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Thought for the Week: Music is the wine that fills the cup of silence. Robert Fripp

Dog Club

The Grant County 4-H Waggin Tails Dog Clubwill have a parent's meeting on Monday, January 21, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. in the small room of the Community Building, 4-H Fairgrounds.

At the meeting the vaccination certificates, class enrollments and 4-H enrollments will be available.

4-H Dog Trainings will be held on Tuesday nights beginning January 29, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. at the 4-H Fairgrounds for the 2013 4-H year.

If you are interested in the 4-H Dog Project for the 2013 4-H year please try to attend this meeting.

CASINO TRIP

Popeye's Adventures is planning a trip to Firekeepers Casino in Battle Creek, Mi on Saturday, Feb 2. Cost for the trip will be \$30 with the casino giving \$20 in slot play and \$5 for food. Pickup will be at the old Comfort Inn parking lot in Warren and Walmart parking lotin Marion. For reservations call Steve at 260-413-9274 or Suzette at 260-375-4130.

CATTLEMEN TO MEET

The Huntington County Cattlemen are scheduled to meet on Thursday January 17th at 7:00 p.m. at the Huntington County Courthouse Annex (first floor). Topics for discussion include planning for the 2013 Preview Show and officer elections.

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

BB & RIFLE SAFETY

The Wells County 4-H Shooting Sports Program will begin Tuesday, January 22, 6:30 – 8 PM with BB Gun and Rifle Safety Sign Up. BB & Rifle Safety will continue each Tuesday, 6:30 – 8:30 PM at the Wells County 4-H Park in Bluffton. The Awards Night for BB & Rifle will be held on April 2nd.

Safety instruction, handling procedures, shooting skills and hands on experience will be included in the Wells County 4-H BB Gun & .22 Caliber Rifle Safety Program.

Youth in grades 3, 4, and 5 can participate in BB Gun. Youth in grades 6 and above can participate in Rifle.First time members who are old enough for Rifle will be required to pass a shooting skills proficiency test which reviews the positions and range safety procedures.

Members are not allowed to bring their own equipment. Advanced registration is not required. Sign up will be at the first meeting. All participants must have a completed and signed health form before participating in the hands-on activity.

The adult club leaders are 4-H certified safety instructors.

Youth may become 4-H members when they enter third grade and may continue their membership through the completion of grade 12. Each individual may continue membership for a maximum of ten (10) consecutive years.

A membership fee of \$20 should be paid at the first meeting. This fee is only paid once each year. Youth in more than one 4-H club will only pay the fee one time. There is a fee cap of \$60 per family.

The supply fee for BB Gun will be \$10 and \$15 for Rifle. This includes a book for new members, ammunition, gun repairs, gun cleaning supplies, targets, and member awards. If you have more than one youth in BB Gun or Rifle, the second member supply fee will be \$5. Checks for the supply fees should be made payable to Wells County 4-H Rifle Club. Scholarships are available for membership and supply fees. No person will be turned away due to financial constraints.

In case of bad weather, listen to radio station K105 FM or check www.wellscountyvoice.com for cancelations. Usually, if one of the schools cancel, the 4-H event will be postponed.

Youth may also enroll in the Shooting Sports Fair Exhibit Option. Members may make a poster or a notebook about some aspect of shooting sports or may exhibit something they have made. Examples might include: Poster or Notebook; Firearm Safety; Cross a Fence with a Gun; Eye Dominance; Muzzleloading; Target Trap; ArcherySafety; Types of Arrows; Buying a Bow; Shooting Vests; Hunter Ed; Tree Stand Safety; Percussion or Flintlock; Hunting Wild Turkeys; Handmade Items Gun Rack; Ammo Box, etc.

The 4-H Shot Gun Safety Club, 4-HPellet Pistol Safety Club, and the 4-HArchery Club will all begin in April.

For more information about 4-H, contact the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service, 824-6412 or one of the Shooting Sports Leaders: Don Kiefer, 824-1585; Chad Captain, 417-6488; Tex Mauger, 827-0266; Gregg

Palmer, 701-2975; and Kevin Springer, 565-3323.

Annual Extension Meeting

Huntington County Extension will hold its Annual Meeting on Monday, February 4 at 7 p.m. in Heritage Hall, Hier's Park. Light refreshments will be served.

A short business meeting will be first on the docket for the annual assembly. The agenda will cover

the elections of board members and highlight 2012's Extension successes.

Once business is adjourned, the 4-H Robotics Club will have a demonstration. The group will share about the success they have experienced and plans for 2013 to positively impact the youth of Huntington County. In addition to this display, annual meeting attendees will have the

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COMEDY SHOW

Bower North Productions presents the Vaudeville comedy team of Bower & Nedberg, Tuesday, January 22nd at Heritage Pointe in Warren, IN. Larry Bower and Scott Nedberg feature wholesome-but-hilarious jokes, razor-sharp timing, and the charm of two of the Midwest's funniest comedians. And of course the Abbottand Costello classic "Who's on First" is a mainstay of their routine. The jokes may make you groan, but you can't wait to tell 'em to your friends! As a bonus, the show brings one of the region's finest male vocalists to the stage. Tom Didier has performed in musical theatre throughout the area, and is always in demand to sing at special events, including Komet Hockey games at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum, where he captivates audiences with his rendition of the Star Spangled Banner.

Get ready for a great hour of comedy and music, Tuesday, January



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KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

THE UPTOWN GARDENER by Ruth Herring

With the holidays over and the remains of it put away for another year, It is time to do the countdown till spring. I solemnly said I would not bring home any seed catalogs

to entice me this year, well that didn't last long. I managed to confine it to just one and was proud of myself for that. There is a few new plants and seeds for this year, but I will probably just look and dream. I have been thinking of a few things to dress up the front of my house and fill some outside containers for the patio.

These winter days many of us often think of ways to prepare food and also give extra warmth to our houses. I know my mom cooked many a meal either in the oven or had a pot of beans or soup cooking slow on top of the heating stove for most of the day. We always had plenty stored away in the cellar to fix many a wholesome meal. The real treat was when she made bread and had it warm from the oven when we came home from school. Of course there was always fresh home churned butter to go with it. I can still taste

Something else that hit the spot was fresh baked cookies. Here is one she made often.

Amish Baker Cookies

33/4 cup flour, 1/2 cup shortening, (she used lard) plus 1 tablespoon butter, 11/4 cup sugar, 1/4 cup molasses or syrup, 2 eggs, 1/4 cup hot water with 2 teaspoon soda dissolved in it. Mix all together to form a dough and on wax paper form it to a roll about 2 inches round. Wrap and refrigerate a few hours, slice about 1/4 inch thick and bake at 350 for 10-12 minutes.

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Worship	10:30 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study	6:30 p.m.
Thurs. Kings Kids	6:30 p.m.
BYG Youth Svc. (2&4Sun.)	6:00 p.m.
CWF Ladies (3 Tue)	6:00 p.m.

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Rev. Barry H	umble, Pastor		

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Timothy Helm, Senior Pastor 1st Worship... ..8:30 a.m. Sunday School 9:45 a.m. 2nd Worship.... ... 11:00 a.m.

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Sunday Morning Worship .. 9·30 a m OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat . 9:00 a.m.

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Sunday School	9:30 a.m.	
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Sunday School	9:00 a.m.		
Aaron Westfall, Pastor			

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Pastor Devin Cook Morning Worship9:30 a.m. 10:45 a.m. Sunday School ..

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Lois Slusher, Supt. . .. 8:30 a.m. Coffee Fellowship...... Worship Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Bible Study - Wed. . 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday Worship...... 10:30 am Sunday School Classes9:30 am Youth Group... Sunday Adult Bible Study...... 6:00 pm Thurs, Bible Study

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opportunity to participate in the 2012 National Youth Science Day activities by building Eco-Bots.

The Extension Board invites all citizens of Huntington County to the meeting, including other organizations, individuals and families. Purdue Extension strives to enhance the community through research-based educational programs.

Please RSVP by Friday, February 1 to the Huntington County Extension Office by phone, (260)-358-4826, or email cholmes@purdue.eduif you plan to attend the meeting. For more information about the annual meeting or other Extension programs, call or stop by the office— Purdue Extension, Huntington County Office, 354 N Jefferson— Suite 202, Huntington, IN.

PIZZA BOWL

The Solid Rock Youth Group will be taking orders for Super Bowl Pizza for Sunday, February 3rd. If you would like to order a pizza please call the church office at 260-375-3873 by January 21. Office hours are 9 am thru 12 noon. The information of the price and kinds of pizza you can order will be available at the church office.

BMV Hours

R. Scott Waddell, Commissioner of the Indiana Bureau of Motor Vehicles (BMV), announced today that all BMV license branches will be closed

Saturday, January 19 through Monday, January 21 in observance of the Martin Luther King Jr. holiday.

All license branches will resume normal business hours on Tuesday, January 22.

OPEN HOUSE/CALL OUTS

Recruitment for the 2013 Huntington County 4-H program is underway. Four-H is a volunteer youth development and education program coordinated by the Purdue University Cooperative Extension Service. Its primary objectives are to assist young people in acquiring knowledge, skills, citizenship, and leadership opportunities. Youth participants and adult volunteers are the most important assets of 4-H.

The 2013 Huntington County 4-H program has scheduled callout meetings to help families learn more about the county 4-H program during the month of January. Following are the scheduled dates, time, and locations to gain information about 4-H in Huntington County.

· 4-H Open Houses — information about the county 4-H program and local 4-H clubs will be shared from 4-H club leaders, along with samples of the 4-H project manuals will be available to view. Similar 4-H information will be shared at each of the following sites:

o Sunday, January 20th, 2:00-3:00 pm, Heritage Hall, Hier's

Park, 547 South Briant Street, Huntington

o Tuesday, January 22nd, 6:30-7:30 pm, Roanoke Elementary School cafeteria, 423 West Vine Street, Roanoke

· There will be a short presentation explaining more about the online enrollment process during both open houses.

· A computer will be available for youth to enroll online during both Open Houses.

Printed information about the Huntington County 4-H program was distributed through the elementary schools Huntington County during the week of January 14th to all 3rd, 4th, and 5th grade students. Families are encouraged to read the informational flyer about the Huntington County 4-H program and to respond as to their child's interest in the 4-H program through the "Join 4-H" brochure. The interest form may be returned to the respective elementary school offices, mailed to the Purdue Extension - Huntington County office or brought to one of the scheduled 4-H Open Houses at noted above. If interested in joining 4-H, youth may enroll at the Extension Office or online at the Purdue Extension - Huntington website: County www.extension.purdue.edu/ huntington.

Four-H is one of the largest youth development organizations in the world. Today's 4-H is for all youth, regardless of urban or rural residence, socioeconomic status, or racial or cultural background. Last year in Huntington County, 1,024 youth

in grades K-12 were involved in community based 4-H clubs, which emphasize practical, hands-on activities as key aspects of capturing and retaining lifelong interests. A wide range of learning opportunities are available, including such topics as aerospace. agriculture, consumer clothing, computers, electricity, foods, home environment, photography, reading, shooting sports, and woodworking. In Huntington County, nearly 50 projects will be offered for 2013.

A chief characteristic of 4-H is its corps of caring and capable volunteers. 4-H volunteer club and project leaders form the backbone of the educational mission of the 4-H program. Throughthese committed adults, youth are offered opportunities to develop practical competencies and life skills such as leadership and teamwork.

Youth are helped to establish goals, think intelligently, and become contributing citizens to their communities. Through activities that are typically conducted in the homes of members or leaders, churches, or other community facilities, 4-H'ers are encouraged to examine problems in their communities and participate in their solution. Competence and knowledge developed through 4-H work often lead to career choices.

Surveys of graduating 4-H members both locally and nationwide have repeatedly reported participants' acquisition of life skills such as personal responsibility, leadership, motivation, formation of friendships, and

practical and vocational skill development as some of the most valuable outcomes of their 4-H experience.

The program combines the resources of Huntington County government, Purdue University, the U.S. Department of Agriculture, community donors and sponsors, and the voluntary efforts of members, parents, and adult volunteers.

For more information, contact the Purdue Extension — Huntington County office at 260-358-4826, located in the County Courthouse Annex Building, 354 N Jefferson — Suite 202, Huntington, or contact Julia Miller, 4-H Youth Development Extension Educator at jwickert@purdue.edu.

President's List

Several local students were named to the Trine University president's list for the fall 2012 semester. To be named to the president's list, a student must have at least a 3.75 grade-point average on a 4.0 scale and carry at least 15 credit hours.

Skye Bower of Warren, a senior majoring in Psychology.

Seth Gressley of Van Buren, a freshman majoring in Civil Engineering.

Trine University, an internationally recognized, private, co-educational, residential institution, offers associate, baccalaureate, and master degrees in programs to students in engineering, mathematics, science, informatics, business, teacher education, communication, criminal justice, golf management, social sciences, and various other fields of study. Trine is a member of the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association and offers 21 varsity sports. Its golf program includes

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Community Calendar

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

Jan 14 6:30 p.m. Warren Town Council, Assembly Hall

Jan 16 7:00 p.m. Van Buren Town Council
Jan 21 Martin Luther King Day

Jan 21 6:30 p.m. KBC Board Meeting, at KBC

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

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\$2500 EACH

Wells County 4-H Association and Wells County Extension Homemakers in Wells County have been selected as winners through the Monsanto Fund's America's Farmers Grow CommunitiesSM. This program gives farmers the opportunity to enter to win \$2,500 to direct to their favorite non-profits in their communities.

Mt. Etna Volunteer Fire Department and Huntington County 4-H Council in Huntington County have been selected as winners through the Monsanto Fund's America's Farmers Grow Communities SM. This program gives farmers the opportunity to enter to win \$2,500 to direct to their favorite non-profits in their communities.

The presentation was made Wednesday, January 16 at the Fort Wayne Farm Show.

BETA DELTA

Tuesday, January 8th, President, Carol Irick, called the first meeting of the year to order with 14 members present.

We did roll call with "What memory do you have of the blizzard of '78?". There was some real interesting memories, really enjoyed hearing them. Voted to invite 4 ladies to guest night.

Talked about our meals for the March and April Luncheon coming up at the Civic Center... yumgoodfood. Received a letter from our International Service Secretary, Liz Cochrane, Sigma Phi GammaInt'l Sorority donated \$10,500.00 to Crohn's and Colitis Foundation. They were very appreciative.

Still working on plans for our Province meeting in March. Our Province is also hosting International Convention in 2014, so we are having meetings for that also.

Those other members present were; Claudia Boxell, Opal Brubaker, Sandy Eichhorn, Sharon Gebhart, Suzette Gephart, Tara Korporal, Beth Ostermeyer, Jenny Plummer, Kathy Ralston, Susan Ralston, Lana Stuber, Betty Yoder and Sondra Zabel, those excused were Sandy Booher, Peggy Sue Clark and Rosemary Zeller.

Our next business meeting will be February 5, 2013.

FARM SHOW

Purdue Extension specialists and educators will offer expertise and a series of presentations and discussions at the 2013 Fort Wayne Farm Show.

The show, which includes educational seminars and the latest in farm technology and machinery, will be Jan. 15-17 at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum. Seminars are cosponsored by Purdue Extension and the Soil and Water Conservation Districts of Northeast Indiana.

Purdue Extension seminars, dates and times:

* "Grain and Livestock Market Outlook" by Chris Hurt, agricultural economist, Jan. 16, 1 p.m.

*"Indiana New Fertilizer Rule" by Matt Pearson, Office of the Indiana State Chemist at Purdue, Jan. 16, 3:30 p.m.

*"Land Rent and Value Market Outlook" by Brent Gloy, agricultural economist, Jan. 17, 10 a.m.

* "Beekeeping" by Roy Ballard, educator, Jan. 17, 11 a.m.

Hurt also will join a representative from Farm Bureau to present "Federal Policy Effects on Agriculture" during an 11:30 a.m. luncheon program on Jan. 16.

On Jan. 17 at 1 p.m., Ballard will moderate a farmer panel discussion about agritourism.

Other seminars will cover crop insurance and marketing, cover crops, nutrient and pesticide stewardship, on-farm networks, farming and road safety, farm-to-fork, and estate planning. Expert presenters come from a variety of public- and private-sector organizations.

Purdue Extension will have a booth where show attendees can interact with specialists and countyeducators. Ag Answers, a production agriculture news publication partnership of Purdue Extension and Ohio State University Extension, also will have a display as part of the Purdue Extension booth.

Show hours are Jan. 15 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Jan. 16 from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.; and Jan. 17 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The Allen County War Memorial Coliseum is at 4000 Parnell Ave. A full seminar schedule and additional show information is available at http://www.tradexpos.com/ftwayne For more information, contact Ed Farris, Agriculture and Natural Resource Educator, Purdue Extension—Huntington County Office, 354 N Jefferson—Suite 202, Huntington by calling 260-358-4826.

CHAUTAUQUA

The Chautauqua Club met in the Calico Room with 19 members present.

President, Karen Hunnicutt called the meeting to order. The Club creed was recited and the roll call was answered with "a past Chautauqua experience."

The December minutes were read and approved, after which the treasurer's report was given. Ann Spahr gave the program. Ann is on the board of the Bible Trailers by the Book Organization. Ann's presentation was interesting, informative and enlightening. The program of teaching bible classes to 3rd and 4th graders in the public school began in 1946. It was started by the religious associated churches of Huntington County

A major change happened in 1965; the classes were changed to be held in trailers on the school grounds. The primary goal of the association was to teach the children of God's love, good moral values, and to assure them that God had a plan and a purpose for each of their lives.

A parent had to sign a certificate enabling their child to participate. That rule is enforced today.

Precise records are kept of the students who attend classes. The club members were impressed with Salamonie's record this year. In grade three, there are forty-six in the class. Thirty-eight are enrolled in religious training. They are studying the Creation story this year. The 4th grade has a more impressive record. Forty-nine students are in the class; forty-seven attend bible classes. The study for them will be parables. A total of 721 children are benefiting from the program in Huntington County. Obviously, the children enjoy the experience. Statistics show that 80% of these boys and girls do not attend church. For some it is the first time they have been exposed to the gospel. In 2009 a

Federal judge ordered the program to shut down. It took one disgruntled parent to complain that the program violated church and state. This person filed a lawsuit in which the ACLU got involved. The name of the parent has not been disclosed. However, it is confirmed the child went to Horace Mann School. The Associated Church Organization worked diligently for a solution. They were determined to continue the program Sites were found close to the school on which the trailers could be moved. Many dedicated citizens made this possible. The transition cost \$5,000. Without all of the volunteers, it would have cost approximately \$50,000.

Sponsoraids escort the children to classes off school grounds. Since the lawsuit, contributions have been greatly reduced. It costs more than a dollar per student for every class. The need is great and any donation would be appreciated. You can send them to Religious Churches of Huntington County, Box 344, Huntington, IN 46750.

Joan Huffman and Jane Ruble served delicious refreshments to: Sue Blair, Ann Brauchla, Freddie Couch, Barbara Engle, Sharon Gebhart, Linda Howell, Phyllis Hubartt, Karen Hunnicutt, Colleen Oden, Luellyn Pond, Martha Shafer, Ann Spahr, Carolyn Sparks, Kitty Throop, Freda VanWinkle, Alice Whitmore, and OmaZent.

WINTER HOURS

Effective immediately, the Salamonie Interpretive Center's new winter hours are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The center will resume regular hours, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., on April 6.

The centeris in Lost Bridge West Recreation Area, off State Road 105, in western Huntington County.

For more information, see dnr.IN.gov/uwis or Facebook.com/UpperWabash.

KIDS FISHING

Kids are invited to participate in multiple fishing contests and a duck calling contest during the Outdoor Sports, Lake & Cabin Show Jan. 25-27 at Fort Wayne's Coliseum, 4000 Parnell Ave.

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GENEALOGY REPORT

ST JOHN

Robert "Bob" M. St. John. 64. passed away Saturday, January 12,2013 at home in Fort Wayne.

Born in Winchester, IN. Bob retired from Sheller-Globe/ United Technologies of Grabill IN after 32 years of service. Bob graduated from Warren High School Class of 1966, the last graduating class of the high school. He then Graduated from Purdue University in the first graduating class at IPFW. When he was no longer able to use his season tickets to Purdue football, basketball and the Colts, he could be found in his Purdue room watching the games with his loving boxer dogs by his side. His love of sports was only exceeded by his love for his family.

Surviving are his wife Luann Boyer St. John; mother, Roberta St. John of Warren, IN; daughter, Laura Boyer (fiance Carey King) of Fort Wayne, IN; son, Lucas (Meg) Boyer of Chicago, IL; very special niece, Carrie (Brian) Young of Fort Wayne and sister, Sherry (Jon) Sills of Fort Wayne. Bob was preceded in death by his father. Richard St. John.

Funeral Service is Wed. 11:00 am, January 16, 2013 at - D. O. McComb and Sons Maplewood Park Funeral Home, 4017 Maplecrest Road with calling one hour prior. Pastor Steven Conner, officiating. Calling will also be Tuesday, January 15, 2013 from 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm & 7:00 pm -9:00 pm at the funeral home. Burial in Bowers Cemetery, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Memorials may be made to the Taylor Chapel United Methodist Church.

SAWYER

LouiseThompsonSawyer,83,of Bluffton, passed at 9:15 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 11, 2013, at the Christian Care Retirement Community.

Louise was born in Ashland, Ky. on March 1, 1929, to William and Anna (McDowell) Thompson. She married Jonnny McClure (Charles) Thompson in 1946 who preceded her in death in 1989. She married Tommy F. Sawyer on July 30. 1997: he survives.

Louise loved life and lived her life to the fullest. She enjoyed family, friends, music and the outdoors. She was a member of the American Legion Post 111 Auxiliary and Moose Lodge. Louise worked at Cooper Community Care as a Qualified Medical Assistant retirement in 1990.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two sons, Steven (Cheryl) Thompson and Paul (Victoria) Thompson, both of Huntington; two daughters, Deb (Rod) Mossburg of Liberty Center, and Tammy Sumwalt of Geneva: one stendaughter, Pam. (Terry) Liddy of Bluffton; three stepsons, Dave (Charlotte) Sawyer of Balbec, Jeff Sawyer of Bluffton, and Mike (Lisa) Sawyer of Indianapolis; two daughtersin-law, Connie Thompson of Keystone, and Harriett Thompson of Ossian; one brother, Everett (Marty) Thompson of Armand Beach Fla.; four sisters, Peggy Beys of Inverness, Fla, Donna (Barney) Creamer of Inverness, Fla., Beulah Murphy of Bluffton, and Janet Kleinknight of Bluffton; 18 grandchildren; 23 greatgrandchildren; and three greatgreat-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by a son, John Thompson; two brothers, Bob Thompson and Bill Thompson; and by a sister, Ruth Bailey.

Calling hours are 4 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 15, at Thoma/Rich Chaney & Lemler Funeral Home. A service celebrating Louise's life will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at the funeral home with certified funeral celebrant Jeff Lemler officiating.

Preferrerd memorials are to the family.

WHITAKER

Scott Whitaker, 51, of Warren, IN, d i e Wednesday, Jan. 9, 2013, at his home.



Mr. Whitaker attended Southwood High School, Wabash, and served in Germany with the United States Army. He was currently employed by H2 Transportation Services, Roanoke, and previously worked for Hiner Transport, Huntington. He was a former member of the Eagles Lodge and American Legion, in Huntington.

He was born Dec. 7, 1961, in Wabash and is survived by his father, Beach Whitaker Jr., and his mother, Martha Harvey Whitaker, both of Wabash. He married Brenda Slusher on July 11,2008, in Cancun, Mexico, and she survives.

Additional survivors include four sons, Shane (Nycole) Whitaker and Benjamin (Megan) Whitaker, both of Wabash; Chad (Wednesday) Whitaker, of North Manchester; and Jeremy (Brooke) Bowers, of Warren; a daughter, Angelica Bowers, of Wabash; three brothers, Terrell (Maggie) Whitaker, of Ohio; David (Bunny) Whitaker, of Wabash; and Michael (Ande) Whitaker, of South Carolina; two sisters, Virginia (Max) Gaston, of Roann, and Kara (Rick) Shively, of Wabash; and seven grandchildren, Gage Whitaker, Gavyn Whitaker, Maci Whitaker and Myles Holley, all of Wabash; Makayla Whitaker and Braydon Whitaker, both of North Manchester; and Carter Bowers, of Warren.

Calling is Friday, Jan. 11, 2013, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., with a service following at 2 p.m., at Glancy-H. Brown & Son Funeral Home 203 N. Matilda St., Warren. Rev. Dewey Zent will officiate. Interment will be at Fairview Cemetery, Bluffton.

Gifts to the family may be made in care of Glancy Funeral Homes.

CROCKETT

Lily Pearl Crockett, 95, of Huntington, IN. died Thursday, Jan.



10, 2013, at Norwood Health and Rehabilitation Center, Huntington.

Ms. Crockett was a 1935 graduate of Marble Falls High School, Texas.

She was born Jan. 14, 1917, in Marble Falls, TX, to Andrew and Ora Pearl Graham Wagenfuhr. She married Roy Crockett on July 3, 1943, in Lebanon, MO.

Survivors include a son, David W. (Cheryl) Crockett, of Warren; two brothers, Trueman Wagenfuhr, of Alamogordo, NM, and Rudy (Barbara) Wagenfuhr, of Eureka, CA; two sisters, June (Keith) Sorenson, LaCrescenta, CA, and Shirley (Mike) Coletta, of Yuma, AZ; two granddaughters; and two greatgrandchildren.

Graveside services will be held in the Marion National Cemetery, Marion, at a later



50 YEARS

 ${\bf Max\,Shinholt\,and\,Shirley\,Taylor}$ were united in marriage on January 19, 1963 at the Farrville Community Church in Farrville,

To celebrate their Golden Anniversary there will be an Open House in their honor on Sunday - January 20th at Grace Community Church, 1810 E. Bradford Pike, Marion, IN, from 2:00 - 4:00pm. All friends and family are welcome to come and join in the celebration. Your presence is present enough, no gifts please.

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Majic 95.1 and Fun 101.7 will host fishing contests for children 12 and under at two stocked fishing ponds 4-8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 25, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26, and 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 27.

Ducks Unlimited will host a duck calling competition for youth 17 and under at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 26 to see who can produce the best quack. Every participant will receive a Ducks Unlimited flashlight, waterfowl ID poster, decals, duck call and "Greenwing" membership (valued at \$15).

Duck calling competitors will also be entered into a drawing for a chance to win a camping set, a bicycle and other great prizes. No pre-registration is required.

In addition, over 150 exhibitors will span 108,000 square-feet of the Coliseum offering show-only bargains, and the opportunity to compare, test and purchase thousands of top-quality products and services in the following categories: Biking, Hiking, Camping and Fitness, Hunting and Fishing, Boats and Water Sports, Vacation and Travel, RVs and Motor Sports and Cottage Living.

STIHLTimberworks Lumberjack Showsseen on ABC's Wide World of Sports, Discovery Channel's The Travelers and MTV's The Real World and Road Rules, is the newest addition to the show set to entertain audiences with daily performances filled with axe throwing, chopping, log rolling, crosscutsawing, hotsawing and chainsaw carving.

Other special features and attractions include a new indoor air rifle shooting range and Harley-Davidson simulator, 400 square-foot indoor beach and duck pond, 25,000-gallon canoe and kayak lagoon, 40-foot fishing and hunting video game arcade, fully furnished oak cabin for sale, hourly giveaways, exotic animals, over 50 free seminars and much more.

Cost is \$10 for adults, and children 12 and under are free. General show admission is valid throughout the entire weekend. Fort Wayne Gander Mountain and Dick's Sporting Goods stores, as well as Ehlerding Motorsports will provide \$3 discount coupons leading up to the show. Coupons are also available on the show's website.

Guests attending the Mizpah

Shrine Circus Jan. 24-27 can receive \$2 off admission by presenting a ticket stub, valid with no other combined offers.

Some of many sponsors presenting various features throughout the show include Ehlerding Motorsports, Dick's Sporting Goods, RV Center, Gander Mountain, WLDE, WAJI, WOWO, Rock104, K105 and 106.7 The Fan. All attendees receive a free subscription to Log Cabin Homes magazine.

Show hoursare Friday, noon to 9 p.m., Saturday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For more information, log on www.SportsAndCabinShow.com.

THE PERFECTIONISM MONSTER

by The FlyLady Marla Cilley

Perfectionism is like a monster with hundreds of tentacles and it reaches into every part of our lives and holds on till we can find it and rip it out. The only problem is that if there is the least little bit left: it will fester till it tries to take over your life again. I find vestiges of little perfectionism almost every single day. It is a never ending process to eliminate this from my thinking; much like decluttering. I have to nip them in the bud before they take over. See in my perfectionism I want to rip out every single bit of it; but I can't because I don't know where it is hiding. The trick is to be aware of its signs.

The perfectionism monster makes us obsess and do too much as well as procrastinate and do nothing. We have been dealing with issues that we have been procrastinating about. Many times we put off doing something because it is just too hard to get all of our ducks in a row to ge started.

We allow Parkinson's Law to kickin without even thinking, As Professor C. Northcote Parkinson says, "Work expands so as to fill the time available for its completion." Do not allow yourself to get caught up in this inefficient way of thinking. He uses the example of a lady wanting to send a card to her niece. She has to look for the right card, find her glasses, then; after she has toiled with writing the perfect words on the card: she has to try to find the address; then to find a stamp. Then it is

raining outside and she can't find her umbrella so she can walk down the street and put it in the mailbox. All of this over a little card that could take many of us just three minutes to write, address, stamp and mail. Why did she take so long to accomplish this simple task?

It was because she didn't have a system for efficiently using her time. Busy people keep everything they need for paying bills in one spot; or do they!!! Do you have to hunt for your bills in your mail hotspot, a pen, stamps or better yet you can't pay bills because you do not know how much money you have in the bank and you need to balance six months of bank statements or spend hours bringing down vour balance in vour checkbook. Or do you just write the checks and pray that you won't be overdrawn!!

Half the battle of paying bills is being able to have everything in one spot so you only have to spend 15 minutes doing it; not all day!! This is why we procrastinate because we don't think we have time. Many of us are busy with jobs outside the home, soccer practice, dance class and tons of other appointments that we spend many hours in waiting rooms or waiting in our cars for our babies to join us. This is time that we never do get back.

For years I have used my version of our Office in a Bag. In it I kept my checkbook, pens, pencils, a colored pen for signing cards, greeting cards, thank you notes, my address book, postage stamps, a calculator, paper clips, a little stapler, a ruler, some graph paper, a high lighter, some pretty stationery, some plain paper and a little notebook paper. This was like having everything in a desk drawer with me at all times. I took it with me to work, so on my lunch hour: I could pay a bill, balance mycheck book, write a letter, send a card, make out a grocery list or plan my menus for next week. This little tool allowed me the flexibility to use tiny bits of time while I was waiting for football practice to end.

An Office in a Bag keeps me from procrastinating and taking a lot of time to just mail a card or a check. Or the best part it keeps me from running around the house looking for a pen, a stamp and the address; Parkinson's Law is not going to creep in and take

over my life like the lady in Professor Parkinson book; Parkinson's Law.

For more help getting rid of your clutter and CHAOS, check out her website and join her free mentoring group www.FlyLady.net or read her book, Sink Reflections published by Random House. Help me build a Habitat Home this year. http:/ /www.share.habitat.org/ flyladybuildproject Please bless others with your clutter by donating it to a Habitat for Humanity Restore near you. Copyright 2013 Marla Cilley Used by permission in this publication.

HEATING ASSISTANCE

As the cold weather firmly takes hold in most parts of the country, you might notice a steep spike in your utility bills as your heating system works to keep your house warm.

If you're trying to keep your heating bill in check, there are some assistance programs and DIY-tips available from USA.gov that might help.

See if you qualify for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP). Families who meet the qualification standards are eligible for assistance with their heating bills. You must apply for LIHEAP benefits through your state. Some states also offer assistance to help you weatherize your home. If you need additional help applying for LIHEAP benefits you can call 1-866-674-6327.

If your heating system is in need of improvements, you might qualify for the Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP). This program helps low-income families lower their utility bills by making their homes more energy efficient. The weatherization program also provides a safety check to major energy systems to ensure everyone who lives in the home stays safe. Each state has different eligibility requirements. Find out if you qualify, what forms and documentation you need and how to apply for assistance.

If you don't qualify for LIHEAP or WAP, there are plenty of steps you can take on your own to weatherize your home and help keep your energy bills lower this winter.

· Air leaks in your house let warm air escape. A quick and easy way to save money is to seal all cracks and openings. Learn how you can caulk and weatherstrip areas of your home to prevent air leaks.

- · Let natural light from the sun into your house during the day by opening your curtains. Sunlight will naturally help heat your home.
- Install a programmable thermostat or set your current thermostat about 10 to 15 degrees lower than normal for the hours when you won't be in your home.
- · Turn down the temperature on your water heater. Heating your water can make up 14 to 25 percent of your energy bill. By dropping the temperature you'll save money.

You can find more tips for saving money and energy at homeinthe Energy Savers Guide.

New year, new vision: see clearly in 2013

(BPT)-The beginning of the year is the most popular time for eye exams and a great time to assess if your corrective lenses are the best fit for you. See 2013 clearly with healthy eyes by following these five simple tips from optometrist, Dr. Tamara Dunn.

1. Start with an eye exam
Our eyes age and change just like
the rest of our bodies, so it is
important to get them checked
annually. Even if you already
have corrective lenses, ensure
you are caring for your eyes
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detect potentially serious eye issues to support overall eye health.

2. Good health supports good

As you kick off resolutions to "get healthy," did you know that you are also supporting your eye health? The healthier you are the better chance you have to avoid complications with your eyes. For example, eating a balanced diet that includes dark green vegetables with lutein like spinach and kale can help to reduce your risk of age related vision loss.

3. Protect your eyes in the sun Sunglasses are a fun way to accessorize while also protecting your eyes. Studies show that spending long periods of time in the sun without eye protection can damage your eyes. Eye care professionals recommend that you wear full spectrum **UV-absorbent** sunglasses whenever you are in the sun for hours at a time. If you wear contact lenses, remember that contact lenses by themselves may not protect your eyes from UV light so you may still need to supplement by wearing sunglasses.

4. Eye glasses or contact lenses? Vision is as unique as the color and shape of your eyes, so work

with you eye care professional to decide which type of corrective lens - glasses or contact lenses - is best for you. According to the Contact Lens Council, 34 million Americans opt for contact lenses as they offer a convenient alternative to glasses or corrective surgery. Contact lenses also offer personally tailored options for design, regimens and materials to meet your needs.

5. Keep eye health simple The beginning of a new year is a busy time for doctor appointments. Ease eyeappointment stress by finding a one-stop solution for all your eye care needs. Independent Optometrists operate private offices located adjacent to nearly 3,000 Walmart Vision Centers and Sam's Club Optical and Centers provide comprehensive eye exams, lens fittings and prescriptions by appointment and on a walk-in basis. The recent launch of a new online and phone contact lens program by Walmart and Sam's Club also reduces prices on contact lenses from many top brands and delivers lenses directly to your home. For additional information on the new contact lens program or to place an order, visit WalmartContacts.com or call

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BUSTED: COMMON **VOLUNTEERING MYTHS**

DISPROVED

(BPT)-Withbusyworkschedules and hectic family lives, many people believe they don't have the necessary time, energy or skills to volunteer. Unfortunately, these myths may deter many people who would make capable and helpful volunteers. For many Americans, volunteer work constitutes small, but empowering acts of service.

Volunteering does not typically take a lot of time or energy and only requires the ability to follow directions, not a special set of skills. The key to busting volunteering myths lies in finding activities that fit into your schedule and match your abilities.

Myth 1: Volunteering takes too much time.

Reality: It doesn't take a lot of time to make a difference. Volunteering just a couple of hours a year or 15 minutes a week can actually make a large difference because what is done

matters more than how long it took. Whether you help build a house once on a weekend or tutor every week, you still make an impact.

Myth 2: Volunteering uses a lot of energy.

Reality: Some volunteer activities require a lot of energy, but many do not. Instead of signing up for manual labor, consider opportunities that might align with your day's schedule like grocery shopping for an injured neighbor while picking up your own groceries or chatting with a resident at a nursing home.

Myth 3: Volunteering requires a special skill set.

Reality: If you have a special skill set, volunteering is a great way to use it to help others. If you don't, fear not! Most volunteers only need to follow directions, talk to other people and have fun. Think about helping organize donations at a food pantry.

Just ask Debbie McGrady, a 58 vear-old mother of two who disproves all three of these volunteering myths. Even though she suffers from rheumatoid arthritis (RA) - a chronic $autoimmune\, disease\, that affects$ the lining of the joints, causing soreness, swelling and stiffnessshe continues to be an active member in her community by giving back and participating in volunteer work, which she finds to be both feasible and worthwhile.

Specifically, McGrady drives

local senior citizens to their doctor's appointments and on other errands, turning a mundane task into a time to build meaningful relationships. "I used to think I was too tired, too busy, and not talented enough to volunteer. However, I discovered the smallest actions can make a world of difference for somebody and make me feel better too," says McGrady. "Volunteering is such a gratifying experience and helps me focus on others as opposed to my disease."

McGrady is involved in Hand in Hand for RA, a national awareness campaign that encourages people with RA to learn about the benefits of volunteering and share their own inspirational stories.

So, how can you get involved in your own community? The answer may be simpler than you think. Once you identify the amount of time and energy you have available, as well as the activities that interest you, all that's left to do is find your match and commit by speaking with a nonprofit organization, using an online search engine or even asking a friend for advice.

Nowthat you're equipped with myth-busting facts and tips, it's time to make a difference and lend a helping hand. For more information on how McGrady and other RA patients get involved visit www.handinhandforRA.com.

Ackley Automotive wants to help "Hoosiers Helping Heroes" this year during the Christmas season. This is an organization based out of Lafontaine, IN that sends care packages every month to Indiana military personnel that are deployed into "hot" zones.

Hoosiers Helping Heroes (HHH) is a small group with the mission of care gifting to Indiana soldiers, sailors, airmen and marines. Packages are sent every 30 days of the soldiers' deployment and to date they have sent over 8,000 care packages overseas. They could not do this without the help of so many. At the present, the monthly postage bill is well over \$450. It is for this reason, along with the fact our daughter, Leslie, is presently deployed, that we have made the choice to support this group during this season of giving. There are many items that Hoosiers Helping Heroes send each month to the soldiers. Some of them

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	Sunscreen	Insect Repellant Wipes	Hand Sanitizer Wipes	Puzzle Books
	Small Hand Held Games	Frisbees	Baseball Gloves	Footballs
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You can check out this organization by visiting www. Hoosiershelpingheroes.org to see what they have been able to accomplish in boosting the morale of our Indiana soldiers.

We will be collecting any of the above items, or if you wish monetary donations to help with postage, thru the months of December and January. You can drop these off at our location anytime during regular business hours. We will pass these donations on to the organization for them to use.

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