Adult admission to Saturday afternoon concert is \$8.00 advance, \$10.00 gate. Saturday night adult tickets are \$9.00 advance, \$12.00 gate. Youths 13 to 18 can attend each concert for \$4.00 advance, \$5.00 gate. Sunday is "Family Day" - admission is \$5.00. Adult weekend passes are \$25.00 advance, \$30.00 gate; passes for youths 13 to 18 are \$12.00 advance, \$15.00 gate. Children 12 and under are free when accompanied by an adult.

Free events include a 10 a.m. Saturday children's concert; musician's workshops Saturday and Sunday at 9:30 a.m.; square and contra dance with Nightingale at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday; and a gospel sing at 10 a.m. Sunday. The public can also sign up for open stage held Saturday and Sunday at noon.

Regional artists will display crafts, and the Americus Quilters Club will show its work. The Tippecanoe Battlefield Museum will also be open.

Food and musicians' supplies are available on the grounds. Musicians are encouraged to bring instruments. Lawn chairs should be brought for comfort. Concerts held rain or shine. Schedule subject to change without notice. A limited number of primitive camping sites are available on the groups. Tent camping is \$5.00/night (weekend pass required to camp). The Tippecanoe Battlefield is located seven miles north of Lafayette, Indiana, just off exit 178 of 1-65. Advance tickets are available from Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering, Inc., P.O. Box 49, Battle Ground, IN 47920, call 765-742-1419. www.indianafiddlersgathering.org

The Gathering's host hotel is Best Western - call 765-447-0016.

The Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering is produced by Indiana Fiddlers' Gathering, Inc., a registered notfor-profit organization, in cooperation with the Tippecanoe County Historical Association and the Tippecanoe County De-



partment of Parks and Recreation. Major sponsor for the event is The Farmers State Bank of Brookston and Battle Ground. Workshops are sponsored by the Snoozy Goose Bed & Breakfast, the Children's Concert is sponsored by Once Upon a Child, the Gospel Concert is sponsored by Wyatt Communications, Regional Musician's Spotlight is sponsored by WBAA-AM/FM-Purdue University Radio. The Saturday afternoon concert is sponsored by University Inn. Partial support is provided through the Indiana Arts Commission, Tippecanoe Arts Federation and the National Endowment for the Arts.



GRADUATED

Brad McCracken graduated with Highest Distinction earning a Bachelor of Science Degree in Mechanical Engineering on May 10, 2006 from Purdue University at Fort Wayne.

Brad, a graduate of Eastbrook High School resides with his wife, Ashly and is employed at Karl Schmidt, Inc., in Fort Wayne. Brad is the son of Kent and Nora McCracken, Van Buren.

IDLE **H**OUR

The Idle Hour Club at the Fahl Dining room of the UMM Home on Monday, June 5 for lunch with Miriam Rice as hostess.

The afternoon meeting in the Calico Lounge was opened by President Edna Alfeld reading the thought for the day. Miriam gave a reading on Old Age. It was announced the July meeting would be the Annual Birthday Party with Mildred Gilbert, Marjorie Lieurance and Helen Trout in charge. There was no further business. Kings-on-the-Corner was played. Secretary-Treasurer reports given. Roll call was answered by your favorite day of the week.

Those enjoying the day were: Edna Alfeld, Ruth Brooks, Freda Finley, Mildred Gilbert, Marjorie Lieurance, Clara Mossburg, Helen Trout, Georgia Poulson, Miriam Rice hostess.

HELMETS SAVE HEADS

"It could have been a lot worse," said Parkview Huntington Hospital EMT Melissa Rasmussen, referring to the injuries sustained by 7-year-old Brandon Shively after colliding with an automobile May 7 near his home in Huntington while riding his bicycle without head protection. "He was lucky. It only takes one time."

Rasmussen and Paramedic Dave Mosier were called to the scene from Parkview Huntington Hospital, where they administered treatment to the briefly unconscious child and called for the Parkview Samaritan helicopterto transport him to Fort Wayne. Brandon was picked up by the

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TMM TH TIPS By: Dr. Kevin J DeaKyne DDS, PC KIDS, SODA POP & TOOTH DECAY

We have become a "Soda Junkie" Society. In 2000 <u>15 billion gallons</u> were sold. That works out to at least one 12-ounce can per day for every man, women and child. How does the soda give you cavities? Sugar in your soda plus bacteria in your mouth equals acid. Acid attacks your teeth. Each attack last about 20 minutes. Statistics for soda with acidity (lower number is worse) and sugar content.i

Top 7 Acidity (ph) 7 is neutral

1. Pepsi 2.49

2. Coke 2.53

- 3. Orange Minute Maid 2.80 2. Orange Minute Maid 11.2tsp
- 4. Hawaiian Fruit Punch 2.82 3. Mountain Dew 11.0 tsp
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- 6. Diet Pepsi 3.05
- 7. Diet Coke 3.39

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- 4. Barq's Root Beer 10.7 tsp 5. Hawaiian Fruit Punch 10.2tsp
- 6 Pensi 9.8 tsp
- Coke 9.3 tsp

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GENEALOGY REPORT

HOLMES

A lifelong resident of the Warren area, Helen P. Holmes, 88, died at 10:20 a.m. Wednesday, June 14. 2006 at the United Methodist Memorial Home in Warren.

Mrs. Holmes along with her late husband D. Dwight "Tilly" Holmes owned and operated a jewelry store in Warren for 35 years. Holmes, a 1936 graduate of Lancaster Township High School in Huntington County, was a 50 year member of the Warren United Methodist Church, and a longtime member of both Tri-Kappa and the Eastern Star in Warren. Born on Dec. 28, 1917, she was the daughter of Glenn and Effie (Schultz) Rudicel, both deceased. She was married on Oct. 27, 1940 in Warren to D. Dwight "Tilly" Holmes, who preceded her in death on May 18, 2006.

Survivors include her son John Holmes of Birchrunville, Pa., a granddaughter Mrs. Reggie (Christine) Griffin of Arizona, and two nephews, Jack and James Rudicel of Huntington, In.

She was also preceded in death by her brother Gene Rudicel.

Services were held at the United Methodist Memorial Home, with arrangements by Glancy Funeral Homes - H. Brown & Son Chapel in Warren, with Rev. Howard Cross officiating.

Burial was in the Masonic Cemetery in Warren.

HARPER

Sharon R. Harper, 70, Markle, died at 4:05 p.m. Thursday, June 15, 2006 at her home.

Born May 21, 1936 in Fort Wayne to Archie L. and Velma M. Roe Evans, she was a homemaker and also a waitress at the Brass Rail in Fort Wayne and the Warren Truck Stop Restaurant.

Survivors include two sons, David Buchan and Rusty Harper, both of Markle; two daughters, Lorrie Harper, Markle and Deni Harper, Bluffton; two brothers, Ricky Evans, Fort Wayne and Ronnie Evans of Texas; her stepmother, Marge Evans of Florida; seven grandchildren; and two great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a son, Allen



Griffin; a brother, Jerry Evans; and a sister, Barbara Hormann. Services were held at the Myers Funeral Home, Markle Chapel.

Interment was at the Williamsport Cemetery in Poe. Preferred memorials are to the family.

BENNETT

A resident of Bluffton, William E. "Bill" Bennett, 65, died in the Bluffton Regional Medical Center emergency room Saturday, June 17, 2006, at 6:54 a.m. Born Nov. 9, 1940, in Bluffton to Cleo O. and Marjorie F. Barton Bennett, he married the former Freeda F. Humphrey May 4, 1979, in Bluffton.

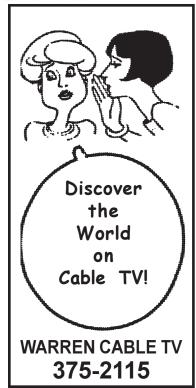
A member of the Domestic Church of Christ, he served in the U.S. Army from 1959 to 1962, worked at Corning Glass for 19 years and was employed by the Skiles Corp. for three years before retiring.

Survivors include three sons, John E. of Hartford City, Brian of Bluffton, and Timothy F. of Fort Wayne; a daughter, Teresa S. Jordon, Ossian; three step-children, Bonnie Humphrey of Berne, Grace L. Timmons of Warren and Dallas Humphrey of Bluffton; a sister, Donna Bennett, Bluffton; 12 grandchildren and 14 greatgrandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a son, Jammie Bennett, and a sister.

Services were held at Goodwin Memorial Chapel under the direction of Rev. Dennis King. Burial followed at Fairview Cemetery. American Legion Post 111 conducted military graveside rites at the cemetery.





IRWIN

A resident of the Warren United Methodist Memorial Home, Ruby Jane Harnish Irwin, 86, died at the home Sunday, June 18, 2006, at 1:40 a.m.

Born in Wabash County Aug. 15, 1919, to Clem and Ruby Bright Harnish, she married Edward Irwin in Grant County Nov. 18, 1939. He preceded her in death Jan. 27, 2004.

An accomplished artist, she was a member of the Presbyterian faith.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Charlie (Sandra) Bauer of Barrington, III, and Mrs. Charles (Kathaleen) Pepper of Hoffman Estates, III.; a sister, Mrs. Paul (June) Roducker of Wabash; four grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren.

Adaughter, Karen Rose Villwock and a brother, Gene Harnish, preceded her in death.

Services were held at the United Methodist Memorial Home with Rev. Edwin Clark officiating. Burial was at Center Grove Cemetery, Wabash.

Arrangements were handled by Glancy Funeral Homes-H. Brown & Son Chapel, Warren.

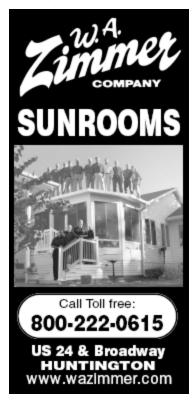
SPARKS



Dale E. Sparks, 80, Van Buren, died Saturday, June 17, 2006 in Marion General Hospital.

Born April 18, 1925 he was the son of the late William Sparks and Grace (Huffman) Sparks. He married his wife, Joy (Helvie) Sparks in 1943.

He worked for Bowman Construction Co., Marion for 42 years. Mr. Sparks was a life resident of Van Buren. He attended Van Buren schools. Mr. Sparks served in the US Army from 1943 to 1946. During that time he served in Rhineland, Central Europe, and Northern France, (Ardennes-Alsace). Serving with Battery B



Surviving are his wife, Joy Sparks; daughters, Ann (Tom) Long, Van Buren; Sue (James) Emmons, Lagro; son, Robert E. Sparks, Marion; grandsons, Rob Long, Fort Walton Beach, Fla.; Duane (Kim) Emmons, Lagro; granddaughters, Brenda Hutchinson, Van Buren; Patty (Chip) Dailey, Van Buren; Angie Sparks, Texas; Jacinda (Jake) Weinzettel, Great Falls, Mont.; Mary Emmons, Lansing, Mich.; twelve great-grand children; three great-great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his mother and father, brothers, Sam, Milford, Vern, Paul, Arthur, and Delmar Sparks; sisters, Joan Howard, and Iva Lane; greatgranddaughter, Morgan Dailey. Services were held in Ferguson and Glancy Funeral Home, 201 West Main Street, Van Buren, with Dr. Tom Mansbarger officiating. Burial was in Van Buren Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Mississinewa Valley Band, the Heart Association, or the donor's choice. Envelopes are available at the funeral home.

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helicopter soon after the ambulance arrived at Parkview Huntington.

Following his return home from the hospital, he, his brothers and a cousin were presented with bicycle helmets by Rasmussen and Mosier, courtesy of an EMS helmet giveaway program at Parkview Huntington.

Brandon is doing well now, said Rachel Shively, the mother of Brandon and two other young sons in Huntington. She remarked that, prior to his accident, she had not given safety helmets much consideration.

"I didn't think anything was ever going to happen to him," she said

Since Brandon's accident, however, her attitude has changed, especially since her children received the helmets.

"They wear them now. I make them. Now they don't even ride their scooters without the helmets," she said. "Accidents can happen at any time."

Rasmussen and Mosier emphasized that it's crucial to wear bicycle helmets at all times, but especially during the summer months, when a greater number of children take to the streets with their bicycles.

Rasmussen, who has two young children of her own, practices what she preaches. "I don't want to have to do for them what I have to do at work. My kids know they have to have a helmet on before they get on a bicycle, or the bikes get taken away. That's the rule," she said.

Mosier, himself a father of small children, also enforces the helmet rule in his home. "It's really important for children to wear helmets, especially because many drivers may not pay attention to kids on bicycles or may not see them. I've seen what not wearing a helmet does and what wearing one does," he said.

Parkview Huntington's EMS helmet giveaway program, begun in 2001 by Buddy Brennan, a dispatcher / advanced EMT at Parkview Huntington, donates 100 to 125 helmets a year to Huntington County children. More than 600 helmets have been donated since the program began.

The Parkview Huntington Hospital Guild is responsible for funding the program, and has contributed \$800 a yearforthe purchase of the bicycle helmets. The money for purchasing the helmets is allocated from funds raised through the hospital's Gift Shop and guild membership dues.



ATTEND WORKSHOPS

Ten Wells County 4-H members recently attended the 4-H Science Workshops at Purdue.

Delegates to the Animal Science event include Shane Estes, Stacy Piqune, Kyle Thompson, Brandon Bales, Sara Alford, and Slone Rudy.

Participants in the Veterinary Science Workshop included Elisabeth Stinson and Melanie Day.

Sessions were held in the classroom, laboratory, and on the research farms. The event included speakers and evening entertainment.

Aaron Mossburg participated in the Aerospace Workshop held at the Purdue Airport.

Delegates got to ride in a small aircraft, test their skills in a flight simulator and learn about aerospace careers.

Steven Smith participated in the Entomology Science Workshop which included in depth training in the world of insects.

The Wells County 4-H members were sponsored by the Wells County 4-H Association.

4-H TALENT

Entry forms are available for the annual 4-H Talent Show which will be held Sunday, July 17th, 5 PM at the annual Wells County 4-H Fair in Bluffton.

The contestants will be divided into three grade classifications: Class A, Grades 1 and 2; Class B, Grades 3 through 6; and Class C, Grades 7 through 12. Grade in school is based on January 1, year of the Fair. Within each class, participants may enter in Vocal, Instrumental, or other. All contestants must be present 4-H members.

Awards will be presented to winners in each category and the Mack Shultz Award will be presented to the top talent winner. The award is presented in memory of Mack Shultz who was a ten year 4-H member who loved music. His Air Force jet disappeared off the coast of Florida in the Bermuda Triangle. Mack was the son of Wells County resident Shirley Shultz of Jackson Township and the late Galen Shultz.

Applications are available from 4-H leaders or the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service, 1240 S. 4-H Road, Bluffton, IN 46714, 824-6412. Forms are due July 5th.

LIVESTOCK PAPERS

4-H members are reminded that they need to have the appropriate health papers in order to show their 4-H animal at 4-H and Open Livestock Shows this summer.

Most animals exhibited at livestock shows are required by law to have a health certificate completed by a veterinarian. Most certificates are good for 90 days.

It is suggested that a parents name also be on the certificate of inspection so that it can be linked with the young person on the form.

Swine exhibitors with animals from Indiana do NOT need a pseudorabies test. (A blood test is not needed.) A certificate of veterinary inspection is still required however.

Members are encouraged to take care of the health requirements early since many of the veterinarians are busy during the summer months.

This year's Wells County 4-H Fair will be held July 15 – 20. The Indiana State Fair will be held August 9 – 20. For more information about animal health requirements, refer to page 27 of the Wells County 4-H Rule Book.

If you have additional questions about the health requirements, contact the Indiana Board of Animal Health, 877-747-3038 or your local veterinarian.

LIVESTOCK ENTRIES DUE

Families interested in showing Horse & Pony, Poultry, Rabbit, Goat, and Dog in 4-H at the Indiana State Fair, August 9–20 must complete an entry form online or print a form and mail it by June 1st.

The online entry feature provides a rapid enrollment method for 4-H families who exhibit at the State Fair. The site for enrollment is: http://www.indianastatefair.com

Families that prefer to use paper forms can download from the state 4-H website at: http://www.four-h.purdue.edu Find the State Fair icon, and then click on the Entry Forms icon. State Fair Entry Forms are under "S" in the alphabetical listing and mail by July 1st. The entry date is early so that forms can be processed for the livestock shows.

An entry fee of \$15 (per specie) must accompany the entry. A fee of \$50 must accompany entries postmarked July 2. Only hand delivered entries will be accepted from August 1 until check-in time and must be accompanied by a \$50 late fee plus an additional fee of \$50 per animal.

Entry forms for Beef Cattle, Dairy Cattle, Sheep and Swine were due June 1. They will be accepted with a late fee.

Entry forms may also be obtained at the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service located at the 4-H Park in Bluffton, telephone number 260-824-6412. Office hours are 8 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday through Friday.

FATHER'S DAY CELEBRATION

Seven children and 3 special guests attended the Father's Day Celebration at the Van Buren Public Library on Friday June 16th at 10:30am to 12 noon. Each child signed in and received a picture to color for their father or their special friend. We had 3 special friends attend. Ruthie Wass had brought her special friend Karl Harte and Savannah Hancock brought her mother Truby and her little brother William. We were pleased these three guests were able to take the time to attend.

Karen read a welcome poem from the holiday book "Father's Day" by Bee Nelson. She also read the book "A Perfect Father's Day" by Eve Bunting. This book has a really cute story. These books can be found in the Children's Department of the library.

The children made cards for their fathers. They had fun as they made the puppy dog head out of construction paper, wrote a short note inside and put wiggle eyes on the face.

We played games of ring toss and bean bag toss. We also did search-a-words of family names and different kinds of automobiles. The children could take the search-a-words home and do them with their dad if they wanted.

Refreshments were brownies made by Ruthie Wass and home made cupcakes they could decorate. The library staff wants to thank Ruthie for the really delicious brownies.

Those attending were Ruthie Wass with special guest Karl Harte, Autumn Harman, Kayla Handshoe, Zach Handshoe, Caitlin Imhoff and Savannah Hancock with special guests Trudy and William Hancock.

Next story time will be Friday June 23rd from 10:30am-12:00.

The library will have a special guest Mrs. Jody Heaston here to talk about Wild Birds. Hope to see you.

LADY EAGLES AT CAMP

Home-Schooled Athletes make an impact!

Four Lady Eagles were awarded for their achievements this week at Lady Lancer Basketball Camp, Grace College, Winona Lake, IN.

Rebecca Weaver, Rebecca Daniels, Alisha Schuiteman & Catherine Weaver sweat through Lady Lancer Basketball Camp the week of June 11-15th. Megan Keller, of Huntington, and Anne LaBorde, a home-educated athlete from Paris, IL, roomed with our ladies.

Rebecca Weaver led her 5 on 5 team to a WNBA league championship with a 6-0 record and also won the league tournament. She won the One on One championship, playing undefeated through the week. She was a WNBA All-Star and nominated for M.V.P. She was runner-up in the Jump Shot tournament. She was the A&E workout Champion with 581 points. She was nominated for Best Rebounder and to the All-Defensive team.

Alisha Schuiteman placed second in the Free Throw Shooting tournament. Her 3 on 3 team came in second place. She helped her 5 on 5 WNBA team place 2nd in the league tournament. She was nominated for Best Rebounder and Most Improved Player.

Rebecca Daniels was named the WNBA Most Valuable Player. She was a WNBA All-Star. Her 3

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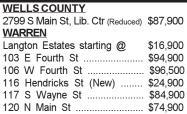
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on 3 team won the Championship. She helped her 5 on 5 WNBA team place 2nd in the league tournament. She placed second in the One on One tournament. She was nominated for Best Rebounder. She placed third in A&E workout with 518 points.

Catherine Weaver won the NCAA league Free Throw Shooting tournament and the Jump Shot tournament. She was an NCAA league All-Star and nominated for M.V.P. She helped her 5 on 5 team finish in second place in league play. She placed third in the A&E workout with 443 points. She was nominated to the All-Hustle team and to the All-Defensive team.

Megan Keller helped her WNBA 5 on 5 team finish in second place in league play. She was the 2nd faster runner in the WNBA league. She was nominated for Best Rebounder and to the All-Defensive team.

Ann LaBorde was a WNBA All-Star and was runner-up for M.V.P. She was also runner-up for Best Rebounder. She placed second in A&E workout with 579 points.

HAVE A SELL-A-BUNCH YARD SALE

A bright, sunny day for your yard sale is probably up to Mother Nature to provide. After that, however, the success of the sale is up to you. Here are a few things you can do.

- * Have music. Marketing consultants say familiar, upbeat background music encourages buying.
- * Take a tip from home furnishing retailers. Create a trail for buyers. Have them pass the lamps and low-priced objects to encourage impulse buying before they come to the furniture. Arrange your tables in a one-way corridor, or place big draws like the furniture near the road.
- * Put clothes and electronics at the rear so visitors have to pass items in the middle.
- * Put the dishes on a card table with napkins, flowers.
- * Draw attention to small wares by arranging them on tables draped in contrasting-color cloths.
- * Every item must carry a price. Have enough change.

How to improve Vacation photos

Whether you are using a \$10 disposable camera or a \$2,000 digital single-lens-reflex camera, these tips will help you improve your photos.

Follow the National Geographic rule. Photojournalism experts at San Francisco State University say 90 percent of their photographs are taken 15 minutes after sunrise and 15 minutes before sunset. The light is gorgeous and actually lasts several hours in the morning and late afternoon.

Avoid cliche pictures of sunsets, buildings, and scenery. You will enjoy the photos much more if there is a member of your party in the picture.

Get closer to the subject, then closer yet. Avoid photographing with the sunlight over your shoulder

Get candids. Take pictures of people doing something rather than posing for the camera.

BIG DECISION? SLEEP ON IT

Scientists at the University of Amsterdam find that thinking deeply about a complex problem can produce poor results. When presented with too much information, they say, people may focus on the wrong things.

The researchers found that when decisions involve only a few factors, thinking them through produces good results. For complex decisions, however, they found that delegating thinking to the unconscious produced better results. You see your way more clearly in the morning.

YOUR POTENTIAL LIFE SPAN

For \$5, you can use the "Living to 100 Health Span Calculator" at www.livingto100.com. It's based on information learned about centenarians.

Genes are a starting point (how long your parents and grandparents lived), but your behavior and attitudes can either add many years to your life or subtract many years.

You can also try the free calculator at moneycentral.msn.com.

THE BEST NUTRITIONAL BARGAINS

A study of 637 foods to determine the nutrient-to-price ratio shows that produce is on top of the list for providing essential nutrients at a reasonable price. Among the best-scoring fruits and vegetables were oranges, bananas, carrots, cabbage, zucchini, celery, onions, canned mixed vegetables, and fruit juices. Lean meat and dairy products were not far behind.

Below-average scores went to grains, meats in general, and composite dishes such as pizza or spaghetti and meatballs. The worst-scoring values in nutrients for the money were desserts and sweets. The study was reported by Tufts University.

NATURAL TOOTH WHITENER

To whiten teeth faster and cheaper, crush one strawberry (has malic acid) to a pulp, mix with 1/2 teaspoon baking powder, spread on teeth and leave for 5 minutes, then brush with toothpaste.

Too much stuff in bank boxes?

The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) says people are putting too much into their 2inch by 5-inch safe-deposit boxes. Banks now have long waiting lists for supersized boxes.

The FDIC recommends that you use your metal drawer for important documents such as birth certificates, insurance policies, car titles, and family history records, as well as a list of your account numbers.

Don't include original documents that you or others could need in an emergency when the bank is closed, such as your passport or your will.

If you store valuables like jewelry and coins, remember that the bank doesn't insure the contents of safe-deposit boxes. Hundreds of such boxes were flooded by Katrina.

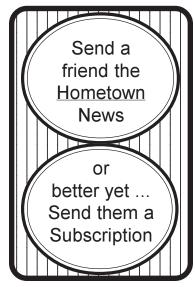
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of a cluttered mind. We have to stop and clear off the hotspot to get the clutter out of our minds so we can think.

Our poor babies deal with this problem too. They have so much stuff in their bedrooms that they don't know what to play with. Get rid of the clutter and find peace and help them to enjoy their rooms. With less stuff they will be able to better concentrate.

With fewer things we will be able to better focus on what we need to do. Get rid of your clutter and find peace in your home!

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SALADS MADE EASY

by the Dinner Diva, Leanne Ely Now is the time for all good cooks to take FULL advantage of amazing produce! You know how good for you all those wonderful, phytochemically, nutritionally rich veggies are for your health. Well, most everything is at its peak right now.

If you're a little intimidated by such a big assortment, let's start with the easy button. You don't need to know anything when you press the easy button—you just know it's going to be easy! The easy button in my book is the already bagged, ready to go stuff sitting in the refrigerated section of the produce department, just waiting to be grabbed and taken home.

All that is required is from you is to obtain the bag (eyeball it first to make sure it looks good, then check for expiration dates), pay your money (yeah, this stuff isn't the cheapest way to go, but think of it this way—potato chips cost \$2.49 a pound and provide nothing nutritionally) and go home and use it. There are usually recipes on the bag and I've got some ideas here, too, on how to use these convenient veggies.

With this stuff, it's easy to go recipe-less and build beautiful, nutrient-rich salads to suit just about everyone's palate. Just grab a bag and follow these great tips for quick and easy meals and side dishes.

*Make a slaw. You can go traditional and empty a bag of ready-to-go slaw into your salad bowl, add 1/2 cup of low-fat mayo, a teaspoon of honey, a splash of cider vinegar and you're ready to roll.

*Make ethnic slaw. For fun, use a bag of broccoli slaw instead and add 1/2 cup low-fat mayo, a splash of rice wine vinegar, a shot of sesame oil and garnish with a little chopped cilantro and honey roasted peanuts and you're good to go.

*Chips and dip. Those great, big

carrot chips are a whole lot better for you than the potato kind! Open up a bag and serve with your favorite low-fat dip instead and you'll save yourself a whole bag of calories!

*Stir it up. For a quick and easy vegetarian stirfry meal, chop some green onions and press a little garlic and put it in a wok, already heated with a little oil. Add your bag of stirfry, a dash of soy sauce, some ginger and bean sprouts and you have a good meal. Put in on brown rice and you have a great meal!

*Tofutagalong. There's tofu in the produce department! Maybe you'd like a few chunks of tofu in your stir fry? Go ahead— don't be timid. Tofu can be fun.

*Carrot slaw. Much better than the kind your school cafeteria served. Mix a bag of shredded carrots with 1/2 cup low-fat mayo, a handful of raisins and a generous pinch of chopped walnuts. Delicious!

*My favorite salad. In a large bowl, toss together from different bags, whatever you have on hand (and I use a handful of the basic greens per person to make mine): field greens, baby spinach, shredded broccoli, shredded cabbages, etc. (smaller portions of the shredded stuff). Add thinly sliced green onion, a sprinkling of pine nuts, a generous portion of sun-dried tomato feta cheese crumbles, and toss together with a simple dressing of one pressed garlic clove, two parts rice wine vinegar to one part olive oil. Toss well and let sit for just a minute for flavors to meld (but not too long otherwise your salad will be soggy).

And there you go—easy salads using your easy button. Enjoy!

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