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Thought for the Week: Happiness is not a station you arrive at, but a manner of traveling. Margaret Lee Runbeck

CARNIVAL COMING UP

Don't forget everyone, the Warren Baseball & Softball Carnival is this coming Saturday the 23rd from 1:00-6:00 up at Tower Park. There will be softball and kickball games, face-painting, and a few games for the young ones to try their luck at, concessions will also be open. Raffle tickets will be on sale throughout the day and at 6:00 the drawing will be done, however, you need not be present to win. The Grand Prize is Lifetime Free Entry for 1 child to the Warren Baseball & Softball League beginning in 2013. There are also 6 small consolation prizes that will be drawn after the big winner! All proceeds go directly to the kids of the WBSL. Come on out to the park and join in the fun.

Breakfast Tickets

Tickets for the Samuel Jones Breakfast are on sale at the Markle Bank and Town Hall. The breakfast will bethe kick off for the Salamonie Summer Festival Cost for the breakfast will be\$\\$7.00 time and date is June 29 7:30 a.m. at the Knight Bergman Center.

MARKET REPORT

At the Farmer's Market this week there will be peaches. Good chance for some vegetables this week. There will be some specialty cakes from Crumbs and Angel Food cake From Stutzmans. There is always pie, cookies and homemade bread! Stop in early before it's all gone!

BASKET BINGO

Sigma Phi Gamma will be having Basket Bingo on June 30th. Doors open at 11:30 a.m., games start at 12:30 sharp.

Tickets will be available from any member or you can buy them at the door. Please plan to come and enjoy.

Proceeds from this will go to benefit community projects.

GARAGE SALE NOTICE

Once again, as part of the Salamonie Summer Festival, a Warren Area garage sale will he held on Friday and Saturday, June 29th and 30th. To participate in the listing published in the Warren Weekly and available at Town Hall, please register at Town Hall or call at 375-2656 with information on the days of the sale, the time of the sale, and the address. Notification must be made by Friday. June 22nd to be included in the listing to be available at Town Hall the week of June 25th and to be published in the Warren Weekly There is no cost to be listed.

ОИВАСНЕ **50**ТН

Patriotic music performed by the Fort Wayne Philharmonic at Ouabache State Park on June 28 will kick off the park's 10-day 50th anniversary celebration.

The 7:30 p.m. concert, which honors Independence Day, is just the beginning of a series of activities and special attractions that runs through July 8 in recognition of the park's half-century in Bluffton.

Ginger Murphy, DNR Division of State Parks & Reservoirs assistant director for stewardship, will address the crowd during the concert's intermission to officially recognize the anniversary.

Upper Wabash Interpretive Services, the group of DNR naturalists that serves the park, and other area DNR properties, will host all activities.

June 28 Fort Wayne Philharmonic, 7:30 p.m.

June 30 Bison from the Brink, 10 a.m.; Cornhole tournament, 1 p.m. July 1 Live Bald Eagle, 1 p.m.; Park's 50th Celebration, 2:30 p.m.

July 2 Meander with Millie the Pioneer Granny Doctor, 10 a.m. July 3 Live Screech Owls, 7 p.m. July 4 Fourth of July Scavenger Hunt. 1 p.m.

July 5 Kunkel Lake Exploration Hike, 10 a.m.

July 6 Life of Charles Deam, 7 p.m. July 7 Make a Birthday Card for Smokey Bear, 5:30 p.m.; Bicycle Decorating, 6:15 p.m.; Smokey Bear Parade, 6:45 p.m.; Smokey's Birthday Bash 7 p.m.

July 8 Owl Calls, 11:30 a.m.

The standard park entrance fee (\$5 per in-state car; \$7 per out-of-state car) will be in effect throughout the celebration. Location details for each session will be printed in a flyer distributed at the gatehouse entrance.

See dnr.IN.gov/uwis for more information about other programs by Upper Wabash Interpretive Services or follow on Facebook (facebook.com/upperwabash).

Ouabache State Park is at 4930 E. St. Rd. 201, Bluffton, 46714. Upper Wabash Interpretive Services is at 3691 S. New Holland Road, Andrews, 46702.

SPORTSMAN'S CLUB'S

EVENTS

Please come out to the Sportsman's Club during the Salmonie Summer Festival to enjoy some great family events.

First of all our Annual All You Can Eat Pancake and Sausage Breakfast will be held on Saturday, June 30th from 6:30am-10:30am. Costis still \$6.00 for adults, \$4.00 for children 5-12 and kids under the age of 5 will eat for free.

Starting at 11:00 on Saturday, June 30th we will have our Fishing Derby at Langton Estates. This event will runfrom 11:00-2:00.

On Sunday, July 1st we will have our Open House at the Sportsman's Clubfrom 5:00pm-8:00pm. During this time we will offer Crossbow Training at the back of our building from 5:00-8:00 and Free Kid's Fishing Games inside and in front of our building. The Fishing Games will runfrom 5:00-7:00. This fishing games are for kids 12 and under. Prizes will be given away. Kids under the age of 15 must be accompanied by an adult for the Crossbow Training.

Don't forget to buy your raffle tickets during the Open House, and the P & S Breakfast. We will be giving away a 150 lb Horton Summit Crossbowand a 12x12 Longaberger Cake Basket with painted and engraved lid. Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 tickets for \$5.00.

We hope to see you during the festival.

VOLLEYBALL!

The Salamonie Summer Festival Volleyball tournament will be held at Tower Park on Sunday, July 1st. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. with pool play at 10:00 a.m. and tourney starting at 12:30 p.m. Pool play is not required to participate in the Tournament. Team entry feeis \$40.00. Each 6 member team must have as many women as men and will also be responsible to referee. Teams may pre-register if unable to be there before noon by calling 260-375-3010 or picking up a form from Warren Service and Supply/Bolinger's Propane.

GARDEN WALK

Due to lack of gardens and interest from Master Gardeners, the Wells County Master Gardeners will not sponsor a Garden Walk this year, but hope to resume the event in 2013. We look forward to seeing you at that time, and if anyone would like to schedule their garden to be included in the walk next year, please contact BJ Grayat 694-6371, Jerry Sheets at 824-4340 or Bill Horanat 824-6412. Thanks, and again we hope to see you again next year.

WINDOW DECORATING

We're still looking for some local clubs, teams, families, or individuals who would be interested in putting a display together or decorating a downtown window in a patriotic or historic theme for the Salamonie Summer Festival. Anyone interest can contact either Ann Brauchla

(375-3792) or Danielle Shawat PNC Bank (375-2121) to sign up, we will then connect you with a downtown business who has volunteered their window for use. Let's make Downtown a vision of patriotism for the festival!

FESTIVAL NOTES

Lawnmower racing will be held on Sunday July 1, 2:00 to 4:00 at KBC grounds and it will be free to spectators. This is anything but your typical afternoon on a riding lawnmower. The Mow-Wheeling Racing League will be doing the racing. The racing machine is your standard riding mower, reconfigured for racing. The mowers range from class to speed, anywhere from around 15 miles per hour to about 40 miles per hour.

The Mow-Wheeling Racing League is based in Roann, Indiana. They have 3 classes that they race: The I Mow Class is based on talent of driver, not the machine. The Outlaw Class is the class that anything goes. The GP Class [Govern prepared] is no faster then 3650 rpm but the gear ratio is open. Since the by-laws of the festival say $the \, purpose \, of \, the \, organization \, shall \,$ be to promote history of Warren we are having a history quiz. After WednesdayJune 20, you can pick up the questions at the bike shop or during the festival at the information booth. Questions are based on my stories over the years, so if you had kept my stories from the paper, or bought my books, you will have a $head \, start. \, Every body \, who gets \, them \,$ right will be listed in the paper and two winners will be drawn from them. All answers must be turned in Saturday June 30, 6:00 pm at the downtown information booth. Even if you answer part of them you still could be a winner. Name and phone number needs to be on the paper.

There will be a final festival meeting June 25 at 6:30 and will be held at the Sportsman Club. We will be finalizing events so come on in and let us know how your event is shaping up.



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Thank you Dollar General customers who participated in making this food drive a great success. Helping to fill sacks of non-perishable food items for children in Warren area at home during summer vacation from school.

> **Rose Broyles** Bread of Life Food Pantry

THANK YOU TO THE PIANO MAN

by Lilly Nutter With all of the negative stories and tragedies dominating today's news, it is refreshing to relate this story of a man who brought so much sunshine to this corner of the world.

More than 18 years ago, Junior Mallott visited his aunts who resided at the United Methodist Home in Warren which is known as Heritage Pointe today. He entertained them with his unique performance at the piano. This earned him the title of "The Piano Man". Junior played mainly on the black keys, in the key of "F" and he always played by ear! The ladies were so delighted that they invited him back week after week and his audience grew.

Junior added 2 gifted musicians Dorsey Price, an outstanding drummer and also Dean Garrett, a talented saxophone artist. The trio volunteered their time, driving from Montpelier month after month, year after year. What an inspiration they have been with the countless songs they sang, they joyously awakened many memories for the Heritage Pointe residents. Junior also added other performers like a harmonica player. story tellers, and pianists of different styles giving each their "15 minutes in the sun".

As life has sadly taught us, nothing lasts forever..... we recently learned that our Piano Man has cancer. Despite the decline in his health, Junior made a final appearance at Heritage Pointe so we could express our heartfelt thanks for what he has done for us. The attendance told the story, as people were lined up wall to wall. May our loving Father continue to bless him for the sunshine he has brought to countless

Thank you Junior Mallott for your years of dedication and talents you shared with the residents at Heritage Pointe.

THE UPTOWN GARDENER by Ruth Herring

Fathers Day at our house was rather quiet but nice. Our kids were home and we chose to have a potato bake. We did them on the grill to keep the house cooler, had all the good stuff to make a great potato along with chocolate pie for dessert.

From our house we hope all the dads and granddads had a wonderful

In my last article I had a couple readers ask about Loon Creek, the creek in this area which runs along side the golf course near Huntington is not very large, for many years I never realized that's what it was. I was raised at Andrews where the creek had broaden in its track and we had good fishing spots and several places to play in the water and one spot deep enough to swim which we kids were not allowed to go in. The creek

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Sunday School 2nd Worship...... ... 11:00 a.m. HERITAGE POINTE Sunday Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT

. 9:45 a.m.

Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat Chapel Services ...

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AREA **N**EWS

AUCTION & ICE CREAM

The Boehmer United Methodist Church will host a Missions Auction and Ice Cream Social this Sunday. June 24, from 5:30 - ??.

Sandwiches and ice cream will be served at 5:30 sharp. Auction to begin soon after. Please plan to come. You will not believe how much fun we have!

RODEO TICKETS AVAILABLE

This year the Salamonie Summer Festival has a Ranch Rodeo on Saturday night June 30th at 7 P.M. The event will be at the Knight-Bergman Center 132 Nancy Street, Warren, IN.

Adult tickets are \$7 in advance (or \$10 at the gate), Children age 6-12 are \$7 each, and age 5 and under are FREE.

The proceeds from this event will benefit the Salamonie Summer Festival Fireworks Fund.

Advance Sale Tickets are available at: Deweese Soft Water and Appliance, PJ Flower & Gift, Markle Bank, PNC Bank, Wagon Wheel Cafe and the Warren Pharmacy.

125TH ANNIVERSARY

The Boehmer United Methodist Church will be celebrating their 125th anniversary the weekend of July 6-8.

Events will include:

July 6 - Ice cream social beginning at 5:30. Guest Speaker - Ron Mazellan, Professor at Indiana Weslevan University and Illustrator of the book "Let Me Be Your Friend" by Tony Dungy will begin at 7 p.m. July 7 - 7:30 a.m. Registration for the 5K Race/Walk at the church (entry form in this week's WW).

8:30 - 5K Race/Walk starting at MtZion Club House (transportation furnished).

9:30 - Presentation of Awards for

10:15 - Corn Hole Tournament games at the Church

12:00 - Lunch for All 5:30p.m. - Hog Roast

7:00 - "Sweet Spirit" Music Program by the Kellam Family of Liberty Center

July 8 - 10a.m. Church services -Rev Barry Humble and District Superintendent Rev David Michaels with Special Music by former youth members of the Church. Tab Beechler pianist.

12:00 - Potluck meal (meat and drinks will be provided)

1:00 - Tab Beechler concert Make sure to stop out and see what all the fuss is about! Lots of fun for all ages!

President's List

Skye Bower of Warren was named to Trine University's president's list for the spring 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.

Bower is a senior Psychology

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450-acre main campus in Angola, Ind., and educational resource centers throughout the state.

SENIOR SCRAMBLE

Results from the Thursday Senior Scramble at Dogwood Glen. For Thursday, June 7th: 1st Place: Doug Davis, Dick Hinton, Norman Hiser, Larry Sprowl. 2nd Place: Jim



Warren Cub Scouts had six boys attend Anthony Wayne Area Council $Day camp in Bluffton\,at\,the\,4-H\,Grounds.\,The\,boys\,went\,from\,Wednesday$ June 13th thru Friday June 15th from 8:30 a.m. until 4:30p.m. While at the daycamp the boys worked on woodcrafts, planted seeds, played games, ran an obstacle course, shot bow & arrow, sling shots, learned first aid, outdoor cooking, and shot BB guns. The camp teaches the boys about different things and allows them to have fun and yet earn some of their achievements.

The boys that attended the camp were Cam McCarver, Isaiah Decker, Cole McCarver, Charlie Zehner, Zach Zehner, and Connor Miller. Tammy Zehner and Christy McCarver also went as adult volunteers to lead a den. This year there was over 200 boys from area scouts that attended the davcamp.

All of the boys had a great time and learned some new skills. When you see one of these boys ask them how to make pudding on the go or how to bake cookies outdoors! We are also proud to announce that one of the boys from our Warren Pack #3122 beat out over 200 other boys and took home the overall BB Shooting Champ! CONGRATS ISAIAH DECKER!

We will keep you all updated on our scouts and remember as soon as school starts we will be having a meeting for any boy from 1st grade and older who would like to join! We will also have a Boy Scout Unit starting this year!

Front Row (L-R): Cam McCarver, Isaiah Decker, Cole McCarver, Charlie Zehner, Back Row (L-R): Connor Miller, Christy McCarver, Tammy Zehner, Zach Zehner



GINGHAM GALS

Drive #8 Ferrell Long.

The Gingham Gals held their June meeting at the home of Marcia Jackson with Joenita Keller as cohostess.

Bolinger, Keith Duckwall, Jim

Slaughter, Rex Ziegler. Closest to

the Pin #3 Fred Scweikhardt, #6

Dave Banter, Long Drive #8 Lynn

Bonewitz and Pat Shuttleworth.

For Thursday, June 14th: 1st Place:

Fred Dodge, Bill Preston, Phil

Rebholtz, Pat Shuttleworth, 2nd

Place:Lynn Bonewitz, Keith

Duckwall, Charles Forrester, Denny

Thorton, Closest to the Pin #3 Pat Shuttleworth, #6 Jack Wilson, Long

Betty Yoder, Vice President, called the meeting to order with members joining in the pledge of allegiance. Betty read a very inspiring short story, "Dolphin Watch".

Each member was asked to bring their oldest Hot Pad and their monthly donation to the food pantry. Roll call was answered by giving the history of your Hot Pad.

Joyce Trout read last months' secretary's report. Donations were made to H.A.T. \$100, Salamonie Summer Festival fireworks \$50 and Weekday Religious Education \$100. Martha Jennings gave the treasurers report.

Donna Bolinger highlighted her trip to Iceland. She went to Iceland with Jim, and her brother & sisterin-law, who is from Iceland, Donna explained that Iceland has a total population of 300,000. The island is famous for "Hot Springs", Volcanoes and beautiful mountains. Iceland has enough hot springs to supply the entire country with water and heat. The approximate monthly utility cost for two people is \$30. They visited Westman Island by Ferry. Iceland is a very modern country with beautiful homes, malls and all types of buildings, very comparable to large U.S. cities. The Krona is their currency and their language is "Icelandic", although they rarely met anyone who did not speak English. Iceland is a very progressive country and plans to be 99% oil free in 10 years. The relatives of Donna's sister-in-law were very hospitable and entertained them in their homes with delicious seafood from their waters and tales from their land.

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Calendar Communit

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 onetime \$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.

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Jun 17 - 23 Grant County 4-H Fair Jun 18 6:30 p.m. KBC Board Meeting at KBC Jun 20 7:00 p.m. Van Buren Town Council Meeting Jun 28 - Jul 1 Salamonie Summer Festival

Jul 4 Independence Day

Jul 6 Warren Trash Pick-up delayed due to Holiday Jul 9 6:30 p.m. Warren Town Council, Assembly Hall

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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Members present were Ruth Ann Ackley, Donna Bolinger, Joan Boyer, Janice Brubaker, Joyce Buzzard, Marcia Jackson, Martha Jennings, Joenita Keller, Ellen Laymon, Roselyn Poulson, Nancy Smyth, Lois Spahr, Evelyn Thompson, Joyce Trout, Janice Williams, Diane Winkler and Betty Yoder.

Hostess gifts were won by Lois Spahr, Janice Williams and Betty Yoder. Marcia and Joenita served refreshments. The July meeting will be at Janice Brubaker's.

MEETING HELD

Knight Bergman Center June meeting was held June 18 at the KRC

Bob Smith owner of Midwest Forestry was present to give his bid on the 8 Walnut trees below the hill. He would like to buy these trees. After some discussion we are going to check locally to see if someone else would be interested in buying them.

Minutes were reviewed and with a couple of corrections were accepted.

Financial report was reviewed, After discussion they were approved. We are looking for someone to audit the books at least annually.

There is still a lot of concern regarding the large hole below the hill.. It needs to be repaired before someone falls in it and gets hurt. Neal will be checking to see what can be done.

Tuck point on the gym and back side of the building: we will be seeking bids on this project soon.

On our past work day, all of the play ground equipment was repainted. A new baby swing was replaced and other repairs completed. The trees and shrubs were all trimmed and some weeds pulled. Therewill beno work day in July because of all the summer activities.

Election on Officers for the coming year was held: President: Shelley Boxell, Vice President: Joyce Buzzard, Secretary: Janice Jordan, Treasurer: Sharon Gebhart

Next meeting will be July 16th at the KBC.

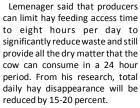
PASTURE MANAGEMENT

The long stretch of hot and dry weather has impacted the condition of pastures across the state. The most recent Indiana Crop and Weather Report (June 11, 2012) showed that 60% of the pasture were in very poor, poor or fair condition. Producersmust plan and carefully manage their grazing strategies.

One way producers can be proactive is by caring for pastures through rotational grazing, Ron Lemenager, a Purdue beef specialist, said. With rotational grazing, herds are moved from one section of pasture to another to maximize quality and quantity of forage growth. This practice helps prevent overgrazing.

"I think most of us realize that if cows are continuous grazing, they are going to always go for the lush, young plant, and that continuous grazing will reduce root growth and root reserves of that plant, and the regrowth is going to be significantly retarded," Lemenager said. "Rotational grazing gives these plants an opportunity to rest and grow again. But obviously, rain is going to play a big role in that."

Without rain to rejuvenate pastures, livestock producers will have to look for other forage options, such as hay. But the dry weather also is limiting hay supplies.



He said cows and calves are most at risk from low-quality and low-quantity forages. One of the first animal performance parameters affected is calf growth. Without proper nutrition, cow milk production will decrease, ultimately affecting weaning weights.

In addition to rotational grazing and limiting hay access, Lemenager said in the short term producers can consider creep feeding calves. According to North Dakota State University Extension Web site, the definition of creep feeding is providing supplemental nutrients to nursing calves, usually in the form of grain, protein supplements, commercial calf creeps, or high quality forages.

If the dry conditions persist, a longer term strategy would be to consider early weaning. Early-wean rations that contain feeds such as corn, oats, soybean hulls, corn gluten feed or dry distillers grains can be formulated to create cost effective gains. Early weaning lowers the cow's nutrient requirements, reduces forage intake of the cow, reduces trampling losses caused by the calves, and can take significant pressure off stressed pastures.

More information about managing pastures can be found in Purdue Extension's free publication, "Management-Intensive Grazing in Indiana." It's available at http://www.extension.purdue.edu/extmedia/AY/AY-328.pdf

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.

STARGAZING

A host of special activities on June 23 will mark Shades' 65th anniversary of becoming a state park.

The fun includes a Chautauqua, which is a cultural learning event; late-night stargazing under what's been called Indiana's darkest sky; and many hands-on activities.

Chautauqua activities start at 2 p.m. with a welcome and introductions of the events. At 2:10 p.m. a program called "Shades of the Past" will document the park's early days, including its pre-state parkhistory. Native American flute music follows. Chautauqua activities culminate with a Miami Nation Drum Circle at 4:45 p.m.

A traditional bean dinner will be provided by the Waveland & Alamo Volunteer Fire Departments for a free-will donation to the departments from 5 to 7 p.m.

Various hands-on activities will be offered until 8 p.m., then it's time

for the four-hour star-gazing party. After a twilight hike, guests can enjoy doing star crafts, telescope gazing and naked-eye astronomy. Participants will be able to use large telescopes to see deep space objects, and will be able to interact with astronomers.

The event itself is free. The usual daily gate fee of \$5 per in-state vehicle and \$7 per out-of-state vehicle will be charged.

The full schedule:

2 p.m. Welcome & Introductions 2:10 p.m. - Shades of the Past program with Troy McCormick and members of the American Legion 2:50 p.m. - Native American Flute Music with Mike Mycroft

3:20 p.m. - Take a Break: Handson Chautauqua Activities

3:50 p.m. - Magic Show with Marc Lehmann

4:15 p.m. - Then & Now postcard program with Greg Redding

4:45 p.m. - Miami Nation Drum

5-7 p.m. - Traditional Bean Dinner provided by the Waveland & Alamo Volunteer Fire Departments: freewill donation for meals

8-9 p.m. - Twilight Hike: Dell Shelter

9 p.m.-1 a.m. - Star Party with The Wabash Valley Astronomical Society: New Road

Shades State Park is at 7751 S. 890 W, Waveland, IN, 47989.



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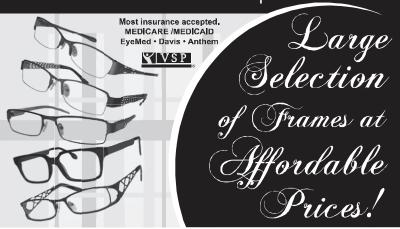
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Words cannot express how much the family of Patty Boxell appreciated the prayers, thoughts, concerns, flowers, food, cards, and love from family members, former and current co-workers, friends and neighbors during the illness and passing of Patty. Thank you again. Max Boxell and Families

BRINER

Norma Helen Briner, 82, of Upland, passed away at 4:19 PM on Wednesday,



June 13, 2012 at The Indiana Heart Canter in Indianapolis, IN.

She was born on Tuesday, December 31, 1929, in Wabash, IN to Charles and Esther (Salzman) Scott.

Normagraduated from the Marion High School class of 1948. She married Wayne Briner on Saturday, August 26, 1950 in Wabash, IN. Norma was a Deacon member of the Van Buren Central Christian Church, Van Buren, IN, and a life long resident of Grant Co. She was president of the Hanna Circle, and the loval Workers Class at the church and was also a Van Buren Red Hatters Club member.

Survivors: Son - Daryl (Lynda) Briner, Gas City, IN, Daughter -Marsha (William) Nicodemus, Marion, IN. Daughter - Paula Shepherd, Upland, IN, Son - Danny Briner, Son - David (Cindy) Briner, Broken Arrow, OK, Grand Children - 9, Great Grand Children - 15, Brother - Joe (Bridget) Scott, New Mexico, Sister - Gladys Pink, Valparaiso, IN, Several - Nieces & Nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Husband - Wayne Briner, Grand Child - Randolph Pool, Brother - David Scott, Brother -Wilfred Scott, Brother - Charles

Family and friends gathered to $share \, and \, remember \, at \, Van \, Buren$ Central Christian Church, 108 S. First Street, Van Buren, IN.

A service to celebrate Norma's life was held at Van Buren Central Christian Church, 108 S. First Street. Van Buren, IN at 11:30 AM on Monday, June 18, 2012 with the Pastor Heath Jones officiating. Interment followed in the Marion National Cemetery in Marion.

Arrangements were handled by Ferguson & Glancy Funeral Home in Van Buren.

Memorials: Central Christian Church, Van Buren, IN.

BROOKS

James Edward Brooks, 89, formerly of Marion, Indiana, passed away Friday, June 15, 2012, at Superior Care Nursing Home in Paducah, Ky. Born in Houston County,

Tennessee, to Edward P. Brooks and Ida (Hendricks) Brooks, Mr. Brooks spent most of his adult life in Landess and Marion, Indiana. He was a WWII veteran and Bronze Star recipient. He served as a medic in the U.S. Army, 114th Medical Battalion. Jim retired from the VA Hospital in Marion, IN. after 30 years and Summit Bank in Marion, IN. after 10 years. After retirement he worked at Hill's Department Store in Marion as a greeter, a job he dearly loved. He was an avid checker player, gardner and Chicago Cubs fan.

Mr. Brooks is survived by one son, Raymond (Ray) Brooks and wife, Mary, of Murfreesboro, TN., One Daughter-in-law, Patty Brooks of Fort Wayne, IN. Four Daughters: Pauline Ott of Marion, IN., Margie Pitman and husband, Kenny, of Murfreesboro, TN., Mary Brooks Martz and husband Steve, of Sun Lakes, AZ., and Chris (Eunice) Brooks Janne and husband, Randy of Paducah, Ky. Eighteen (18) Grandchildren, Twenty Eight (28) Great-Grandchildren and eight (8) Great-Great-Grandchildren.

Jim was Preceded in death by his Father, Edward P. Brooks, his Mother, Ida Hendricks Brooks, His first wife, Margaret Brooks, his 2nd wife, Ethel Dill Brooks, One Son Ralph Brooks, one Grandson, J.Darin Loftis, a granddaughter. Tina Brooks, Three (3) Sisters, Addie Mae Boone, Nettie Thompson, Beulah Nelson, Five (5) Brothers:Alfred, Marvin, Lee, Jack and Richard Brooks.

Funeral Services to celebrate Jim's

life were held at 10:30 am Tuesday. June 19, 2012 at the West 8th Street Weslevan Church, Marion, IN, with the Rev Ben Gray and Rev Daniel Van Cise officiating. Burial followed at the Gardens of Memory Cemetery, Marion, IN.

Family and friends gathered to share and remember on Monday June 18, 2012, at the Ferguson & Glancy Funeral Home, 201 West Main St. Van Buren, IN. Military services will be held at the cemetery by the Grant County Honor Guard, Marion, IN.

Memorials may be made to the J. Darin Loftis Memorial Scholarship Fund made payable to the West Kentucky Community Foundation. PO Box 7901, Paducah, Ky. 42001, or to a charity of your choice.

SLUSHER

(Reprinted to correct an error) Don E. Slusher, 75, of Warren, IN, passed away at 9:58 PM on Monday. June 11. 2012 at his residence



He was born on Wednesday, April 28, 1937, in Wells County, IN. He married Janet M. (Long) Slusher on Saturday, May 12, 1962 in Warren. IN. Mr. Slusher was a 1956 Graduate of Jackson Township High School, He worked as an electrician in the maintenance department at the Marion V.A. hospital in Marion, IN, for 26 years. He was an auctioneer and owner/operator

along with his wife Janet of the Trading Post Auction House in Warren, IN. He served in the U.S. Army during Vietnam as an Airborne Quarter Master and was stationed in Italy, Spain, Germany, France, and England. He was a member of the Van Buren American Legion Post #368 in Van Buren, IN. He was also an avid Nascar and I.U. basketball fan. Mr. Slusher enjoyed fishing and spending time at Ridinger Lake. Don loved his grandchildren.

Survivors: Wife - Janet M. (Long) Slusher, Warren, IN, Daughters, Sheryl S. Slusher, Brenda J. (Scott) Whitaker, and son, Donald E. (Fiance Peggy Parker) Slusher II, all of Warren; sister - Jane Haley, Huntington, IN, sister - Donna McFarland, Bluffton, IN, sister -Gladys Huffman, Florida, Grandchildren -9, Great Grandchildren – 1.

He was preceded in death by: Father - Roscoe R. Slusher, Mother - Helen B. (Kahn) Slusher, Brother -Wayne Harter, Brother - Glen Arnold.

Family and friends gathered to share and remember at Glancy - H. Brown & Son Funeral Home 203 N Matilda St. Warren.

A service to celebrate Don's life was held at the funeral home on Saturday, June 16, 2012 with the Rev. Dewey Zent officiating. Interment followed in the Jones Cemetery Wells County.

Preferred memorials: American Cancer Society 2420 N. Coliseum Blvd. Suite 200 Fort Wayne, IN 46805 ~or~ American Diabetes

Association 7363 East 21st Street, Indianapolis, IN 46219.

BUZZARD

Barbara J. Ehinger Buzzard, 73, passed away at her residence on June 11, 2012.

Mrs. Buzzard was born September 9, 1938 in Hackensack, NJ to James A. and Gladys M. Payton Paxton. Her father preceded her in death.

Barbara graduated from Huntington Township High School in 1956. She was salutatorian of her graduating class. Her first marriage was to Richard J. Ehinger in 1964. He preceded her in death November 27, 1990. Barbara's second marriage was to Gerald (Jerry) Buzzard in 1994. He preceded her in death in 2005.

Mrs. Buzzard was an executive secretary and was employed by Memcor, Community State Bank, Lincoln Life Insurance Company, and IBM. Fort Wayne. IN. She was a member of SS. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, VFW Auxiliary 2689, American Legion Auxiliary, all of Huntington, IN and Eagles #1738 in Wabash, IN.

Survivors include: Barbara's mother: Gladys M. Bardsley, Huntington, IN, one son: Joseph R. Ehinger, Bloomington, IN; five daughters: Ann (Troy) Cozad, Fort Wavne, IN. Sara (Conor) Obrien. Dillon, CO, Jane (Ralph) Johnson, Fort Wayne, IN, Eileen (John) Lindhorst, Silverthorne, CO, and Lois E. Ehinger, Fort Wayne, IN;

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These new members join these current IAB Board Members:

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CANNER TESTING

The Purdue Cooperative Extension Service of Wells County is offering two different weeks this summer to have your pressure canner tested by a certified canner tester. Dial gauge canners should be checked annually for accuracy. Weighted gauge canners do not need to be tested.

Two different inspections are available:

* Gauge/Lid Inspection only for \$3.00. The dial gauge will be tested for accuracy and the petcock and gasket will be checked for cracks and condition.

* Full canner inspection for \$5.00.

Includes the dial gauge, the safety plug, petcock and gasket and the overall condition of the canner.

The testing dates are being held in the Wells County Community Center at the 4-H Park, 1240 4-H Park Road, Bluffton, during the weeks of June 25th to June 29th and July 30th to August 3rd.

Bring your lid or entire canner and make arrangements to leave it and pick it up at a later date during the week. The hours the Extension Office is open are: 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM. No canners or lids will be accepted after 12:00 Noon on June 29th or July 6th.

Afree publication entitled, "Using and Caring for Your Pressure Canner" will also be available to those bringing a canner or lid in for inspection.

If you have questions about this event, please contact the Wells County office of the Purdue University Cooperative Extension Service at 260-824-6412.

WHAT'S IN YOUR CLOSET?

by The FlyLady Marla Cilley Our journey through life starts with our first breath and it ends with our last one. Since our birth we have packed many bags for our trip. We are born naked but then we have to put clothes on our bodies. These clothes tell our history; from the baby shoes we took our first steps, to the dress we wore to the prom, our wedding dress and then to the pregnant clothes we wore when we gave birth. I'll wager that your closet recounts many of the chapters of vour life.

Our closets are filled to over flowing. Each time we open our closet door we have a conversation with those clothes. If the truth be

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known we actually wear only a few items in our closet. The rest are there to beat us up and pretend to rescue us. Our clothes have a way of making us feel bad.

Just think about your wedding dress that no longer fits your body. What are your first thoughts? How could I let this happen to me? I looked so good that day. Then I want you to think about how you starved yourself to death to fit into that dress in the first place.

Why do we do this to ourselves? Why can't we just be happy with ourselves just like we were? We were trying to fit into an unrealistic picture that only stays with us for that fleeting moment.

Those nasty conversations go on each time you walk into your closet. If it isn't about a wedding dress it is about another favorite outfit that you paid good money for that is too tight. It is time for us to quiet these beratings and get on with our flight without feeling guilty.

There is an easy way to banish these voices from your head; get them out of your closet and only keep items of clothing that you absolutely adore and feel like a million buck in when you wear them. Decluttering your closet is not going to kill you; in fact it may just save your life.

It is time we packed for our journey. Our closets are no longer going to stand in our way of traveling lightand enjoying our trip. Most of us only wear about 10% of the clothes we have stashed in there anyway. Let's lighten our load and get rid of those nasty voices once and for all; Out of sight, out of mind! We can do this.

First we need to look at the clothes we truly love because we feel good in them. This goes for your shoes too. Pull those out of your closet one at a time and think about the

words you hear in your head when you have them on. Now put them back in your closet and pull out something that does not give you the same feeling. If the item of clothing makes you feel bad, evokes feelings of guilt in you or you just don't like it; then put it in the give-away box. If you have changed careers and no longer have to get dressed into suits then donate them so others can start their new jobs and look nice.

Let me warn you. Going through your closet is difficult because of all the stories that your clothes dredge up. This is why I only want you to spend 15 minutes at a time doing this. Do not spend hours; this will make you feel sick . Bless yourself by being kind to you. Bless others by donating those clothes thatsay ugly words when you enter your closet.

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THE FINE ART OF LISTENING

by V Neil Wyrick

The writer Charles Swindoll was irritated. His plate was full and so a lack of patience visited quite often. In his book Stress Fractures he shares the following. "My daughter, Colleen. wanted to tell me something important that had happened to her at school that day. She began hurriedly, 'Daddy, I wanna tell you somethin' and I'll tell you really fast.'

"Suddenly realizing her frustration, I answered, 'Honey, you can tell me -- and you don't have to tell me really fast. Say it slowly." "I'll never forget her answer: 'Then listen slowly.'

How long ago was it when someone was speaking to you...and you were wishing they would stoptalking because you felt you had something more important to say?

The world is overwhelmed with poor listeners.

Except for an exception here and there.

An 80-year-old grandfather went to his daughter's house for Sunday dinner. When the meal was over, he announced that he was going to take a walk through the

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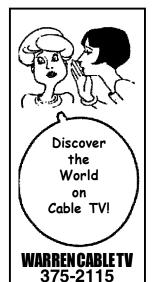
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one brother: James W. (Roberta) Paxton, Fort Wayne, IN; three sisters: Judith (Bruce) Hippensteel, Ligonier, IN, Mary (Richard) Gehrett, Nappenee, IN and Lois (Jerry) Walling, Warren, IN and one granddaughter: Sara Elizabeth Johnson, Fort Wayne, IN.

A Mass of Christian Burial is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Friday, June 22, 2012 with calling one hour prior to the Mass at SS Peter and Paul Catholic Church, 860 Cherry St., Huntington, IN with Father Ron Rieder, presiding.

In lieu of flowers, preferred memorials are to Huntington Catholic Schools or donor's choice in care of McElhaney-Hart Funeral Home, 715 N. Jefferson St., Huntington, IN 46750.

Burial will be in Mt. Calvary Cemetery, Huntington, IN.

25 YEARS

John and Treva Flemming will be celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary with an open house June 24th hosted by their daughter and granddaughter.

John Flemming and the former Treva Herring were married June 27th, 1987 at the home of the brides parents by the Rev. Steven Haliflich.

John is employed as a grain hauler for Salamonie Mills in Warren and is also a certified gunsmith. He enjoys restoring his truck.

Treva is employed by Heritage Pointein Warrenas a dietary aide. She enjoys scrapbooking, cooking and candy making and is the owner of Pine Creek Candy.

The couple also enjoy 4-wheeling and are members of the Tri-County 4x4 Club.

The Flemmings have one daughter Kendra Flemming and one granddaughter Kylynn, both of Huntington.

A celebration will be held June 24th at the Sportsmans Club in Warren from 3 to 6 p.m. and the public is invited to attend.

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circled our property on three sides so in a way we kids thought we owned the creek. In the summer we spent many hours along the creek banks usually supervised by my older sisters.

Dad one time showed me where the creek started somewhere in the area of Rock Creek and Salamonie township, it was a spring. I have tried to find it but it is no longer where it can be seen from the road. He told me many times of he and some friends following the creek to its source making a week long journey. That must have been a real vacation trip camping, hunting and catching fish along the way. This would have been over a hundred years ago as

my dad was born in 1894.

That little ole creek can tell some real stories some good and some bad, floods that washed our crops out, to many hours of fun and the sorryful sad time when a small baby drowned, but also real exciting times when we found some boys in our corn field destroying property and followed them to the swimming hole where they stripped off and jumped in and my sisters grabbed their clothes and took off with to the house and gave them to dad where he took them back and the boys got a good hard lesson and rather chilly one about destroying other peoples property. For some reason we never seen them down there again. Just a lot of stories and memories came fromalong Loon Creek.

Needed to think about a nice cool dessert on this hot day and Mom's Angel Food cake came to mind. Sift together 1 1/4 of sifted cake flour and 1/2 cup sugar. Beat till stiff 1 1/2 cup egg whites at room temp 1/4 teaspoon salt 1 1/4 teaspoon cream tartar 1 teaspoon vanilla add the flour mixture small amounts at a time folding in with a non metal spoon. Pour into an ungreased tube pan bake 375 for 40 minutes.

When cool slice crosswise in half ice with a mix of a lemon prepared pie filling and whipped cream. Real good

Try to enjoy the hot weather.

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neighborhood. "I'll be back in twenty minutes," he said. But two hours had passed before he finally returned. "Sorry I'm late," he said. "But I stopped to talk to an old friend and he just wouldn't stop listening."

The next time someone is talking to you...really pay attention to what they are saying...you might learnsomething...at the worst their point of view is quite possibly different than yours and they have a good reason for whatever opinion they are expressing...so don't dismiss it so easily.

After all there is that old saying, "You have two ears and one mouth...therefore listen twice as much as you speak."

After a concert in a mid-western town Paderewski was found behind the stage silent and preoccupied. Someone asked him what was the matter -- was he ill?

"No," he said, "but some friends of mine weremissing: the greyhaired couple on the fourth row back. They were not in their usual places."

"I didn't know you had friends in this town. Did you know them well?"

The pianist replied, "I didn't know them at all. I never spoke to them but I liked the way they listened. Every time I have played here for 50 years I have always played to them."

We all have a need to speak...nothing could be more

obvious...but we also all need to refine our art of listening...it is also obvious that most of us have to work on this one.

THREE WAYS NEW TECHNOLOGY CAN MAKE YOUR HOME LIFE EASIER

(StatePoint) New technology in your home can sometimes leave you feeling overwhelmed by gizmos and gadgets. But if you choose your technology wisely, you can simplify your domestic life rather than clutter your living space with products you don't use.

Here are three simple ways technology can help you streamline your home:

Control Atmosphere

The ability to control your environment is vital to one's comfort level. You may already have a programmable thermostat, but did you know that the latest models come with Wi-Fi, allowing you to control your home's climate from your mobile device?

Not only that, modern thermostat models are so smart, they learn your living patterns and set a schedule for you accordingly.

Improve Communication
Everyone is quick to jump at the
latest mobile devices when they
become available, but when was
the last time you updated your
landline telephone? New
developments in landline
technology are making your home
phone easier and more convenient
to use.

Consider swapping out your older telephone in favor of a modern device with high functionality. For example, Panasonic's new Link2Cell modelsallow you to make and receive cell phone calls using

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your cordless telephone system via Bluetooth technology -- whether or not you have landline service. You can even transfer contacts from your mobile phone to the Panasonic cordless handset so you can easily dial your stored numbers.

Synching a mobile phone with your landline allows you to place your cell anywhere in the house that provides the best reception and still roam freely on your landline's cordless handset. You'll also have far better sound quality and peace of mind knowing you won't miss an important call.

Outsource Chores

Getting your family to help out around the house isn't much fun when it means verbal nagging. But online chore charts can help parents motivate their kids to take responsibility. Completed chores are tracked digitally, and you can connect tasks to allowance and rewards -- providing clear incentives through a familiar, palatable medium. There are many options out there, so find the one that works best for you and your family.

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