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Thought for the Week: The best car safety device is a rear-view mirror with a cop in it. Dudley Moore

HAPPY 2ND ANNIVERSARY KODI ELLIOT

I LOVE YOU WITH ALL MY HEART AND I AM READY TO
COME HOME AND BE WITH YOU. I MISS YOU A LOT
LOVE YOUR REW

WARREN'S GOT TALENT

It's that time again to get your voices ready and write your jokes. We are looking for you to share your talent at the Salamonie Summerfest. If you are ready to share we are ready to listen to you. The show is Saturday, July 6th at 6 p.m. on the main stage. Email at desackett@gmail.com if you want to participate.

CANOE RACE DATE MOVED

The canoe race for this year will be Sunday July 7th at 3:00 pm. Meet under the State Road 5 bridge. Canoes will be available but call ahead. Categories for all abilities. Call Citizens Telephone to get registered at 260-375-2111. Best viewing of the action will be from the bridge or at the Scout Cabin.

FUN RUN/WALK

The 4-H 5K Fun Run/Walk will be held Saturday, July 6, 8:00 AM at the 4-H Park in Bluffton.

Pre-registration of \$13 is due June 22. Regular of \$15 will be taken up until the event. Race day registration will open at 7:00 AM (Only those who pre-register will be guaranteed a shirt. Shirts will be available to race-day registrants as supply lasts.)

The 5K (3.1 mile) event will include classes for: Boys 14 and under; Boys 15-18; Men 19-29; Men 30-39; Men 40-49; Men 50

and over; Girls 14 and under; Girls 15-18; Women 19-29; Women 30-39; Women 40-49; and Women 50 and over.

The event is being held in cooperation with the Ouabache River Runners.

Proceeds from the event will help to fund 4-H scholarships and other projects supported by the Wells County 4-H Foundation.

Registration form and details are located at www.extension.purdue.edu/wells.

PHOTO CONTEST

The Country Calico Club will be sponsoring Warren's Baby Photo Contest during the 2012 Salamonie Summer Festival. A display of the photos will be located at the Town Annex building during the festival, where you can vote (at \$.01 per vote) for your choice.

Guidelines & Rules

- Child must have been born on or after January 1, 2012.
- Pictures must be 5x7 or smaller.
- Please include child's name, parents name, and complete address on back of photo.
- One child per photo, and one photo per child.
- All photos will be returned after the festival.
- 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place will be determined based upon votes received.
- Entry deadline is Friday June

28, 2013; NO EXCEPTIONS.

You can pick up an entry form at Citizens Telephone office located at 426 N Wayne St / Warren. For further information or should you have questions, please call 375-2111.

FUN WAGON

Salamonie Summer Festival is around the corner. Fun Wagon tickets are on sale now at iAB Bank, PNC Bank, DeWeese, At the Corner Beauty Salon. Tickets are 6 for \$5 or \$1.00 each.

Winner receives a great wagon filled with lots of goodies, gift certificates, gas cards, cash and more.

You can see the Wagon at PNC thru the 4th.

Drawing will be July 7th at Tower Park on Fireworks Night. Get your tickets now!

If anyone would like to donate to the wagon, call Mary D at 228.1694.

SSF GOLF OUTING

Saturday June 29th, 2013 8:00 start time at Dogwood Glen course in Warren, IN. \$50 per person or \$200 for team of 4. Call 917-1541 with your team information.

CRACKLIN'S

There will be Old Fashioned Cracklin's at the Tractor Show at Daugherty's Pond July 6 during the festival!

DEAN'S LIST

Huntington University has announced the students that were named to the Dean's List for the spring semester of the 2012-13 school year.

The Dean's List is published two times per year at Huntington

University. 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.

The following students from our area were recognized:

- Liz Bolinger, of Warren, IN, was a junior Psychology major.
- Kaylee Searles, of Van Buren, IN, was a senior Psychology major.
- Kendall Green, of Van Buren, IN, was a senior Accounting,

Economics and Finance and Management major.

CARNIVAL REPORT

The Warren Baseball & Softball League had a carnival last Saturday up at Tower Park. A raffle was held and the winners are listed below.

Congrats to all the winners and thank you to everyone who bought tickets or came to the Carnival to support the kids of the WBSL. Thank you to Mechelle Cotant for the donation of the Gift Certificates and for doing an awesome job

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FARMERS MARKET SPOTLIGHT



Jeff Daugherty is our highlight this week. Not sure what we would do without Jeff at the market. He has been a vendor for eight years selling hanging baskets to spruce up your front porch and vegetable plants to fill your garden. When those are gone he moves on to fresh vegetables and fruit that he grows himself or picks up at produce auctions. He keeps busy going back and forth from his own tent in his front yard to our tent set up behind Daughtrys.

Jeff along with his SAMS buddies help each year in putting up our tent in the spring and taking it down in the fall. They do a great job. We appreciate all of them. Thank you Jeff for all you do for the Farmers Market.

Also at the Farmers Market this week will be breaded tenderloins, assortment of vegetables and baked goods. Gas is expensive so come by and do some grocery shopping in your own hometown. Thanks to everyone who came out last week to see us. It was a great day!

We are always looking for new vendors if you are a self employed/hobbyist think about joining us every Saturday from 8-11. Give us a call 2604146331.

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KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

By GEORGE

There's a man who lives in Warren
 Who'll never, never seek fame.
 He's selfless, friendly and honest,
 And by George - 'George' is his name.

Why is this man so special?
 Just seek and look all around
 You cannot find another,
 For his equal, just can't be found.

His ways are simply amazing
 Always living God's Golden Rule
 If you're upset and hateful.
 This George will keep 'his cool.'

He loves God ... tells this to others.
 This definitely sets him apart.
 For many humans keep hiding
 What really is deep in their heart.

This isn't a real commercial
 Please read what I have now to tell
 George has a worthwhile profession
 And by George, he does it so well.

DeWeese by George, softens water
 On George you can always depend
 If you need this service, just call him,
 By George, you'll find he's your friend.

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Vacation Bible School

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 Phillip Freel Jr, Pastor

Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 Wed Carry-in & Fellowship ... 6:30 p.m.

BANQUO CHRISTIAN CHURCH

8294S 900W 35
 Brad Kelly, Pastor

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Wed. Bible Study 6:30 p.m.
 Thurs. Kings Kids 6:30 p.m.
 BYG Youth Svc. (2&4Sun.) 6:00 p.m.
 CWF Ladies (3 Tue) 6:00 p.m.

BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST

Rev. Barry Humble, Pastor
 Denise Heininger, S.S. Supt.

Sunday Worship 9:30a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45a.m.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Van Buren, Indiana 765-934-2199
 Pastor - Heath Jones

Youth Leaders - Kelly Jones
 Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:40 a.m.
 Adult Bible Study Sun 6:30p.m.
 Youth Group Sun 6:00p.m.
 Handicap Accessible
 Little Panther Preschool 765.934.2099

HEALING WATERS MINISTRY —

MAJENICA

Pastor Wayne Couch
 260/224-3376

Sunday Prayer 9:15 a.m.
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

DAYCARE PROVIDED DURING WORSHIP SERVICE

DILLMAN UNITED BRETHREN

8888S 1100W-90, Warren 375-2779
 Dick Case, Pastor

1st Worship Service 8:15a.m.
 Sunday School 9:30a.m.
 2nd Worship Service 10:30a.m.

HANFIELD UNITED METHODIST

101 N 400 E - Marion 765/664-8726
 Timothy Helm, Senior Pastor

1st Worship 8:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 2nd Worship 11:00 a.m.

HERITAGE POINTE

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

THE NEW BEGINNING

SR 218, 2 1/8 mile west of Poneto
 Steve Sutton, Pastor

765/728-2065 for more info
 Sunday Worship 10:30a.m.
 Thursday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

NEW HOPE MINISTRIES

9019 E 300 S - Warren Indiana
 Jim Graham, Pastor

260/494-6753 260/489-1456
 260/375-4224

Sunday School 9:30am
 Morning Worship 10:30am

HILLCREST

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

375-2510
 Rev Mark Davis

Bus Service 375-2510
 www.hillcrestnazchurch.org

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.

SOLID ROCK UNITED METHODIST

227 N Main St, Warren, IN
 375-3873

Kathy Newton, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

LANCASTER WESLEYAN

468-2411
 Doug Sharrard, Pastor

David Thrift, S.S. Supt.
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday:
 CYC/Teen/Adult Meetings 7:00 p.m.

LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH

694-6622

Aaron Westfall, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 Fellowship 9:55a.m.

Worship 10:15a.m.
 Wed. Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

LIBERTY CENTER

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor Devin Cook

Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45 a.m.

MCMATT UNITED METHODIST

375-4359

Bill VanHaften, Pastor
 Lois Slusher, Supt.

Coffee Fellowship 8:30 a.m.
 Worship 9:15 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

Bible Study - Wed. 7:00 p.m.

MT. ETNA UNITED METHODIST

260/468-2148 Sr 9 & 124

Rev. Sam Padgett - Pastor
 Trad. Worship 9:00 a.m.
 Fellowship 10:00 a.m.

Mdrn Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday Youth 6-7:30 p.m.

MOUNT ETNA WESLEYAN

Pastor Brian Holland

www.mountetnachurch.com
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.

Bible Study (Wed) 6:30 p.m.
 Children's Ministry (Wed) 6:30 p.m.
 Youth (Wed) 6:30 p.m.

PLUM TREE

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

375-2691

Dr. Jeane Spoor, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.

SALAMONIE

CHURCH OF BRETHREN

468-2412
 Mel Zumbrun, Pastor

Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Church School 10:45a.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

375-2102

Pastor Scott Nedberg
 Youth Pastor - Rev Harold Smith Jr

Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Contemporary Service - Wed 6:30 p.m.

Junior Church 10:00 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 Youth Meetings - Wed 6:30 p.m.

Communion 1st Sunday of the Month
VB CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

765/934-3321 Parsonage
 Jeff Wass, Pastor

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.

VB UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

765-934-1431

Pastor Leon Pomeroy
 Worship Service 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School 10:30a.m.
 Not Home Alone - Wed 2:30 p.m.

Prayer-Bible Study (Thur) 7:00 p.m.
 UMW 2nd Wed 7:00 p.m.

Little Ones Book Club 1st Tue ... 10:00 a.m.
 Just Older Youth 3rd Tue 12:00 p.m.

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WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST

375-3022

Ethan T Stivers, Minister
 Tara Bower and Melinda Haynes -

Secretaries
 www.warrenchurchofchrist.org

Fellowship 9:15 a.m.
 Worship & Communion 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School 11 to 11:40 a.m.
 Youth: (Start back up in the fall)

K-5th grade, Mon 6-7pm
 Jr/Sr Hi, Sunday 6-7:30pm

WARREN 1ST BAPTIST CHURCH

Corner of N. Wayne & Matilda Sts.
 Senior Pastor Rev. Bill Fisher

Asst Pastor for Youth Greg Casserino
 Sunday School 9:00 a.m.

Sunday Worship 10:00 a.m.

WARREN WESLEYAN CHURCH

375-2330 6th & Nancy Sts. Warren
 Rev. Allen Laws, Pastor

Wesley Welch, Supt.
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Worship 10:15 a.m.
 Wed Bible Study 6:00 p.m.

FARRVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Pastor Richard Ladouceur
 11044 E 200 N, Marion, IN

765-934-3609
 Sunday Worship 10:30 am

Sunday School Classes 9:30 am
 Youth Group 6:00 pm

Sunday Adult Bible Study 6:00 pm
 Thurs. Bible Study 7:00 pm

Please Attend the Church of Your Choice

AREA NEWS

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face painting. Thanks to Rene Hopkins, Lynonne Nighthenheler, Stepheny Johnson, Kara Hopkins, Susan Johnson, and Dale Johnson for helping run the games. Thanks to Jo and David Keller for opening the concessions for us. Thanks to all the softball & kickball players, and to Kaytee Cotant for also face painting. Hope I didn't forget anyone. A great time was had by all but I am sure a few of the Coaches may be moving a little slower this week. I have over a hundred pictures that I posted in a "2013 Carnival" folder on the WBSL Facebook Page. Thanks again everyone!

Grand Prize Lifetime Free Entry—Reece Nighthenheler

\$100 Gift Certificate for "Portraits by Mechelle"—Megan Gibbons

\$50. Gift Certificate "Portraits by Mechelle"—Tracee Pennington

\$25. Gift Certificate for "Portraits by Mechelle"—Brenda Tolen

\$25. Gift Certificate for "Portraits by Mechelle"—Kendra Pinkerton

1 Free Year Entry Winners—Marcella Winters / Roxanne Surfus

1 Free Year Entry Winners—Felipe Ramirez / Katherin Minnich

Consolation Prize Winners—Brad Arbuckle / Carmen Ramirez / Scott Lipka / Sarah DeWitt

iAB SCHOLARSHIPS

iAB Financial Bank, the wholly-owned subsidiary of Independent Alliance Banks, Inc., and the Fort Wayne Community Foundation are pleased to announce the 11 recipients of the iAB Financial Bank Employee Scholarship award.

Scholarships are awarded based on academic achievement and personal qualities such as character, leadership ability and community service.

The 2013 recipients are:

- Heather Huffman—Pursuing a degree in Nursing from the University of Saint Francis in Fort Wayne. Heather is the daughter of Thomas and Dianna Huffman of Poneto, Indiana.

- Nathan Liechty—Nathan is pursuing a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Indiana Wesleyan University.

- Alexander Martin—Alexander attends Indiana University in Bloomington, Indiana and is working toward a Bachelor's degree in Biology. He is the son of Brad Martin and Kathy Martin of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

- Kristin Wilde—Kristin is pursuing a Master's degree in Business Administration and Science Management from Indiana Institute of Technology Inc. d/b/a Indiana Tech.

2013 renewing scholarship recipients include:

- Kelsey Ahrens—Pursuing a degree in Nursing from the University of Saint Francis in Fort Wayne, Kelsey is the daughter of Mark and Michelle Ahrens of

Ossian, Indiana.

- Melinda Bender—Melinda is the daughter of Tom and Susan Bender, and she is pursuing a Bachelor's degree in Telecommunications from Ball State University in Muncie, Indiana.

- Jessica Grandlienard—Jessica attends Purdue University in West Lafayette, Indiana and is working toward a Bachelor's degree in Dietetics. She is the daughter of Paul and Mary Grandlienard of Bluffton, Indiana.

- Allison Hamm—The daughter of Sidney and Donna Hamm of Grabill, Indiana, Allison is studying at Indiana Purdue Fort Wayne toward a Bachelor of Science degree in Psychology.

- Molly McKee—The daughter of Mark and Beth McKee of New Haven, Indiana, Molly is working toward a Bachelor's degree in Education at Indiana Purdue University of Fort Wayne.

- Angela Witmer—Pursuing a degree in Business Administration, Angela attends Indiana Institute of Technology Inc. d/b/a Indiana Tech in Fort Wayne.

- Jennifer Witmer—Jennifer attends Ivy Tech Community College in Fort Wayne and is pursuing a degree in Business Administration.

iAB Financial Bank employs approximately 285 people in our local communities which include Fort Wayne, Bluffton, Grabill, Harlan, Huntington, Leo, Markle, New Haven, Ossian, Van Buren, and Warren.

DEADLINE APPROACHING

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 1st. 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 must 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). Alpaca, Dog, and Cat exhibits will be checked at their 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.

Livestock members should complete as much of the livestock feed record sheet as they can. Once the 4-H Auction is finished, members will be able to finish their record and turn it into their club box at the 4-H Fair Office.

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

Club boxes will be on display in the Community Center for members to turn in the finished

Record Notebooks and folders during the 4-H Fair.

The Wells County 4-H Council along with the 4-H Association and 4-H Leaders all endorse the July 1st rule which helps encourage youth to complete their entire project. For more information about record books, check your Wells County 4-H Rule Book or the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service, 260-824-6412. The Rule Book can also be located on www.extension.purdue.edu/wells.

TriKAPPA

The Gamma Upsilon chapter of Tri-Kappa met on Tuesday, June 4th at the Warren Baptist Church.

Four new members, Denise McIntire, Andy Short, Erin Small, and Tess Weidner were initiated.

The new officers for the next two years were also installed led by outgoing president Megan Mondragon. The new president will be Debbie Ledbetter.

A business meeting followed the evenings refreshments of pizza and desert hosted by Debbie Ledbetter and Christie Neuenschwander. Final plans for a pie and ice-cream fundraiser were made. George DeWeese will allow us to sell pie and ice-

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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 19 7:00pm Van Buren Town Council Meeting, Town Hall
Jul 3 Noon Warren Chamber of Commerce Lunch, Assembly Hall
Jul 3 7 p.m. Van Buren Town Council Meeting, Town Hall
Jul 4-7 Salamonie Summer Festival, Warren IN
Jul 8 6:30pm Warren Town Council Meeting, Assembly Hall
Jul 29 6-8:30pm Banquo Christian Church Bible School thru Aug 2nd.
Bread of Life Food Pantry - Wed 2 - 4:00pm & 6 - 8:00p.m. at KBC
Bargain Basement - Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KBC; **Cancer Support Group** - 3rd Tuesday 6:30-8p.m. at Bluffton Regional South Campus



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This credit will apply to Citizens Telephone's landline service only. Please contact our office for additional information, or to pick up the Lifeline Application.

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cream from his store front on the evening of the parade during the Salamonie Summer Festival. Fruit pies of several varieties will be available by the slice for \$3.00 and the whole pie at \$10.00. Anyone from the public wishing to purchase several whole pies are encouraged to contact a Tri-Kappa member before July 1st.

SPRING GRADUATE

Samantha Drayer of Warren was among the approximately 937 degrees were awarded from The University of Findlay during spring commencement ceremonies on Saturday, May 4, in the Koehler Complex on campus.

Drayer graduated Magna Cum Laude with a Bachelor of Science in Equestrian Studies/Animal Science.

FIVE STAR AWARD

iAB Financial Bank was recognized as a Five Star Member of the Indiana Bankers Association (IBA) at the IBA Mega Conference in downtown Indianapolis. The bank earned the award in recognition of its commitment to the IBA in the areas of political awareness, issues advocacy, life-long learning, volunteerism and Preferred Service Provider utilization.

"As an employer of choice, iAB

is excited to receive this Five Star Member recognition," state Karen J. Cameron, Executive Vice President of iAB. "Our core values of integrity, accountability and brotherhood mirror the commitments of a Five Star Member."

iAB also won a MAXI Award at the Mega Conference. MAXI Awards are presented annually to recognize bank marketing excellence in Indiana. iAB won the in the category of Branding Campaigns for their new logo and campaign that occurred during the company's consolidation.

"We're extremely thrilled with this recognition of our marketing efforts," stated Meegan D. Siegarth, Marketing Director for iAB. "It's also nice to be recognized by your peers as a leader in marketing."

The Indiana Bankers Association supports Indiana banking through issues analysis, professional education, and products and services that enhance financial institutions' ability to serve their communities.

iAB Financial Bank employs approximately 285 people in our local communities which include Fort Wayne, Bluffton, Grabbill, Harlan, Huntington, Leo, Markle, New Haven, Ossian, Roanoke, Van Buren and Warren.

SUMMER/FALL EVENTS

Pathfinder Kids Kampus, "A Caring Place to Go and Grow!" is having a Summer Kamp for children ages 5 through 12 at Kids Kampus now through August 12th. The Kamp includes up to 50 hours of fun and educational learning per week along with snacks, meals and a lot of activities. Summer Kamp will take place all summer long Monday through Friday from 5:30 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

"Studies show children may lose up to 60% of what they have learned in school over the summer," stated Lisa Mettler, Administrator of Kids Kampus. "All young people experience learning losses when they do not engage in educational activities during the summer. Research shows that students typically score lower on standardized tests at the end of summer vacation than they do on the same tests at the beginning of summer," Mettler added.

In addition to summer programming, Pathfinder Kids Kampus will be offering Fall Preschool, which is a program designed for children ages 3, 4, and 5 years. Two, three and five day preschool classes are available and will begin on Tuesday, September 3rd. Prices begin at just \$23.50 per week! Fall Playgroup is a program

designed for children ages 18-36 months. The curriculum focuses on language activities, sign language, cognitive thinking, creative play, social concepts and more. Tuesday and Thursday classes are offered and begin on Tuesday, September 3rd.

In addition, Pathfinder Kids Kampus has immediate FREE Early Head Start Child Care Openings for their Combination Program for children ages 18 months to 3 years of age. This program allows for children to enjoy playing with other children while receiving Early Head Start curriculum preparing for preschool and kindergarten. In addition two or three home visits per month allow parents to work on their child's development and family goals.

For information on Summer and Fall programs please call Pathfinder Kids Kampus at (260) 356-0123 or visit www.kidskampus.org.

RAPTOR CENTER

The public is invited to the grand opening of Salamonie Lake's Raptor Center, on Sunday, June 23, at Salamonie Interpretive Center.

The event is at 2 p.m. and offers a chance to see an American kestrel and screech owl in their new environment and to meet a new member of the raptor

center. Representatives from the Friends of Upper Wabash Interpretive Services group and Upper Wabash Interpretive Services staff will be on hand to talk about the raptor center's history, progress and future plans.

Light refreshments will be served.

The standard entrance fee of \$5 per in-state vehicle and \$7 per out-of-state vehicle is in effect for those who do not have an annual entrance pass.

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

Salamonie Lake is at 9214 West-Lost Bridge West, Andrews, 46702.

MOON REUNION

The annual Moon Family Reunion was held Sunday, June 2 at the Van Buren Lions Club.

Those attending included George and Doris Moon, Katie McCroskey, David and Carol Moon, Ruth Turner, Robert Turner, Caitlin Imhoff, Joseph Kerschner, Shannon McCroskey, Randi Casto, Connie Fritch, Eric, Ethyn, Emma Korporal, Jesse and Ellen Moon, all of Van Buren.

Also, Matt Heyde from Huntington, Chris Curts from Marion and Chuck and Stacy McColley of Wabash.

Bill Burnsworth, Joel and Betty Murray, Jodi Hall, Gary and Brenda Thompson, and Marcus Thompson, all of Lagro, and Earl and Marianne Gibson of Leo also attended.

SECOND SATURDAYS

Salamonie Lake will host free campground programs each second Saturday of June, July and August.

The programs will be presented by naturalists from Upper Wabash Interpretive Services.

Saturday, July 13, will be "Beach Field Day." Field day activities and games will begin at 1 p.m. A sandcastle sculpture contest will begin at 2 p.m., with judging an hour later. Participants can bring sand toys or containers to use during building. Prizes will be awarded for most creative, best nature theme, and best in show.

Saturday, Aug. 10, will be "Kids Green Thumb Gardening Day." Participants should meet at the Interpretive Center's butterfly garden. Members of the Huntington Master Gardeners

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"The REBEL"

3 on 3 Basketball Sign-Up

Saturday, July 6, 2013

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(First player listed is Team Captain)

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Registration Form

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Entry Fee: \$30 per team (2 people)

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GENEALOGY REPORT

WITTY

Marjorie Ruth Witty, 88, of Warren, IN, passed away at 11:51 PM on Friday, June 14, 2013 at Heritage Pointe in Warren, IN.



She was born on Sunday, November 30, 1924, in Nashua, Iowa, a daughter of Amy Angeline Edson and Howard Miller. She married her husband of 57 years, Richard Witty, in 1946 and they settled in Madison, Indiana to raise their family.

She was a devoted member of Christ Episcopal Church in Madison, and worked at Conn Organ and at King's Daughter's Hospital.

She is survived by: Daughters - Susan (Richard) Fox, Fort Wayne, IN, Pamela (Scott) Jackson, Huntington, IN, Catherine Witty, Albuquerque, NM, Sister - Lorraine Bowman, Springfield, MO, Brother - Kenneth (Neena) Miller, Anchorage, AK, Granddaughters - Gretchen Fox, Rachel Fox, Becky Capps, Amy Underwood, Grandson - Kevin Jackson, Beloved Great Grandchildren - Sarah, Hannah, Ruby and Kole, who will miss Nana so very much.

She was preceded in death by her Father - Howard Miller, Mother - Amy Angeline Holden, Husband - Richard Witty, Infant Son - Michael Stephen Witty, Brothers - Arthur Miller and Clark Miller.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember at Heritage Pointe Applegate Chapel 801 Huntington Ave. Warren on Wednesday, June 19, 2013 from 1:00 PM to 1:30 PM a memorial service to celebrate Marjorie's life will be at Heritage Pointe Applegate Chapel 801 Huntington Ave. Warren at 1:30 PM on Wednesday, June 19, 2013 with the Rev. Edwin Clark and Pastor Ray Miller officiating.

Preferred memorials to: Heritage Pointe Memorial Garden Fund 801 Huntington Ave Warren, IN 46792. Arrangements are being handled by Glancy - H. Brown & Son Funeral Home in Warren.

HIRSCHY

Jo Ann Hirschy, 51, of Monroe, passed away Wednesday, June 12, at Adams Memorial Hospital. She was born Nov. 17, 1961, in Huntington to Gary "Joe" and Judy (Pursley) Craig. She married Rick Hirschy Oct. 30, 2004.

Jo was a member of Liberty Center Baptist Church and attended Monroe United Brethren. She worked for Peyton's in Bluffton.

She is survived by her parents, Joe and Judy Craig of Liberty Center; husband, Rick Hirschy of Monroe; a daughter Billie (Jeremy) Rodgers of Ossian; a son, Jake Lewis of Bluffton; a step-son, Noah Hirschy of Monroe; two brothers, Carl (Kim) Craig of Liberty Center and Jeff Craig of Warren; and two grandchildren.

A service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 15, at Haggard-Sefton & Hirschy Funeral Home with Pastor Tory Green officiating. Burial will be at Ray Cemetery in rural Monroe.

Visitation is from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, June 14, and two hours prior to the service Saturday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Cancer Treatment Centers of America.



CELEBRATE 60TH

Mr and Mrs Kenneth and Rose Marie Westfall, Van Buren, will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary June 21, 2013.

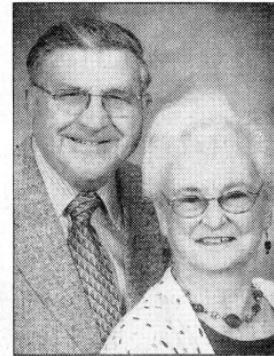
Kenneth Westfall and Rose Marie Plummer were married June 21, 1953 in Van Buren at the Van Buren United Methodist Church.

Mr Westfall retired from Farm Bureau Insurance in 1991. Mrs Westfall retired from Eastbrook Community Schools in 1992.

They are the parents of Jane (Bill) Hemmick and Debra (Gary) DeLong, both of Van Buren, James (Brenda) Westfall of Sweetser and Mark (Pamela) Westfall of Marion.

The couple have fourteen grandchildren. Bradley, Aaron and Sara Hemmick of Indianapolis; Caleb Hemmick of Upland, Matt (Mary) DeLong of Van Buren, Josh DeLong of Marion, Nathan DeLong of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Michael (Katie) Westfall of Marion, Kristie Westfall of Sweetser, Haley (Richard) Ladouceur of Marion and Jamaica Westfall of Marion.

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will teach kids and their accompanying adults about harvesting garden vegetables and about flowers. The time is yet to be determined.

The standard entrance fee of \$5 per in-state vehicle or \$7 per out-of-state vehicle will apply for those who have not purchased an annual entrance pass.

Camping reservations can be made at Camp.IN.gov or (866) 622-6746.

For more information on other UWIS programs, see dnr.IN.gov/uwis or visit [Facebook.com/UpperWabash](https://www.facebook.com/UpperWabash), or call (260) 468-2127.

Salamonie Lake is at 9214 West-Lost Bridge West, Andrews, 46702.

DIAGNOSTIC WORKSHOP

Corn and soybean growers, crop advisors and pesticide applicators have the opportunity to learn more about crop diagnostics at a June 25 workshop featuring specialists from Purdue University.

The NEPAC Diagnostic Training Workshop will run from 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Northeast Purdue Agricultural Center (NEPAC), 4821 E. 400S, Columbia City, IN. The workshop focuses on assistance with diagnosing and managing field problems, such as insect pests, weeds, and diseases. There will also be information on conservation cropping systems, cover crops and 2013 fertilizer regulations.

Topics and speakers are:

- "Problem Weeds — Herbicide Resistance and Control Strategies" by Bill Johnson —

Purdue Botany and Plant Pathology Dept.

- "Seed Traits, Insecticides & Honeybees" by Christian Krupke — Purdue Entomology Dept.

- "Update on Fungicides and Disease Management" by Kiersten Wise — Purdue Botany and Plant Pathology Dept.

- "Cover Crops and Conservation Tillage Practices for Good Soil Health" by Eileen Kladvik — Purdue Agronomy Dept.

- "2013 Fertilizer Regulations Update" by Ed Farris and David Addison — Purdue Extension Educators

The program has been approved for Commercial Category 1, 4, 11, 14 and RT Credits (CCHs); Private Applicator Recertification Program (PARP) credits; and Crop Adviser Credits (CEUs).

Registration of \$50 per person is due by June 18. Lunch will be provided. A brochure/registration form is available on the Web at <http://www3.ag.purdue.edu/counties/huntington/Documents/DTCFlyerJune13.pdf>

Continuing education credits for the Private Applicator Recertification Program will be available for \$10. Farmers are reminded to bring their pesticide applicator cards for registration.

For more information, contact Ed Farris, Purdue Extension educator in Huntington County, at 260-358-4826, emfarris@purdue.edu

PIANO JOY

Piano Joy!, a concert by Arlene Stoller, will be presented for the community on Sunday, June 30 at the First Baptist Church in Bluffton. The concert, which is

being sponsored by Arlene's friends, will be presented at 3:00 in the church sanctuary. A variety of musical selections will be included in the program.

Arlene participates in many musical activities in the community. She is currently the director of the adult choir at the First Baptist Church. She organized and has directed the community choir in their annual fall presentation of A Celebration of Faith and Joy for the past 12 years. She has been active in the Creative Arts Council of Wells County, having organized the Gospel Sing at Kehoe Park since its inception. She has also directed the Wells County chapter of the Purdue Home Extension Chorus and has organized the Gospel Sing during the Wells County 4-H Fair for many years. She also presents musical programs and inspirational talks to various organizations throughout the state.

A free will offering will be taken at the concert and given to two local projects: Kate's Kitchen and the Wells County Food Bank.

First Baptist Church is located at 202 W. Cherry Street, one block west of Bluffton-Regional Medical Center. The public is

encouraged to attend. Elevator access is available.

GARDEN WALK

The Wells County Master Gardener's will sponsor a Garden Walk in Ossian on Saturday, June 22 and Sunday, June 23 from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.. The garden walk sites are at the homes of Joel and Nancy Fremion at 102 Bittersweet Lane, Ossian, Lynn and Jan Lipp at 411 Hickory Lane, Ossian, Ron and Mary Ann Ripperger at 706 N Metts Street, Ossian, and Pet Rest located at 1630 East US Highway 224, Ossian. There will be signs at each location. Tickets may be purchased at the Garden Sites on the day of the Garden Walk, with the cost being \$5.00 and 12 and under are free. Proceeds from the event will be used to support several programs.

OPERATION DRY WATER

Indiana Conservation Officers will join a national campaign in late June aimed at creating heightened public awareness of the dangers of boating under the influence of drugs or alcohol.

Operation Dry Water (ODW) is scheduled for June 28-30, just before the Fourth of July.

ODW (www.OperationDryWater.org) is a nationwide education and enforcement initiative developed by the National Association of State Boating Law Administrators (NASBLA) in partnership with the U.S. Coast Guard.

Since ODW launched in 2009, the percentage of boating fatalities in the United States in which alcohol is listed as a contributing factor has decreased from 19 percent to 17 percent. Despite the decrease, boating while intoxicated (BWI) accounts for a disproportionate number of on-the-water deaths. In 2011, alcohol was a contributing factor in just 8 percent of boating accidents overall but figured in 17 percent of boating fatalities.

In Indiana, the blood-alcohol limit for boat operators is the same as for vehicle drivers — 0.08. However, studies show that boat operators become impaired by alcohol sooner than people on land because of the motion of the boat, the glare and heat of the sun, and dehydration from sweating.

Boat operators convicted of boating while intoxicated can lose their boat operating and vehicle driving privileges, and face jail time and fees.

According to Indiana Conservation Officers, the safest plan is to have a designated boat operator who is not drinking alcohol.

Citizens often report intoxicated boaters to authorities, which demonstrates an increased public awareness that law-abiding boaters are concerned about safety.

"Keeping our lakes, rivers and reservoirs safe takes an effort from all of us, and we appreciate the efforts of our safe boaters," said Lt. Kenton Turner, boating law administrator for the DNR Division of Law Enforcement.

A video detailing a joint effort of Indiana Conservation Officers and Indiana State Police to address boating and driving while intoxicated can be found at Youtube.com/idnrvideos.

CAVING PROGRAM

Gene Pelter Jr. of the Northern Indiana Grotto association will give a presentation on caving and spelunking at the Wells County Public Library in Bluffton

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This presentation will appeal to anyone interested in spelunking, learning about caves, or those that just love to look at neat photographs of nature. He'll discuss caving equipment and share some pictures of caves in Indiana and around the U.S.

As part of the Northern Indiana Grotto, Pelter helps plan trips to numerous caves and is active in conservation, photography, rappelling, and mapping.

This interactive presentation is for all ages, but it will be geared towards teens and adults. The program is open to all area residents. Registration is appreciated, but not required.

To sign up stop by the library, visit the library's website at www.wellscolibrary.org, or call 260-824-1612.

The event is held in conjunction with the Wells County Public Library's 2013 Summer Reading Program with a "Dig Into Reading" theme. Sign up is going on now at the library for all ages or online for teens and adults. Participants must sign up in June and then continue reading into July. Prizes are awarded for completing the reading challenge for your age group.

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ARE YOU LOSING YOUR MIND?

By The Fly Lady, Marla Cilley
Do you ever feel like you must be losing your mind? Someone says to you, "I told you that last week!" or "Don't you remember?" We can get defensive about comments like this. I know I have. This morning as I was "sleeping in" it hit me what the problem is.

It is sensory overload and our database has failed to file the information in the proper place. Can you tell that I am learning to speak geek? Let's think about this overload for a second. When I am sitting at home in my chair with my computer on my lap, four dogs, a television on with a tickertape scrolling across the bottom or music playing, a house phone, a cell phone, my assistant Michele, my ipod, text messaging and instant messaging, emails coming in, the doorbell ringing and my sweet darlings somewhere in the house. It is a miracle that I can do anything much less remember something that is

tossed into this chaotic mix.

We are so much at believing that the ability to multitask is a virtue. All it really does is divide our attention, take us longer to accomplish anything and make us feel frazzled. Only thing that it does is make us look busy. Just because we look as if we are doing something doesn't mean we are accomplishing anything. This is called busy work. It's no wonder why we can't remember anything. We are not losing our minds! We are multitasking!

My sweet darling laughs and tells me that I must have movie amnesia. This morning I have figured out why I don't remember movies that we watch at home. It is because the movie never has my undivided attention! I watch with my computer on my lap! In the evening I don't usually make business calls but my instant messenger is always up and I am checking emails. This is just the physical things I am doing with my hands. My mind is a million other places; processing ideas for essays and what is going to happen tomorrow.

So how do we stop this sensory overload? We have to pull the plugs! Let's practice turning off and tuning in. This is not going to be easy. I know myself too well but I also know the satisfaction that comes from being able to accomplish something. This is how I wrote my first book. I had made myself a strict routine for the morning.

I know my mornings are my most productive time as long as I am not pulled in several directions at once. My routine started with getting dressed to lace up shoes, making my bed, swishing and swiping the bathroom, emptying the dishwasher,

feather dusting, a quick dust mop of the floors and then eating my breakfast with a strong cup of coffee. This is my normal morning routine.

My goal was to write ten pages or three hours whichever came first. To accomplish this goal I had some rules for myself.

1. Do my regular morning routine. I could not allow my house to fall apart while I was writing the book.
2. Turn on my computer only after I had my breakfast and bottles of water by my side.

3. I could not turn on my email program or a browser; only my Word Program.
4. I could not turn on my instant messenger program.

5. This one is the most important! I could not answer the phone! I started my day at 7:30 am by 8:00 am I was ready to start writing and by 11:00 am I was finished with ten pages or I had worked for three hours. In two weeks I had a manuscript. Do you see what you can accomplish when you turn off the distractions and tune into your brainpower!

We are very smart people. We don't have to feel frazzled and pulled in many directions. As I have been writing this essay I have had to stop myself several times from turning on the television, radio or my iPod. We can focus! When we practice unplugging and tuning into the power that we have in our brains the sky is the limit!

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