

Friday, June 16, 2006

Volume 21, Number 18



Warren Weekly

"Your Hometown Newspaper"

PRESRT STD
ECRWSS
U.S. POSTAGE PAID
PERMIT NO. 51
WARREN, IN 46792



www.smalltownpapers.com

PO Box 695, Warren, IN 46792 (260)375-3531 • Fax (260)375-7007 • email: wwky@citznet.com

Thought for the Week: *Not everything that can be counted on counts, and not everything that counts can be counted.* Albert Einstein

SSF RAFFLE

The Salamonie Summer Festival will be hosting a Family Fun Package Raffle during this year's festivities. Following is a list of all of the items included in the wagon pictured above. Tickets may be purchased at National City Bank, Accent Interiors (Vicki Grimm 375-3900) or contact Kelly Gray at 375-4189. Tickets, \$1 each or 6 for \$5.00, will also be on sale at the Queen Contest June 25th 3:00 p.m. at the Warren Church of Christ and all throughout the festival at the Information booth. The winner will be announced at the Fireworks on July 3rd. There are over \$1000 in prizes and gift cards.

Family Fun Package contains: Crain Ford -1 Free Oil Change; East of Chicago - Free Buffet and Drink for a family of 4; Video Vision - 2 Free \$3.00 Movie Rentals; Deweese Soft Water & Appliance and D&D Bike Shop - Wagon; Accent Interiors - \$20.00 toward National City Gift Card; Huggy Bear Quik Stop - \$20.00 Gift Certificate; Ugalde's - \$25.00 Gift Certificate; Warren Subway - 4 Free Subs; Cady's Express - 2 Free Pizza Gift Certificates; Warren Pharmacy - 2 Decks of Cards and 1 Laser Light Pen; Markle Bank - Cooler; National City - Cooler, 2 Mugs, 2 Piggy Banks, 2 National City Shirts, 1 Car Safety Kit, 1 Hat, 2 Water Jugs, 2 Koozies, Frisbees, 2 Pens, 1 Glass, and \$25 toward National City Gift Card; PJ's Flower and Gift and Ware Brandon Monuments - \$25.00 Gift Cert.; Salamonie Summer Festival Committee- 4 Salamonie Summer Festival Shirts; Nick, Kelly, and Jarret Gray - Yahtzee Game; Ackley Automotive - 1 Free Oil Change; Citizen's Telephone Company - \$10.00 Phone Card and Telephone; Gebhart's Floral Barn - \$25.00 Gift Certificate; Warren Fire Department - 2 Free Smoke Alarms; EGL Insurance Kennedy Office - Free Car Safety Kit; Campbell & Dye Insurance Agency - \$20.00 toward National City Gift Card; Dr. Berghotf DDS - 4 Free Toothbrush's, Toothpaste, 4th of July Stickers; Bolinger's Propane Service - 1 Free Refill of 20lb Cylinder; Wagon Wheel Bar & Grill - 1 Free Large 2 Topping Pizza; Salamonie Summer Festival Committee- 7" Polaroid Portable DVD Player; Dogwood Glenn Golf Club - 4 Free Rounds of Golf; Salamonie School PROS Committee -1 Year Family Pass to Ft Wayne Children's ZOO \$63 Value; Dave Fleeger, Cindy Ralston, Mike and Matt - Cranium game & \$25.00 toward National City Gift Card; Reflexions Photography - Custom Family Photo Session and 8x10 Portrait; Salamonie Summer Festival Committee - \$110 toward National City Gift Card for a total of \$200.

Thank you to all the area businesses and organization's for their donations!!



CLOSED FOR FESTIVAL

State Road 5 / U.S. 224 will close in downtown Huntington at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, June 19 for the annual Heritage Days Festival. The road will reopen to traffic at 5:15 p.m. on Sunday, June 25. A marked detour over U.S. 24 and Broadway Street will add 1.8 miles for through traffic.

FINE ARTS PROGRAM

Jodie DeSalvo & Friend at the Piano - Friday, June 16, 2006 at 2 p.m. in the Applegate Chapel.

Both are exciting concert pianists who have played for audiences around the world.

The public is invited to attend this free concert - another in the Fine Arts Series offered by the United Methodist Memorial Home.

FLOWER SHOW

Of course there will be another judged flower show this year with prizes. I am depending on you flower lovers to share your floral treasures again as in the past. It will be in the same place, the Annex downtown. Entries will be received on Thursday, 29 June from 12:00 noon-5:00 p.m. The categories will be listed in next week's paper.

Questions? Call 375-2095

SENIOR SAINTS

The Warren Church of Christ wants you to be sure and add another event to the already wonderful scheduled list of activities taking place at the Warren Salamonie Summer Festival. On Sunday afternoon, July 2, at 3:00 P.M., we invite you to come to the corner of 3rd and Wayne Sts. to hear the Senior Saints present their 2006 program entitled "Advice From Over the Hill", featuring songs that were popular from the 1920s through the 1950s, like "Button Up Your Overcoat", Let A Smile Be Your Umbrella" and "The Best Things in Life Are Free". They will also sing gospel songs to touch your heart like, "Till The

Storms Passes By", "Because He Lives" and "What A Day That Will Be".

The group has been singing for a number of years during the months of June through September and will present 22 concerts this summer. There are over 60 singers age 55+. Marsha Wright of the Grabill Missionary Church writes and directs this group of happy singers from over 20 different area churches. They will be sharing some of the things they have learned during the various seasons of their lives, i.e. "Advice From Over The Hill"!!! You will be blessed by this happy spirited group of seniors.

Gerald Moreland and Tood Winkler, host ministers, encourage you to invite a friend and pass the word about this added program to celebrate our town and the Salamonie Summer Festival. We have remodeled our balcony and are ready to fill the house!!!! We hope to see you there.

WOW

(Women Of Warren)

Please join the Women of Warren Praise, Pray and Promote Christ!

Sponsored by SOS, this "Time Away" from your normal routine is Saturday, June 24th at 9:00 am to Noon at the Warren Methodist Church! Pastor Rebecca Fisher will help bring the Glory of God through Praise. Paula Gast will help us understand how to Praise and Pray to our Listening Lord! If any questions and to RSVP please call 375-3871.

FATHER'S DAY & ANNIVERSARY

June 18 will be Father's Day at the Warren Church of Christ and we invite you to take dad to church and then celebrate the day with him. We will be honoring all fathers present in our service that day, as we're sure most churches will be doing the same.

We will also be celebrating the

first anniversary of our Youth Minister, Todd Winkler, who began his ministry with us one year ago. He has done a super job of growing our youth and reaching out to our community's youth with programs and activities that have been fun and purposeful. His popular "Thuper Thursdays" and "Let's R.O.C.K." meetings have been enjoyed by a number of area young people. He has also taken part in the community leading the Youth Activities during the SS Festival and other town events. We are very proud of him and will be honoring his first anniversary with us this Sunday. Come help us celebrate his coming to Warren. Church begins at 9:30 A.M. See you there!!



NEW SALES ASSOC.

Evaluation Real Estate is proud to announce that Carly Eltzroth has joined the firm as a Sale Associate. She has lived in the Warren area for the past ten years and was born & raised in Wells County. She is married to Ed Eltzroth. They have four children and three grandsons.

Carly graduated from Robert Troyer Real Estate School in Fort Wayne. Carly studied marketing in Business College. Carly has been self-employed for the past 6 years as a marketing specialist, won many awards and trips in recognition of her sales skills. She is looking forward to helping each of her customers by putting her skills to use. Carly will be specializing in Wells,

CONTINUED PAGE 3

**Support the businesses who
bring you your Hometown News!**

Troubled? Try Prayer!
DEWEESE SOFT WATER & APPLIANCE SALES

231 N. Wayne, Warren -- 375-3828 • 1-800-356-4440

For Encouragement With Family Matters • 1-800-A FAMILY www.family.org

WARREN WEEKLY • Owner/Publisher: Nicki L. Zoda
Mailing Address: P O Box 695, Warren, IN 46792
Shipping Address: 7920S 900W 90, Warren, IN 46792
Phone: (260)375-3531 or 1-877-811-9089 **FAX:** (260)-375-7007
e-mail: wwklly@citznet.com

WARREN WEEKLY is a free paper for the Warren, Indiana area. It is distributed every Friday to rural postal patrons of Warren, Liberty Center, and Van Buren, Indiana. The Warren Weekly is available at Cady's Express, and next to the Post Office in downtown Warren. The Warren Weekly is also available in several businesses in Van Buren. Total circulation is 3200.

It is sent anywhere in the Continental United States for three (3) months for \$9.50, six (6) months for \$19 or \$38 for one year. Mail name, address, and payment to WARREN WEEKLY at: PO Box 695, Warren, IN 46792.

Deadline for news and/or advertising is 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, for that week's edition. Call if you need something in but won't have it here on time.

Leave news and/or advertising at PJ's Flower and Gift Shop or mail to P O Box 695, Warren. Van Buren residents may call Mary Jo Zoda at 765-934-3637.

WARREN WEEKLY will make every effort to see that all advertising copy is correctly printed. The firm assumes no financial responsibility for typographical errors in advertising, but will gladly reprint without charge that part in which an error may occur, provided that it is reported within five days of publication.

The publisher takes no responsibility for statements or claims made in any advertisement.

KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

LETTER TO THE EDITOR,

In the past few years, I have been able to help more than one lost dog find its way home with only a current rabies tag, giving a veterinary phone number.

With my luck the dogs usually show up on Saturday, and the Vet won't be in on Saturday or Sunday.

For only \$5.00 you can get a small tag made at Wal-mart, with your name and phone number. If your dog is found early Saturday morning, the person finding your pet can call you direct at anytime — any day.

If your dog is found at 8:00 p.m. or 9:00 p.m. any night, you can be called at once. The Vet is not open 24 hours, 7 days a week.

A tag with your personal phone number can save your pet a trip to the pound.

Cats wearing a flea collar, with current Rabies tag, carrying a copy of pedigree, showing signs of obedience training, may benefit from such tags.

P.S. I am glad we could help "Ziggy" find his way home.

Paul Craig

THE UPTOWN GARDNER

by Ruth Herring

The past week at our house have been quite busy and not sure "us old folks" are used to it any more. Our granddaughter Kendra graduated from high school and daughter Gayle from college. We wish them both much success in life. After high school graduation, daughters and granddaughters had a sleep over at our house, been a long time since they had all been here overnight. We all had a great time. After college graduation we had a cook out at Gayles home in Auburn with family and friends. Kendra was honored with an open house and now it is back to our daily routine.

In the garden the beans are now starting to bloom as are also the potatoes. Spinach, green onions and lettuce is being enjoyed. I will be glad when I can have fresh green beans instead of the ones I put up in glass jars, although they taste mighty good in the winter.





I remember as a child one of my many chores was to go to the garden and pick a bucket full of beans. It seemed like forever to get that bucket full, and it had to be full or it was back to the garden. Mom would cook them all and we had warmed over beans for a couple meals. If she was canning it really took forever to fill the baskets.

Now when I go to my garden I take my garden kettle. It is an old aluminum kettle with a heavy wire like handle that my Mom and Dad started house keeping with 80 plus years ago. The old kettle is showing some dents and wear but is something that has special meaning to me and will never part with it. One of the things Mom used it for was to fill it with fresh eggs and I would walk a mile to town and deliver what eggs we had to our grocery store. We lived at Andrews and Mr. Goodrich the grocer would call Mom and see if she could help him out with a few dozen eggs. I rarely fussed about going because my best friend lived above the store and always got to stay and play awhile. What great and funny memories and stories we share yet today.

The farmers Market had our first outdoor market of the season Saturday and even the nasty weather did not keep visitors away. Thank you all for coming. Our new location is very nice and we hope all of you enjoy the market this year.

Recipe this time is for fried Green Beans. In a large skillet heat some oil, about a tablespoon of butter and tablespoon of Worcestershire sauce add chopped green onion saute for a few

CONTINUED PAGE 8

<p>Zeller Construction</p>  <p>Owner: Larry Highley 375-3477 or 260/359-2331 Pole Barns, New Homes, Remodeling, Garages, Siding, Windows & Roofing</p>	<p>D & D BIKE</p> <p>Over 200 in Stock Phone 375-3828 or 1-800-356-4440 Downtown Warren</p>	<p>HEYDE OIL INC. d/b/a Huggy Bear Ice Cream Stop and Huggy Bear Quik Stop & Motel</p>
 <p>CITIZENS TELEPHONE CORP.</p> <p>Serving Warren & Liberty Center 375-2111</p> <p>Your "Internet Connection"</p>	 <p>UNITED METHODIST MEMORIAL HOME</p> <p>P O Box 326 Warren, IN 46792</p> <p>Ph. 260-375-2201</p>	 <p>MarkleBank Bridging the Gap MEMBER FDIC</p> <p>Warren Community Banking Center 450 Bennett Dr.</p> <p>260-375-4550 or 888-758-3111</p> <p>Strong & Secure Since 1947 www.marklebank.com</p>

<p>VB CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 765/934-3321 Parsonage Jeff Wass, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Adult Worship 10:30 a.m. Children's Church 10:30a.m. Evening Praise Hour..... 6:00p.m. Hour of Power (Wed) 7:00p.m.</p> <p>CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH Van Buren, Indiana 765-934-2199</p> <p>Rev. Joe Haney, Interim Pastor</p> <p>Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:40 a.m. Bible Study, Wednesday..... 10:00 a.m. Youth Fellowship Sun 6:00 p.m.</p> <p>THE CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE — Majenica Rev. Gus Hacker</p> <p>Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Worship 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>MT. ETNA UNITED METHODIST 260/468-2148 Rev. Tom DeFries - Pastor</p> <p>Sunday Trad. Worship 9:00 a.m. Mdrn Worship 10:30 a.m. Fellowship & Classes 9:30 a.m.</p> <p><i>Come As You Are</i></p> <p>Kids Club, Youth Group & Adult Studies - all Sunday 6:00 p.m.</p> <p>JEFFERSON CENTER UNITED METHODIST Corner of 900S & 300W Kathie Jones, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Worship Service 10:00 a.m.</p> <p>WARREN UNITED METHODIST Rev. Mike Malone, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m.</p> <p><i>Handicap Accessible & Staff Nursery</i></p> <p>WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-3022 Gerald O. Moreland, Minister Todd Winkler, Youth Minister Ruth Moreland, Secretary & BS Supt.</p> <p>Fellowship 9:15 a.m. Worship & Communion 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m.</p> <p>DILLMAN UNITED BRETHREN 8888S 1100W-90, Warren 375-2779 Dick Case, Pastor</p> <p>Sun - 1st Worship Service..... 8:15a.m. Sunday School..... 9:30a.m. 2nd Worship Service 10:30a.m. Youth Group (6th-12th).5:30p.m.</p> <p>Wed - Circle of Friends (3yrs old - 5th grade) .. 6:30-8p.m.</p> <p>McNATT UNITED METHODIST 375-4359 Bill VanHaften, Pastor Lois Slusher, Supt.</p> <p>Coffee Fellowship..... 8:30 a.m. Worship 9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Bible Study - Wed. 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p>WARREN WESLEYAN CHURCH 375-2330 6th & Nancy Sts. Warren Rev. Andy Trowbridge, Pastor Wesley Welch, Supt.</p> <p>Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:15 a.m. Wednesday Prayer Service ...7:00p.m.</p> <p>LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH 694-6622 Pastor Dan Sommer</p> <p>Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Fellowship 9:55a.m. Worship 10:15a.m. Wed. Bible Study 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>SALAMONIE CHURCH OF BRETHREN 468-2412 Mel Zumbrun, Pastor</p> <p>Worship 9:30 a.m. Church School 10:45a.m.</p> <p>BUCKEYE CHRISTIAN CHURCH 758-2085 Kyle Dahlquist, Pastor Sandy Keplinger, Supt.</p> <p>Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m.</p> <p>BANQUO CHRISTIAN CHURCH 8294S 900W 35 Gary Riley, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Youth Choir Practice 5:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Thurs. Kings Kids 6:30 p.m. BYG Youth Svc. (2&4Sun.) .. 6:00 p.m. CWF Ladies (3 Tue) 6:00 p.m. 1st Sun. (Qtrly) Praise Hour.. 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>LIBERTY CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Steve Bard, Pastor</p> <p>Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m.</p> <p>HILLCREST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 375-2510 Bill Keen, Pastor Bus Service 375-2510</p> <p>Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship..... 6:00 p.m. Youth Group (Wed.)..... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Midweek Service..... 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-2102 Charles Dye, Jr., Pastor</p> <p>Sunday Worship..... 9:30 a.m. Junior Church 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Communion 1st Sunday of the Month Fun Factory 1st/3rd Sundays 6:00p.m.</p> <p>THE NEW BEGINNING SR 218, 2 1/8 mile west of Poneto Steve Sutton, Pastor 765/728-2065 for more info</p> <p>Sunday Worship..... 10:30a.m. Thursday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p>WARREN 1st BAPTIST CHURCH Corner of N. Wayne & Matilda Sts. Rev. Bill Fisher, Pastor of Preaching and Discipleship Rev. Robert Bothast, Pastor of Family Life Debbie Wiley, S.S. Supt.</p> <p>Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Sunday Worship 10:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Service 6:00p.m.</p> <p>VB UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 765-934-1431 Pastor Blake J. Neff</p> <p>Worship Service 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30a.m. Jr/Sr High UMYF (Sun)..... 6:30 p.m. Prayer-Bible Study (Thur)..... 7:30 p.m. UMW 2nd Wed 7:00 p.m. www.vanburenumc.org</p> <p>BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST Rev. Barry Humble, Pastor Joe Kober, S.S. Supt.</p> <p>Sunday Worship 9:30a.m. Sunday School 10:30a.m.</p> <p>HANFIELD UNITED METHODIST 101 N 400 E - Marion, IN 765/664-8726 Timothy Helm, Senior Pastor</p> <p>1st Worship..... 8:20 a.m. 2nd Worship..... 9:45 a.m. 3rd Worship 11:11 a.m. Sunday School Children & Youth Programs</p> <p>PLUM TREE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-2691 Dr. Jeane Spoor, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m.</p> <p>LANCASTER WESLEYAN 468-2411 Doug Sharrard, Pastor David Thrift, S.S. Supt.</p> <p>Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Wednesday: CYC/Teen/Adult Meetings 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>UNITED METHODIST MEMORIAL HOME</p> <p>SUNDAY: Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat Chapel Services 9:00 a.m.</p> <p>MOUNT ETNA WESLEYAN Rev. Charles Dederick, Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m. Mid-Week (Wed) 6:00 p.m.</p> <p>ASBURY CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST 8013W 1100S - 90, Montpelier Rev. John Wallace, Pastor</p> <p>Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Wed Evening Carry-in & Fellowship 6:30 p.m.</p>
---	---	--

Attend the Church of Your Choice

AREA NEWS

MORE PAGE 1

Huntington, Grant, and Blackford Counties and in the future will be adding Adams County as well.

Carly is a member of the National Association of Realtors, Huntington Area board of Realtors, Marion Area Board of Realtors, Ft Wayne Board of Realtors, Ft Wayne area MLS and the Central Indiana MLS, as member of the Warren Church of Christ she has served on several committees.

Carly will be available 24 hours a day seven days a week by e-mail, carly@evasold.us, or by phone (260) 228-0116 from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. customers can see her listing at www.EvaSold.us and on Realtor.com.

GRILL WINNER

Congratulations to Steve & Diane Smith of Rural Warren! Bolinger's Propane and Warren Service & Supply is proud to award a free gas grill cylinder refill for our customer appreciation drawing! Thank you to all our many loyal customers!

GOLF SCRAMBLE

Salamonie Summer Festival and National City are having the annual Golf Scramble on June 24, 2006 at Etna Acres Golf Course at 8:00 AM. All proceeds go directly to the Salamonie Slimmer Festival which has been a longtime community tradition. Price is \$50 per person with teams of 4. Many local businesses have contributed fabulous prizes to be given away at the Golf Outing. Registration must be received by June 30, 2006 to Pete Allen. Registration fee includes 18 holes of golf with cart and lunch. Please contact Pete Allen at 260-375-2121 or stop by National City of Warren for registration. Guaranteed Fun by ALL!!!

PIONEER BREAKFAST

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

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

ATTN:

UMMH EMPLOYEES

The office of Kevin J DeaKyne DDS, PC is a Met-Life Dental Provider. We are a family practice with additional surgical and endodontic services available. We are located at 470 Bennett Dr, Suite A in Warren and welcome new patients. Call us at 260-375-2626 or 800-236-0891.

BASKET BINGO

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

MONEY-MAKER

Does your group need to raise money? The Blackford County 4-H Council will be renting their Dunk Booth to various organizations during the fair. The cost of renting the booth is \$25.00 per day. Most "business" is done during the evening hours. We supply the booth, the water and the balls. You must supply the people to collect the money and pass out the balls and the people to set in the dunk booth. Your organization will be able to keep all of the money it collects. The dates the booth is available are July 19-22.

If your group would like to rent the 4-H Council Dunk booth as a money making project - please contact the Purdue Cooperative

Extension Service at 765-348-3213 or by e-mail at oneillra@purdue.edu

PARADE INVITE

The Blackford County 4-H Fairboard would like to invite the public to enter in the parade to be held July 17, 2006 with starting time being 6:00 p.m. Our theme for this year is "Proud to be an American." All floats, marching groups, horse and miscellaneous units will be judged from the review stand at the end of the route. Cash prizes will be awarded to outstanding units. For more information about this upcoming event, please contact the Blackford County Extension Office at (765) 348-3213.

NAMED TO DEAN'S LIST

Ms. Alyssa Jo Osborne has been named to the Dean's List at Huntington University for the Spring Term 2006. Ms. Osborne is pursuing a Bachelor of Arts degree in Public Relations.

Ms. Alyssa Jo Osborne is a graduate of Huntington North High School, Huntington, IN and the daughter of Mr. Rick Osborne of Cleveland, OH and Mrs. Susan Ralston, Warren.

The Dean's List is published at Huntington University in February and June. The honor recognizes students for outstanding academic achievement during the previous semester. Honorees must be classified as regular students, be enrolled full-time with a load of 12 hours or more in graded courses, and must achieve a semester grade point average of at least 3.50 on a four-point scale.

Huntington University is a comprehensive Christian college of the liberal arts offering graduate and undergraduate programs in more than 70 academic concentrations. U.S. News & World Report ranks Huntington among the best comprehensive colleges in the Midwest. Founded in 1897 by the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, Huntington University is located on a contemporary, lakeside campus in north-east Indiana. The University is a member of the Council for Christian Colleges and Universities (CCCCU).

NAMED TO ACADEMIC LIST

Tri-State University, Angola, IN, has named its academic honor students for the spring semester of 2006. To be named to the TSU Dean's List a student must achieve a GPA of 3.5 to 3.749 while taking a minimum of 15 credit hours. The President's List is made up of students achieving a GPA of 3.75 to 4.0 while taking a minimum of 15 credit hours. Students in the TSU School of Professional Studies (SPS) received the Dean's List honor for achieving a GPA of 3.5 to 3.749 while taking a minimum of nine credit hours, while the President's List honor went to students in SPS receiving a GPA of 3.75 to 4.0 while taking a minimum of nine credit hours. The following student(s) from our area were

honored this semester:

Branch Dean's List - Tara J Bowman, FR Management.

Branch President's List - Anthony W Hill, Criminal Justice.

PLEASE READ
& RECYCLE

Bread of Life
Food Pantry Hours
Wednesday 4-5:30 p.m.
Saturday 10 to 11:30
at Knight Civic Center
OR
Call for an appointment
375-2381

WARREN
IS ON THE WEB
CHECK US OUT AT
WARRENINDIANA.COM

Ben's Lawn Service
Ben Herr
CALL FOR QUOTES
Cell: 260/417-2740
260/375-3777

Lawn Fertilizing, New Lawns, Lawn Rolling, Driveway Repair, Post Hole Digging, Landscaping, Lawn Mowing

Fresh/Silk Flowers Music Boxes
Green/Blooming Plants Stuffed Animals
Gifts/Greeting Cards Balloons/Party Supplies
and much more!

PJ's Flower & Gift Shop
M-T-W-F 9-5; Th & S 9-12
114 N Wayne St, Warren
(260) 375-2702

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 18 Father's Day
Jun 19 Salamonie Summer Festival, 6 p.m., Annex
Jun 21 Van Buren Town Council 7 p.m.
Jun 23 Warren Recycle Day
Jun 26 Warren Town Council, 8 a.m., Annex
Jun 30 - Jul 4 Salamonie Summer Festival
Jul 4 Independence Day
Jul 5 Chamber of Commerce Luncheon, noon, Annex
Jul 5 Van Buren Town Council 7 p.m.
Jul 8 Knight Bergman Center Board meeting, 8am, KBC
Jul 10 Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Annex
Jul 11 Our Town Committee Meeting, 7 p.m., Annex
Jul 14 Warren Recycle Day
Bread of Life Food Pantry - Wed 4 - 5:30pm, Sat 10 - 11:30 at KBC or by appointment - Call 375-2381. **Bargain Basement** - Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KBC **Depression Support Group** 2nd & 4th Thurs at Hope Missionary Church, Bluffton 6-7:30 **After School Adventure** - Tuesdays & Thursdays, after school till 5:30 p.m. at Hillcrest Church of the Nazarene **Preschool Story Time** - Warren Library 10:30 Fridays

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

Player Name,	Address,	Phone,	Birthdate,	Size
1				
2				
3				
4				
(First player listed is Team Captain)				
Experience,	Parent Signature (for players under 18)			
1				
2				
3				
4				
Experience Level	Sizes: S,M,L,XL, XXL			
A=No organized exp.	Mail your entry form to: "The Rebel" Mike Haggerty PO Box 150 Warren, IN 46792			
B=Grade School Ball				
C=Jr High Ball				
D=9/10 Grade Ball				
E=Varsity Ball	Entry Deadline June 29, 2006			
Team Sex: Male or Female				
Team Division (circle one): 11-12, 13-14, 15-16, 17-18, Over18				
Team Name: _____				
Team Address: _____				
8:30 a.m. Registration 9:00 a.m. Start Time \$40 Entry Fee				
Make Checks Payable to Mike Haggerty				

AREA NEWS CONTINUED

SIGMA PHI

Beta Delta Chapter of Sigma Phi Gamma International Sorority met June 6 for a business meeting at the Knight Bergman Civic Center. President Sondra Zabel presided during the meeting. Fifteen members answered roll call. Our visiting officer, Della Kochert was present. Secretary Susan Ralston read last months minutes. Treasurer Tara Korporeal gave finance report. Finance chairman Rosemary Zeller gave results of the April and May buffets. Final plans for basket bingo on July 1 were mentioned. It will start at 12:30 p.m. All members have tickets to sell. Graduating seniors Lydia Bradford and Lauren Keller from Huntington North High School received our scholarships this year. Vice President Beth Ostermeyer reported on the May 20 meeting for International Convention and will be going to the last meeting on June 24 in Marion. Chaplain Georgia Poulson closed the meeting with prayer. Those members present were Sandy Booher, Opal Brubaker, Sandy Eichhorn, Sharon Gebhart, Suzette Gephart, Tara Korporeal, Mandy Maddock, Beth Ostermeyer, Jenny Plummer, Georgia Poulson, Susan Ralston, Elise Smith, Shelly Stafford, Sondra Zabel and Rosemary Zeller.

CLUB NEWS

The 5th District American Legion Auxiliary met June 4th at Roanoke Post 160.

President Carolyn Cunningham opened the meeting in regular form. Secretary Beverly Gillinger passed out printed minutes. Treasurer Virginia Baker gave finance report.

Janet Barnsby is running for Department Chaplain, she gave her speech, asking for support.

Information was given on National Convention in Utah, and also State Convention in Indianapolis. Carolyn Cunningham is running for Historian for Department.

Public relations chairman Irene Pickard reported Van Buren unit won 1st place on press book and Kokomo 6 won 2nd place.

Historian Rosemary Hammons reported Marion Unit 10 won History Book contest.

The meeting was turned over to installing officer for 2006-2007 Thelma Butler.

New officers are President Roxanna Stoner, Wabash Unit 15; Vice President Sue Comerford Kokomo Unit 6; Chaplain Rosemary Hammons, Jonesboro 95; Historian Belinda Ritenour Roanoke Unit 160; Treasurer Virginia Baker Tipton Unit 46.

Joyce Yates and Beverly Gillinger won the 50/50 drawing.

NATIONAL TEACHER'S DAY

Six children attended the National Teacher's Day Celebration at the Van Buren Public Library on Friday June 9th at 10:30am to 12 noon.

Karen introduced our special guest Miss. Tiffany Bell. Miss Bell is a teacher in the Eastbrook school system.

The children arrived and signed in. They received a picture to color for Miss. Bell as a gift.

Miss Bell shared on why and how she became a teacher. Her mother and sister are both teachers. As a small child she would go to school with her mother. Miss Bell thought it was fun to watch her mother as she prepared lessons and her classroom for the students to come.

To become a teacher Miss Bell attended Taylor University for four years. She is now going to IWU to receive her Masters Degree. She has taught 2nd, 4th, and 6th grades in the Eastbrook School System. We even found out she has traveled to Australia and taught for a short time. She shared with the children that teachers not only teach out of the text books, but also help the children to follow rules and to become better citizens.

She read two books to the children. The books were "Rosie and Michael" by Judith Viorst a book about Friendship and "Salt in His Shoes: Michael Jordan: In Pursuit of a Dream" by Roslyn Jordan. In this book, we all know the rest of the story.

We played the game stack the books. For a gift from the library each child could choose a book to keep and enjoy.

Treats were cool-aid and cookies.

Those attending were Ruthanne & Hannah Wass, Shayleigh & Zachery Pruitt, Autumn Harmon and Jessica Pattison.

Next story time will be Friday June 16th we will celebrate Father's Day. If a child would like to attend, he or she can bring their father or a special friend. Hope to see you!

GRADUATED

Mark Laymon graduated from Indiana Tech with a Master of Business Administration in May.

He is currently working in Purchasing and Customer Service at Mignone Communications Inc., Huntington, IN and has been with the company for seven years.

EUCHRE CLUB

The Jackson Township Euchre Club met at the home of Florence Taylor. Doris Tyler and Sharon Gebhart tied for low, Marjorie Michaud won high and Sharron Roush had the most lones. Others enjoying the evening were

Joyce Willman, Jane Lieurance, Phyllis Dickey, Joan Huffman, Mary Jo Zoda, Carolyn Carroll and Marge Jones. Next month we will meet at the home of Jane Lieurance.

RECITAL HELD

A piano recital was held May 23, Sunday evening at 7:00 PM at the Warren United Methodist Memorial Home Chapel with students of Eileen Dye. The 26 students participating were: Carson Bolinger, Tom Bolinger, Brad Bothast, Kourtney Brubaker, Alysse Bustos, Elizabeth Collins, Elizabeth Freck, Steven Freck, Emily Hartley, Drew Henly, Ashley Landrum, Russell Moriarity, Aaron, Ben, Caleb, Jacob, Jared, and Rachel Mossburg, Joel & Kelli Neff, Sophia Smekens, Walker Spahr, Mandy Stoffer, Jessica Stucky, Ben Warpup, and Paige Widener.

The piano students played pieces of various styles; such as, popular, classical, folk, ragtime, sacred, movie themes, method songs, as well as some duets. They also played several numbers at the end of the program from the Broadway show "The Sound of Music" in celebration of its 40th anniversary.

Those that participated in the Guild Auditions June 5th at the Honeywell House in Wabash were: Elizabeth Collins, Joshua David, Ashley Landrum, Aaron, Ben, Caleb, Jacob, Jared & Rachel Mossburg, Joel & Kelli Neff and Paige Widener. Aaron Mossburg received a special composer pin for participating with a 10 piece program or more for 5 years, and Joshua David received the same pin for participating 7 years.

All students received certificates and ribbons for participating in one or more recitals during the year and maintaining a certain number of memorized pieces. The Most Points Awards were given to: Walker Spahr, Maggie Warpup, Tom Bolinger, Joel & Kelli Neff, Brad Bothast, and Kourtney Brubaker, and Elizabeth Collins. The students receiving awards for the Most Memory Pieces were: Ben Warpup, Joel & Kelli Neff, Tom Bolinger, and Kourtney Brubaker. The Best Practice Awards given were to: Maggie Warpup, Tom Bolinger, Alysse Bustos, Kelli & Joel Neff, Jessica Stucky, Brad Bothast, Emily Hartley, Drew Henly, Paige Widener, Elizabeth Collins, and Kourtney Brubaker. Most Improved Awards to: Brad Bothast and Mandy Stoffer. The Musicianship Awards for excellence in the advanced level were given to: Aaron & Caleb Mossburg.

The evening concluded with Mrs.

Dye playing a piece by MacDowell and a special basket of gifts given to her from the students and parents.

CALEY AWARD

Two Wells County 4-H members will be selected for this year's Caley Memorial Award at the annual 4-H Fair, July 15 - 20.

4-H members 14 years of age or older can be considered for the award from applications submitted by adults and youth.

Judging is based on the following: 4-H, 45%; School, 20%; Community Service, 20%; Church or Youth Group, 15%.

The award will consist of a \$300 savings bond to two 4-H members. Selection will be announced on Saturday, July 15th, 7:30 PM on the opening day of the 4-H Fair.

The Caley Memorial Award is presented in honor of the Caley family who were tragically killed in an automobile accident in 1965 on their way to the 4-H Fair. Bill, the father, and four children, Kirby, Kent, Kris, and Kevin were all killed. Their mother, Marge, survived.

Applications for the award are available at the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service, 1240 S. 4-H Road, Bluffton, IN 46714. Applications and recommendations are due June 30th.

AMBASSADOR

APPLICATIONS

Applications are now available for the 4-H Ambassador Contest. The contest has two age categories for 4-H members.

Junior Ambassador, grades 7 - 9 and Ambassador, grades 10 - 12 as of January 1, of the current year.

Selection is based on personal interview and overall 4-H record as submitted on the application. Interviews for the event will be held Wednesday, July 6th, 6:30 PM at the Wells County Community Center at the 4-H Park.

The 4-H Ambassador Contest results will be announced at the opening evening events, Satur-

day, July 15th, 7:30 PM.

Applications are due June 30th at the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service.

DAIRY FEEDER WORKSHOP

Wells County 4-H will host a 4-H Dairy Feeder Calf Workshop, Wednesday, June 21, 7 - 8:30 PM at the Scott Bauermeister Farm, 838- N. 750 E., Ossian.

A clipping demonstration will be presented along with tips in preparing for the fair and showmanship techniques. Parents are encouraged to attend the workshop.

The 4-H Dairy Feeder Calf Show is scheduled for Monday, July 17, 6 PM at this year's Wells County 4-H Fair July 15 - 20.

For more information, contact the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service, 824-6412.

BE PREPARED

The U.S. Small Business Administration today released a disaster preparedness audio public service announcement (PSA) reminding residents throughout the nation of the importance of being prepared.

The 30-second spot encourages all homeowners, renters and small businesses owners to prepare a comprehensive disaster plan: identify all hazards in the home, identify escape routes and keep essential records offsite.

The audio PSAs are available in a downloadable MP3 format on the SBA Web site at <http://www.sba.gov/npm2006/index.html>.

SBA has a disaster loan program that offers long-term, low-interest, taxpayer-backed loans with up to 30-year repayment terms. Applicants may receive up to \$200,000 to repair disaster damaged primary residences. Homeowners and renters are eligible for loans up to \$40,000 to replace personal property such as furniture and clothing. Loans to businesses of all sizes and

CONTINUED PAGE 6

Bolinger's
Propane
Service

RUUD

Warren
Service
AND
Supply

HYBRID HEATING & COOLING SYSTEM

Have the best of both worlds**

a 90%+ gas furnace with an electric air
source heat pump ...

Call now for more details and to save \$7,000 with the
installation of this system vs. a Closed Loop Geothermal
System. GE Financing Available for a quick installation!

1-877-375-3010 OR 260-375-3010

Easily located at the Stop Light in Warren

GENEALOGY REPORT

PLESS

Diane E. Pless, 20, of Pittsburgh, Pa., died unexpectedly at 12:25 a.m. Tuesday, June 6, 2006, her residence.

A hostess at the Bravo Italian Restaurant in Pittsburgh, she had lived in the Pittsburgh area for seven years. She previously resided in Katy, Texas, and Plainfield, Ind. Her family is from the Jackson Township area of Wells County. She was born on Sept. 24, 1985, in Beech Grove, Ind.

Survivors include her father, Dana M. Pless of Sewickley, Pa.; her mother, Cindy J. (Pinkerton) Pless of Montpelier; a brother, David C. Pless of Rockwall, Texas; and a paternal grandmother, Elizabeth Eldridge of Indianapolis.

Services were held at Glancy Funeral Homes - H. Brown & Son Chapel, Warren with Pastor Dick Frederick officiating.

Burial was in Jones Cemetery, Warren.

Preferred memorials are to the donor's favorite charity.

THOMAS

A longtime educator in Southern Wells schools, Shirley Kay Thomas, 58, of Bluffton, died unexpectedly at home at 8 a.m. Sunday, June 11, 2006 of natural causes.

Mrs. Thomas recently retired after 16 years as the librarian at Southern Wells Elementary School. She previously taught in several capacities in Southern Wells for 28 years, and also taught for a few years at the Blackford Elementary School. A 1966 graduate of Waldron High School, Mrs. Thomas graduated from Indiana University Bloomington in 1971, with a degree in elementary education, specializing in kindergarten and early childhood education. She received her Masters Degree in the same areas from Indiana University Bloomington in 1974.

Mrs. Thomas served on the Wells County Library Board for several years. She was a member of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, Daughters of the Nile, Teti

Sheri Temple, Alethieia Chapter of the Eastern Star, Indiana State Reading Association, and the International Reading Association. She was also a member of the First United Methodist Church in Montpelier.

Born in Greensburg, Indiana, March 10, 1948, Mrs. Thomas was the daughter of Mark and Kathryn (Barker) Rick. Mrs. Thomas resided in Blackford and Wells Counties since 1977. She was married to Thomas N. Thomas on May 26, 1973 in Waldron. Mr. Thomas preceded her in death on August 19, 2001.

Survivors include her daughter Tamerley "Tamy" Thomas of Bluffton; two brothers, Daniel C. Rick of Anderson and Terry L. Rick of Flat Rock, and a sister, Mary Jane Morgan of Flat Rock.

Services were held at Thoma/Rich, Hewitt & Chaney Funeral Home with Rev. Michael Lawson officiating. In addition, an Eastern Star Memorial Service was conducted by Crescent Chapter 49.

Burial was in Stahl Cemetery, Wells County.

Preferred memorials are to the American Diabetes Association and the Daughters of the Nile Burn and Convalescent fund.

BIRTH

Joseph Lee and Tammy Gressley Gallegos, of rural Warren, are the parents of a son, Noah Daniel, born May 25, 2006, at 2:31 a.m. at Lutheran Hospital.

Noah Daniel weighed seven pounds, four ounces, and measured 19 inches long.

Kenneth and Emma Gressley, of Huntington, are the maternal grandparents. Dan and Rita Gallegos, of Huntington, Rob and Brenda Marsh, of Warren, are the paternal grandparents.

Noah Daniel joins a brother, Alexander Lee, 2.



KNIGHT-EDDIE

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Knight, Van Buren, announce the engagement of their daughter, Shannon Margaret, to Brian Joseph Eddie, the son of Rick and PJ Eddie, Huntington. The couple will be married June 17 at St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church.

The bride-to-be is a 2003 graduate of Huntington North High School. She is a recent 2006 graduate of Arizona State University, with a bachelors of arts in elementary education.

Her fiancé is a 2001 graduate of Huntington North High School, and a 2005 graduate of Arizona State University with a bachelors of science in microbiology. He is currently a graduate student at Arizona State University.



5 GENERATIONS

The Knight family is very proud of our 5 generations. Pictured is Madison Lee Knight with father Joshua Mark Knight, grandfather Lowell Mark Knight, great-grandfather Waldo Mark Knight, and great-great-grandmother Margaret M. Knight.

End of Season Sale

Hanging Baskets & Bedding Plants

Gebhart's Farm & Greenhouse

M - F 9 to 5 Sat 9 to 3 Closed Sunday

2593E 1000S Warren

260-375-4606



NORTHVIEW APARTMENTS

602 N 1st St in Van Buren

Affordable Living for the Elderly and Disabled
Winter Specials on Security Deposit/Rent May Apply



Please Call Today 765-934-3200
Belinda Buckler - Property Manager
Equal Housing Opportunity



Karen S. Campbell

CAMPBELL & DYE INSURANCE, INC.

SENIOR HEALTH BENEFITS

Medicare Supplements - Long Term Care

New Prescription Drug Plan

Call for a free quote

121 N Wayne Street • Warren IN 46792

260-375-2424

Warren Pharmacy
260/375-2135

\$1⁰⁰ off
a roll of film
or
a Ready to
Use Camera

*It pays to shop at the
Warren Pharmacy*

Discover
the
World
on
Cable TV!

WARREN CABLE TV
375-2115

Send a
friend the
Hometown
News

or
better yet ...
Send them a
Subscription

W.A. Zimmer
COMPANY

SUNROOMS

Call Toll free:
800-222-0615

US 24 & Broadway
HUNTINGTON
www.wazimmer.com

ADJUSTABLE BEDS

- Infinite positions at the touch of a button
- Dual variable speed massage with timer
- Choose from Twin LX or Queen

Serta

OUR ADJUSTABLE BEDS HAVE NEVER BEEN MORE AFFORDABLE.

MARKLE FURNITURE
193 MORSE ST. • DOWNTOWN MARKLE • 758-2013

AREA NEWS CONTINUED

MORE PAGE 4

non-profit organizations are available up to \$1.5 million to repair damage to real estate, machinery, equipment and inventory. Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDL) are also available to small businesses unable to pay bills or meet operating expenses.

BIRD WATCHING

Veteran and aspiring bird watchers alike have both Saturday morning and Tuesday afternoon options for organized outings at Ouabache State Park all summer long.

The Saturday programs, which start at 7 a.m., are scheduled for June 10, July 8, July 15, July 29, August 5, and August 26. Tuesday afternoon hikes with the Cardinal Bird Club are slated for June 20, July 18, and August 15. Starting points for each day are listed in the park's interpretive program schedule, which may be obtained at the park's office, main gate, or campground.

Anyone of sufficient age and skill level who is interested in birding may attend. An adult must accompany children under age 10. Binoculars, field guides and bug spray may be brought but are not required.

Regular Monday through Thursday park admission is \$4 per in-state vehicle. Friday through Sunday rates are \$5 per in-state vehicles. The out-of-state rate is \$7 every day.

For more information about the bird hikes or other park activities, call the park interpretive office, (260) 824-0926.

PREVENT IDENTITY THEFT

Tom Applegate, Director of the Indiana Department of Veterans Affairs today offered tips to Indiana's 550,000 veterans on how to protect their privacy and credit information in response to the recently disclosed theft of personal data from the U.S. Veterans Administration.

"At no cost at all, there is an easy step you can take to prevent an identity thief from opening any accounts in your name: Place a fraud alert on your credit report," Applegate said.

An initial fraud alert is a consumer statement that gets added to your credit file and lasts for 90

days. It alerts creditors of possible fraudulent activity and requests that they contact you prior to establishing credit in your name.

"Veterans may place a fraud alert for free by contacting any of the three major credit bureaus: Equifax, Experian or TransUnion," Applegate said.

A veteran himself, and possibly one of the veterans affected by the theft of this data, Applegate says he has already placed a fraud alert on his credit record. "The automated system walked me right through the procedure. It was very easy," he said.

The following is information about the credit bureaus:

Equifax: 1-800-525-6285; www.equifax.com

Experian: 1-888-EXPERIAN (397-3742); www.experian.com

TransUnion: 1-800-680-7289; www.transunion.com

"Once you place the fraud alert in your file, you are entitled to order free copies of your credit reports, and, if you ask, only the last four digits of your Social Security number will appear on your credit reports," Applegate said. "In the meantime, I am urging all veterans to carefully monitor the balances of their financial accounts. If you notice unexplained charges or withdrawals, you should not assume that there's been a mistake and do nothing. Always follow up with the business or institution to find out."

Other indications of identity theft include: failing to receive bills or other mail, which may signal an address change by the identity thief, receiving credit cards for which you did not apply, being denied credit for no apparent reason, or receiving calls or letters from debt collectors or businesses about merchandise or services you did not buy. Go to http://www.consumer.gov/idtheft/con_steps.htm to learn more.

The Director noted that residents may get one FREE copy of their credit report every 12 months from each of the three major credit bureaus. Go to www.annualcreditreport.com to learn more.

"To track your accounts over the coming year, you may want to order a free report from one credit agency now, request one in a few months from a second

credit reporting agency, and contact the third agency for your free annual report in nine to twelve months," Applegate said.

The Federal Trade Commission brochure, Your Access to Free Credit Reports, explains your rights and how to order a free annual credit report. This is available at www.ftc.gov.

Applegate also wants Hoosier veterans to know that the data on file at the Indiana Department of Veterans Affairs (IDVA) is secure. Sensitive information on veterans is secured after working hours and employees of IDVA do not take veteran data home.

HERO FOR BABIES DAY

With an ambitious goal of raising \$1 million in a single day, the March of Dimes and Farmers Insurance are urging the public to unite on June 14 for "Be a Hero for Babies Day" and join the fight to stem the growing crisis of premature birth in the United States.

Farmers Insurance is so concerned about the alarming rate of premature birth – 1 in every 8 babies is born too small and too soon – that it will match up to the first \$250,000 of public donations to "Be a Hero for Babies Day."

"We are committed to providing the support the March of Dimes needs. If you know someone who has had a premature baby, we hope you will join our campaign to help get premature babies the help they need," said Paul Hopkins, Farmers CEO.

Brian Fitzpatrick of Farmer's Insurance Indiana adds, "It's easy to do. Just drop by any of our offices and give a tax deductible contribution, or visit our website at farmers.com and use the easy online donation form."

"I challenge everyone to visit marchofdimes.com/farmers or their local Farmers agent to make a donation to help the March of Dimes end this national prematurity crisis for babies and their families," said Dr. Jennifer L. Howse, president of the March of Dimes. "We need to fund vital research to find the causes of prematurity and help the more than 500,000 families affected every year. Every dollar counts."

March of Dimes Indiana Chapter State Director Janet Estes agrees saying, "I'm confident that Indiana's citizens will be heroic

in meeting this challenge and make a strong showing for the more than 11,000 babies born prematurely in Indiana each year."

The March of Dimes is a national voluntary health agency whose mission is to improve the health of babies by preventing birth defects, premature birth, and infant mortality. Founded in 1938, the March of Dimes funds programs of research, community services, education, and advocacy to save babies and in 2003 launched a campaign to address the increasing rate of premature birth. For more information, visit the March of Dimes Web site at marchofdimes.com or its Spanish language Web site at nacersano.org.

GOOD ENOUGH!

FOR WHAT?

by The FlyLady, Marla Cilley
When we were little we were judged by our abilities to do. This judging was a reflection of whether we were good enough to be loved. In our children's minds we thought if only I were better! The stress of having to perform to be accepted by the people who were supposed to love us just because we were their babies is what pushes us in our perfectionism today. It is that desire to feel loved even if it is because you did something well. Now I have to get on my soapbox and scream!

YOU ARE WORTHY OF LOVE!
You don't need to get this love from anyone but yourself! You don't have to prove you are worthy because of doing something to get strokes for! Those people are incapable of love! You are never going to be able to please them anyway so why not just stop it now!

Now in these people's defense they learned this from their parents who learned it from their parents. Here is the kicker! We don't have to teach this to our children and we can repair the damage and refuse to allow this type of perfectionism to paralyze us! Perfectionism takes root in us very early. We are bombarded by the phrases day in and day out. If you can't do it right; don't do it at all! A job worth doing is worth doing right the first time. I could go on and on!

This is your home! These voices

are still with you! Pushing you to perfectionism and making your life miserable. We have to replace their condescending tones with loving words that are coming from you! Do this for yourself, do it for your babies but by all means just do it!

How many times were you forced to redo a job because you did not do it right the first time? I can hear the words now! You call this clean! Housework was used a punishment! No wonder you hate it now! You deserve to live in a home that blesses you too! You don't have to listen to those voices anymore!

You can eliminate those voices from your head. They are not your boss anymore unless you give them permission to abuse you! When you hear a voice say something to you about how you are doing something; I want you to stop and examine whose voice it really is? Think hard and you will see it is not your voice you are hearing and that is pushing you! It is someone else. If the voice is not in your head and it is in your house because it is your spouse then you are going to have to practice ignoring the words. Our guys have a switch they can turn on and off! Let's try using their switch when the hurtful words come out of their mouths. After all they were hurt as children too. This is all they know. We do not have to react to their words one way or another!

We can do this but it is going to take the realization that we do not have to be abused another day by people who are never going to love us anyway! Recognizing these voices and quieting them is one step towards spreading your wings and FLYing! Now how to quiet them is your question. This is so simple! When you hear the negative words, I want you to say out loud if you need to or to yourself; DELETE! DELETE! DELETE! And then repeat after me several times!

Housework done incorrectly still blesses my family!

For more help getting rid of your CHAOS; check out her website and join her free mentoring group at www.FlyLady.net or her book, Sink Reflections published by Bantam and her new book, Body Clutter. Copyright 2006 Marla Cilley Used by permission in this publication.

Creative Elements
A Full Service Hair & Nail Salon
Tammy Painter
Chris Gray
124 N Wayne
Downtown Warren
375-4455

Unlimited Internet Access Only **\$9.95/mo.**

- FREE 24/7 Customer Support
- Customizable Members Page
- Instant Messaging
- No Contract

FREE Invoice Billing! Call Today!

Web Accelerator Only \$3/mo.

1-877-CORECOMM www.core.com **267-3266** **CORECOMM**

INAPA AUTO PARTS

128 N Wayne St • Warren
375-3401

Thanks for Shopping in Warren

CLASSIFIEDS

BARGAINBASEMENT

is full of clothes, household and misc. Open 9 am to 4 pm every Fri and Sat. Check us out and help your community while helping yourself.

Open Fri. and Sat. 9 to 4 tfn

TOWING

Damage-free with wheel lift.

D & S Lubritory.

Garage 765-934-2502 tfn*

DeWEESE SOFT WATER AND APPLIANCE

A Technetic dealer, 375-3828 tfn*

WARE-BRANDON MONUMENTS

Serving the Warren Area with markers and monuments since 1888. Owner, Pete Sorg

375-2705. Associate Mark

Vickrey, 375-3804. tfn*

D & J WOOD-WORKS

Furniture Repair, Restoration, Stripping, Staining, Chair Caning, Refurbishing, Gluing. Dan/Joyce Frantz 260/694-6139 Liberty Center. tfn*

LAKEFRONT VACATION

Rental Look @

www.meierdollhouse.com or call 574/491-2315. 7/7~

CHILDCARE

has opening, ages 0-14 years, large facility. 5 rooms, fenced in yard, vouchers accepted. Open year around. Location 300S 824-2465 6/16~

WANTED

School bus driver looking for a summer fill in job - daytime only.

CDL A Endorsements - air brakes - passenger - transport - school bus. Call 765-506-0000 6/9~

26" MOBILE HOME FOR RENT

Single-adult female \$250 month \$150 deposit, non-smoking - working. Some personal information required. 765/934-9933 6/9~

3 BR 1 1/2 bath

new hot water heater new stool no central air pay own utilities mow own yard \$100 down \$375 a month. 375-3518 6/16~

HUGERUMMAGE SALE

Nice name brand kids - adult clothes (Mudd, Old Navy, LEI, Nike), tools, fishing poles, household, Indian items, Harley items, '79 Chevy Blazer, '93 Chevy Van, '88 Shasta Motor Home, Flat bottom boat, go cart and much, much more.

Thurs, Fri, Sat 8-5

218 to 5 turn left on 5 go to 1200 turn right follow signs. 6/16~

GARAGE SALE

111 N Hendrick St June 16 8-5 June 17 8-12 Kids - adult clothing, houseware, plus misc. 6/16~

OFFICE POSITION

24 hrs/wk Must have MS Office Exp. Send cover letter and

resume to:

Office Position

Attn: N Nix PO Box 41

Warren, IN 46792 6/16*



www.ZZTOPPS.net
Maker of Whimsical, Seasonal and Solid Color Scrub Tops, Drawstring Pants, Jackets and Stethoscope Covers.

Now making Long Sleeve Scrub shirts and OR hats too.
Call Nicki at 375-3531

Internet

Unlimited Hours, No Contracts!

\$9.95 /mo.

No Credit Card Required!

- Instant Messaging - Keep your buddy list!
- 10 e-mail addresses with Webmail!
- FREE Technical Support
- Custom Start Page - News, Weather & more!

EXPRESS
Surf up to **6X faster!**
just 13 more

Sign Up Online! www.LocalNet.com

Call Today & Save!
LocalNet 1-888-488-7265

Reliable Internet Access Since 1994

"The Building People"



Garages • Workshops
Horse Barns • Mini-Storage
Farm • Suburban • Business



MEYER BUILDING
Craigville, IN

800-742-2861



Toll Free 1-888-701-0156
www.EvaSold.us



Eva Witkamp
Broker/Owner
888-701-0156
email:
Eva@EvaSold.US



Jackie Boxell
Realtor
260-359-2405
email:
Jackie@EvaSold.US



Carly Eltzroth
Realtor
260-228-0116
email:
Carly@EvaSold.US

Check out these listings on my website and see what HUD properties are available.
www.EvaSold.us

(HUD) properties are not exclusively listed with EvaLution Real Estate

Stop in and Talk to Greg about your New Spring Addition
GDW Construction & Design
gdw@evasold.us

WELLS COUNTY

2799 S Main St, Lib. Ctr (Reduced) \$87,900

WARREN

Langton Estates starting @ \$16,900
103 E Fourth St \$94,900
106 W Fourth St \$96,500
117 S Wayne St \$84,900
120 N Main St (New) \$74,900
1204 Huntington Ave (Reduced) .. \$98,500
127 N Matilda St \$69,900
325 E Jefferson St \$112,000
325 N Nancy St \$49,900
332 N Nancy St \$52,500
3910 E 1100 S (3.2 Acres) \$115,000
427 N Matilda St (Comm) \$74,900
503 N Nancy St (New) \$67,500
519 E Third St \$29,900
523 N Main St \$45,900
605 E Jefferson St (Reduced) .. \$74,900
8405 S 300 E (New) \$94,900
907 N Main St \$37,900
9460S-500E (Reduced) \$87,900

MARKLE

275 E Sparks St SOLD

HUNTINGTON

1S & 2S Marion Rd-35 Lafontaine (1.5 A each) Each \$15,000
1461 E Market St PENDING
1914 N Meridian Rd \$106,000
2430 Waterworks Rd \$125,500
2533 W Park Dr \$85,000
290W 350S (3.7 Acres) \$209,900
2967 W 1100N Goblesville \$72,900
2967 W 1100N Goblesville w/3Acres \$89,900
402 S.Broadway (Make Offer).. \$99,900
402 S.Broadway w/13.519 Acres.... \$150,000
4006 S Warren Rd (Reduced) . \$79,900
805 Oak St (New) \$108,000

VANBUREN

5585 N 700 E (7.7 Acres) SOLD

MARION

604 E Morton St PENDING

MONTPELIER

222 N Adams St. \$30,000

FORT WAYNE

3011 Mardigras Lane (New).. \$95,000

DAILY SPECIAL
\$2.49
6-INCH SUB

Valid Only At:

Subway/Warren Deli
I69 & SR 5

Not good with any other offer. Good at participating stores only. No cash value. Not for sale



TRI-COUNTY

SERVICE • QUALITY • VALUE
HEATING & COOLING

1060 S. Jefferson St., Huntington
(260) 356-3260 • 800-324-4427

- Furnaces
- Space Heaters
- Central Air Systems
- Heat Pumps
- Water Heaters
- Air Cleaners
- Water Softeners

~24 HOUR SERVICE~

• MIKE CRAGO • DOUG WILEY •

WE SPECIALIZE IN AIR DUCT CLEANING

Subscription Form to
THE WARREN WEEKLY

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip Code _____

1 Year Subscription \$38.00 ____ 6 Months \$19.00 ____

3 Months \$9.50 ____

Renewal ____ or New Subscription ____

(Subscriptions to be mailed 1st Class)

Send to:

WARREN WEEKLY • P O Box 695, Warren, IN 46792

RATES

20 words \$3.50. Each word over 20 words is \$.10 per word. Each additional insertion is the same price as the first time.

Send in your ad -- include name, address, and phone number (for our records) and number of times you wish ad to run. We reserve the right to edit all ads. Send to: WARREN WEEKLY, P O Box 695, Warren, IN 46792, OR drop off at PJ's Flower and Gift, Downtown Warren by 10 a.m. on Tuesday for the Friday edition.

EXAMPLE

For Sale -- 1986 Ford Fairlane, 4 door, power steering and brakes,

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11

10321 N. Victory, Warren. Phone 260-000-0000.

12 13 14 15 16 17 18

Send in your ad today!

Please PRINT your ad and Phone Number carefully.

Name: _____

Your ad: _____

Phone Number: _____

Run my ad _____ times Enclosed is \$ _____

Payment must accompany order.

AREA NEWS CONTINUED

DINNER CHOICES

by The Dinner Diva, Leanne Ely
Buddy Hackett once said, "My mother's menu consisted of two choices. Take it or leave it."

That's what my mother's menu consisted of, too. We had the choice of eating the dinner she prepared or leaving the table hungry. If we didn't like what she prepared, we weren't allowed to make ourselves a PB & J. If we snuck a banana or anything else for that matter, we were in big trouble. Why? Was my mother abusive and mean? Was my family dysfunctional because the children weren't allowed to call the shots on what was for dinner? Am I in therapy now because I was made to eat my vegetables?

Nope. My family had issues like any other family, but it was pretty "normal". I've noticed however, that what was fashionable in the childrearing of yesterday is now considered barbaric and obsolete. Today, we are told, that if we "make" our children eat what's in front of them will develop eating disorders. Not giving children "choices" will harm their self esteem, so say the "professionals".

The very words "eating disorder" sends us into a tailspin. Consequently, after years of permissive parenting at the dinner table, we suddenly realize our children may have never eaten an honest portion of veggies in their entire young lives. In our perfectionism (and boy, parenting is the place where we wear our maternal stripes with pride!) we have been more concerned about our children's psyches than teaching them an important life skill - eating nutritiously. Because we want to be better parents than our own parents, we want our children to have "perfect" childhoods with no conflict whatsoever. We buy all of that, don't we? And, to use a food analogy, the proof is the pudding - just take a look at the kids.

Childhood obesity is at epidemic proportions. According to the International Obesity Task Force, there are about 22 million children in the world, UNDER 5 that are overweight or obese! In another study, the Canadian Medical Association reported that obesity among young boys ages 7 to 13 years old, TRIPLED between 1981 and 1996.

That's just the children. What about the adults? In the United States, 7 out of 10 adults are overweight or obese (according to the Centers of Disease Control)! The problem of obesity or what we like to call Body Clutter, is a FAMILY problem. And we, the parents have a huge responsibility to teach our children how to be healthy (by eating right and exercising) and we do that primarily by example. You can't preach healthy living if you're

not doing it yourself.

I don't pretend for a minute to hold all the answers to this and other child rearing dilemmas. Like you, I struggle with my decisions as a parent. However, as a nutritionist, I have to look at the statistics and they are absolutely mind blowing. That's how I want you to evaluate what I'm saying—look at this from a nutritionist's point of view.

Believe it or not the family dinner table is one place that you can make a difference in your family health quota. By serving a healthy, balanced meal at least once a day, you'll be making great progress. But the problem is schedules, sports, dance classes, band practice, church...did I miss something else that has you going almost every night of the week? We often find ourselves in the car at dinnertime schlepping kids to yet another activity during dinnertime. Or we're driving thru for a quick bite (and feeling guilty about it) or going out to dinner (again -there goes the family budget!).

How do we get back to the dinner table anyway? The first step would be to reevaluate your family's schedule. What is the reality of your schedule? Are you out of the house almost every night of the week? Can any of these activities be combined and done in one night instead of two? Can you eliminate anything?

If you're out nearly every night of the week, ask yourself these questions honestly: how often are you eating fast food? And even if you are eating fast food, how often are you making the healthiest choices on those menus?

Body Clutter is a FAMILY project—becoming healthy and fueling yourself and your family with the right amount of quality food is a lifestyle, not a diet. Talk to your family about food - have a family meeting. Tell them your intentions and invite them to come aboard. You might not get the warm welcome you're hoping for when you're talking about a healthy diet! But stay persistent, buy healthier foods and make them for dinner (how about adding a nice green leafy salad a few times this week for dinner? A bowl of baby carrots for the table? See how easy this can be?). Take a family walk after dinner and leave the TV in the OFF position. Just these little babysteps will make a huge difference.

Remember, you can't organize clutter; you have to get rid of it. That means body clutter, too.

For more help putting dinner on your table check out her website). www.SavingDinner.com or her Saving Dinner Book series published by Ballantine and her new book Body Clutter. Copyright 2006; Leanne Ely Used by permission in this publication.

EDITOR'S REQUEST

For the past several week's I have posted the articles from the Fly Lady and The Dinner Diva. I need some feedback - do you like these articles?

Marla Cilley has changed my life in many ways and I've been passing her on to you - but I don't want to continually push her at you if nobody is interested. Please let me know what you think.

Drop me an email at wwkly@citiznet.com or send me snail mail (letter) at Warren Weekly, PO Box 695, Warren IN 46792 and let me know what you think.

I would love to hear your input, pro or con.

SUMMER FOOD SAFETY

The lazy days of summer are prime time for outdoor eating at backyard barbecues, picnics, and family reunions. They're also prime time for getting lazy about handling food safely. Serve up healthy and tasty offerings all summer with the free Summer Food Safety package from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration and the Federal Citizen Information Center.

This free package is filled with tips on safely handling food at home. For instance, keeping raw foods like burgers and ribs and their juices away from other foods will keep bacteria and germs from spreading. And wash your hands, food prep areas, dishes, and utensils after working with each food item.

The package's handy suggestions will also help you prevent food from spoiling, whether it's on your counter or the picnic table. Store foods at safe temperatures. Keep foods cold until you're ready to cook them, and don't thaw food on the countertop so bacteria won't grow. When you cook on the stove or the grill, use a meat thermometer to make sure food gets hot enough to kill bacteria and germs.

Don't let down your guard when you get takeout or eat out. The safest way to eat meat, poultry, eggs, and fish is to order them fully cooked. And when you take leftovers home, refrigerate them within two hours or throw them out. Make sure to reheat your food until it's hot and steaming to get rid of cold spots where germs can live.

Food safety rules can do more than keep food from going bad. Following the rules can head off serious illnesses. The bacteria, viruses, and parasites that grow in food can cause some nasty and serious symptoms, especially for infants, the elderly, and those with weakened immune systems. With the Summer Food Safety package, learn which foods often harbor bugs, so you can keep everyone

you serve safe.

The Summer Food Safety package is the perfect complement to any summer meal. There are three easy ways to get your free package:

*Send your name and address to Summer Food Safety, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

*Visit <http://www.pueblo.gsa.gov/rc/n41summerfoodsafety.htm> to place your order online or to read or print out these and hundreds of other federal publications for free.

*Call toll-free 1 (888) 8 UEBLO. That's 1 (888) 878-3256, weekdays 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Eastern Time and ask for the Summer Food Safety package.

MORE PAGE 2

minutes and add green beans, the amount depends upon the number of servings needed. Fry as you might for fried potatoes until crispy done. Sprinkle with a little fresh dill weed and salt and pepper to your taste.

Happy gardening, have a great summer and see you at the market.



4TH ANNUAL MEAT BALL CONTEST

Joel Knight held his 4th annual meatball contest for family and friends. There were four entries and it was a very hard decision.

Joel thanked all 22 people for coming, then excused himself to go to the dining room to judge the entries. While Joel was busy, everyone enjoyed dinner in the kitchen. Crock pots full of the meatball entries were the main course. All were excellent!

When Joel enters the kitchen, a hush falls over the crowd, all anxious to hear the words, "the judging is finished, come see the placings." We all hurry to the dining room to see. The results were: 4th place - Margaret Knight, 3rd place - Robert Sliger, 2nd place - Waldo Knight, 1st place Champion over all, Sherry Knight. All received ribbons, Sherry also received a red rose with the traditional purple ribbon. After pictures were taken, Joel presented each participant with a special ornament.

Once again, Joel would like to thank everyone for coming to his contest. The food is delicious and it is such a fun day. A special thank you to Joyce Sorg and PJ's Flower & Gifts for all her help. Thank you Joyce!

This is such an enjoyable event, see you next year at Joel's 5th annual meatball contest.

East of Chicago

Pizza Done Right!

June Specials
No coupon needed

Rush Street Roll
1-Topping
\$3.49

Big-E
1-Topping
Pizza +
Breadsticks
\$13.99

Try our New Boneless Wings Try our Fish Sandwich

Dine In • Carry Out • Delivery

260-375-2000

At the Stoplight in Warren

Coupons at www.eastofchicago.com