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Thought for the Week: *Good people are people who notice good things in others.* Adam Selley

## LIBERTY

Come share with the Dillman Sanctuary Choir as they present Liberty a musical celebration of freedom. They will be appearing Sunday, June 29, 2003 at 6:30 p.m. in the Life Center in Bluffton, 428 South Oak Street (Old Bluffton High School). No tickets required, no reserved seating. Free will donations accepted.

## COMING SOON

Future shows at the Pulse Opera House include My Favorite Year starting August 1<sup>st</sup> and the Diary of Anne Frank starting Sept. 26.

## LIONS FAIR

The Pennville Legion - Lions Fair 3 on 3 Double Elimination Tourney will be held July 11 -12. Seven different age groups. \$25.00 per team. Call 260-824-1124 for more information.



## DISASTER TRAINING

The Huntington County Chapter of the American Red Cross recently held a disaster training exercise in the parking lot of the Courthouse Annex. Members of the American Red Cross Disaster Action Team (DAT) held this mock in an effort to raise awareness of the services offered by the American Red Cross.

At this disaster exercise, Disaster Action Team members pretended a disaster had occurred and the clients we fed were the American Red Cross Board of Directors. This exercise was excellent practice for the Disaster Action Team members and it was a good experience for the Board of Directors to see how things could work in a large disaster.

In an effort to better serve victims of disasters, the Huntington American Red Cross is raising funds for a disaster trailer and supplies. The trailer and supplies would be set up at the scene of a large disaster and would house everything needed to begin a disaster response. Items in the trailer could include: generator, cots, blankets, family service forms (forms for direct assistance to client), mass care forms (for bulk distribution, feeding from fixed sites and mobile sites), worker ID, eating utensils and other small items. Major supporters for this project are the Community Foundation and Tri Kappa.

With the Huntington Chapter increasing service capabilities, we are in need of additional companies and organizations to assist in supporting this endeavor. By the time the trailer is fully stocked, we expect to have \$6,935 in this project. This trailer will be used at upcoming disaster training exercises and community events.

If you are interested in volunteering your time in disaster services or any other service offered by the American Red Cross, please let us know by calling 260-356-2910 or e-mailing us at red.cross@huntington.in.us.

## POPCORN ROYALTY

Wanted: Van Buren Popcorn Royalty. Prince and princess (age 1-8), Jr. Princess (9-14), Sr. Princess (15-18), Jr. Queen (19 - 40 New Group), and Sr. Queen (41 - 120).

For information contact: Joey Mayo (664-6427), Pat Penrod (934-9950), or Bev Bayman (934-3223). Contestants accepted from Washington Township, Van Buren Township and Upland and Matthews or all Eastbrook People.

Come join the fun and represent your town. Entry is free!

## SUB EATING

The annual Sub Eating Contest will be held Saturday, July 5 at noon on Stage II. This event will be sponsored by Subway.

## BASKET BINGO

Don't forget to get your tickets for the Beta Delta Chapter of Sigma Phi Gamma's Longaberger Basket Bingo during the Salamonie Summer Festival on Saturday, July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2003 at the Knight Civic Center. There is only a \$10.00 donation for a fun filled afternoon of 20 games. One original Longaberger Basket will be awarded to the winner of all 20 games. The doors open at 12:00 p.m. and the first game begins at 1:00 p.m. Concessions will be available. So if you are 16 or older and like to play Bingo, come on over to the Civic Center and join us for some fun and fellowship. You can purchase your ticket ahead of time from any Beta Delta member, Gebhart's Floral Barn, Warren Service & Supply or by calling Dianna Bradford at 260-375-3992. Tickets will also be available at the door.

## SSF CORRECTION

The Samuel Jones Pioneer Breakfast to be held on Friday, July 4 has been listed incorrectly in the SSF fliers. The time should be 8 a.m. We apologize for any inconvenience.

## SSF PARADE

It's not too late to be part of the 36<sup>th</sup> annual SSF Parade. Pick up your entry form at Accent Interiors, Bolingers Warren Service & Supply or Cady's Express. Or call 260/375-3900 to have one mailed to you. Don't miss out on being part of "Our Town" parade.

## FLOWER SHOW

Hard to believe so few days are left before our annual festival for the 4<sup>th</sup> of July. Please bring in your entries on Thursday, 3 July, from 12:00 noon until 5:00 p.m. Judging will take place at 7:00 p.m. same day. The categories are as follows: THEME; (Our Town); BEST OF SHOW; SINGLE BLOSSOM; BOUQUET (1 variety); MIXED BOUQUET; BLOOMING PLANTS INPOTS/BASKETS AFRICAN VIOLETS; NON-FLOWERING POT/BASKET; FERNS; CACTI/SUCCULENTS; MINIATURE ARRANGEMENTS; YOUNG BOTANISTS (under 12).

The Flower Show will be held in the lovely Town Annex (air conditioned for your entries). We appreciate being sponsored again by the



## McMILLAN RETIRES FROM POST OFFICE

Sharon McMILLAN will retire from the Warren Post Office on July 3, 2003 after 27 years of service. Sharon was the first female rural carrier in Warren when she was hired in March, 1976. She served as a sub carrier on rural route 2. In 1985 she became a regular rural carrier on route 1 and transferred to route 3 in 1994, which she carried until her retirement. Sharon and her husband Claire live on an historic family farm in Wells County with numerous cats and a pet goat. The proud grandma of one grandson and two granddaughters, Sharon will spend her free time visiting them, making scrapbooks, and gardening.

United Methodist Memorial Home. There will be the usual awarding of prize ribbons and cash. Any questions? Phone Lilly Nutter, 375-2095, if no answer, leave message, have voice mail. Thanks to all participants for making this such an enjoyable part of our annual celebration.

## SUPPER INCLUDES DRIVE THRU

The Salamonie Summer Festival begins to wind down with the annual Fish, Tenderloin & Chicken Strips Supper Saturday, July 5 from 4:30-7:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Warren.

This year's meal includes the usual dining options—eat within the fellowship hall at the church or get your meals to go from the carry-out service. And for those really in a rush, follow the signs in the church parking lot and alley to utilize the "Drive Thru." With so much going on during the festival Saturday night, it's likely some may want to eat and run. In order to meet those needs, the Drive Thru allows community members to quickly place their orders and receive their meals without the inconvenience of getting out of their cars.

All meals include your choice (or combination) of meats, green beans, applesauce, chips and dessert. Dine-in guests receive beverages, too.

Ticket prices are \$7.50 for adults, \$4.50 for kids 6-12 years-old. Children 5 and under eat free.

## SPECIAL MEETINGS

The Town Council of the Town of Warren has scheduled the following Special Meetings to be held at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Meeting Room, 131 N. Wayne, Town Hall Annex:

June 30 - Review of contract for utility connections, UMM Home

July 7, 8 - 2004 Municipal Budget

In addition to main agenda items noticed above, any/all topics which could be placed before Town Council may be considered.

## VAN BUREN READING

Summer Reading Program will take place June 30<sup>th</sup> - July 30<sup>th</sup> with a picnic on August 4<sup>th</sup>. We will meet every Monday and Wednesday from 10:30-Noon. We are going to learn about farming, do crafts, have special guests, play games and have treats. We also will have a lot of neat prizes to pass give out. For more information call the Van Buren Public Library at 934-2171.

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## AREA NEWS

### FESTIVAL MEETING

The Van Buren Popcorn Festival Committee will meet July 8 at 6:30 at the Van Buren School. Last minute details for this year's festival will be finalized. The 2003 festival is August 14, 15, 16 with this year's theme "Let Freedom Ring". Everyone is invited to attend the festival meetings.

### MEETING PLANNED

The Jefferson Center united Methodist Women will meet at the United Methodist Memorial Home at 10:00 a.m. on July 3, 2003. The lesson, "Faith that Creates Justice Produces Peace" will be presented by Barbara Baer. A Mission Moment will be shared by Esther Gray. Reservations for the noon meal at the Home are due to Barbara Baer by June 30. (375-4470) Do join us!!!

### GOLF SCRAMBLE

If you play every week or just dust off your clubs once a year this is your opportunity for a day of golf and fun. The SSF golf scramble will be at Arbor Trace Golf Club on Sunday June 29.

Tee off time will be 1:30 AM with lunch and door prizes to follow at the course.

There will be a shotgun start so please arrive in time to check in well before tee off time. The cost will be \$45.00 per person. All profits go the Salamonie Summer Festival.

Get your reservations for your foursome, to Dave Keller at 375-3834 or Ron Neff at 315-3659.

### 4-H BAKE SALE

It's that time of year again! The Wells County 4-H Fair is just around the corner, and the 4-H Foundation committee has scheduled our BAKE SALE for Saturday, July 12, from 5:00 until 8:00 p.m. Check-in time for all donated baked goods is 4:00 p.m. in front of the new community building at the 4-H park.

Treats of all kinds are needed to make this bake sale a success. Cookies, brownies, and pies of all flavors (except crème) sell the best. Caramel corn, chocolate covered pretzels, and snacks like Goldfish and pretzels, repackaged into small, snack-sized Ziploc bags are also favorites, especially for frazzled parents of toddlers who just want an inexpensive bite of something for their children.

Each homemade treat must have a label on it with the creator's NAME and telephone number, or address. Mailing labels are great for this purpose! If your recipe uses nuts or any other ingredients that are causes for allergic reactions in some individuals, please make a note of that on your label. A complete list of ingredients is helpful, but not required. Don't like to bake, but want to help in some way?

Check us out between 5-8:00 p.m. and buy someone else's donation!

The 4-H Foundation uses the money it raises to purchase educational materials for Wells County 4-H clubs to share, as well as sponsoring college scholarships for several high school seniors selected in a county-wide application process each spring. Your donations stay in Wells County, so get involved and watch your money at work not only during the Fair, but all year long!

### DIVOTS FOR DILLON

Senator Dillon will be hosting an annual golf outing, Divots for Dillon on Wednesday, July 23, 2003 at Norwood Golf Course, Huntington, as a continuation of former Senator Potch Wheeler's event.

Registration begins at 10:30 a.m. with lunch following at 11:30 a.m. and a shotgun start will kick-off the outing at 12:30 p.m. Senator Dillon invites all interested players to pick-up an entry form at the Huntington County Visitor & Convention Bureau, 407 N. Jefferson Street, Huntington, or call 800-848-4282 or contact Marj Hiner at 260-356-5080.

This year's nominal entry fee should permit as many people as possible to attend the event and meet the senator. The cost per player is \$50, per team \$200, which includes lunch, green fees, cart and prizes. Non-golfing guests may simply enjoy lunch with Senator Dillon for \$20.

The deadline for registration and payment is Tuesday, July 15. Please mail information to Divots for Dillon, 1979 N - 600 W, Huntington, IN 46750.

### BALLOONS AT THE FAIR

The balloon booth at the Wells County 4-H Fair will be open next to the Pepsi Walk from 7-9 p.m. following the opening night parade on Saturday, July 12. On following fair evenings the times will be from 6-9 p.m. Come and buy a balloon and help support the Wells County Foundation.

### FRAZIER'S PERFORM

Rod and Sharon Frazier are a dynamic husband and wife team from South Whitley, IN. Their music ranges from old standards and hymns to southern gospel to the music they have written themselves. They operate a Christian family campground and Gospel Barn from May thru September in South Whitley and also minister in the tri-state area. From October thru April they are on the road traveling and performing in as many as a dozen states. Whether in a concert hall, church service, fairground, jail or ministering on the streets to the homeless, their joy is contagious and the message is Jesus, pure and simple. Come and join the fantastic couple as they sing and testify to the saving grace of our Lord Jesus.

### IMPAIRED DRIVERS

Huntington, IN - With more people expected to be on the highways during this long 4<sup>th</sup> of July holiday, this could be one of the deadliest periods ever for impaired driving fatalities.

Between June 27 and July 13, Huntington Police Department will be out in Huntington targeting impaired drivers. During this enforcement period, Indiana law enforcement departments will intensify the fight against impaired driving and remind motorists sobriety checkpoints are on Hoosier roadways. Indiana's enforcement period supports the national "You Drink & Drive. You Lose." crackdown.

"Impaired driving is no accident. It's a crime that kills too many people," said John Kreiger. "Many people still don't understand it's a crime to mix alcohol and driving. Drunk drivers are a threat to everyone's safety. There will be no warnings issued. Our message is a simple one - You Drink and Drive. You Lose."

Recent impaired driving statistics released by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration show an alarming trend. Nationally impaired driving related deaths have

significantly increased from 15,786 in 1999 to 17,970 in 2002.

Hoosiers should always remember their best defense in a crash involving an impaired driver is to be wearing their seat belt. Wearing a seat belt reduces the chance of death or injury by nearly 50 percent. Don't forget - wearing your seat belt is also the law.

The Governor's Council on Impaired & Dangerous Driving, a division of the Indiana Criminal Justice Institute, supports efforts of Indiana Law enforcement departments to further reduce alcohol-related crashes and fatalities in Indiana. DUI Taskforce Indiana participants will conduct multi-jurisdictional sobriety checkpoints and saturation patrols in areas where alcohol related crashes are frequent in an effort to help deter drunk driving. There are currently nearly 200 Law enforcement agencies and Indiana State Police participating in DUI Taskforce Indiana during this campaign.

For more information regarding Indiana's Impaired driving programs, please contact Huntington Police Department at (260) 356-7110 or the Governor's Council at (317) 232-1295.

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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.

**Jun 27** Warren Recycle Day  
**Jul 3** Rodeo  
**Jul 4** Salamonie Summer Festival - Parade & Demolition Derby  
**Jul 5** Basket Bingo, 1 p.m. at Knight Civic Center  
**Jul 5** Craft Show/Flea Market, downtown, 9 to 6  
**Jul 6** Fireworks at Dusk at Tower Park  
**Jul 6** UCC Joy Class Potato Bake, 11 a.m.

**Bread of Life Food Pantry** - Wed 4 - 6pm, Sat 10 - noon at KCC or by appointment - Call 375-2381. **Bargain Basement** - Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KCC **Story Time at WPL** - 10 a.m. **Fridays Depression Support Group** 2nd & 4th Thurs at Hope Missionary Church, Bluffton 6-7:30 **KCC Museum** Open Sundays 1 to 4 p.m.



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## AREA NEWS CONTINUED

### HOMEMAKER FASHION SHOW

It's time to sew an outfit for the annual Homemaker's Fashion Show. Entries are due on Monday, July 7, 2003. The fashion show is open to all adult residents of Huntington County and is sponsored by the Huntington County Extension Homemakers. Membership in an Extension Homemaker Club is not required in order to enter. Garments must have been made since Sept. 1, 2002. The Huntington County Fashion Show follows the guidelines of the State Fashion Show, held during the Indiana State Fair.

The state has divided the Sewing for Others/Children category. One category is for children ages 2-11 as of Jan. 1, 2003, the other is Sewing for Others/Teen Garments for those ages 12-17 as of Jan. 1, 2003.

There are three age divisions and a professional division in the following categories, Family Outfits, Dresses, Coat or Suit, Separates, My Choice, and Wedding Gowns. The winners of each of these categories are eligible, but not required to participate in the State Fair Fashion Show.

On the county level there are two additional categories. One is Sewing for Others/Adults. This offers a category for home sewers who sew for adult children and friends. The other category is Wearable Art. It is one or more items of wearable art as part of a total outfit. Wearable art includes, but not limited to, applique, painting, duplicate stitching, silk embroidery and quilted sweatshirts. These embellishments can be on a ready-to-wear garment. The winners of these two categories cannot participate in the State Fair.

The entry forms are available from the Extension Office, 354 N Jefferson St, Courthouse Annex, Suite 202 and are due on Monday, July 7, 2003.

Judging for the Huntington County Fashion Show will be Tuesday, July 15, 2003 at Huntington North High School at 4 p.m. The public Fashion Show will be July 19 at the Huntington County 4-H Fairgrounds, Hier's Park, at 7:30 p.m. Gift certificates will be given to the winners.

The committee for the Fashion Show is Jenny Baker, Heather Nissley, and Cyndy Patrick.

### THE GREAT KINGDOM CAPER

Travel the vibrant streets of London on an intriguing mission to crack the elusive Character Code as sleuths and inspectors seek to solve The Great Kingdom Caper at the Cooperative Parish of Roanoke's Vacation Bible School.

The Cooperative Parish of Roanoke invites all children age 2-12 to join us for our annual Vacation Bible School. The investigation will be held at Seminary UMC, 285 N. Seminary St in Roanoke, IN. The case of the Great Kingdom Caper will be solved on July 8-11 at 6:22 pm to 8:30 pm and July 12 at 9:00 am to 11:30 am with lunch provided afterwards for the whole family.

The Great Kingdom Caper is an

exciting and intriguing escapade that is filled with twists, turns, and surprises. Sleuths, that's caper talk for kids, will be on special assignment to discover how to live with Christian character. Bible stories, music, crafts, recreation, and snacks are all combined to provide kids with an adventure-filled week designed especially for them.

This week of fun, food and intrigue is free of charge and open to everyone. We will be having a Marvelous Mystery Mission on June 29<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm at Roanoke Park to pre-register sleuths for the Great Kingdom Caper-Cracking the Character Code. Call the Cooperative Parish of Roanoke if you have any further questions at 672-3167.

### SAFETY TIP OF THE MONTH

Grill clean up takes only minutes! Summer means the start of another barbecue season. The majority of backyard chefs choose gas grills over charcoal because of their ease of use, lower operation costs and environmental friendliness. If last year's grease and grime is still on the grill, however, it is important that it be cleaned and maintained to guarantee safe, enjoyable cookouts. NPGA, National Propane Gas Association, recommends that gas grills be cleaned at least once a year. To learn more about cleaning backyard barbecue grills, visit [www.npga.org](http://www.npga.org) for a comprehensive cleaning guide. Please enjoy a safe summer! Tip of the month brought to you by NPGA and Bolinger's Propane Service.

### MAKE A DIFFERENCE

WHAT: In conjunction with the fourth annual Arby's Charity Tour, Ft. Wayne residents are encouraged to support Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Indiana by purchasing a \$1 "Make-A Difference" Pin-Up in Ft. Wayne area Arby's restaurants from July 12 to August 15.

The pin-ups are sold for \$1.00 each and provide customers an opportunity to make a donation and, in return, have their names displayed in the restaurant. The net proceeds from the pin-ups support Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Indiana.

WHY: Since 2000, the Arby's Charity Tour Ft. Wayne has raised over \$130,000 for Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northeast Indiana and the Arby's Foundation.

Since its inception in 1996, the nationwide Arby's Charity Tour has raised over \$9.7 million for youth-mentoring organizations. The second phase of the Arby's Charity Tour fundraising in Ft. Wayne will include a premier golf tournament and auction. See [www.act-tour.com](http://www.act-tour.com)

WHEN: Pin-up sales will last from July 12 to August 15, 2003

WHERE: Any Ft. Wayne metro Arby's restaurant

### TALENT SHOW

Entry forms are available for the annual 4-H Talent Show which will be held Sunday, July 13th, 5 PM at the annual Wells County 4-H Fair in Bluffton.

The contestants will be divided into four categories: Grades 1 and 2; Grades 3 - 5; Grades 6 - 8; and Grades 9 - 12. Grade in school is based on January 1, year of the Fair. All contestants must be present 4-H members.

Participants are encouraged to attend the sound check which will be available from 3 - 4:30 PM.

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

Applications are available from 4-H leaders or the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service, 1240 S. 4-H Road, Bluffton, IN 46814, 824-6412. Forms are due July 2nd.

### FAIR SHIRTS AVAILABLE

Official Wells County 4-H Fair t-shirts are now available to order. The bright island yellow shirt features a multi-color diamond shape with youth holding hands. The center portion has a green four leaf clover, the symbol of 4-H. Wording on the shirt states "Let 4-H Color Your World", which is this year's fair and parade theme.

Shirt sizes and price includes: Youth 10 - 12 and 14 - 16, \$6 each; Adult Small, Medium, Large, and Extra Large, \$7; Adult XX Large, \$8; and Adult XXX Large, \$10.

The shirt may be ordered at the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service, 1240 S. 4-H Road, Bluffton, 824-6412. Office hours are 8 AM - 4:30 PM. Checks should be made payable to the Wells County 4-H Association.

### JULY 1 DEADLINE

Wells County 4-H members are busy finishing their project manuals and records (what can be completed) so that they can be checked (reviewed) by their 4-H Club Leader on or before July 1.

The new rule is part of an effort by the Wells County 4-H Council to encourage members to complete

their manual and records.

Once a member has their manual and record checked, the 4-H Club Leader will issue them a signed certificate stating they have completed the required activities. This certificate will be shown upon check in at the 4-H Fair Expo Hall (non-livestock projects) and at the 4-H Park West Road (livestock projects) before the health certificate check.

Dog and cat exhibits will be checked at your June workshop or club meeting.

Members who do not have a signed certificate from their leader will not be able to check their 4-H projects in at the 4-H Fair.

Mini 4-H member rules remain the same. They simply complete their project exhibit and bring it to the 4-H Fair.

Livestock members should complete as much of the feed record sheet as they can. Once the 4-H auction is finished you will be able to finish your record.

The Wells County 4-H Council along with the 4-H Association and 4-H Leaders all endorse the new rule which helps encourage youth to complete their entire project.

For more information about this new rule, check your Wells County 4-H Rule Notebook or contact your 4-H Club Leader or the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service, 824-6412.

### POULTRY BLOOD TESTING

Wells County 4-H members are reminded of the health requirements for poultry which includes proof (certificate) that the bird originated from a National Poultry Improvement Program (NPIP) approved flock or a negative blood test for pullorum-typhoid within 90 days of the Fair.

Members should plan to bring their birds to the blood testing, Monday, June 30, 6:30 - 8:30 PM at the 4-H Park Cookhouse Patio. To arrange a special time, contact the blood tester, Nadine Rudy at 824-1803.

Only birds not from a NPIP flock need to be tested. Waterfowl, turkeys, and quail do not need to be tested.

Local veterinarians can also do

the blood testing.

Salmonella pullorum and gallinarum (pullorum and typhoid) are bacterial diseases that can produce heavy losses in chickens, turkeys, and sometimes other poultry. Losses are greatest in very young birds, but can be seen at almost any age.

Survivors of these infections remain carriers for life and can become sources of infections for other birds. As breeders, they produce hatching eggs that contain these bacteria. As a result, chicks are hatched with the infection and frequently die.

These diseases can be prevented by purchasing stock from hatcheries and breeder sources listed as participants of the NPIP.

For more information about the Poultry Health Requirements, check your 4-H Rule Book or the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service, 260-824-6412.

### SEWING & FOODS JUDGING

Many 4-H members are busy preparing exhibits for some of the pre-fair judging events which will be held prior to the annual Wells County 4-H Fair, July 12 - 17.

4-H Sewing, Consumer Clothing, and Fashion Revue will be held Tuesday, July 1 at the Wells County Community Center at the 4-H Park in Bluffton. Check in begins at 5:30 PM and judging begins at 6 PM.

Consumer Clothing participants should drop off their notebooks by Monday, June 30th by 4:30 PM so that the judge can read the books before the judging event.

4-H Foods judging will be held Monday, July 7 at the Wells County Community Center at the 4-H Park in Bluffton. Check in begins at 5:30 PM and judging starts at 6 PM.

Members are reminded of the new rule this year which requires that members bring their "Project Completion Certificate" with them to judging. The certificate is obtained when the leader checks the members 4-H manual and record on or before July 1.

All judging events are open to the public and free. For more information, contact a 4-H volunteer or the

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## Huggy Bear Ice Cream Stop



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Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service, 824-6412.

### 4-H PLATES

The Indiana 4-H Foundation license plate is growing in popularity across Indiana. In fact, many of the specialty plates are experiencing and increase in sales. Some people might say they like specialty plates better than the regular Indiana license plate that has experienced mixed reviews from Indiana residents.

The Indiana 4-H Foundation license plate is unique in that 40% of the \$25 application fee is returned to the local county 4-H program where it was purchased. In many counties, these funds help to support 4-H Junior and Adult Leader training, 4-H educational materials, scholarships, and educational trips.

The remaining 60% of your contribution is used by the Indiana 4-H Foundation for statewide programs such as Junior Leader Conference, Indiana 4-H Congress, Adult Leader Recognition Day, and Master Leader Training.

Applications for the 4-H license plates are available at all County Purdue Cooperative Extension Service offices or by calling Indiana 4-H Foundation at 317-692-7044 or [www.4h.org](http://www.4h.org)

By purchasing your Indiana 4-H license plate, you can drive home the message that Indiana's 4-H programs are important to you, your family, and your state.

### CONSUMER ALERT

The BBB of Northeastern Indiana is issuing a Consumer Alert about a fraudulent Best Buy email. Several consumers in Northeastern Indiana have received this email which requests personal information, such as, social security number and credit card information. The email claims to come from the Best Buy.com Fraud Department.

This message is NOT from Best Buy and officials say consumers who may have replied should contact their banks or credit card companies immediately. Best Buy also

says, to its knowledge, no systems have been compromised and its online business is secure.

### OPEN FAIR

What: Blackford County Extension Homemaker's Open Fair

When: July 25 & 26, 2003

Where: Blackford County 4-H Fairgrounds, 4-H Building

Deadline for Registration: July 23rd, by 9:00 p.m.

Show your talents at the Blackford County 4-H & Open Fair. Start pulling together your craft items and try out the recipes that you will want to exhibit. The list of categories and the rules are now available at the Extension Office. Cash prizes and ribbons will be awarded. Registration is due on or before July 23rd. Items will be on public display Friday, July 26 from approximately 1:00 p.m. to Noon on Saturday, July 26th. Awards and ribbons will be distributed at the close of the Open Fair. You can pick an entry form at the Blackford County Purdue Extension Office, 119 N. High Street, Hartford City, IN 47348, before July 21st. Or we will have entry forms at the fair starting July 21st.

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

### SENIOR ART SHOW ENTRIES

FORT WAYNE - Artists age 60 and older can enter the Indiana State Fair Art Contest by submitting their artwork to Aging and In-Home Services of Northeast Indiana (AIHS) by Friday, July 25.

Entries for artists living in Adams, Allen, DeKalb, Huntington, LaGrange, Noble, Steuben, Wells, and Whitley Counties need to be delivered to AIHS, 2927 Lake Avenue in Fort Wayne, by noon July 25, according to Nikki Fingerle, State Fair Coordinator for the northeast Indiana area.

Awards will be given at the State Fair in the following categories:

- Advanced/Amateur Painting: Oil, Acrylic, Watercolor
- Advanced/Amateur Drawing: Pastel, Pencil, Chalk, Pen and Ink
- Sculpture
- Photography

Each exhibitor is allowed to enter one piece of artwork only. Awards will be given for the first, second and third places in each category, and honorable mention and best of show ribbons will be awarded at the judges' discretion.

All entries will be displayed in the Senior Citizens Building during the State Fair, which opens August 6 and continues through August 17. There will be a special preview for artists and their families on Tuesday, August 5, from 3:00 - 4:30 p.m. Those attending the preview can view the art exhibits and learn the contest results.

If you would like to participate, please contact Nikki Fingerle at 1-800-552-3662 for a complete copy of the contest rules and a registration entry form.

### PORK CHOP DINNER

Bluffton Optimist Pork Chop BBQ Dinner - Tuesday, July 15th 4:00 - 8:00 p.m. at the Wells Co. 4-H Fair. Pre-sale tickets available at the Wells Co. Extension Office, Raymond James and Associates, Shaw Real Estate or Farm Credit Services. Presale adult tickets \$6.50, at the door \$7.00.

### ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Living Water U.M. Church Annual Ice Cream Social, Saturday, July 12th at Living Water Youth Center - junction of State Roads 1 and 218 (former Reiffsburg Church) - 4:00

p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Homemade ice cream, sandwiches, pie, cake and beverages. Free Will Donations.

### PROPERTY TAX DEADLINE

Huntington County will only have one yearly tax bill due November 10th, 2003. A recent meeting held between Don Schoeff, Auditor, Terri Boone, County Assessor, Joan Stoffel, Township Assessor, John Miller, Computer Manager and Cindy Yeiter, County Treasurer determined that the timeline previously set has not been met. Therefore, it is necessary to go to one tax deadline with two installments due at the same time. We hope to have the bills out early Fall to give taxpayers ample time for meeting the payment deadline.

The tax bill will serve as your notification of assessment and you will still have 45 days to appeal your assessment at the County Assessor's Office (Room 102) or Huntington Township Assessor (Room 206). Even though you appeal the assessment you must still pay the tax bill, then thru the appeal process: if a refund is determined the result, that would be issued at the Auditor's Office.

This extension of deadline can be a financial hardship on everyone. The Treasurer's Office will accept Advance Tax Payments and give receipts of payment. That means you can pay whatever amount you would like, then once taxes are

calculated we run a process to apply those advance payments to the individual tax bills. The total of all payments shows on the tax bill as a payment, therefore reducing the amount owed. You must come in or send your payment to the Treasurer's Office; banks cannot take your payment since there is no bill.

For those who do not make an Advance Payment, there is not a penalty, however, you will have 2 (two) installments due on Nov. 10, 2003. If you miss the November 10th deadline, 10% penalty applies to any installment balances left delinquent.

For any further updates, please check out the Huntington County Website at [www.huntington.in.us/county/treasurer](http://www.huntington.in.us/county/treasurer).

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## AREA NEWS CONTINUED

### WINS STRANGLUND

The Paula Strandlund Memorial Scholarship for 2003 is awarded to Shannon Knight, a Huntington North High School senior of 11696S125W-35, Van Buren.

Shannon Knight is the daughter of Terry and Sherry Knight of rural Van Buren. She plans to attend Arizona State University as an education major.

She has been involved in many activities and organizations at Huntington North, including the FFA, 4-H, and athletics. She is a cadet teacher at Central Elementary School. She is a member of the National Honor Society. She is active in the Banquo Christian Church and has served in many community projects.

The scholarship is provided by the family of the late Paula Strandlund in cooperation with Huntington North High School.



### SPARKS AWARDED

Medical Memoria Foundation gives out scholarships.

One of the recipients is Jennifer Sparks, a 2003 graduate of Huntington North High School. She plans to study at IPFW in Fort Wayne with a career goal of becoming a registered nurse and surgical assistant. She was awarded \$500.

Jennifer is the daughter of Bob and Missy Sparks of Warren.

### UMW MET

The United Methodist Women met at the church on at 10:00 a.m. President Myrna Neff welcomed five guests, Marilou Wardrop, Peggy Swigart, Lois Blaugh, Cathie Dreyer, Millie Border, and a new member, Marceil Pulley. Myrna thanked Ann Brauchla for arranging for our speaker from White's Institute. She also thanked hostesses Treva Holt and Carmen Wilks.

Barbara Hart and Myrna shared some of their experiences while at Henderson Settlement on a mis-

sion work trip May 19-23.

Roll was called with fourteen members present - Ann Brauchla, Barbara Baer, Mable Fields, Esther Gray, Barbara Hart, Mary Emma Holmes, Treva Holt, Marguerite McNany, Mary Neff, Myrna Neff, June Shideler, Carmen Wilks, Carolyn Winters, and Jean Bault.

We were reminded the deadline to register for Schools of Mission in July is June 30.

Marguerite McNany shared a MISSION MOMENT from New World Outlook entitled "Come to the Table" - a story of two sisters in Lithuania who came to the United Methodist Church because they could receive a hot meal once a day. In time one began attending the worship service. After awhile the other followed but refused to take communion. After several months God made her his own through the love shown by the United Methodist minister and his wife. Marguerite closed her moment by sharing a poem "All He Asks" written by a friend.

The unit received an Honor Certificate and commendations for being a 5 STAR UNIT and a GOLD STAR UNIT.

Our speaker, Cathie Dreyer shared her story and that of her husband and son making their home at White's Institute for the past thirty plus years. Founded in 1850, White's Residential & Family Services, Inc., is a Christian Quaker organization, providing care for needy, troubled, and neglected children of all ages. She said to work with troubled children one needs to "Live what you Preach". She shared the Homes newsletter, a profile, an overview and note pad with all present.

The president closed the meeting with prayer and grace for the meal enjoyed by all.

### BOLINGER WINS HCRTA

The Huntington County Retired Teachers Association has granted a \$500 scholarship to Travis Joe Bolinger, Warren. The scholarship is given to someone who is related to a HCRTA member, has graduated from Huntington North High School and is at least a second-year student committed to a major in education.

Bolinger was chosen for his excellent academic record; his character and his efforts during his first three years at Huntington College, where he is majoring in elementary education with a middle school endorsement in science.

He is the son of Marie and Robert DeWeese, of Warren, and the grandson of Robert Prout, Huntington.

### POTTER PARTY

The Van Buren Public Library sponsored a Harry Potter "are you ready?" party on June 16. Over 30 children attended and enjoyed Harry Potter trivia, Hogwarts House teams, mugglephone; toss a snitch and other Order of the Phoenix games. Each attendee made a magical wand and a snitch. Chocolate frogs were not available for refreshments but we did enjoy root beer floats and gummy frogs. The library has free Harry Potter stickers and trivia game sheets available to those who visit the library. There is a sign up sheet to reserve the book for the Van Buren Library patrons.

### LADIES MET

The Women's Fellowship of the United Church of Christ met in the church lounge June 23, 2003. Roselyn Poulson, president, opened the meeting by reading a poem, "Keep in Touch".

The secretary, Jo Spade, read the minutes and they were approved. Roselyn Poulson, assistant treasurer, gave the treasurer's report. Our contribution to the new office came to a total of \$826.91. Cost of the Northeast Association meeting to be held in our church October 14th, 2003 should not give us any expense because the members will be paying for their lunch, and the association picks up the cost for other things. We will need additional funds to pay for the painting and papering of the ladies and men's restrooms and also for buying venetian blinds and valances for the two windows in the lounge, and also a valance for the window in the stairway. A blind is not needed for that window. The lounge could use a new coat of paint, and perhaps Cammy Ackley and Rhonda Poulson who are doing the work in the restrooms could also do that. We need to sell a lot of quilt raffle tickets to pay for all this redecorating.

A discussion about buying the program books for the year resulted in tabling the decision until the July meeting. There are only 7 meetings we would need them, and many times the devotion and lesson leaders choose to use their own materials. The thought was that the program books often are boring and not helping to motivate us to learn

and practice our responsibilities in our every day life. The Program book this year is entitled, "Diaspora" and has to do with the dispersment of Jews in the world, and deals specifically with the women in the mid-east. With the problems in the world, perhaps it might give us a more thorough understanding of what those women's lives are like.

Roselyn ask for some discussion about the Mother/Daughter dinner, and since only about 40 attended this year, perhaps we should do something different. Suggestions were given and with these suggestions the program committee for the year can make the decision.

Georgia Poulson read a letter from

the Association concerning health kits to be sent this year. They need approximately 8000 of each item for the kit as well as the plastic zip bags to put them in. A motion by Melissa Freck and 2nd by Eileen Dye with a suggestion from Georgia Poulson, that we send 2000 washcloths. The motion was carried. We will place a box in the sanctuary with the hopes that all the women of the church will contribute and we have until the first part of next year to collect and then send them in. Perhaps we will also contribute some money for shipment. The kits will be assembled in a place in Indianapolis.

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### 4-H TRACTOR RESULTS

Here are the results for the 2003 Tractor Contest held on Sunday, June 22, 2003.

Junior Farm Tractor - Champion: Mason Brown; Reserve Champion: Cameron Baker; A Placing: Casey Baker, Matt Bulmer

Senior Farm Tractor - Champion: Keith Felton; Reserve Champion: Kyle Felton; A Placing: Daniel Chenoweth, Sam Scher; B Placing: Jason Udpke

Junior Lawn & Garden Tractor - Champion: Erikk Schoeff; Reserve Champion: Cory Blocker; A Placing: Tyler Blocker, Kyle Lahr, Andrew Mason, Austin Shipley; B Placing: Lukas Wygant

Senior Lawn & Garden Tractor - Champion: Nick Gressley; Reserve Champion: Andy Ambriole; A Placing: Tyler Gressley, Chris Hoffman, Jason Hoffman, Eric Klover, Nick Stanley

The Champion and Reserve Champions in each category are eligible to drive at the Area Tractor Contest held at the Whitley County 4-H Park on Saturday, June 28 with the contest starting at 9:00 a.m.

Above is a picture of the champions. (From the left) Keith Felton (Senior Farm Tractor Champion), Erikk Schoeff (Junior Lawn & Garden Tractor Champion), Mason Brown (Junior Farm Tractor Champion), Nick Gressley (Senior Lawn & Garden Tractor Champion)

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## GENEALOGY REPORT

### HEYERLY

Ryan N. Heyerly, 25, a former Bluffton resident, died at 4 a.m. Sunday, June 22, 2003 at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne following an illness of a few days.

Mr. Heyerly was engaged in construction work.

He received his diploma as a member of the Bluffton High School Class of 1996. He was active in baseball, basketball and football while in high school.

He was born in Bluffton Feb. 23, 1978 to Arlin and Roxanne Freeman Heyerly, both of whom survive.

Additional survivors include a sister, Mrs. Zane (Amber) Gearheart of Warren; his grandparents, Mrs. LaVera Heyerly of Bluffton and Robert and Mable Freeman of Murray; and two nephews, Dain and Braxton Gearheart, both of Warren.

Services were held at the Bluffton North Apostolic Christian Church with ministers of the church officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Visitation hours were held at Goodwin Memorial Chapel in Bluffton and at the church prior to services.

Memorials to the college fund for Dain and Braxton Gearheart.

### BIRTHS

Rick Jackson and Kristin Killen Jackson, Roanoke, are the parents of a son, Colin Hunter, born at 9:24 p.m. May 19 2003 at Parkview Huntington Hospital. The baby weighed 8 pounds, 12 ounces at birth.

Grandparents are Marilyn Killen and the late Kent Killen, Roanoke; Alan Jackson, Markle; Carolyn Crutcher, Palmyra, Miss.; and Connie Jackson, Decatur. Great-grandparents are Bill and Gladys Thorne, Warren; Don and Jo Killen, Huntington; Dennis and Emilie Kreisher, Markle; and Bud and Karola Faulconer, Quincy, Illinois.

### FIVE GENERATIONS

The birth of Korbin Rylan Lahr on March 21, 2003 completed five generations in his family. Angela Krieger Lahr of Huntington is the mother of Korbin, Paul Yount of Warren is the baby's great-great-grandfather, who celebrated his 90th birthday on April 12, Melissa Yount Krieger, the baby's grandmother, and Don Yount, the baby's great-grandfather, both of Warren.

### 57 YEARS

Mr and Mrs Arthur Sparks, Markle, celebrated 57 years of marriage with a family dinner in Waynedale.

Arthur L. Sparks and Ruby E. Lahr were married May 31, 1946 in Warren.

Mr. Sparks is a veteran of World War II, having served in the 2nd Battalion 406 Company E 102nd Infantry Ozark Division. He is a retired Huntington County farmer. Mrs. Sparks is retired from Pyle Industries.

Mr. and Mrs Sparks are the parents of Mrs Mark (Dixie) Odham, Markle, Rita Kaehr, Craigville, and Roger Sparks and Julia sparks, both of Marion. They have eight grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandson.

### GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Crago, Huntington, celebrated 50 years of marriage with a reception June 14 at the Huntington Moose Lodge. The event was hosted by their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Louis Crago and Patty Evans were married June 14, 1953 in Warren.

Mr. Crago retired as a tool and die maker with General Motors, Marion, in 1987. Mrs. Crago is a homemaker.

The Cragos are the parents of Mrs. Harry (Roberta) Meyer, Zolfo Springs, Fla., Mike Crago, Warren, and Mrs. Bill (Jane) Mongold, Andrews. They have four grandchildren, one step-grandchild, three great-grandchildren and two step-great-grandchildren.

### 50 YEARS TOGETHER

Mr. and Mrs. Everett A. (Catherine E.) Kreigh of 1020 South Main Street, Bluffton, IN 46714, celebrated 50 years of marriage with an open house June 14, 2003 at Markle Park in the Boy Scout's Log Cabin.

Everett and the former Catherine Schweikhardt were married June 12, 1953 at Methodist Church at Van Buren, by Rev. Wayne.

Mr. Kreigh worked at Norfolk Southern Railroad. His wife worked at the U.S. Post Office in Van Buren.

She also volunteered at Wells Community Hospital and at Bargain Hut.

The couple have five children, Max Kreigh of Hartford City, Roy Kreigh of Uniondale, Mrs. Max (Anna) Purvis of Van Buren, Mrs. Eulis (Karen) West of Bluffton and Janet Orozco of Tacoma, Wash. They have several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

### CELEBRATING 50 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bollett, Van Buren will celebrate 50 years of marriage on June 27th.

Roy A. Bollett and Jessie R. Haggerty were married by the Rev. Herman Surber in Jalapa, Indiana.

Roy is retired from Active Products after 44 years. He is a Volunteer Firefighter for Van Buren Fire Department, with 20 years of service.

Jessie is retired from Magnetek, after 19 years. She now cleans the Van Buren Post Office and the town hall. She also baby sits with 2 of her grandchildren. She also has time to sit in the swing with Roy.

They are the parents of three daughters, Mrs. Doug (Sandra) Pascoe, Wabash, Brenda Huffman and Mrs. Jeffrey (Pamela) Wampner, both of Van Buren. They have 11 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren, 3 step-grandchildren and 1 step-great-grandchild.



### LIBRARY CELEBRATES GARFIELD

Indiana resident Jim Davis and his comic strip creation Garfield, celebrated their 25th year of publication on June 19. Garfield, at 25, has become one popular cat. He began in 41 newspapers in the United States, and now is published in 2,500 newspapers in 87 countries, has books, various licensed items, television specials and a movie to be released next summer.

The children at story time at the Warren Public Library learned about Mr. Davis' life, the changes in Garfield over the years and some inside information about publishing a comic strip. Garfield books were available for check out and the children received Garfield stickers, bookmarks and coloring pages.

Then Garfield's birthday party began with a game of "Libringo!" with every child winning two prizes. Happy Birthday was sung and the children ate more cupcakes than Garfield at this party.

Those attending were Andrew Smelser, Kaitlynn Burnworth, Erin Burnworth, Jacob Burnworth, Spencer Sabinske, Connor Sabinske, Lily Sabinske, Steven Freck, Elizabeth Freck, Andrew Freck, Kayleigh Hutson, Wesley Hutson, Dylan Hutson and Jake Strait.

This is the last week for summer reading and story time. The theme for story time on Thursday at 4:00 and Friday at 10:00 will be "Proud To Be An American" and June 30 is the last day to turn in reading records for Summer Reading prizes.

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Georgia Poulson had a set up, up town, to sell tickets for the quilt raffle on the weekend of June 20th. Marjorie Lieurance and Jo Spade will sell tickets up town on Friday, June 27th, and Eileen Dye and Jo Spade will sell tickets up town on July 4th for a while before the parade. The money from the tickets will go for our work with missions and refurbishing areas in the church.

Marjorie Gard from the nominating committee announced that Roselyn Poulson, president; Eileen Dye, vice president; Jo Spade, secretary; Betty Parker, assistant secretary; Rosemary Zeller, treasurer; and Roselyn Poulson, assistant treasurer all consented to hold their offices for the coming year, 2003/2004. The slate of officers were accepted by the members.

Melissa Freck gave a heartwarming lesson on "Relationships, Good Friends, and Being There For Your Friends". She handed out papers with lots of quotes from the Bible, Upper Room, and from famous leaders in our country. They are a good outline on how we should be a friend. She also played a beautiful tape by "Babbie Mason" about "Standing in the Gap".

Roselyn Poulson read a poem "Being Thankful", and the meeting was closed with the Love Circle, offering, singing "Have Thine Own Way" and the Mizpah Benediction.

Hostesses, Peggy Wilson and Claudia Boxell, served delicious refreshments to: Melissa Freck, Eileen Dye, Jo Spade, Marjorie Gard, Marjorie Lieurance, Georgia Poulson, and Roselyn Poulson.

STORYTIME

The Children had a fun time at the Van Buren Public Library celebrating Lickety Split Day at our new time 10:30 am -Noon on Friday June 20th.

The children received a welcome by Karen Conwell and Alishea

Donaldson. Popsicle Sticks were the main items for the day. The children were given a Lickety Split bookmark copied from the Copycat magazine. They were able to color them and have them laminated and then they attached a Popsicle stick to the back and what a neat bookmark it made.

Karen read The Popsicle History to the children. This helped the children to realize that kids can think of great ideas too.

Alishea read the book "Go Away Monsters, Lickety Split!" by Nancy Evans Cooney. The title went right along with our theme.

Then the children went outside. We played different Popsicle Stick games. We played Pass the Pack. Each team was given a small bundle of Popsicle sticks with a rubber band around them. The idea was to run around the outside of the library then pass it to the next person on their team. The fast team to finish the relay won the race. We played red light green light with colored Popsicle Sticks. That game was a lot of fun too.

We went back inside and made a Popsicle Penquin Puppet. We also made a paper Autograph Album with double paper Popsicle sticks. Everyone had fun signing each others Album.

For refreshments, can you guess what we had? Popsicles! One was not enough. Everyone had to have just one more Popsicle.

Those who attended were Alicia Smith, Paul Mikesell, Ethan Smith, William Mikesell, Ross Fenner and Chloe Fenner.

Next Friday June 27th at 10:30am -noon we will celebrate Garfield's 25th B-day. Come and have some fun!

GOLFERS RAISE FUNDS

Golfers and sponsors who participated in the Huntington County Community Foundation/Kiwanis golf outing June 11, 2003 at LaFontaine Golf Club helped to raise over \$13,000 for the two or-

ganizations.

The funds will benefit Kiwanis Scholarship Funds and Community Foundation unrestricted Community Grants Fund. The unrestricted Community Grants Fund supports programs in the areas of arts and culture, community development, education, environment, health, human services and recreation. This fund is the core grant program of the Huntington County Community Foundation and is designed to meet the Foundation's mission to enhance the quality of life in Huntington County. Over \$250,000 has been awarded from the Community Grants Fund to assist nonprofits serving our county.

A foursome made up of Frank Pyle, Joel Pyle, Homer Hiner and Brad McDonald won the tournament with a team score of 57. The second-place team, Mike Barton, Dave Nicol, Deb Nicol and Mark Welker Jr., scored 58. Ruth Michel, Lisa Geller and Jim Dittoe came in third with a team score of 59.

For more information about the Huntington County Community Foundation contact Marcia McClelland, executive director at 356-8878, P.O. Box 5037, Huntington, IN 46750.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Van Buren Elementary Perfect Attendance for the Sixth Six Weeks Period May 30, 2003

Kindergarten - Jaedyn Beck, Jason Bryant, Caleb McCoy, Jill Nevil, Kayla Shafer, Erin Tate, Derrick Walker, Alexandra Bradley, Megan Fetter, Wesley Gosnell, Amy Kerr, Kristen Nelson, Emily Webb

First Grade - Mandi Beck, Alexis Bosley, Spencer Goodman, Kortney Leech, Alicia Smith, Megan Stevens, Logan Wetherington, Mack Zoda, Jacob Gray, Chris Harvey, Katie Hughes, Shelby Marden, Jerney Pattison-Rust, Justin Smith, Karlee Stambaugh, Braden Walker

Second Grade - Alissa Anderson, Rickey Cottrell, Cassie Davis, Bethany Holman, Tyler Joseph, Amber Oswalt, Joah Rumble, Derek Showalter, Jared Taylor, Wesley White, Jacob Banter, Dalen Beck, Gabe Conn, Kayla Corey, Whitney Embry, Braxton Gray, Wesley Herrera, Korisa Kitts, Kaitlyn Peer, Dakota Williams

Third Grade - Matthew Bernaix, Madison Brewer, Shelby Gary, Michael Graves, Ashley Hatland, Austin Loftis, Connor Pannell, Tom Roush, Sarah Shields, Bobby Tate, Brandon Bosworth, Olivia Drake, Elaine Herrera, Lance Hoch, Austin Hoffheins, Katie Huston, Billy Welch, Laquita White

Fourth Grade - Samantha Athey, Brittini-Lynn Davis, Kendall Green, Amiee Huston, Reilley Jones, Blake McQueen, Cory Athey, Brady Bosley, Jackson Bratcher, Maryrose Burns, Jason Clevenger, Jeremy Clevenger, Heidi Hutchinson, David Irwin, Michael Lee, Cameron Riddle, Kyle Shafer, Kaitlyn Tenbusch

Fifth Grade - Maggie Ailstock, Jacy Boan, Kelsey Gabbard, Tyler Greenwood, Adam King, Mallory Messersmith, Allison Newsome, Sam Sherrier, Heather Stevens, Josh Stevens, Kayla Straley, Hallie

Wetherington

Sixth Grade - Zeke Brewer, Samantha Brumett, Zach Hodge, Sarah Knight, Josh Lawson, Kyle Leech, Phillip Mounsey, Hilary Beck, Adam Bernaix, Corbin Buckler, Britan Crist, Abby Eakins, Cameron Green, Kevin Gunyon, Brittany Huffman, Jamie Lee, Veronica Newby, Nick Ratliff

Van Buren Perfect Attendance for Second Semester May 30, 2003

Kindergarten - Caleb McCoy, Kayla Shafer, Derrick Walker, Kristen Nelson

First Grade - Megan Stevens, Logan Wetherington, Jerney Pattison-Rust

Second Grade - Rickey Cottrell, Derek Showalter, Jacob Banter, Dalen Beck, Kayla Corey, Braxton Gray, Wesley Herrera, Korisa Kitts, Dakota Williams

Third Grade - Olivia Drake, Lance Hoch, Katie Huston, Laquita White

Fourth Grade - Jason Clevenger, Jeremy Clevenger, David Irwin

Fifth Grade - Kelsey Gabbard, Mallory Messersmith

Sixth Grade - Zach Hodge, Sarah Knight, Josh Lawson, Kyle Leech, Phillip Mounsey, Adam Bernaix, Britan Crist, Kevin Gunyon, Nick Ratliff

Van Buren Elementary Perfect Attendance for the year 2002-03 May 30, 2003

Kindergarten - Kayla Shafer, Derrick Walker

First Grade - Megan Stevens, Logan Wetherington

Second Grade - Wes Herrera, Korisa Kitts

Third Grade - Olivia Drake, Lance Hoch, Katie Huston

Fourth Grade - Jason Clevenger, Jeremy Clevenger

Fifth Grade - Kelsey Gabbard, Mallory Messersmith

Sixth Grade - Zach Hodge, Josh Lawson, Adam Bernaix, Briton Crist

HONOR ROLL

Van Buren Honor Roll for Sixth Six Weeks Period May 30, 2003

Second Grade - Icily Cromer, Bethany Holman, Tyler Joseph, Joah Rumble, Derek Showalter, Wesley White, Hanna Boucher, Whitney Embry, Braxton Gray, Wesley Herrera, Korisa Kitts, Logan McGinnis, Taylor Nall, Delta Oswalt-Benge, Erin Pearson, Kaitlyn Peer, Dakota Williams

Third Grade - Madison Brewer, Shelby Gary, Michael Graves, Ashley Hatland, Holly Hutchinson, Shancy Larson, Tom Roush, Connor Pannell, Ethan Smith, Bobby Tate, Brandon Bosworth, Olivia Drake, Lance Hoch, Katie Huston, Matthew Nelson, Becki Oswalt

Fourth Grade - Tiffany Craven, Brittini-Lynn Davis, Kendall Green, Amiee Huston, Reilley Jones, Blake McQueen, Cory Athey, Brady Bosley, Jackson Bratcher, Maryrose Burns, Jason Clevenger, Jeremy Clevenger, Raven Dailey, David Irwin, Sarah Pearson, Rikki Rumble, Kyle Shafer, Robbie Stevenson, Kaitlyn Tenbusch, Brittany Turner

Fifth Grade - Maggie Ailstock, Jacy Boan, Courtney Bosley, Kelsey Gabbard, Stephen Greene, Caleb Hemmick, Josh Knight, Allison

Newsome, Kari Roush, Kaylee Searles, Heather Stevens, Hallie Wetherington

Sixth Grade - Zeke Brewer, Emilee Conn, Sarah Knight, Kyle Leech, Brittany McGinnis, Gillian Moorman, Hilary Beck, Adam Bernaix, Corbin Buckler, Cameron Green, Veronica Newby

Van Buren Honor Roll for Second Semester May 30, 2003

Second Grade - Icily Cromer, Brittney Dauscher, Bethany Holman, Joah Rumble, Derek Showalter, Wesley White, Hanna Boucher, Whitney Embry, Braxton Gray, Wesley Herrera, Korisa Kitts, Logan McGinnis, Taylor Nall, Erin Pearson, Kaitlyn Peer, Dakota Williams

Third Grade - Madison Brewer, Shelby Gary, Michael Graves, Ashley Hatland, Holly Hutchinson, Shancy Larson, Connor Pannell, Ethan Smith, Bobby Tate, Brandon Bosworth, Olivia Drake, Lance Hoch, Matthew Nelson, Becki Oswalt

Fourth Grade - Tiffany Craven, Brittini-Lynn Davis, Anthony Gray, Kendall Green, Amiee Huston, Reilley Jones, Blake McQueen, Alison Stout, Cady Swagger, Jackson Bratcher, Maryrose Burns, Raven Dailey, David Irwin, Sarah Pearson, Kyle Shafer, Robbie Stevenson, Kaitlyn Tenbusch, Brit-tany Turner

Fifth Grade - Courtney Bosley, Kelsey Gabbard, Stephen Greene, Caleb Hemmick, Kari Roush, Kaylee Searles, Heather Stevens, Hallie Wetherington

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RECEIVED AWARD

The Huntington County Chamber of Commerce recently honored 20 HNHS students for achievements in the school's industrial technology, business and family and consumer sciences programs.

Each student received a certificate, personalized attaché case and engraved Cross pen, with awards sponsored by area businesses.

Students were selected by their teachers on the basis of work ethics, attitude and willingness to work with each other.

Cole Campbell received an award in manufacturing sponsored by United Technologies Electronic Controls.

EARN DEGREE

Two Warren students received their degrees during the Indiana University-Purdue University Fort Wayne 36th commencement on May 14 at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum. They include:

Tiffany N. Craig, bachelor of science in organizational leadership and supervision.

Mark W. Erickson, associate of science in computer science.

3 on 3 Basketball Sign-Up

| Player Name, | Address, | Phone, | Birthdate, | Size |
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| 1            |          |        |            |      |
| 2            |          |        |            |      |
| 3            |          |        |            |      |
| 4            |          |        |            |      |

(First player listed is Team Captain)

| Experience, | Parent Signature (for players under 18) |
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| 2           |   |
| 3           |   |
| 4           |   |

Experience Level                      Sizes: S,M,L,XL, XXL

A=No organized exp.

B=Grade School Ball

C=Jr High Ball

D=9/10 Grade Ball

E=Varsity Ball

Mail your entry form to:

"The Rebel" Mike Haggerty

PO Box 150

Warren, IN 46792

Entry Deadline Wednesday, July 3, 2003

Team Sex: Male or Female

Team Division (circle one): 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, 17-18, Over 18

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Address: \_\_\_\_\_



## AREA NEWS CONTINUED

### INITIATED

Amy Bolinger was initiated into the Alpha Lambda Delta Freshman Honorary at all State University, Muncie. To be selected for membership, a student must have at least a 3.5 grade-point average on a 4.0 scale.

Bolinger, a freshman, is the daughter of Robert and Marie DeWeese, Warren.

### TOP 25

Students with local ties listed in the Top 25 students of Huntington North High School are:

Lauren Jones, daughter of Jane Jones and Keith Jones.

Kari Brubaker, daughter of Rick and Rhonda Brubaker.

Katelin Harvey, daughter of Thomas and Rosemary Harvey.

Jessica Tribolet, daughter of Mike and Polly Tribolet.

Shannon Knight, daughter of Terry and Sherry Knight.

Erica Campbell, daughter of Mark and Cheryl Campbell.

Ashley Keller, daughter of David and JoEllen Keller.

These students received Kiwanis Builds Forever awards and were guests at a luncheon hosted by the Huntington Kiwanis club along with the rest of the Top 25 students.

### BROOKS NAMED

The LaFontaine Arts Council Artists of the Month included Cylest Nichole Brooks of Warren.

Cylest was nominated by teacher Ruth Reed for her contributions in the areas of speech and theater. A senior planning to attend St. Joseph College, she is the daughter of John B. Brooks III and Brenda Tackett.

### COMPUTER Q & A

Q: Help! It seems as if my taskbar has disappeared, Start button and all. How can I get it back?

A: Well, I bet that you accidentally shrunk it. See, if you hover your mouse over the top edge of your taskbar, the cursor becomes a double-sided arrow which allows you to adjust the height of the taskbar.

So if you've inadvertently reduced it to none, simply hover the mouse's cursor at the very bottom edge of your screen (or where ever your taskbar was previously) and wait for the cursor to become a double-sided arrow. Then just click and drag the taskbar back to original size.

Q: What is a browser?

A: A browser is what you use to surf the web. There are all sorts of them out there. The most common is Microsoft Internet Explorer, but you also have Netscape, Opera, and others. In addition, your Internet Service may have a built in browser (AOL, Compuserve).

Basically, if you're on the web, you're using some species of web browser. In fact, you're reading this in your web browser.

If you have a question you think I might answer, send it to jami@citznet.com.

### HELP FOR THE FAMILY CAREGIVER

Your wife has Alzheimer's disease and cannot be left alone, but you need to visit your elderly mother in Muncie for the day. No one is available to help. What do you do?

Your husband has been diagnosed with Parkinson's disease and you want to learn everything you can as quickly as you can. Where do you go?

Your mother would be safer in her home and you would have more peace of mind if she had an emergency call system. She cannot afford it and neither can you. Who will help?

In each case, the staff of the Family Caregiver Program, administered by Aging and In-Home Services of Northeast Indiana Inc., stands ready to lend a hand to caregivers in Adams, Allen, DeKalb, Huntington, LaGrange, Noble, Steuben, Wells and Whitley Counties.

Funded primarily by the federal government, the Family Caregiver Program was established on a nationwide basis by the Older Americans Act Amendments of 2000 to give family caregivers access to the resources and services that make their jobs a little easier. It is, essentially, a clearinghouse that connects people caring for family members older than 60 with information and community assistance, like peer support, adult day care, and home health assistance.

The program also offers a respite care fund to provide temporary relief for family caregivers who must take a break to tend to their own medical needs or family issues. Finally, it offers supplemental services, on a limited basis, to complement the care provided by caregivers. A supplemental service might be legal assistance in drawing up essential documents, setting up family counseling, purchasing a shower chair, or paying for an emergency response system.

The Family Caregiver legislation was enacted largely as a result of the Census of 2000, which showed just how rapidly the American population is aging and what its needs are. Family caregivers, tradition-

ally, have been the mainstay in long-term care for older Americans. Research indicates that only 5 percent of non-institutionalized people needing assistance rely exclusively on paid services. The rest depend on family and friends to some degree.

The experts on services for the elderly with the Family Caregiver Program are in tune with the needs of family caregivers. Whether the need is big or small, they can provide a wealth of assistance and support to make life just a little easier for family caregivers in north-eastern Indiana.

Cindy Pond is Outreach Coordinator for the Family Caregiver Program of Aging and In-Home Services of Northeast Indiana Inc. 1-800-552-3662 or cpond@agingihs.org

### RED HAT FUN

Warren's "Real Elegant Dames" drove to Karen's Place In the Garden" in Hartford City, Thursday, the 19th of June for their latest get-together. The diversified menu provided something delicious for everyone's taste. Arrangements were discussed for our involvement in the upcoming Salamonie Summer Festival, where our "banner-like" red hats will reveal where we're volunteering. We all have taken turns ushering at Warren's famed Pulse Opera House where our Queen Mum has had the pleasure serving at the box office for so many years. All members seem to receive so much pleasure from doing for each other. A special treat was the 2-day garage sale, given recently by Jo Chatham at her lovely home with all receipts donated to the Real Elegant Dames! Those in the group enjoying the Hartford City trip were: Fritz Boxell, Mary Brown, Jo Chatham, Irene Henderson, Willy Hethcote, Velma Lindstrom, Lilly Nutter, Virginia Olson, Miriam Rice and Helen Stokes.

### DEAN'S LIST

Jeffrey Walter, a junior on Taylor University's Upland campus, was named to the Dean's List for the 2003 spring term. Jeffrey is the son of Gary and Rosalie Walter and is a graduate of Huntington North High School, Huntington, Ind.

Full-time students are named to the Dean's List when they have earned a 3.6 or better grade point average for the term and when at least 12 hours carry credit point values.

### HONOR ROLL

The following students 1 achieved Honor Roll for the 4<sup>th</sup> Grading Period at Souther Wells Elementary:

Sixth Grade High Honor: Sara Alford, Kristy Penrod, J Derek Price, Stella Grimm, Devin Leas, Cody Miller, Ashley C Pietz, Meghan Prible, Emily Pursifull, Sarah Spaulding, and J Skye Bower. Honor roll: Cathy Boxell, Cassandra Graham, Andrew Habegger, Austin Hartman, Audra Lane, Joey Lichtsinn, Deidre Poling, Clayton Sessions, Tayler Story, Justin Whipple, Sarah Stultz, Natalie Knowles, Ashley Adams, Tia Henderson, Haley Killingbeck, Spencer Massey, Josh Morris, Katelyn Prible, Jake Ripperger, Amos Robles, Elizabeth Thompson, Kyle Thompson, Kelsey Bonewit, Troy Fiechter, Alex Fiock, Shalee Grissell, Adrienne McCammon, Maartje Rooyakkers, Dani Warfield, and Sean Winterrowd.


Fifth Grade High Honor: Chaz Carroll, Chelsea Smith, Nicole Quinn, Kirk Poling, and Alex Troster. Honor Roll: Malisha Edwards, Elizabeth James, Robert Price, Nick Pursifull, Tyler Roush, Cody Watson, Gary Bouse, Nick Early, Chase Harris, Jacob Miller, Justin Perry, Samantha Piquine, BradLee Rogers, Blake Huffman, Jenny Lloyd, Courtney Morton, Chelsea Mossburg, Megan Thompson, Zach Smith, and Ciera Myers.

Fourth Grade High Honor Roll:

Karie Lavanchy. Honor Roll: Teagan Bennett, Devin Bower, Cristin Carter, Tyler Cassiday, Emily Bartley, Gage Minniear, James Mossburg, Tanner Prible, Austin Schortgen, Jackson Truex, Acacia Herr, Jordan Gillum, Kyle Gearheart, Chelsea Adams, Julia Bartlett, Megan Bryant, Elizabeth Davis, Mikala Habegger, Chelsea Masterson, and Damon Smith.

Third Grade High Honor: Kaitlin Bonewit, David Haigh, Kelsey Miller, Mallory Preston, Bekah Coolman, Kyle Penrod, Jayde Sills, Austin Smith, Jagger Love, and Quaid Zoda. Honor Roll: Talisha Holloway, Lucas Miller, Josie Rhodes, Jordan Alstoft, Cody Frazier, Tory Harter, Lillian Hartley, Sadie Herr, Brandon Longenberger, Katie Pinkerton, Kevin Ramseyer, Chelsea Clifton, Trevor Furnish, Clayton Hamilton, Kendra Mounsey, Morgan Perry, Morgan Sawyer, Stephanie Snow, and Bryce Longenberger.

Second Grade High Honor: Amy Boxell, Morgan Napier, Devin Price, Kayona Benefiel, Vanessa Haigh, Colton Kellam, Katie Early, and Rikki Johnson. Honor Roll: Jackson Johnson, Lance Oswalt, Trevor Quinn, Sam Rhodes, Kayle Runkle, Megan Stoffer, Allison Williams, Ryan Steiner, David Speheger, Levi Sherman, Tabatha Cooley, Jessica Bouse, Weslee Bass, Austin Ely, Marissa Geimer, Alexis Heath, Clay Huffman, Shea Merchant, Brittney Morton, Mikayla Pettibone, Bridget Rugg, Arturo Valles, and Morgan Cavanaugh.




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### CLUB NEWS

American Legion Unit 368 held it's year end meeting by having a bunch at the post June 7, 2003 at 10:00 a.m. We were served scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, biscuits and gravy, coffee and juice.

Out going president Waneta Linton went over the many things we did this past year. We had a good year in 2002 - 2003. We are going to be better in 2003-2004.

We have some new officers and are looking for great things coming up.

Installation was Friday evening June 6, 2003.

Our regular meetings will start again the first Thursday of September.

Those attending the meeting were: Irene Pickard, Toni Jones, Royce Holmes, Ruth Bole, Linda Long, Waneta Linton, Eula Belle Farr, Shirley Shinholt, Joan Rumble, Sheri Flinn, Creta Arlington, Wendy Welch, and Flo Doyle.

### PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Salamonie Elementary Perfect Attendance 4th Nine Weeks:

Samantha Adams, Emma Ainsworth, Paige Bayliss, Todd Bayliss, Benjamin Benson, Elizabeth Bolinger, Brandi Boohor, Brooke Borrer, Angelica Bowers, Austin Bowling, Andrew Boxell, Shelby Boxell, Taylor Boxell, Tyler Boxell, Alexander Bradford, Hayley Bradford, Jared Bradford, Shelby Bradford, Kourtney Brubaker, Dale Buff, Austin Burns, Zachery Burns, Jacob Burnworth, Kaitlynn Burnworth, Alysse Bustos, Kaitlyn Campbell, Grant Canady, Sarah Carter, Mianna Casto, Wyatt Cocklin, Madison Collins, Eden Conley, Kaitlyn Conley, Holly Cook, Paige Coolman, Nola Cummins, Quentin Custer, Kryston Davis, Kaylie Dunn, Austin Eltzroth, Jason Ervin, Joshlinne Fishbaugh, Garrett Fowler, Grace Fowler, Samantha Frazier, Charlotte Frecker, Erik Frost, Jacklyn Galstad, Lea Gamble, Justin Gardner, Alicia Gass, Caleb Gass, Rhyann Geiger, Anna Glasgow, Blake Gray, Chase Gray, Jared Green, Margaret Haggerty, Stephen Haggerty, Breana Hahn, Tiffany Hahn, Kole Hale, Marissa Haman, Jessica Helms, Lizzette Hernandez, Brady Herr, Rachel Herr, Spann Hester, Quaid Heyde, Shelby Hiner, Dustin Jackson, Cassidy Johnson, Jacen Johnson, Katherine Keen, Dakota King, Erin Knight, Jason Knight, Joel Knight, Matthew Knight, Taylor Lahr, Thatcher Landrum, Katharina Lane, Mariana Lane, Chandler Langston, Demarcus Langston, Austin Laux, Joshua Leidig, Jacob Leming, James Loftis, Evan Lowe, Brianna May, Kelsea McCune, Colin McIntire, Michael McLain, Andrew Menchaca, Austin Menchaca, Lacie Millard, Ashley Mitchell, Alexis Moriarity, Catherine Moriarity, Shelby Moriarity, Evan Mower, Kayleigh Mower, Drew Murphy, Nicholas Murphy, Anthony Nelson, Colter Nuss, Hali Nuss, Abigail Oursler, Alex Overby, Zachary Overby, Tyler Park, Harmony Piquene, Jacob Piquene, Matthew Plasterer, Braydon Poulson,

Landon Poulson, Ashton Purcell, Krista Reed, Sean Reed, Christopher Ripley, Jenna Roeder, Tristan Roeder, Clinton Rosen, Josephine Rybolt, Joshua Rybolt, Connor Sabinske, Emma Sabinske, Spencer Sabinske, Devyn Schenkel, Bruce Shafer, Kevin Shafer, Matthew Shafer, Jacob Shaffer, Mackenzie Sharpe, Kyle Skidmore, Robert Sliger, Cierra Small, Bethany Smith, Wesley Smith, Walker Spahr, Wynona Spencer, Laura Stafford, Jonathon Stech, Victoria Stech, Austin Stucky, Jessica Stucky, Kearsten Surber, Quintin Surfus, David Sutherby, Michael Thompson, Mariah Thornsby, Alex Varney, Alissa Weight, Michael Weinley, Damon Westlund, Kirsten Westlund, Taylor Westlund, Joshua White, Paige Widener, Leslie Witkamp

Salamonie Middle School Perfect Attendance for 4th Nine Weeks:

Matthew Ackerman, Alicia Aldridge, Lauren Bailey, Peter Berghoff, Rebecca Berghoff, Cory Bice, Timothy Bishop, Allen Blinn, Shawn Bowman, Joey Brandebury, Jared Brickley, Brandi Burcham, Tyson Campbell, Dustin Chenoweth, Michael Chenoweth, Ryan Cole, Sean Collins, Colten Conley, Chase Davis, Craig Davis, William M Davis, Daniel Degroff, Andrew Dennison, Steven Detamore, Samantha Drayer, Keifer Dressler, Talon Drummond, Jennifer Egolf, Deonna Eltzroth, Felecia Eltzroth, Joshua Eltzroth, Blake Eppard,

Dustin Forney, Emily Frankle, Joseph Gates, Brad Glasgow, James Greenwell, Brett Gunn, Dylan Haines, Travis Hale, Brittannie Harber, Mellannie Harber, Edith Harmon, Alyssa Heare, Avianca Heare, Kaitlynn Hedrick, Joshua Helms, Michael Hensel, Seth Heyde, Tristan Lee Heyde, Aaron Highley, Brian Highley, Laura Hillger, Jessica Hott, Sadye Howald, Colt Irick, Sarah Jeffers, Kathryn Karst, Sarah Keefer, Garrett Keller, Trey King, Carol Kirkpatrick, Tyler Kratzer, Jerry Lahr, Nicole Lahr, Riley Landrum, Andy Lasley, Scott Lehman, Hayley Martin, Stacy McCoy, Timothy McCoy, Keith McElhaney, Samantha Medina, Ashley Miller, Caitlin Mott, Cody Mott, Tyler Mower, Ashlee Morgan Murrill, Taylor Marie Murrill, Clinton Myers, Whitney Neuenschwander, Amanda Nevius,

Michelle Nunley, Tammy Okuly, Adam Parrot, Christine Pinkerton, Jenna Powell, Stuart Purcell, Amber Quakenbush, Gabriel Randol, Morgan Randol, Justin Rice, Benjamin Riley, Jason Riley, Mark Riley, Brett Roach, Kasey Robinson, Farren Elizabeth Schmid, Thelma Scott, Charles Semon, William Semon, Adam Sharrard, Nicole Shaw, Christopher Shockome, Brittany Smalling, Aaron Snover, Meghan Sovine, Benjamin Sprowl, Eric Stockman, Amanda Stout, Miranda Sunderman, Jordan Surber, Stephen Szelis, Heather Tackett, Ashley Thomas, Janessa Updike, Kayla Ann Villanueva, Bradley Vogleman, Holly Wagner, Braden Walter, Meagan Wehr, Kaley Alayne Weight, Tiffany Whinery, Ian White, Courtney Wil-

liams, Trevis Willour, Samantha Wright, Elizabeth Yeager

Salamonie Elementary Perfect Attendance 2002-03 Year: Samantha Adams, Taylor Boxell, Tyler Boxell, Holly Cook, Austin Eltzroth, Joshlinne Fishbaugh, Blake Gray, Shelby Hiner, Cassidy Johnson, Dakota King, Erin Knight, Katharina Lane, Evan Lowe, Kelsea McCune, Alexis Moriarity, Colter Nuss, Abigail Oursler, Harmony Piquene, Ashton Purcell, Sean Reed, Clinton Rosen, Josephine Rybolt, Bruce Shafer, Kevin Shafer, Austin

Stucky, Jessica Stucky  
Salamonie Middle School Perfect Attendance 2002-03 Year: Matthew Ackerman, Lauren Bailey, Rebecca Berghoff, Cory Bice, Joey Brandebury, Jared Brickley, Ryan Cole, Craig Davis, Samantha Drayer, Joshua Eltzroth, Blake Eppard, Alyssa Heare, Seth Heyde, Aaron Highley, Laura Hillger, Nicole Lahr, Andy Lasley, Hayley Martin, Samantha Medina, Tyler Mower, Whitney Neuenschwander, Michelle Nunley, Christine Pinkerton, Amber Quakenbush,

Benjamin Riley, Kasey Robinson, Nicole Shaw, Brittany Smalling, Eric Stockman, Kayla Ann Villanueva, Holly Wagner, Ian White

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### BIKING TO WORK CAN BE FAST, FUN, SAFE

It's surprising how many Americans bike to work. According to the League of American Bicyclists, 3.2 million people in the U.S. bike to work at least once a week.

Riding to work is not only enjoyable and healthful, it costs less. And if you go through the city, it's often faster.

Bicycling does pose some risks. The occasional flat tire is inevitable, but with regular maintenance, safe riding skills, and the proper gear, including a helmet, most problems can be prevented, according to the National Safety Council.

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Make sure you can be seen by vehicle drivers, especially in rainy weather and at night. During the day, wear bright colors. At night have a light in front and in back.

### IRAQ WAR MAKES BLOGGERS INTO STARS

If the Internet made everyone a publisher, blogging Web sites have made everyone columnists and the Iraq war has made them stars.

A blog (short for Web log) is a type of Web site on which the owner (the blogger) writes thoughts or reports on topics of interest, usually daily. Sites like [blogger.com](http://blogger.com) and [blogspot.com](http://blogspot.com) have taken the technology out of commentary and, today, everyone with a daily opinion can post it on their own Web site in a few seconds.

As you might expect, blogs can be silly and insipid but certain bloggers are also becoming respected, even famous for their instant opinions and reporting.

Nowhere has this been most obvious as during the Iraq war.

Before the lights went out in Iraq, a young, anonymous blogger, an architect, was making worldwide headlines reporting from Bagdad. The [dear\\_raed.blogspot.com](http://dear_raed.blogspot.com) site is still online, but there were no new posts since March 24 when electricity and internet service began to fail.

Certain war blogs have earned reputations for their thorough international war news digests. These include [agonist.org](http://agonist.org) and [command-post.org](http://command-post.org). Other bloggers have even raised issues of blog ethics after one was discovered to have presented materials as new that were rewritten from military magazines.

Famed media pundit Andrew Sullivan recently announced his blog, one of the first, has made a few dollars, but most bloggers work alone and for free, something that is quickly obvious since their materials are rarely edited or fact checked.

### WARREN'S RADIOS IN WWII

(by Dick Smith)

With the advent of TV, war coverage has become more immediate and sometimes personal. With its start in the Vietnam War coverage, television now brings us live, real time coverage of hostilities as shown during the Iraq War. But during WWII, we got our coverage by listening to our radios. We saw the war only in the Newsreels in the theater, the newspapers, or magazines. Our grandchildren have difficulty understanding a world without TV—but that's progress.

I remember we had only one radio, and it was on most of the time. I'm told that some of the farm families didn't get electricity until 1943 (due to a shortage of copper wiring), so they had limited listening time on their battery-powered sets.

And what did we listen to? We got the local news, weather, and farm prices from the Ft. Wayne and Marion stations. With good weather, we could pick up Indianapolis, Cincinnati, and even Chicago (remember WLS and the Morris B. Saks Amateur Hour?). As now, each station had its hourly news broadcast on the war. But it interrupted its regular programming for important events.

For our Senior Citizens, do you recall where you were, and what you were doing, when Pearl Harbor was announced? Or when D-Day was announced? And do you remember the day they dropped the first Atomic Bomb? Like a younger generation, we also had a President die in office—do you remember where you were and what you were doing when you heard that the President was dead?

Besides the news, we used our radios for entertainment. I searched my memory for some of the radio programs that we listened to during those four years. Below is a list of those that I can recall—some of you will remember them, and probably add many to my list.

\* The Bob Hope Pepsodent Show ("you'll wonder where the yellow went when you brush your teeth with Pepsodent") was just as much a classic as it was fifty years later. Remember Jerry Calona as his side-kick, Francis Langford as his singer, and his shows with guest Bing Crosby? The Fibber McGee and Molly Show with Fibber's messy closet and the Great Gildersleeve's laugh was another classic comedy show that will be long remembered.

\* The Whistler, was an evening mystery show, and was opened with this man whistling—real scary to the youngsters. Also in the evening were Inner Sanctum, Suspense, The Adventures of Ellery Queen, and I Love a Mystery. All were well-written mystery shows whose use of sound-effects (like the squeaky door in Inner Sanctum) often kept us on the edge of our seats.

\* And for the young people, there were shows like Jack Winslow of the Navy, the Adventures of Superman, Captain Midnight, Jack Armstrong, and of course The Lone Ranger and Tonto. I also remember the Green Hornet with his side-kick, Cato, and the car that sounded like a hornet! And what young person of those days doesn't remember Sergeant Preston of The Yukon, with his lead dog King — (on, you huskies!!). I do recall often hurrying home from school so I wouldn't miss a single episode of a continuing story.

\* With all of the game shows that now are on TV, one has to reach back to recall the game shows of the early 40's. One that I listened to was called The Quiz Kids. I believe they got groups of young people to compete against each other by answering questions. Also, there were Information Please and You Bet Your Life where contestants were asked questions for prizes.

\* The younger reader should not assume that there wasn't

any culture on radio in those days. We had shows like First Nighter, The Silver Theater, The Lux Radio Theater, The Screen Guild Theater, and The Johnson Wax Program. Death Valley Days, was hosted by Death Valley Scotty and sponsored by 40-Mule Team Borax. And I remember my mother and grandmother not missing a single episode of One Man's Family. I think it ran as long as some of our present-day "soaps"! I believe that many of the adults followed these evening shows much as we younger people followed our radio heroes.

\* I mentioned the Bob Hope Show above, because he was a master of comedy. But we had others to listen to, such as The Jack Benny Show and Jack's old car, fiddle playing, and his home vault where he kept his money. I believe that Dennis Day was also on the program. The Red Skelton Show was on once a week—and he was just as funny as he was forty years later. It's just that we couldn't see his use of facial gestures and movements like we could when he was on TV. Other comedy shows that were on included The Jimmy Durante Show (with his singing!), Lum and Abner, The Eddie Cantor Show, The Fred Allen Show (with Gracie), and The Great Gildersleeve (after he graduated from Fibber McGee's show.)

\* Our music came to us through shows such as Paul Whiteman Presents, The Nelson Eddy Show, The Lucky Strike Program (remember "Lucky Strike Green Has Gone To War"?), and Kaye Keyser and his College of Musical Knowledge.

I'm sure there are many favorites that I have not listed, but these came to mind as I was recalling

those days. Radio was an integral part of our everyday life. It brought us both good news and sad news. It brought us our weather and our entertainment. It became our outlet to the world and our everyday companion as we followed our favorite serials. And we didn't have to set in front of the "Tube" to enjoy it!

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By: Dr. Kevin J DeaKyne DDS, PC

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Oral cancer occurs most often in people who smoke or use chewing tobacco. Also, consumers of large amounts of alcohol are more susceptible. However, people with many different backgrounds and lifestyles are potentially a victim of this disease.

Areas of the mouth most affected are the tongue, cheek and floor of the mouth, but oral lesions can occur anywhere in the mouth.

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