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Thought for the Week: Where all think alike, no one thinks very much. Walter Lippmann



TEAM 1501 WINS!

The Huntington County 4-H Robotics Team 1501 won the St Louis Regional competition last weekend, entitling them to compete at the World Competition in Detroit the end of April. Their goal is to raise \$10,000 in less than a month so all members can attend. If you would like to make a tax deductible donation to support the team, you can send a check to Purdue Extension Huntington County, 1340 S Jefferson St, Huntington, IN 46750. Please make checks payable to Huntington County 4-H Robotics.

PORK CHOP DINNER

The Mt Etna United Methodist Church will be holding their annual Pork Chop Dinner on Saturday, April 6th, 2019 from 5:00 - 7:00 PM.

Your choice of a 1 Chop Meal - \$7.00, 2 Chop Meal- \$9.00 or a 2 Sausage Patties Meal- \$7.00 ALL meals include 2 sides, Bread & Butter, Drink and Dessert. Children under the age of 5 eat free. Tickets available at the door. Carry outs also available. Proceeds from the dinner will benefit community outreach and ministries.

So gather up your family and friends and enjoy an evening of food and fellowship with your neighbors.

Mt. Etna UMC is located at the intersection of St. Rd. 124 & 9 in Mt Etna, IN. For more information please call: (260) 468-2148.

COME TO THE TABLE

The food pantry at Healing Waters Ministry will be open Thursday, March 28, 2019 from 4 to 7 p.m.

All are welcome to a community free food pantry. Located at Healing Water Ministry, 5811 West 606 South, Huntington (Mt Etna), IN

ASBURY CEMETERY

The Asbury Cemetery Board of Directors will meet on April 1, 2019 at 7 p.m. at Asbury Chapel Church.

Anyone with an interest in the cemetery is invited to attend.

HOMESPUN

Spring is finally here at Homespun Market! We are taking orders for many items....including personalized yard flags, buckets of Easter caramels, Easter potted flowers and we will have a selection of grave saddles. Stop in and see our Easter selection of stained glass.

Spotlight – Brenda Sparks has joined Homespun Market with her creative repurposed furniture and décor. She has been married to Doug for “soon to be” 40 years and they have 3 children and 6 grandchildren. Her hobbies are bargain hunting, cooking, writing, fishing, painting furniture and doing anything with family and friends. After living mainly in Kokomo and Ann Arbor, Michigan for 37 years they moved back 3 years ago to be closer to families. Brenda has been painting furniture for the last 5 years and selling it in various locations before coming to Homespun Market. She is very happy to be back home in Indiana and be a part of the McNatt church family! Shop local for any baby item, personalized gift idea, clothing or simply a gift certificate for your special someone to visit later.

Our hours are Wednesday and Friday from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m.-2 p.m. at

427N Matilda St here in Warren. If you need something off hours call Tamara @ 260-228-0390 and she can help you. We don't want this to just be a business we want to service the community. Thanks again for your support!

CAMP

AVAILABLE

Basketball Camp and other Sports Camp brochures for Elementary, Junior High and High School age athletes are available at the Warren Pharmacy.

Many Camps are sponsored by area Colleges.

BROCHURES

Grace College Summer Sports Camps: Lancer Basketball Camps (for more than 40 years), Soccer Camp and Baseball Camp for Boys. Lady Lancer Basketball Camp, Volleyball Camp (with Super Star Setter Alexa Hill), Soccer Camp and Softball Camp for Girls. Lancer Co-ed Tennis Camps and Track & Field Camps.

Taylor University Basketball Camps for Boys (63rd Annual Camp) and Volleyball Camps for Girls.

Many Camps start in June, so plan NOW for this Summer 2019. This is one of the Best investments in the athletic

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COOPER CLUB AWARD

Thorne Insurance Agency Inc has been awarded the 2019 Indiana Farmers Cooper Club Award and is 1 of 14 agencies to be included in the Indiana Farmers Presidents Club. These awards are given to the top Independent Agencies in the state of Indiana for having outstanding overall written premium growth and retention through Indiana Farmers Mutual.

Shown in the attached photo from left to right: Kevin Killen- President of Thorne Insurance Agency Inc, Jason Dawes- Vice President, Lucas Rumble- Management team

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YES, YOU CAN AGE GRACEFULLY

from the American Counseling Association

As we age, things change. Some of those changes are obvious in the mirror, while others become evident when a flight of stairs leaves us out of breath, or when we can't remember the name of that cousin in Omaha.

Accepting the physical and mental changes that occur as we get older can be stressful. The aging process can be frightening in some ways, especially if we aren't prepared for the gradual changes that we all face. But we can prepare for the inevitable changes aging brings, and take some actions to help minimize the effects of those changes.

Becoming older brings a variety of physical changes. Our bones become smaller and weaker, the heart pumps blood at a lower rate, our metabolism and digestive system slow down, we face more dental problems, and our skin begins to wrinkle and become less elastic.

So what's the good news?

Simply that there are ways to fight back. No, you can't stop all the changes that getting older brings, but you definitely can accept those changes and take action to minimize the negative effects.

What this means is being proactive in terms of aging.

Staying healthy at any age doesn't just happen. Diet, for example, is an important part of feeling good and staying healthy regardless of your age, but it is especially important as we get older. A diet rich in fruits, vegetables and whole grains is one way to assist your slowed-down digestive system and to increase overall energy.

You might also check with your family physician about whether vitamin and mineral supplements might be a good idea. And seeing that physician on a regular basis can help minimize the risk of suddenly facing a serious health problem.

We can also fight the aging process by staying physically and mentally active. Exercises like muscle training and resistance work can help reverse bone loss and fight the back problems that often come with aging. Your local YMCA or physical trainer can help set up a program appropriate for you.

Maintaining social contacts, learning something new like a musical instrument or foreign language or just playing word games or doing crossword puzzles can all help keep your brain active.

Getting older may not always be fun, but you can take actions to help minimize the stress it can bring and overcome the limitations aging might otherwise put on your life.

Counseling Corner" is provided by the American Counseling Association. Comments and questions to ACAcorner@counseling.org or visit the ACA website at www.counseling.org.

ASBURY CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST
 8013W 1100S -90, Montpelier
 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
 Harold Smith, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Bible Study 6:00p.m.

BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST
 Chad Yoder, Pastor
 Denise Heiniger, S.S. Supt.
 Sunday Worship 9:30a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45a.m.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 Van Buren, Indiana 765-934-2199
 Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Youth Group 4:30-7:30pm at SwitchUp
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 Little Panther Preschool 765.934.2099

HEALING WATERS MINISTRY —
5811 W 600 S, MT ETNA
 Pastor Wayne Couch
 260/515-2517
 Sunday Prayer 9:15 a.m.
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
 Sunday Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
 Daycare provided during Worship

DILLMAN UNITED BRETHREN
 8888S 1100W-90, Warren 375-2779
 Matt Kennedy, Pastor
 Worship Service 9:00a.m.
 Sunday School 10:00a.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.

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.

HERITAGE POINTE
 Chaplains Gerald Moreland, Ginny Soultz & Dick Case
 Sunday Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT
 Monday thru Friday
 Chapel Services 9:00 a.m.

WARREN 1st BAPTIST CHURCH
 727 N Wayne St, Warren
 260-375-2811
 office@warrenfirsbaptist.net
 Pator Rusty Strickler
 Youth Dir: Peter & Mindy Fairchild
 Sunday School9:00 a.m.
 Sunday Worship10:00 a.m.
 Youth Group: Grades 5-12 ...Sun 11:30
 Ekklesia (2nd Svc) Fri 7pm

HILLCREST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 375-2510
 Bus Service 375-2510
www.hillcrestnazchurch.org
 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.

SOLID ROCK UNITED METHODIST
 485 Bennett Dr, Warren, IN
 375-3873
 Paul Burris, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

LANCASTER WESLEYAN
 3147 W 543 S, Huntington
 468-2411
 Doug Sharrard, Pastor
 Pam Thompson, 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 9:15 a.m.
 Fellowship 10:00a.m.
 Worship 10:15a.m.
 Tues. Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
 Wed. Choir 6:30p.m.
 Monthly Meetings
 1st Mon Ministry Team 7:00 p.m.
 3rd Sat Mens Prayer Breakfast 8:00 am
 4th Mon ABW 1:30 pm

LIBERTY CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Pastor Diane Samuels
 Morning Worship9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45 a.m.

THE CHURCH AT MCNATT
 375-4359
 Bill VanHaften, Pastor
 Lois Slusher, Supt.
 Brittney Miller, Youth & Family Dir.
 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. Michael Gallant - "Pastor Mike"
 Multi-Generational Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Fellowship 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45-11:30a.m.
 Sunday Youth 6-7:30 p.m.
 Come as you are for all services

SALAMONIE CHURCH OF BRETHREN
 468-2412
 Mel Zumbrun, Pastor
 Worship9:30 a.m.
 Church School 10:45a.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
 375-2102
 Pastor Scott Nedberg
 Youth Pastor Troy & Mindy Drayer
 Sunday Worship..... 9:30 a.m.
 Contemporary Service - Wed 6:30 p.m.
 Sunday School all ages 10:45 a.m.
 Youth Group-Wed 6:30 p.m.
 Communion 1st Sunday of the Month

VB CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 765/934-3321 Parsonage
 Jeff Slater, Pastor
 Jim Knight, Superintendent
 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 Cindy Osgood
 Worship Service 9:30 am
 Sunday School 10:30am
 Not Home Alone - Wed 3:00 pm
 Prayer-Bible Study (Thur) 7:00 pm
 UMW 2nd Wed 7:00 pm
 Little Ones Book Club 1st Tue 10:00 am
 Just Older Youth 3rd Tue 12:00 pm
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 Ethan T Stivers, Senior Minister
 Andrew Fisher, Youth Minister
 Liz Richardson, Childrens MinistryAsst.
 Tara Bower and Melinda Haynes - Secretaries
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 Fellowship9:15 a.m.
 Worship & Communion9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School11 to 11:50 a.m.
 Youth:
 K-5th grade, Mon 6-7pm
 Jr/Sr Hi, Sunday 6-8pm

WARREN WESLEYAN CHURCH
375-2330 6th & Nancy Sts. Warren
 Rev. Allen Laws, Pastor
 Wesley Welch, Supt.
 Sunday School9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:15 a.m.
 Wed Bible Study 6:00 p.m.

FARRVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH
 11044 E 200 N, Marion, IN
 765-934-3609
 Pastor Al Soultz
 Sunday Worship..... 10:30 am
 Sunday School Classes9:30 am
 Sunday Adult Bible Study..... 6:00 pm
 Thurs. Bible Study7:00 pm



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AREA NEWS

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future of your child. All of these Summer Sports Camp brochures are available at the Warren Pharmacy!

TASTE OF SPRING

Spring is officially here! The Warren Area Chamber of Commerce invites you to spend an evening with friends on Saturday, May 4th, 2019. "A Taste of Spring" Wine & Ale tasting event will be held at Dogwood Glen Golf Course. Oak Hill Winery of Converse Indiana will have a variety of wines to taste as well as Ales from Hop River Brewing Co. of Fort Wayne Indiana. Also this year we will have coffee tasting from JJ Java Coffee of Huntington Indiana. Enjoy hors d'oeuvres from Kim's Katered Affair and join in the fun of the silent auction. New this year will be live entertainment by Julie Hadaway from Fort Wayne Indiana.

Tickets are available to purchase at Bippus State Bank, First Merchants Bank, Citizens Telephone or you can purchase tickets from a committee member. Committee members are Jeremy Rufner, Leah Pursley, Jeff & Becky Souder, Joanie Paxson, Rose Wall, Nicole Johnson, and Josh Heim.

The evening opens at 6:30 p.m. for VIP tickets and at 7:30 p.m. for General Admission tickets. VIP tickets are \$50 and include a hand crafted mug by JH Pottery Works, a wine glass and door prizes. General Admission tickets are \$35 and will include a wine glass.

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Please join us for this Community Event and watch for more details and updates!

LIBRARY ADDITIONS

Items recently added to the collection at Warren Public Library include:

ADULT FICTION: Connealy-The Reluctant Warrior; Connealy-The Unexpected Champion; Woods-Wild Card; Wiseman-Hearts in Harmony; Steel-Silent Night; Robb-Connections in Death; Robards-The Fifth Doctrine; Peterson-When You are Near; Patterson-The First Lady; Parks-The Last Act; Harper-The Lost Man; Graham-A Lethal Legacy; Fluke-Wedding Cake Murder; Fisher-Mending Fences; Dailey-Letters from Peaceful Lane; Cussler-Celtic Empire; Coben-Run Away; Childs-Broken Bone China; Brunstetter-The Forgiving Jar; Box-Wolf Pack; Snelling-Half Finished; Stewart-The Goodbye Café; Michaels-Deep Harbor; Patterson-The Cornwalls are Gone; Coulter-The Last Second

ADULT NON-FICTION: John-Don't Stop Believin'; Page-The Matriarch: Barbara Bush and the Making of an American Dynasty; DeCarlo-Resumes for Dummies; Martin-What if it's True?: A

Storyteller's Journey with Jesus

AUDIOBOOKS: Castle-Crashing Heat

GRAPHIC NOVELS: Delliquanti-Meal; Laperla-Super Potato #2: Super Potato's Galactic Breakout; O'Connor-Olympians;

Hephaistos God of Fire; Panetta-Bloom; Craft-New Kid; O'Neill-Aquicorn Cove

CHILDREN'S: Levine-Fairest; Glaser-The Vanderbeekers and the Hidden Garden; George-Duck, Duck, Dinosaur: Spring Smiles; Hibbs-Errol's Garden; Stewart-There's a Hole in My Garden; Man-Kong-Trolls: It's Spring! (Board Book); Lionni-A Little Book About Spring (Board Book); Rash-The Happy Book; Atwood-A Spring to Remember; Salas-Snowman-Cold=Puddle

DVDs: Green Book; Mortal Engines; Fantastic Beasts: The Crimes of Grindelwald; Mary Poppins Returns; Spider-Man into the Spider-Verse; Second Act; Stan & Ollie; Aquaman

HP TOURNEYS

Winners at Heritage Pointe for the Pool Tourney held week of March 22, 2019 were Bob Slusser and Isobel Griffith. Runners-up were Kay Mounsey and Larry Langdon. There were 18 players. Good luck to all for next week.

ORIENTATION/REGISTRATION

Huntington County Community School Corporation is pleased to announce our Kindergarten Orientation and Online Registration information.

Kindergarten Orientation: Andrews Elementary April 25, 2019 @ 6:00 p.m. Flint Springs Elementary April 23, 2019 @ 6:00 p.m. Horace Mann Elementary April 18, 2019 @ 6:00 p.m. Lincoln Elementary April 18, 2019 @ 6:00 p.m. Roanoke Elementary April 11, 2019 @ 6:30 p.m. Salamonie Elementary April 17, 2019 @ 6:00 p.m.

Online Registration: Online Registration for returning students in grades 1-12 will open on April 1, 2019. Online Registration for incoming Kindergarten students will open on May 13, 2019.

Buildings will be open June 3 - 14, 2019 (8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.) for parents/guardians needing assistance and/or internet access. Extended hours on June 11, 2019 (8:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.)

Register students online starting April 1, 2019 www.hccsc.k12.in.us Please note that students who are not registered for the 2019-2020 school year by August 1, 2019 will not have transportation until August 14, 2019. This will allow the HCCSC Transportation Department to finalize routes

and provide more accurate pick-up/drop-off times for students.

HOSPITAL RESTRICTIONS

Allen County public health officials are recommending temporary visitation restrictions for area hospitals, healthcare facilities and nursing homes in response to recent increased flu activity.

Allen County Health Commissioner Dr. Deborah McMahan is advising healthcare facilities impose the following restrictions to help protect patients, visitors and staff:

Anyone with a cold or flu-like symptoms (such as fever, cough or muscle aches) coming into a healthcare facility seeking treatment should wear a mask while in public areas including waiting rooms.

No visitors under the age of 18 and no visitors of any age with flu-like symptoms should be allowed to visit patients.

Visitors should be limited to two essential adults (at least 18-years-old) per patient - essential adults could include designated family members, spouse/domestic partner or spiritual counselors.

Anyone not allergic to the flu vaccine should be vaccinated.

These recommendations were prompted by the continued uptick in influenza cases locally, Dr. McMahan said. The more common strain of the virus now being reported is a version of influenza A (H3N2). The strain can be especially problematic

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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 canceled, please notify WW.) Only event, place, time, and sponsor, for events in Warren, and the surrounding area will be listed.

Mar 17	St Patrick's Day
Mar 18 6:30p	KBC Board Meeting at KBC
Mar 20 7:00p	V - Town Council Meeting
Apr 3 Noon	W - Chamber of Commerce Luncheon
Apr 3 7:00p	V - Town Council Meeting
Apr 8 5:00p	W - Town Council Meeting
Apr 15	TAX DAY
Apr 15 6:30p	KBC Board Meeting at Knight Bergman Center

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
 These Events Can Also Be Found at www.warrenweeklyindiana.com



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for those at high risk for complications, including the very young, the elderly and those with chronic health conditions such as asthma or heart problems.

The visitor guidelines are similar to those implemented in previous years, and healthcare facilities may implement stricter restrictions in certain areas as needed. Visitors should call the hospital, healthcare facility or nursing home before arriving if they have any questions about restrictions.

While the community is experiencing widespread influenza transmission, it's important not to unintentionally expose patients in hospitals, nursing homes or any other confined setting. Influenza can spread to others during the incubation period – the time after a person has been exposed and the virus is actively replicating in their body but no symptoms are present. This is often how the flu can spread so quickly in a community and why there is cause to limit visitors to hospitals, emergency rooms and other places sick people go for care.

"Although you may still feel healthy and want to check on a loved one in the hospital, during that visit you could be potentially exposing them to a virus they may not be able to recover from," McMahan said. "So during this time of increased flu activity, please call or send a card to share your good thoughts with those who are ill. And if you are sick with a fever – stay home. Please don't go to work!"

In addition to the temporary restrictions on visitors, the department also recommends all residents do the following to minimize flu transmission:

- Get vaccinated. All residents 6 months and older should be vaccinated against influenza, as well as pneumonia and pertussis (if recommended) unless

there are known allergies to these vaccines. While the vaccine may not provide 100 percent protection against the flu viruses currently circulating, health officials continue to advise residents to get the shot, because at the very least it will help reduce the severity of illness.

- Stay home if you are sick. All residents experiencing fever and muscle aches should stay from school, work, shopping or other social gatherings until they have no fever for 24 hours without the benefit of fever reducing medications. Wash your hands frequently. Use soap and warm water whenever possible; if not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer to clean hands.
- Cover your cough and sneeze with a tissue. If you don't have a tissue, cough or sneeze into your upper sleeve or elbow, not your hands.
- Wear a mask if needed. Patients with cough or fever seeking treatment at a healthcare facility should ask for a mask to wear.

Influenza vaccinations can be received at many local pharmacies. Visit <http://www.heroesplan.org/locations/> for available locations. Vaccines can also be received by scheduling an appointment at the Allen County Department of Health Medical Annex, or by visiting an area urgent care clinic or primary care provider's office.

Participants can sign-up, walk on their and receive e-mailed support and information. Participants will be asked to complete two short online surveys. This opportunity is open to any resident of Grant County who is 18 years or older, and limited in resources may enroll. If you are interested in participating or want more information contact Vicki at shaferv@purdue.edu.

GET WALKIN

Spring will soon be here and that means nicer weather with more time spent outdoors. Why not take this opportunity to start walking and moving more? Walking is a popular form of physical activity - and good for your health! Only half of all American adults get the recommended amount of physical activity. Lack of physical activity is directly related to the occurrence of adult obesity and overweight. Regular physical activity can lower risk of heart disease, high blood pressure, type 2 diabetes, osteoporosis, depression, and falls in older adults. Walking is an excellent way for most people to increase their physical activity. It is an easy way to start and maintain a physically active lifestyle. Walking is accessible to almost anyone, doesn't require specific skills or fancy workout clothes and equipment.

Need some motivation to get started but don't have time to attend a class? Get WalkIN' is an e-mail based walking program being offered through Purdue Extension in Grant County. Participants can sign-up, walk on their and receive e-mailed support and information. Participants will be asked to complete two short online surveys. This opportunity is open to any resident of Grant County who is 18 years or older, and limited in resources may enroll. If you are interested in participating or want more information contact Vicki at shaferv@purdue.edu.

LANCASTER CEMETERY

The Lancaster Cemetery Association will hold its annual meeting on Thursday, April 22, 2019 at 7:00 p.m., at the Salamonie Church of the Brethren, 2662 W 600 S, Warren, IN.

Anyone owning spaces at the cemetery or having questions regarding the cemetery are invited to attend. Financial updates and other information will be available.

We are in need of property owners to serve on the board. We meet six times a year for about one hour, so it doesn't require a big time commitment. If you can serve contact Steve Holmes at 260.917.1000.

EVENING OF SERENADES

The Marion Philharmonic Orchestra will present its third and final concert of its first season with new Maestro Matthew Kraemer on Saturday, March 30, at 7:30 p.m. in the beautiful Gothic designed, First United Methodist Church, 624 S. Adams Street, Marion. This "Evening of Serenades" will include music by Strauss, Mozart, and Brahms. In contrast to the previous two concerts of this season, which were presented by the full orchestra, these serenades will demonstrate the MPO's versatility by showcasing a smaller number of our musicians. Refreshments will be served afterwards for a social hour in the fellowship hall. Tickets can be ordered by calling the MPO at 765-662-0012 or sending an email to mpo.marion@gmail.com.

Tickets can also be purchased at the First United Methodist Church and at the door before the concert. Adult tickets are \$20, senior tickets are \$18, students 13 and up are \$10, and children 12 and under are free.

A longtime supporter has offered to do a match of \$5,000 for end of the year expenses. \$1500 has already been raised by donors. This is a wonderful opportunity to double the impact of your gift. You may contribute by credit card by calling 765-662-0012 or by mailing your check to MPO, PO. Box 272, Marion, 46952. All contributions are tax-deductible.

As Grant County's orchestra, the MPO partners with generous donors each year to provide rich musical and educational experiences. This past season, the MPO engaged more than 1000 young people in its programming through concert attendance, production assistance, and performance opportunities. Since it began in 1969, the orchestra has evolved from a group of local

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BUTTS

Jean A. Butts, 69, of Andrews, IN, died Tuesday, March 19, 2019, at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne, IN.

Mrs. Butts was a 1967 graduate of Huntington Catholic High School and had attended Clear Creek Township School for 11 years prior to consolidation. She was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church and was involved with 4-H for many years.

She was born Sept. 23, 1949, in Huntington, to Leo and Evonne Karriger Scher.

Survivors include a former husband, Jim Butts, of Kinmundy, IL; a son, Brian (Lorieann) Butts, of Midland, TX; two daughters, Heather (Bruce) Kaylor, of Camas, WA, and Tammey (David Gardiner) Butts, of Marengo; two brothers, Ronald L. (Mary Ann) Scher, of Warren, and Jack (Pam) Scher, of Huntington; six grandchildren, Alyssa (Jeremy) Wilburn, Brendon Kaylor, Brayden Kaylor, Brookelin Kaylor, Michael Butts and Mackenzie Butts; two step-grandchildren, David (Katherine) Kaylor and Rochelle (Lawrence) Symons; two great-grandchildren; and two step great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a son, Jay Butts.

Calling is Saturday, March 30, 2019, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at McElhaney-Hart Funeral Home, 715 N. Jefferson St., Huntington. A funeral service will immediately follow at 11 a.m. at the funeral home, with Rev. Stephen Colchin presiding.

A private burial will be at a later date.

Preferred memorials are to Wounded Warriors, in care of McElhaney-Hart Funeral

Home, 715 N. Jefferson St., Huntington, IN 46750.

HUMBAUGH

Mrs. Sarah Ann (Eckman) Humbaugh, 84, of Washington, IN, passed away on March 21, 2019, at St. Vincent Hospital Evansville.

Sarah was born November 22, 1934, in Huntington, IN, the third child of Glade King Eckman and Mildred Emily (Thorpe) Eckman of Warren, IN. She was named after her great-grandmother, Sarah Ann (Cusick) King and descended from Revolutionary War ancestor Jacob Eckman, who died while encamped with Washington at Valley Forge. Also known as Sally, she attended public schools in Huntington County's Salamonie Township and graduated from Warren High School in 1952. After attending Indiana University, she landed a job with Trans World Airlines in Indianapolis, IN. There she met Rex E. Humbaugh, whom she married on December 13, 1958. They were married more than sixty years, and he survives.

She excelled in athletics and was an avid sports enthusiast. She broke gender barriers as a young woman by participating in basketball, baseball and other then-male dominated sports and was recruited to play women's professional baseball in the 1950's. In Washington, she was well known for her prowess in tennis, winning local women's singles and doubles tournaments. In later years, she

enjoyed golfing with friends in the women's league at the Washington Country Club.

Sally relished a good auction and had an eye for unusual and interesting finds.

In the spring, she could be found gardening in her flower beds, dropping a line in a fishing hole until twilight or morel mushroom hunting with family in local woods. For many years, she was a substitute teacher in the Washington Community Schools.

She and her husband enjoyed travel all their lives, beginning with a honeymoon in Arosa, Switzerland. They appreciated adventures to Spain, Russia, Mexico, Venezuela and the US Virgin Islands.

A life-long Republican, she was active in civic activities and in her church. In the 1970's she served as Daviess County Mental Health Chair and volunteered with the Meals on Wheels program. She was a long time member of Christ United Methodist Church, the Washington Monday Afternoon Club and the Kappa Kappa Kappa sorority. She most recently served as treasurer for the Beta Zeta Associate Chapter of Tri-Kappa.

Other survivors include sons Kraig E. Humbaugh of Frankfort, KY, Peter W. Humbaugh of Haubstadt, IN and his wife Stacey, and Erich K. Humbaugh of West Lafayette, IN, and his wife

Amy. Granddaughters Hillary and Halle Humbaugh of Haubstadt, IN, and a sister, Jane (Eckman) Bear of Craigville, IN, also survive.

She was preceded in death by her parents, one brother, William T. Eckman of Warren, IN, and a sister, Mary L. (Eckman) Tam, of Elwood, IN.

There will be a visitation on Friday, March 29, 2019 at Gill Funeral Home from 4:00 P.M. until 7:00 P.M. with a funeral service following on Saturday, March 30, 2019 at 10:30 A.M. conducted by Rev. Ken Wells at Christ United Methodist Church, with visitation from 9:30 A.M. until the time of service. Sarah will be laid to rest in Plainville Cemetery following the service. Memorial contributions may be made to Christ United Methodist Church 104 N. Meridian St. Washington, IN 47501 or Gibson Southern Scholarship, Inc. In memory of Sarah Humbaugh, P.O. Box 319 Princeton, IN 47670.

DIXON

Cora Elaine Long Dixon, 83, of Gas City, IN, passed away at 3:34 AM on Saturday, March 16, 2019 at Twin City Healthcare in Gas City.

She was born on August 1, 1935 to John Morris & Dorothy Adkinson Long. Elaine was a 1954 graduate of Van Buren High School. She

married Allen Ray Dixon on May 31, 1957 in Grant County; he survives. Elaine had her first job at the Van Buren Appliance Factory and she would also babysit for several farming family's children in the community. She worked several years at the Holiday Inn in Marion and retired from Café 37 as a cook. Her most fulfilling job was taking care of her family and raising her three boys. Elaine was formerly in the Red Hatters and was a clown for "Smile Seekers." She loved to dress up as "Cora Belle" and make children laugh.

Loving survivors include her husband, Allen Ray Dixon, Gas City, IN, three sons, Allen (Connie) Dixon, Gas City, IN, Jeff (Cindy) Dixon, Bellbrook, OH, Joe Dixon, Asheville, NC, 5 grandchildren, 3 great grandchildren 1 great great grandchild, sisters, Nancy Harlan and Linda McCormick both of Fairmount and brother Bill Long, Florida.

She was preceded in death by her parents, sisters, Judy Winters, Sammy Berry, Ruth Angell and brother John Long.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember at Ferguson & Glancy Funeral Home 201 W. Main St. Van Buren on Friday, March 22, 2019 from 10 AM – 12 PM. A service will follow at 12 PM with Pastor Carter Lloyd officiating. Burial will take place at Gardens of Memory in rural Marion.



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volunteer musicians into a professional symphony that features the finest musicians in the state in some of the most beautiful and intimate venues in the county.

PHH RENOVATION PLANS

Parkview Huntington Hospital (PHH) leaders want to make the public aware of a temporary change: the hallway connecting the hospital to the John B. Kay Medical Office Building will be closed for renovations April 1–April 14.

The closure and renovation of the hallway are part of the final phase of the hospital expansion, which is anticipated to be finished at the end of April.

During the hallway closure, anyone wishing to move between the buildings will need to use the hospital's main entrance and the front entrance of the medical office building. In short, they will need to exit whichever building they are in and walk or drive around to the front entrance of the other building.

The Rehab and Wellness Center will remain open; however, Rehab patients will no longer enter the temporary registration area via the door in the hallway connector. The old Rehab entrance inside the hospital lobby will be reopened so Rehab patients should use that doorway to access the registration area for Rehab appointments.

The hallway connector should reopen on Monday, April 15.

"We hope patients, staff and visitors will bear with us just a little bit longer," said Angie Hormann, manager, Rehab and Wellness Center, PHH. "This is one of the final pieces in the puzzle. Soon, the entire center – both the new construction and the renovated space we used to occupy – will be open. We really appreciate the patience and understanding patients and clients have displayed throughout this whole project."

In addition to the hallway connector, the former Rehab and Wellness space is currently being renovated and will soon be joined to the

new spaces that are already complete. It will house the new Rehab registration area, additional treatment rooms and offices, and at its heart, the cardiopulmonary rehab gym. That will bring the number of gyms at the facility to four: the cardiopulmonary rehab and main gyms in the adult rehab portion of the building, and the sensory and motor gyms in the pediatric rehab area.

For questions about Rehab and Wellness services, scheduling or the temporary hallway closure, call 260-355-3240.

AN AUSTRALIAN & NEW ZEALAND TRIP

Day #7

The cruise ship arrived early in Twofold Bay at Eden, a coastal village south of Sydney. Our trip director announced that she was organizing our group to meet at 10am. onboard, disembark and walk together up the hill to the village.

When I first looked out the double-wide window on the port side from our stateroom, I saw land, but with 500 yards of water between the ship and terra firm. I then went to the starboard side and discovered that there was no pier to put foot onto to start that uphill hike. My first thought was that the ship was stuck! It had run aground! I was convinced that we were "ship-wrecked!!"

I decided to let the ship's crew unravel the "grounding" problem. I had no time to worry about the situation currently as another duty was forefront. We were first in line this morning for my wife to be checked by the medical staff. The Medical Center was one deck lower and directly under our stateroom. Convenient! Was our room assignment predestined or just "luck?" After the medical exam, diagnosis, and prescribed meds, we proceeded to deck #9 for breakfast, followed by bedrest for my travel mate.

Now back to the "shipwrecked" saga. My trepidations were calmed when a crewman informed me that the ship was not stuck, but anchored on purpose offshore because the water level prohibited moving closer. I was told to get in line with other passengers and take a boarding number for a "tender" ride to shore. Being tender was not a great concern. My safety was more important!

It was when I was apprehensively approaching the gangplank that the signage on the much smaller ship-to-shore boat listed it as a "tender." Being a land-lover, that was a new term to me. Upon boarding the boat and noticing that life preservers were prominently displayed, I wondered just how safe this "tender" craft made it to shore in ten minutes and this passenger was quite relieved. As I started to walk toward the hill that led to the village, locals were handing out shopping bags. Obviously the Chamber of Commerce was involved. Buses were being loaded for the uphill destination. Since I had spent most of my Australian currency in Sydney, the remaining \$5.80 might not make bus fare. Also after all the travel, I thought that walking up the hill would be a good exercise. At 70 degrees, frequent rest stops were necessary. However, this allowed cell phone photos of

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the ever shrinking harbour.

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With food and drink in hand, I crossed over to the other side of the street for shade but found myself surrounded by visitors(not called tourists) waiting for a return bus. Since I now owned some "Aussie" money, I asked about the bus fee and was told that it was a free ride. Chamber of Commerce again. Riding downhill on a crowded bus with both hands full, lunch was delayed.

One traffic sign said, "Give Way" instead of "Yield."

The Australian word for the day is "Chockers," which means, "Very Full."

Larry Ryan

GOOD HABITS & ROUTINES LEAD TO HAPPINESS

When you're in a horrible mess and you feel overwhelmed with your circumstances, if you attempted to get organized from that place, you'd be like a person drowning in a lake, begging for someone to throw you a rope, or an inner tube, or a book on "How to Swim." If you know how to swim, then you know that a flailing person is, at the moment, helpless and will probably drown if someone doesn't rescue him. And you also know, since you know how to swim, that if that person would just calm down and relax into floating and treading water for a little while, he'd move into a better place not to drown.

So how does this analogy relate to you? Do you feel you need to be rescued or do you have an intuitive notion that you can get organized with just a little nudge?

Maybe you were organized once and you know how liberating it is. Maybe you had an organized mother and you remember how much fun and easy it was to live with order. Maybe you know people who are organized and you envy the ease at which they go about life, never late, always prepared, wearing matching shoes, having cash in their wallets, gas in their cars, toting kids that are fully dressed and they never have to look for anything except when they're shopping.

Being organized is like swimming and if you can swim, ride a bike, type really fast, or do anything that started out to seem impossible to you, but is now so simple, than you can understand that being organized can also be simple when you learn the basics.

The Basics Habits & Routines

Whether you just need to take a trunk load of stuff to Goodwill and take your garbage can out to the curb for pick up, or you need a dumpster brought in, and you're faced with a basement and a garage full of decisions, the situation you're in right now is a result of your habits and routines.

In order to change your circumstances you have to

change your thinking which in turn will change your behavior and then your circumstances will change. But when something is a habit, it bypasses conscious thought so you aren't even aware of the thought that has to change so the behavior can change and then the circumstance can change.

Say you have a shirt in your hand because you just took it off, and you throw it on the pile of clothes on the chair in your bedroom, and proceed to take your slacks off and throw them on top of the shirt. This "routine" is a result of an unconscious habit and depending on how big the chair is and how much it can hold, if you don't take care of the pile the chair will disappear. And when you run out of shirts and slacks you'll have to plow through the pile to re-wear an outfit which will of course be wrinkled and have to be ironed. Over time, with the same unconscious thought and subsequent behavior, another chair, the foot of the bed and any other usable surfaces will get buried in this routine of a bad habit.

So how do you change this? First, you have to catch yourself in the act. All you have to do is set a little alarm in your mind

right now, that when it comes time to get your pajamas on tonight, you'll be awake and aware when you take off what you're wearing right now. Second, when that undressing moment happens, hang up the outfit so you can wear it again and while you're in the "put away" mode, hang up a few more items you may see piled up.

That one little thought: 'When I get my pajamas on tonight, I'm going to put away the clothes I'm wearing,' will take root in habit and in 21 days, you won't have to ever think it again, because it'll be a part of a new routine. That one thought, will change the way your bedroom looks and ultimately the way you look, because you won't be wearing wrinkled clothes. One more thing about piles of clothes; our pets love, love, love them! They bask in our piles of clothes (especially if we've worn them before), which just adds one more element to our appearance...dog and cat hair.

So you can choose to flail around, screaming, help, help, I'm drowning, or you can take a nice deep breath, lie on your back and tread water with that one little thought: 'When I get my pajamas on tonight, I'm going to put away the clothes I'm

wearing.' And before you know it, you'll have a beautiful bedroom, and your clothes will look better on you. Simple enough, just like treading water.

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KBC BASEBALL 2019

It is time to start another year of baseball at the KBC diamond. The KBC baseball program will provide T-Ball (ages 5&6) and Coaches Pitch (ages 7&8) for both boys and girls. The age is based on your child's age as of June 1, 2019. If your child is age 9 or older, you must apply with the Warren Baseball & Softball League. If your child is playing in the Huntington County League or any other league, they are not eligible to play in the KBC league. Entry fee is \$25.00 per child and there will be no fundraiser activity.

Please make check payable to KBC and mail to:
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Registration forms will be taken from now to Saturday, March 31, 2018. Entries received after this time will go on a waiting list and will not be guaranteed a place on the team.

(Please print & complete one form per player)

Player's Name: _____ M ☐ F ☐
Birthdate: _____ Age as June 1, 2019: _____
Parents Name: _____
Address: _____
City/State/Zip: _____
Phone #: (____) _____ Team Last Year _____
Name of Brother/Sister on same team: _____
Shirt Size:
YOUTH S ☐ M ☐ L ☐
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Parent's Signature: _____

Are you willing to coach or help coach this year: Yes ☐ No ☐
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Mail Check/Money Order to: Warren Baseball & Softball, PO Box 719, Warren IN 46792 (You may write 1 check for all kids but must have individual sign-up slips.)

Deadline: March 29th / All entries received after that will be put on a wait list and may or may not be able to play this season. Kids can play in any other league as long as they do not play on the same nights!

The WBSL reserves the right to refuse entry to any player!

Child's Name _____ Circle: Boy / Girl
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Birthdate _____ Age on June 1 _____
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Brother/Sister Same Team _____
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