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Thought for the Week: Sometimes the questions are complicated and the answers are simple. Dr. Seuss

GOLF FUNDRAISER

Historic Warren Main Street will be hosting a Florida Scramble Golf Tournament on Saturday, July 18th at Dogwood Glen Golf Course.

We have 15 teams and are looking forward to a great event! The proceeds will benefit Riverside Park. The Phase 3 project is the final phase and will include a large sidewalk expansion that includes landscaping and new light posts with benches and shades incorporated in with the lighting.

Historic Warren Main Street would like to thank everyone for registering their team, sponsoring a hole or donating a door prize.

Thank you to our Hole Sponsors and Door Prize Donors!

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FULL TUITION SCHOLARSHIP NOW OPEN

Applications are now being accepted by the Huntington County Community Foundation (HCCF) for the coveted Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship. And let us just say ... the application process is well worth the time invested because the recipient stands a lot to gain.

The Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship provides full tuition, required fees, and a special allocation of up to \$900 per year for required books and equipment for four years of undergraduate study on a full-time basis leading to a baccalaureate degree at any Indiana public or private

nonprofit college or university accredited by the Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

The application for the Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship can be found online at

www.huntingtonccf.org/lilly. Applications must be submitted via the online application by 11:59pm on September 1, 2020.

To be eligible for the Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship, applicants must:

* Reside in Huntington County

* Be on track to graduate by the end of June of the current school year with a diploma from an accredited Indiana high school or home school program

* Be planning to pursue a full-time baccalaureate course of study beginning next fall as a first-time freshman at an accredited public or private college or university

* Agree to being interviewed by the HCCF Scholarship Committee

Applicants will be evaluated on the following criteria:

- 1) Demonstration of academic ability to successfully complete his/her chosen degree program,
- 2) Potential to be a first-generation college graduate who, without financial assistance, would otherwise

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RIVERSIDE PARK CONCERT SATURDAY JULY 18TH

This Saturday will be our 2nd concert of the Warren Chamber of Commerce 2020 Concert Series! Attaboy will be at Riverside Park from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Saturday, July 18th.

Attaboy is sponsored by Historic Warren Main Street. Riverside Park is located in downtown Warren 126 E. First Street. Enjoy this outdoor concert at our beautiful park in downtown Warren. The park has a large grass area for chairs and blankets and we will be asking all golf carts to park to the east side along Main Street. Main Street will be blocked off, no vehicles allowed during the concert. A parking lot is located across the street if you would like to enjoy the music from your car. Attaboy is a Billboard charting Pop-Rock band that has performed their energetic live show throughout North America and Europe. Please remember that Riverside Park is a NON-Smoking venue and please, NO pets. Enjoy dinner before the concert! You will find Bravo's Mexican Restaurant, East of Chicago, Wagon Wheel, & Son-Rise Bakery all located in the downtown area and Golfo di Napoli is located north of Warren on State Road 5. This is a free community event sponsored by Historic Warren Main Street.

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Oops I forgot something last week. I was trying to get the rummage sale cleaned up, working, packing, and getting all the last minute things for our vacation that when we were heading down the road I remembered I forgot something. So I'll try to do better this week. Lol

Our vacation to Pennsylvania was a great time. We went out to defend our title of runner up in "best truck 1997 to present" award we won in Indy last year. We really wanted to win in Bloomsburg and we did!! So now I have another plaque to dust, but the feeling is great. We show the Jeep in a street zero category. Which means everything is street legal and minimal on modifications to the Jeep. So technically when its all said and done, there were only 3 other trucks better than ours. That is the champion and runner up and then the winner of the best truck 1997 to present and then us as runner up. But just guessing there was probably around 50 to 75 trucks in our street zero class. So we were happy campers and yes we did our best to social distance while there. I was very impressed because a lot of us did as well as the people with paid admissions to come and see all the trucks.

As most of you know I got to meet up with the one and only Dennis Anderson. Dennis is the former driver of the monster truck "Grave Digger" and that was the highlite of the trip. And no we did not social distance... If you ever get the chance to go to Kill Devil Hills North Carolina, be sure you stop by and check it out. There is only one way in and one way out so you will go right by it. They have their garage there and also an obstacle course that you can load up in the back of Grave Digger and they take you out back and run the course. They give ya a thrill you wont forget.

Well that about sums up the weekend. It's a long drive but we did it and I really don't foresee us doing it again, but who knows what the future will bring when you show trucks at truck shows. Definitely Lima Ohio and Indianapolis are always on the schedule. Also as always we will be at the Salamonie Summer Festival Car Show and I'll send the plaques too so everyone can see them, which by the way is August 22nd. So mark your calendars, it's gonna be a great day with all kinds of festival things going on. Hope to see you all there.

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 SR 218, 2 1/8 mile west of Poneto
 Steve Sutton, Pastor
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 Sunday Worship..... 10:30a.m.
 Thursday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.
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 Worship 10:15a.m.
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 Wed. Choir 6:30p.m.
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 3rd Sat Mens Prayer Breakfast 8:00 am
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 Sunday Worship..... 10:30 am
 Sunday School Classes 9:30 am
 Sunday Adult Bible Study..... 6:00 pm
 Thurs. Bible Study 7:00 pm



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AREA NEWS

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not likely be able to attend college,

3) Display of achievements in academics, extracurricular activities, community service, and employment/internships, 4) Exhibition of good character, maturity, and leadership abilities, and 5) Interest in improving the quality of life in Indiana, with a willingness to return to Indiana after completing degree work and/or to promote the value of a college education by serving as a spokesperson in our community.

Since 1998, Lilly Endowment has worked with community foundations across Indiana, providing scholarship programs that have assisted nearly 5,000 Indiana high school graduates in pursuing baccalaureate degrees at Indiana colleges and universities.

The primary purposes of the Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship Program are to help raise the level of educational attainment in Indiana, and to increase awareness of the beneficial roles Indiana community foundations can play in their communities. The scholarship also encourages and supports the efforts of current and past Lilly Endowment Community Scholars to engage with each other and with Indiana business, governmental, educational, nonprofit and civic leaders to improve the quality of life in Indiana generally and in local communities throughout the state.

For more information, contact the HCCF office by calling 260-356-8878, or send an email to Jo Ellen Bradley at jo@huntingtonccf.org.

The Huntington County Community Foundation is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization that is built to be a funding hub for all charitable organizations and causes within Huntington County. Its mission is to connect people and resources with opportunities that enhance quality of life for all. For more information about the Huntington County Community Foundation, please visit huntingtonccf.org.

COUNCIL MINUTES

The Town Council of the Town of Warren met Monday, July 13, 2020 in a Regular Meeting at Assembly Hall, Council Meeting Room, 131 N. Wayne Street, in accordance with rules of Council and applicable law.

Those present were: Town Council, Ethan Stivers, Carrie Miller, Steve Buzzard, Tavis Surfus (Absent): Clerk-Treasurer, Marilyn Morrison; Employees, Lee Poulson, Ty Surfus, Dennis Spitler, and others.

President Stivers announced the opening of the meeting at 5:00 p.m.

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of June 19 were approved as submitted:

Agenda items reports were as follows:

Survey of Scout Cabin Land tentatively scheduled for July 17th or following week.

Meeting to be scheduled with Salamonie Township

Advisory Board and Trustee to discuss Fire Contract issues on Monday, July 20th at 5:00 PM if possible.

DNR Grant – No Update.

OCRA Grant (Water Project) – Award is scheduled for August 6th by the Office of Community and Rural Affairs.

Reviewed was a quote for a Sterling Bucket Truck. As there was only one quote submitted, by consensus, Council requested at least one more.

The Compliance Engineer reported that information from Golfo had not been submitted as requested so another request had been made. Information was then received.

An Executive Meeting was set for 4:00 PM on Monday, July 20th regarding the proposed hiring of an Operations Manager.

The transfer to Wolverine Power from AEP has been completed with FERC filing.

The first billing notice has been received and forwarded to the Financial Consultant for review.

Ordinance 2020-3 Public Hearing has been rescheduled for August 10th.

Stivers moved, seconded by Buzzard, to approve Resolution 3-2020, A Resolution Regarding Purchase of Property. The motion was approved unanimously. Buzzard moved, seconded by Miller, to approve the signing of a Purchase Agreement by

Stivers for purchase of a property on Eleventh Street.

The motion was approved unanimously. Morrison submitted a list of contractors to be contacted regarding the demolition of a trailer and clearing of the property as purchased with all contractors being within Huntington County.

INDOT has notified that the Town is not in compliance with ADA Policy. Morrison had requested and had received some instruction from the contact person. The project must be completed by the end of the year.

Miller moved, seconded by Buzzard, that a Stormwater Utility be established. The motion was approved unanimously.

Morrison reported two Requests for Proposals had been submitted to Insurance Companies (Benefit Coverage) with an additional three companies to be contacted.

Work on the 2021 Municipal Budget continues. A delay by the State in opening the portal has delayed input of the budget into the system. The Utility Office is following the Governor's order for disconnects. There are approximately ten accounts that are at least three months delinquent with five of those accounts \$1000 or more. Unless the Governor extends the disconnect order for another month, those

accounts will be due in August.

Marshal Spitler announced that Cole Lahr, Part-Time Deputy, had resigned leaving an opening. Stivers moved, seconded by Buzzard to replace a Car Computer at the cost of \$1400. The motion was approved unanimously.

Poulson, as Fire Chief, reviewed the monthly report.

By consensus, Council approved the appointments of Jared Coolman and Clinton Rosen to the Department. The Community was thanked for the support of the recent Fund Raiser which raised over \$8500.

Poulson, as Utility Manager, reviewed the monthly report.

The Nancy Street Lift Station pumps had failed so a stop gap measure is in place until the new motors are delivered. So far there has been no interruption in the pumping status. The recent cleanup resulted in five loads being collected. Due to the plans for the Trailer Court by the new owners, electric service upgrade will need to be done and the ten year sewer plant upgrade plan is being finalized.

The next Regular Meeting of Council will be August 10th.

An Executive Meeting is scheduled for 4:00 PM on Monday, July 20 followed by a Special Meeting at 5:00 PM if possible.

Community Calendar

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

July 18	7 pm	Attaboy Concert @ Riverside Park
July 31	7 pm	The Bulldogs Concert @ Riverside Park
Aug 6-8		Van Buren Popcorn Festival
Aug 15	7 pm	Greg Rhodes Concert @ Riverside park
Aug 28	7 pm	Kenny Taylor Concert @ Riverside Park
Sep 25	7 pm	Cook & Belle Concert @ Riverside Park

Bread of Life Food Pantry - Wed 2 - 4:00pm & 6 - 8:00p.m. at KBC
Bargain Basement - Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KBC ; **Cancer Support Group** - 3rd Tuesday 6:30-8p.m. at Bluffton Regional South Campus
These Events Can Also Be Found at www.warrenweeklyindiana.com



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PARKVIEW PEDIATRIC

The Parkview Pediatric Developmental Center is now open to help children and families understand and manage developmental delays, including autism and other conditions. The center, which opened to patients today, is located on the Parkview Regional Medical Center campus at 11141 Parkview Plaza Drive, Suite 210, Fort Wayne.

Serving children from birth to age 18, the Parkview Pediatric Developmental Center uses a team approach to evaluate and diagnose autism and other developmental delays as early as possible. Providers include a pediatric developmental physician, child psychologist, speech and occupational therapists, mental health therapist and nurse practitioners.

"For children with developmental delays, early intervention is key to helping them live a more enriched life," said Patti Brahe, senior vice president, Parkview Women's & Children's service line. "By providing family-centered care, we can help children and their loved ones better manage their unique needs, and help set them up for later success in school, the workplace and their community."

Specialized services at the Parkview Pediatric Developmental Center

include: Occupational and speech therapy, Mental health counseling, Child psychology services, Floor time therapy, Additional testing, and A neonatal intensive care unit (NICU) follow-up clinic

Like all Parkview Health facilities, the center is following safety guidelines to minimize exposure to COVID-19, including enhanced cleaning procedures, staggered appointment times and social distancing measures.

To make an appointment or learn more about the center, call 260-266-5400. Please note some patients may require a referral from their pediatrician.

BETA DELTA CHAPTER

Beta Delta Chapter of Sigma Phi Gamma International Sorority met Tuesday July 7th at the Knight-Bergman Civic Center.

Susan Ralston, President opened the meeting with 15 members repeating our Pledge. Roll call was answered by "Fireworks – yay or nay".

Minutes from the June Business meeting were read by Susan. Other members present were: Claudia Boxell, Dawn Ellis, Suzette Gephart, Carol Irick, Kelly Jones, Tara Korporal, Beth Ostermeyer, Jenny Plummer, Janice Ramp, Pam Rudy, Jan Scher, Victoria Thompson, Betty Yoder and

Sondra Zabel. Jenny read the treasurer's report.

Kelly, Organizer, read correspondence from Province Organizer, Judi Keiffer. Service Secretary, Tara, requested birthday money and any hours to report. Beth, Editor,

requested information for the Alpha Bits, Province News letter. Social Secretary, Sondra reported that our social will be July 21st at 6:30 at the Knight-Bergman Civic Center for Installation of Officers. Finance Chairman, Carol, brought up that we probably need to try a money maker. We decided to do a Drive-thru luncheon Sunday August 16th from 11 to 1. We are having pulled pork, cole slaw, chips and a sweet treat.

Susan read correspondence from Nancy Easterday, Province President. Nancy informed us that at the Alpha Province Picnic August 15th Installation of Officers, Founders Day and Memorial Service will be preformed.

Correspondence from Linda Bullington, International President letting us know that the International Officers for 2020-2021 are Linda Bullington, President, Jill Pyclik, Vice President, Beth Beckham, Organizer, Pat Drexler, Service Secretary, Betty Sprunger, Editor and Sandy Morris, Counselor.

Bills were presented and motioned to me paid. Jenny closed the meeting with prayer.

Our next business meeting will be September 1st at the Knight-Bergman Civic Center

THURSDAY GOLF

Thursday July 9th Golf League Results :

1st Place : John Vickrey, Clyde Smith, and Dean Lemler posted a -5 score of 31

2nd Place : Jack Harmon, Clyde Griffith, and Rich Batterson posted a -3 score of 33

(Backed up from #6 hole for tie breaker)

Closest to #3 pin winner : Max Spahr

Closest to #6 pin winner : Larry Trout

Longest Drive on #7 (over 70) winner : Larry Trout

Thanks to "Apache Propane" for sponsoring the winning prize golf balls. There were 26 players this week, with Clyde Griffith, Dean Lemler, Rich Borrer, and Dennis Thornton winning the lucky number door prizes.

Remember: Sign up begins @ 8:30 with tee-off @ 9:00. Everyone is Welcome !

AN ALASKAN & YUKON TRIP DAY # 6

by Larry Ryan

The best and most accessible route to Dawson City in the Yukon Territory from Fairbanks was by airplane. We took off at 9:45 am. in an Air North jet. The jetliner traveled southeast and arrived at our destination at 11:40 am. This required a one hour time change with our wristwatches.

The aircraft crossed the Yukon River and landed on a gravel air strip! Prior to touchdown, we saw what appeared to be a "Top of the World Highway." It was! The road followed mountain ridges northward but bypassed Dawson City. Land travelers had to use a ferry boat to cross the river to gain access into the town.

Dawson City has a population of 2,000. Gold mining in the area is still the # 1 business with tourism coming in second. Its main highway through town is Front Street which is a composition of clay, small rocks and sand packed together firmly. The remaining streets are composed of gravel and dirt.

Our hotel room was across the mostly, muddy street from the main building. It looked like a Wild West town as seen in cowboy movies.

The silt from the White River previously mixed with the same muddy type material from the adjacent Yukon River created a notable, visible phenomenon when that water came into contact at the confluence with the clear, ice melt water from the Klondike River. The two waterways did not mix well! They remained separated for several miles. Cold too!

We were bussed out to the Eldorado, Bonanza, and Gold Bottom Creek tributaries of the Klondike River to view gold mining areas. Gold nuggets were first discovered in Eldorado Creek in 1896.

Piles and piles of dredged rock were noticeably present today. Most gold is found on top of bedrock which can be 25 feet below the surface.

When panning, gold flakes are 19 times more dense than soil, so they fall to the bottom of the pan. All you prospectors know that!

Eventually, large companies came in and bought most of the claims. Floating dredges stopped operating in the mid 50's. Afterwards dredging was done with backhoe equipment which was not very efficient in picking up small gold flakes.

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GENEALOGY REPORT

LAFEVERS

Barbara K. LaFevers, 62, of rural Keystone, IN, and with family in Warren, died Wednesday evening, July 8, 2020, at her daughter's residence in Wells County.

Mrs. LaFevers worked at several places in Bluffton before becoming a stay-at-home mom and homemaker.

She was born April 12, 1958, in Stanford, KY, to Walter and Martha Begley Humphrey, and her mother survives in Bluffton. She married Larry L. LaFevers on Jan. 15, 1974, and he also survives.

Additional survivors include three daughters, Darniel Watkins, of Florida, Keri (Jason Riesen) LaFevers of Vera Cruz, and Lori (Clayton Holcomb) LaFevers of Warren; two sons, Jason LaFevers of Keystone and Adam LaFevers of Texas; four brothers, Hargis Humphrey of Ossian, Mark (Marie) Humphrey of Bluffton, Kenny Humphrey of Bluffton, and Wayne Humphrey of Bluffton; a sister, Mary Lou (Bill) Conrad of Swayze; eight granddaughters, Kylie (Rob) Rolston, Tiffany Watkins, Stacia Harnish, Heather Watkins, Katie Downing, Jolie and Jasmine Gray, and Lena Holcomb; a grandson, Harley Holcomb; and two great-grandsons.

Private family services are being held. Goodwin – Cale & Harnish Memorial Chapel in Bluffton has been entrusted with the arrangements.

Memorial are to Cancer Services of NE Indiana, 6316 Mutual Drive, Fort Wayne, IN, 46825.

HOLMES

Dale Edwin Holmes, 91, of Lexington passed away peacefully on Thursday, July 9, 2020, at Fulton County Medical Center in Wauseon, Ohio.

Dale was born in Vincennes, IN on July 26, 1928, to the late Yearsley and Ethel (Chaney) Holmes. He married Mary M. (Yentes) Holmes on January 14, 1950 and she preceded him in death on July 1, 2011.

Dale attended Crossroads Church in Mansfield and formerly attended Community Church of Sun City Center in Florida. He was a man of faith, which he passed along to his children. During family gatherings, Dale was always appointed to say the prayer before the meal.

Dale met his wife, Mary at Kitchen Maid in Andrews, IN. He then worked at Eckman Implements/John Deere in Warren, IN. From 1966-1974, Dale was the Head Golf Professional at Hart Golf Course in Marion, IN. He moved to Wauseon, OH and worked along with his wife as the Golf Pro from 1975 until his retirement in 1990. Retiring to Florida, he enjoyed giving lessons at the Ben Sutton Golf School in Sun City Center, FL. In 2006, Dale moved to Lexington, OH where he most recently worked at Deer Ridge Golf Course. He was a retired lifetime member of the PGA and a pro golfer. He had a passion for teaching his family and children the game of golf. An avid sports fan, Dale played fast pitch softball in his younger years. He would watch almost any sporting event but loved cheering for the St. Louis Cardinals. It might even become a little heated when they played Mary's favorite team, the Chicago Cubs! Most of all, Dale enjoyed spending time with his family.

Dale is survived by his son, Thomas (Janice) Holmes of Winchester, Kentucky; his daughters, Debbie (Cam) Linton of Mansfield and Gloria (Royce) Kuntz of Wauseon; his grandchildren, Chad (Ashlee) Linton, Wes (Christy) Linton, Jason (Julie) Holmes, Melissa (John) Bauknight, and Grace Kuntz; his great-grandchildren, Trace Linton (fiancé Jenna Dezio), Callee Linton, Ava Holmes, Owen Holmes, Jack Bauknight; sister-in-law, Mary Emma Holmes; brothers-in-law, Gerald and Nelson Yentes; as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents and wife, Dale was preceded in death by a brother Donald Holmes; his sisters, Alene McGowen, Nondas Shaffer, Isabelle Daugherty, Martha Daugherty, and Betty Blinn; his brothers-in-law, Haskiel Daugherty, Mac McGowen, Lawrence Blinn, John Shaffer, and Garl Daugherty.

Friends may call on Saturday, July 18, 2020, from 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm at Schneider-Gompf Funeral Home, 303 Portland Way North, Galion. Funeral services will follow at 2:00 pm on Saturday, July 18, 2020, at Schneider-Gompf Funeral Home, Galion with Elder Mike Fike officiating. Burial will follow in Lexington Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made directly to The First Tee of Lake Erie and Boys and Girls Club, P.O. Box 35142, Toledo, OH 43635, or by giving.promedica.org/gft, designating Dale Holmes Memorial Fund, or through Schneider-Gompf Funeral Home.

GEHLHAUSEN

Benjamin Carl Gehlhausen, age 30 of Marion passed away at his childhood home on Friday, July 10, 2020 surrounded by family.

Ben was born August 12, 1989 in Marion, Indiana the son of Francis "Frank" and Ann (Hamilton) Gehlhausen. His parents survive.

Ben graduated from Marion High School in 2008 and then attended Ball State University. He was a machinist at Auto Tech in Marion. He was an avid soccer player and passionate about cars, especially his Mustang. Ben enjoyed golfing and watching Chicago Cubs games with his Dad.

Additional survivors include siblings, Heather (John) Karst of Roanoke and Douglas (Chrissy) Hipkind of Huntington; several nieces and nephews, William (Alexis) Ray Jr. of Texas, Mariah (Spencer) Massey of Warren, Crystal (Michael) Kish of Huntington, Drew Ray, Anthony Hipkind, and Anne Marie Smith, all of Huntington. Ben was also a

great uncle to 6 great-nieces and 3 great-nephews.

He was also preceded in death by his grandparents, Clair and Mary Ellen Hamilton and Richard and Benita Gehlhausen.

The family would like to thank the doctors and nurses that cared for Ben during this trying time, until his last breath, Progressive Cancer Care and Visiting Nurse & Family Life Hospice.

Friends and family may call from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 16, 2020 at Raven-Choate Funeral Home, 1202 W. Kem Road, Marion, Indiana. Visitation will also take place from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. on Friday, July 17, 2020 in the funeral home. Funeral Services will begin at 11:00 a.m. with Reverend Tom Mansbarger officiating. Burial will take place in Gardens of Memory Cemetery, Marion (Huntington County), Indiana immediately following funeral services.

Memorial contributions may be made to Cancer Services of Grant County, 305 S. Norton Avenue Tower Suites, Marion, Indiana 46952.

LANDRUM

Robert "Bob" Eugene Landrum, age 76, of Warren (Jackson Twp. Wells County, IN, died Friday, July 10, 2020, at his home with his family by his side.

He was born the son of the late Louis Landrum and the late Naomi (Sapp) Landrum on September 18, 1943 in Decatur, IN. He married Deb Cowens November 25, 1980 in Wells County. Bob had a love for cars, the faster the better, NASCAR, working on cars with his son, car restoration, canning and good food. He formerly owned Landrum's Body Shop in Bluffton and retired from Star Excavating in Bippus, where he was a heavy machine operator.

Loving survivors include his wife, Deb, four sons, Todd Landrum of Berne, IN, Todd Sutton of Warren, IN, Joey Sutton of Glencoe, KY and Shawn Landrum of Palm Bay, FL and Three daughters, Tami Groce of Columbia City, IN,

Trisha Scheumann of Decatur, IN and Lisa Fuksa of Fruitport, MI. Bob is also survived by a brother, Ron Landrum of Wolcottville, IN and his precious dog, Kattie.

His brothers Dick, Roger, and Bill, preceded him in death.

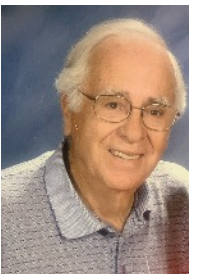
The family will receive friends from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM on Sunday, July 12, 2020, at McNatt United Methodist Church, 9183 W 800 S-90, Warren, Indiana. A service to celebrate Bob's life will follow at 6:00 PM with Pastor Bill Van Haften officiating.

Arrangements are being handled by Glancy-H. Brown & Son Funeral Home in Warren, Indiana.

Memorial contributions may be sent to Heart to Heart Hospice Foundation, 1385 N. Baldwin Ave, Marion, IN 46952.

SHAW

Lynn Scott Shaw, 87, of Warren, Indiana, died on Sunday, July 12, 2020 at Heritage Pointe in Warren.



He was born on April 2, 1933 in Huntington County to Ora "Dutch" & Evelyn (Scott) Shaw. Lynn was a 1951 graduate of Jefferson High School and joined the US Army shortly after high school in 1953. While serving his country, he married Mary Stanley on April 3, 1953. Upon that marriage he joined the large Stanley family, where he gained 10 sisters and 6 brothers. Lynn graduated from Indiana Barber School and owned and operated "Lynn's Barber Shop" in Mt. Etna for many years. He also spent several years as a painter in the Huntington County area. He was a member of the National Dutch Rabbit Association, the Mt. Etna United Methodist Church and the Mt. Etna Masonic Lodge. Lynn and his wife Mary loved to travel and had visited 48 states, and would winter in Arcadia, Florida.

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Loving survivors include his wife of 67 years, Mary Stanley Shaw of Warren, IN, three sons, Barry Shaw of LaFontaine, IN, Brad (Linda) Shaw of LaFontaine, IN and Tracy (Jessica) Shaw of Fort Wayne, IN and a daughter, Denise (Lee) Sheehan of Decatur, IN. He is also survived by a sister, Marjory Shaw of Warsaw, IN, 7 grandchildren Angie Leichty, Andrew Shaw, Adam (Danielle) Shaw, Aaron Shaw, Jacob Shaw, John Shaw and Nolan Shaw, 7 great-grandchildren Brooke Leichty (Wyatt Cocklin), Keenan Leichty, Kate Leichty, Gabrielle Leichty, Paisley Shaw, Addilynn Shaw, and Emiline Shaw, 2 great-great-grandchildren Audra Cocklin and Adrienne Cocklin, and chosen children Tim Sneed, Diane Shaw, Jenny Shafer, and Steen Risager.

He was preceded in death by his parents, brother Meredith Shaw and one infant grandson.

The family will receive friends from 3:00 PM to 7:00 PM with Masonic Services beginning at 6:30pm, on Wednesday, July 15, 2020, at Glancy - H. Brown & Son Funeral Home, 203 N Matilda St., Warren, Indiana. Funeral Services will be at 11:00 AM Thursday, July 16, 2020 at Glancy - H. Brown & Son Funeral Home, viewing will be held one hour prior to the service. Pastor Mike Gallant will be officiating and burial will follow at Mt. Etna Cemetery, in Mt. Etna, Huntington County, IN.

Memorial contributions may be sent to Mt. Etna United Methodist Church, 6383 W. - 600 S. Huntington 46750.

MCCAMMON

John E. McCammon, 96 of Warren, Indiana died on Monday, July 13, 2020, at his daughter's home with his family by his side.

Born Tuesday, August 28, 1923 in Blackford County, Indiana, he was the son of the late Gettys Martin

McCammon and the late Nova Evon McCammon. John attended Montpelier High School where he graduated in 1943. On May 7, 1943 he married his first wife, the late Thanamae (Ford) McCammon, who passed on March 31, 1997. John married his second wife on October 3, 1998, the late Ruth Baker McCammon, who passed away on May 6, 2001. He then married his third wife, D. "Ann" Miles McCammon of Warren on February 2, 2002, who survives.

John enjoyed gardening and pencil collecting. He was a member of the Solid Rock United Methodist Church in Warren, Indiana. He was a Jackson Township farmer, member of the Gideon's Society and worked for the Wells County Highway Department for 17 years.

Survivors include his wife D. "Ann" McCammon of Warren, sons, Larry (Terri) McCammon of Hartford City, Tony (Garnet) McCammon of Circleville, OH and Stan (Chrissy) McCammon of Chambersburg, PA, daughters, Mrs. Bob "Connie" Johnson of Marion, IN, and Mrs. Jim "Dottie" Irwin of Warren, brother, Darrell (Pat) McCammon of Hartford City, sister, Betty Hoeksema of Oxford, MI. He is also survived by his step-daughters Susan Carey of Farmland, Mary Kay Wimmer of Greenwood, and Marsha Gehring of Tocsin, stepsons Paul Baker of Fairmount, Kevin Miles of Michigan and Mike Miles of North Carolina. He also leaves behind 22 grandchildren, 54 great-grandchildren and several great-great-grandchildren.

He was predeceased by brothers, Murl McCammon and Bill McCammon, sisters, Edna Shadle and Evelyn McCammon, and wives Thanamae Ford McCammon and Ruth Baker McCammon.

The family will receive friends from 12:00 PM to 3:00 PM on Wednesday, July 15, 2020, at Walker & Glancy Funeral Home, 109 W Windsor St, Montpelier with a service to follow at 3:00 PM with the Rev. Stan

McCammon officiating. Interment will be in I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Montpelier, IN.

Memorial contributions may be sent to: Bread Of Life Food Pantry P.O. Box 574 Warren, IN 46792 or Gideons International 1313 S 2nd St. Upland, IN 46989.

STANLEY

Joseph William Stanley, 66, of rural Warren, IN, passed away unexpectedly early on



Monday morning, July 6, 2020 in rural Warren, IN.

He was born on Friday, March 12, 1954, in Huntington Co., IN. Joe was a 1972 graduate of Lancaster High School. He retired from T.I. Automotive in Ossian as a fork truck driver. He enjoyed building model planes and flying them, being outside surrounded by nature and always had a soft spot for his dogs and cats.

Loving survivors: Wife - Lynnette (Fry) Stanley, Warren, IN, Step Son - Daniel A. (Aimee) DeGroff, Federal Way, WA, Step Daughter - Sara Knaub, Markle, IN, Grandchildren - Ethan & Korbin, Brothers - Denny (Karen) Stanley, Ossian, IN and Jerry (Brenda) Stanley, Indianapolis, IN.

He was preceded in death by her: Father - John Stanley and Mother - Bonnie (Hickman) Stanley.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember at Glancy - H. Brown & Son Funeral Home 203 N Matilda St. Warren on Friday, July 10, 2020 from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM.

Preferred memorials: Huntington County Human Society, 390 Thurman Poe Way, Huntington, IN 46750

HERRICK

John R. Herrick, 83 of Ossian, IN passed away at his home on Sunday, July 12, 2020



with many of his family members by his side.

Farmer John was born August 31, 1936 in Bluffton,

IN to Othal D. and Charlotte J. married on December 27, 1984 in Wells County, IN. They have been together for 44 years.

John served in the U.S. Marine Corp from 1958 to 1961. He worked at Corning Glass in Bluffton, IN and then at General Motors (Fisher Body) in Marion, IN until his retirement in 2001. Farmer John and Karen (Helms) Herrick met in 1976 and were

Farmer enjoyed being in the woods. He spent his time doing work with his backhoe and clearing trails. He also enjoyed raising and showing Nigerian Dwarf dairy goats

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for 15 years. Farmer and Karen met many different families through attending goat shows that they considered to be family.

Farmer is survived by his wife, Karen, daughters Nancy (Jody) Bowman of Phoenix, AZ, Amy (Rob) Seewald of Etna Green, IN and son Daniel (Teri) Moon of Uniondale, IN. Along with grandchildren Beth (Brad) Troyer of Goshen, IN, Brittany (Matt) Ely of Wakarusa, IN, Anna Seewald of Etna Green, IN, Lisa Bowman of Atlanta, GA, Hannah Bowman of Phoenix, AZ, Seth Moon of Markle, IN, Kody Moon of Markle IN, Dalton (Logan) Warren of Fort Wayne, IN, Karlee Warren of Fort Wayne, IN, Mitch Warren of Fort Wayne, IN, and two great grandchildren Braxton and Bailey Troyer of Goshen, IN and several nieces, nephews and in-laws.

John was preceded in death by his parents, two sisters, Barbara Meyer and Bonnie Hall and a nephew, Jeff Meyer.

The safety of the family and all visitors are our utmost priority. For everyone's safety, we ask that you practice social distancing and masks are optional during your visit. We appreciate your cooperation and patience.

Visitation will be held on Friday, July 17, 2020 from 4 to 8 P.M. at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton, IN.

Services will be held at 10 A.M. on Saturday, July 18, 2020 at the funeral home with calling for one hour prior to the service. John's son-in-law, Rev. Rob Seewald will officiate the service. Burial will take place

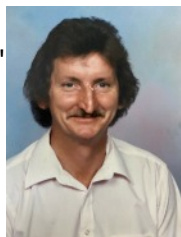
at Horeb Cemetery in Uniondale, IN at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Visiting Nurse Foundation, 5910 Homestead Road, Fort Wayne, IN 46814.

PADGETT

Jerry "Don" Padgett, 75, of Liberty Twp., Bluffton, IN, passed away on Monday, July 13, 2020 at his home in rural Bluffton, IN.

He was born on Monday, July 9, 1945, in Cumberland County, Tennessee to the late A.G. & Avo (Todd) Padgett. He married Kathy Diane (Mansbarger) Padgett on Saturday, August 4, 1990 in Montpelier, IN. Don moved to Indiana in 1962. He worked at Sheller Globe in Montpelier for 27 years. He enjoyed golfing, bowling, gardening, and woodworking.

Loving survivors: Wife - Kathy Diane (Mansbarger) Padgett, Bluffton, IN, Son - Donnie (Kim) Padgett, Montpelier, IN, Son - Ronnie (Stacy) Padgett, Yorktown, IN, Daughter - Stephanie (David) Herschberger, Peru, IN, Son - Jeremy Padgett, Kendallville, IN, Daughter - Brenda Padgett, IN, Daughter - Peggy (Chris) Langley, Portland, TN, Son - Lance (Kristin) Schlechty, Portland, TN, Sister - Ruth (Minnis) Vaughn, Monterey, TN, Sister - Ada (Jr) Masters, Monterey, TN, Sister - Darlene Padgett, Lakeland, FL, Sister - Mary Padgett, Knoxville, TN, Sister-Ethel (Paul) Lester, Yorktown, IN, Sister - Trisha (Rick) Padgett, Celina, OH, Brother - Roy (Wanza) Padgett, Dunkirk, IN, Brother - Millard Padgett, Lakeland, FL, Brother - John Padgett,



Muncie, IN, Brother - Van (Rose) Padgett, Hartford City, IN, Brother - Jimmie Padgett, Dunkirk, IN, Brother - Sam Padgett, Celina, OH, 13 Grandchildren, 2 Great Grandchildren and 1 heavenly angel.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember at Walker & Glancy Funeral Home 109 W Windsor St Montpelier on Thursday, July 16, 2020 from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM. In honoring Don's wishes there will be no funeral service. Interment will take place at a later date in the McFarren Cemetery in rural Wells County, IN.

RAMSEYER

Arthur Y. "Art" Ramseyer, 82, of Liberty Center, passed away Saturday morning, July 11, 2020, at his residence.

He was born Aug. 17, 1937, in Wells County, to Harry and Violet Mae Slater Ramseyer. Art attended Petroleum High School. He served his country in the Army National Guard from 1955 until 1961. He was a self-employed trucker for the construction union and retired in January 2000.

Art was a member of the Eagles and the Moose Lodge in Bluffton.

Survivors include his adopted daughter, Lisa Whitesell of Florida, and a son, James "Jim" Ramseyer of Bluffton, along with many grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren. He is also survived by a special friend, Ruth Miller of Liberty Center. Art is survived by his sisters, Shirley (Kai) Berry and Velma "Sis" Grover of Keystone, and an adopted brother, Dale Slater of Wells County.

He is preceded in death by his parents; a son, Brian Ramseyer; and four brothers, Norman Ramseyer, Jim Ramseyer, Sonny Ramseyer, and Dwayne Ramseyer.

As Art requested, there will be no services held at this time. Memorials may be made to the family. Arrangements have been

entrusted to the care of the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton.

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Current physical resources use "shifters, rocker and sluice boxes" to isolate flakes from the soil. Now you have something new to store in your brain.

After the 1950's, trees were cut and burned alongside the streams to melt the permafrost so that dredging could dig deeper. However this method could only thaw 1-2 feet per day. The rivers freeze by October, so mining activity is limited to the summer period naturally.

Before returning to Dawson City, we were escorted by our bus to the top of Solomon's Dome. This was a large, rounded, balding, 3,800 feet, elevated rock structure that overlooked the diminutive town from its vantage point. A great view! However, I did not see the

North Pole. Yes, there was room enough for the bus to turn around and nobody slid off the dome!

The entertainment for the evening was attending a nearby saloon and watching people kiss a sour toe! Yes, a human toe! This kissing is followed by chugging a gulp of whiskey. It is a local tradition. You also receive a certificate stating that you have joined "The Sour Toe Cocktail Club." However the cost is \$ 1.00. Call me a cheapskate but, I did not participate nor receive a certificate. Watching from a distance was close enough.

At one time in the past, the toe was either lost or swallowed and a declaration was established that only Canadian toes were eligible to be used as a replacement! Whew! My toes were safe.

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