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Thought for the Week: When they discover the center of the universe, a lot of people will be disappointed to discover they are not it. Bernard Bailey

## DEADLINE FOR PERSONAL

### PROPERTY

Tuesday May 15th

A reminder to file Business, Farmer's Personal Property Forms, and Not-for-Profit Corporation Exemptions.

Huntington County residents have until May 15th to turn in forms listing their taxable personal property. There will be no extensions granted. There is a \$25.00 penalty for failing to file the assessment form. If a late return is not filed within 30 days, there is a penalty in the amount of 20 percent of the tax.

Please come to or contact the Huntington County Assessor's Office, Room 102 in the Court House, to receive your forms. The office hours are 8:00 - 4:30 pm - Monday through Friday. Or you may go on-line [www.in.gov/dlgf/8516.htm](http://www.in.gov/dlgf/8516.htm)

For more information on the assessments, call the Huntington County Assessor's office at 358-4800 or 358-4801.

## SAMPLE BALLOTS

A Sample Ballot for the May 8, 2012 Primary Election for Huntington County, Indiana will be available for your review at the Warren Pharmacy & the Warren Town Hall.

## TASTE OF SPRING

It is hard to believe, but this Saturday is the Warren Area Chamber of Commerce's Third Annual "A Taste of Spring" Wine & Ale Tasting Event, so be sure to get your tickets NOW! You do not want to miss this spectacular event. The event is being held at Dogwood Glen Golf Course on Saturday, May 5, 2012. Some of the great prizes and silent auction items for the evening include but are not limited to: an Apple iPad

provided by the Markle Bank; Microsoft X Box 360 4GB Console with Kinect Game Console provided by Citizens Telephone; one night stay and dinner for two at the Charley Creek Inn in Wabash, IN provided by Glancy Funeral Homes; four Colts and four Notre Dame tickets provided by Pastor Scott Nedberg; several handmade pieces from the woodcrafters at Heritage Pointe; plus 13 beautifully handcrafted items from Courtyard Studio. VIP tickets are \$50 per person which allows early admission at 6:30 p.m. with increased opportunities for more great door prizes, drawing of a deluxe prize and an outstanding presentation from the Olive Twist on great cooking with their vinegars and olive oils. General admission tickets are \$35 per person with admission at 7:30 p.m. This great evening will come to a close at 10:00 p.m. for all.

Our Champagne Sponsors for 2012 include: Dr. Robert H. Berghoff, DDS; Citizens Telephone; East of Chicago Pizza Co.; Family Hospice & Palliative Care; Gebhart's Floral Barn; Heritage Pointe/Dogwood Glen; Kim's Katered Affair; PNC Bank; Shuttleworth Insurance and T. D. Wall Inc.

Please plan to join us for this great evening of entertainment, with proceeds to benefit the Warren Downtown Park Project which is sure to provide a great benefit to our community. Tickets are available at the following local businesses through May 2nd: East of Chicago Pizza Co., Citizens Telephone, PNC Bank and Markle Bank (Warren Office). Starting on May 3rd, tickets will only be available at Citizens Telephone and East of Chicago Pizza Co. For additional event information and ticket availability, please contact Jeff Souder at 260-375-6199.

## "BEES, BEES, BEES, BUZZ!"

Most people think Bees are a Nuisance, Produce Terror, or cause Allergic Reactions. Luckily Jim Bolinger doesn't! If you notice an unwanted swarm of Bees, Jim wants them! Call Jim Bolinger, the retired Plumber, HVAC, Fireman and Propane Guy to your rescue! He loves Bees (and he is not afraid of them!). P.S. Daughter killed bees during the HARSH Winter, Help me Help My Dad! Jim Bolinger's Phone# 941-993-5121

## CYSTIC FIBROSIS FUNDRAISER

Please join us for a fundraiser to benefit the GREAT STRIDES WALK for Cystic Fibrosis! Tuesday May 8th from 5-8 pm at East of Chicago Pizza, friends and family of Dalaney Vickrey will be raising funds to be donated to the national CF foundation. GREAT STRIDES is the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation's annual fundraising drive to raise money to help support vital cystic fibrosis (CF) research and care programs. The local walk site and fundraising celebration will be held Saturday May 19th at Fort Wayne Tincaps Stadium.

CF is a life-threatening and often fatal genetic disease that affects the respiratory and digestive systems of tens of thousands of children and young adults in the United States. Dalaney is the 11 year old daughter of Warren residents Bret and Carin Vickrey and was born with Cystic Fibrosis. Please join us for a night out of the kitchen and help Dalaney's Destiny Makers reach our HUGE

\$11,000 goal in honor of Dalaney's 11th birthday!! The team will receive a portion of the proceeds from every adult buffet sold and all tips/donations earned from the night. Please join us for dinner and help make a difference!!

## GODSPELL

OPENS MAY 11 AT THE PULSE

Everybody rejoice! There's a new show in town and it's something to sing about!

Godspell is a folk-rock look at the last days and nights of Jesus of Nazareth; His betrayal by Judas; His denial by Peter; His trial at the hands of Pontius Pilate; and his crucifixion and death. Drawing from various theatrical traditions, such as clowning, pantomime, charades, acrobatics and vaudeville, the show is a groundbreaking and unique reflection on the life of Jesus, with a message of kindness, tolerance and love.

Conceived and originally directed by John Michael Tebelak with music and new lyrics by Stephen Schwartz, Godspell is one of the biggest off-Broadway and Broadway successes of all time. It is currently playing on Broadway to rave reviews.

Based on the Gospel According to St. Matthew, and featuring a sparkling score, Godspell boasts a string of well-loved songs, led by the international hit "Day by Day." As the cast performs "Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord," "Learn Your Lessons Well," "All for the Best," "All Good Gifts," "Turn Back O Man" and "By My Side," the parables of Jesus Christ come humanly and hearteningly to life.

The show is perfect for the entire family. Would be especially good for church groups of youth groups.

Tickets may be reserved online

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## WINE TASTING

Pictured above from left to right are Carolyn Straub, Amanda Zerby, Dr. Bernie Wiebe, Katie Moore, Belinda Myers and Amanda Sherman of Family Hospice & Palliative Care, Champagne Sponsor for the Warren Area Chamber of Commerce 3rd Annual "A Taste of Spring" Wine & Ale Tasting Event. The event will be held on May 5th at Dogwood Glen Golf Course in Warren. Proceeds from the event will be used for the Warren Downtown Park Project. Tickets are still available at the following local businesses: PNC Bank, Markle Bank, Citizens Telephone and East of Chicago Pizza Co. Starting May 3rd, tickets will only be available at East of Chicago Pizza Co. and Citizens Telephone. For additional event or ticket information, please contact Jeff Souder at 260-375-6199.

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Leave news and/or advertising at PJ's Flower and Gift Shop, mail to P O Box 695, Warren, fax to 260.247.2426 or email to wwkly@citiznet.com. Van Buren residents may call Mary Jo Zoda at 765-934-3637.

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## KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

### SALOMONIE PROS CARNIVAL

"THANK YOU" to everyone that made the Salomonie PROS carnival a great success!! This would not have been possible without the help of area business who donated items or sponsored games. They allowed us to try out new items which were enjoyed by the kids and adults too. Many individuals took time to help throughout the night or donated items. We would like to give a "BIG THANKS to ALL" who gave of their time, items, and sponsorships. It is great to see our small town come together to help out, so many children and their families were able to enjoy time together while supporting the school.

A huge "THANK YOU" to the staff at Salomonie School! The staff created the Tub-o-fun for the big prize of the carnival. The tub had lots of goodies from crayons, games, kite, books, a bike, and lots more. Congratulations to Kennedy Mitchem she was the big winner. Thanks again to all and we'll see you in 2 years.

Salomonie PROS Thank you to the following sponsors and donors: Americas Best Value Inn, Artek, At the Corner Salon, Bolinger, Breyer's Ice Cream, Campbell & Dye, Carly Brubaker (Mary Kay), Citizens, Comfort Inn, Courtyard Studio & Boutique, Daugherty's, DeWeese Softwater & Appliance, Dr. Berghoff, Dr. Dekeyne, Dogwood Glen, East of Chicago, Carrie Eppler, Gebharts Floral Barn, HeritagePointe, Hoosier Blue Flame, Huggy Bear, Huntington 7, Huntington Nursery, Kim's Katered Affair, Linda's Beauty Shop, Chrissie Linker & Amy Vance (Zumba), Markle Bank, Markle Do It Best, Owens South, PJ's Flower Shop, PNC Bank, Jenny Plummer (Thirty One Gifts), Smekens Educational, Subway, Tammy Berry (Golden Canyon Candles), Wagon Wheel, Wal-Mart, Warren Fire Dept, Warren Market, Zeller Construction and to anyone else we happened to miss.



### PROS WINNER

The Parents Reaching Out at Salomonie (PROS) group hosted the Salomonie School Carnival on Friday, April 27. The carnival is a huge fundraiser for the PROS and comes around every two years. There were games, food, raffles and prizes. The big prize of the evening was the tub-o-fun that consisted of a tub with prizes along with a bike. The winner of that prize was Kennedy Mitchem! The PROS would like to thank everyone that came out and supported Salomonie School.

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 8013W 11005 - 90, Montpelier  
 Phillip Freely 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.

**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.  
 Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
 Youth Group (Wed.) ..... 6:00 p.m.  
 Wed. Midweek Service ..... 6:30 p.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.

**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 ..... 11:30 a.m.  
 Junior Church ..... 10:00 a.m.  
 Sunday School ..... 10:30 a.m.  
 Youth Meetings-Wed ..... 7:00 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.

**BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST**  
 Rev. Barry Humble, Pastor  
 Jerome Markley, S.S. Supt.  
 Sunday Worship ..... 9:30a.m.  
 Sunday School ..... 10:30a.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

**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.  
**MCNATT 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.

**HEALING WATERS MINISTRY — MAJENICA**  
 Pastor Richard Evans  
 260/224-3376  
 Sunday Service ..... 10:30 a.m.  
 Wednesday ..... 7:00 p.m.  
**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.

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**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
 Pastor Devin Cook  
 Morning Worship ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 Sunday School ..... 10:45 a.m.  
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 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.

**WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 375-3022  
 Ethan T Stivers, Minister  
 Nathan Ratcliff, Youth 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, Thursday ..... 6-8pm  
**WARREN 1ST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
 Corner of N. Wayne & Matilda Sts.  
 Senior Pastor Rev. Bill Fisher  
 Asst Pastor for Youth Greg Casserino  
 Lori Buzzard, S.S. Supt.  
 Sunday School ..... 9:00 a.m.  
 Sunday Worship ..... 10:00 a.m.

**HANFIELD UNITED METHODIST**  
 101 N 400 E - Marion 765/664-8726  
 Timothy Helm, Senior Pastor  
 1st Worship ..... 9:00 a.m.  
 2nd Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
**HERITAGE POINTE**  
 Sunday Morning Worship ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT  
 Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat  
 Chapel Services ..... 9:00 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.

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**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
 Pastor Devin Cook  
 Morning Worship ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 Sunday School ..... 10:45 a.m.  
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 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.  
 Wednesday Prayer Service. 7:00p.m.  
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**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

**PLUM TREE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
 375-2691  
 Dr. Jeane Spoor, Pastor  
 Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
 Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.

**FARRVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
 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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at pulseoperahouse.org or by leaving a message at (260) 375-7017. Tickets are \$12 for general admission and \$5 for children 12 and under. All shows begin at 8:00 p.m. Lobby doors open at 7:00 p.m. and theatre doors open at 7:30 p.m. Those bringing in an item for the food pantry will get \$1 off the price of admission (One item per ticket. Not good with any other promotion.).

## PANCAKE BREAKFAST

A Pancake Breakfast to Benefit the SwitchUp Youth Center will be held 7am to 11am on May 12, 2012. The Breakfast will be at United Methodist Fellowship Hall in Van Buren.

Tickets are \$6.00 in advance, \$7.00 at the door. Children ages 10-5, \$3.00, 4 and under eat free.

## SCHOOL REUNION

A reunion will be held for everyone who went to Lincoln School on Swan Street in Huntington. The reunion will be held Saturday, June 2, 2012 from 2-5 pm in the Small Pavilion at Memorial Park in Huntington. Bring pictures and any items you have to share from your years at Lincoln. Bring desserts and snacks. Please, no alcoholic beverages. Bottled water and table service will be provided. We are using the internet, Warren Weekly and the Tab newspapers and word of mouth to let people know about this reunion.

## SSF FUN PACKAGE

Wow - the Salamonie Summer Festival's annual Fun Package is really full this year! Below is a list

of what you could win in the raffle! There were 36 donations made to the SSF Fun Package wagon this year. Raffle tickets may be purchased at The Corner Salon and other businesses in town.

- Items donated and the businesses donating them are:
- Dogwood Glen Golf Course - 4 free rounds of golf
- At the Corner Salon - basket of products
- Accent Interior - Mohawk Tile & Grout Cleaner and Carpet Cleaner
- Dr Berghoff DDS - Oral B Rechargeable toothbrush
- Gebhart's Floral Barn - \$25.00 gift card
- Kevin DeaKyne DDS - Cordless Water Pik and Bag of Dental Care
- Subway - Gift Card - 4 free subs
- PJ's Flower & Gift Shop/Ware
- Brandon Monuments - \$25.00 Gift Card
- Wagon Wheel Bar/Grill - Large 2 topping pizza
- Crain Ford - Free oil change
- Smekens Educational - 9 children's books
- Salamonie School - 4 Salamonie Rebel T-Shirts
- Ackley Automotive Inc - Free oil change
- Campbell & Dye Insurance Agency - First Aid Kit
- Warren Market/Marathon Gas - \$50 Gift card - gas
- East of Chicago Pizza - 3 T-shirts, Large Pizza, Hat/Frisbee
- HyLine - \$25 Chamber Bucks
- Blue Flame - 5 free refills for gas grill tank and other
- Heritage Pointe Daycare - puzzle, Thomas & Friends, Lutheran Children's Hospital, double six dominoes, 10 box crayons, 10 washable markers
- Huggy Bear Ice Cream - \$20 gift card
- Small World DayCare - 7 childrens books
- Salamonie PRO's - Zoo tickets for

family

- Warren Fire Dept - 2 fire alarms
- Boy Scouts - Large Box of Microwave Popcorn
- Kim's Katered Affair - 1/2 sheet cake
- Bolingers - 2t-shirts, 2cup holders/ misc
- MarkleBank - tote w/thermo cup, umbrella, water bottle, blanket throw
- Salamonie Mills - \$40 cash
- Riverside Veterinary Clinic - \$30 gift card, car deodorizer
- Star Insurance - stadium blanket in toe, drinking glass
- PNC Bank - stadium blanket, ink pens, piggy bank, storage container, kids books, fridge storage container, lunch bag, carrying bag, surprises
- Beverly Perry - sweater, shirt, blouse & scarf
- Ruth Swanson/Courtyard Studio - handmade lounge chair
- Dollar General Store - birdhouse, chime
- USS Salamonie - \$25
- Citizens telephone - 2 phones.

## SHEEP/GOAT ID DAY

Identification days for Huntington County 4-H Sheep & Goat members will be held on Saturday morning, May 5 at Hier's Park.

Youth enrolled in the 4-H Goat project will need to bring market goats to the goat pavilion (pole building immediately south of the Show Arena) between the hours of 7:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. for identification and weighing of the animals. Members with breeding does or pet care entries must complete the enrollment paperwork but do not have to bring the animals to the fairgrounds.

4-H Sheep members must bring their market lambs and any non-registered ewe lamb or yearlings to the cattle barns between the hours of 7:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. for the identification process and weighing for entry.

Youth planning to exhibit in the 4-H Goat or 4-H Sheep Shows at the Indiana State Fair must also have their market goats, sheep breeding females identified with retinal scans on ID day.

Animal enrollment forms and specific details about the identification days were mailed directly to 4-H sheep and goat members. Members need to contact the Purdue Extension - Huntington County office if they have not received these forms in the mail.

For more information, contact Purdue Extension - Huntington County Office, County Annex Building, 354 N Jefferson-Suite 202, Huntington or call 260-358-4826.



## TAYLOR SOUNDS

Join Heritage Pointe in welcoming Taylor Sounds Chamber Ensemble May 8th at 2:00 in the Applegate Chapel. This is another wonderful program in there 2012 Fine Art's series.

The Taylor Sounds Chamber Ensemble is directed by Dr. JoAnn Rediger. This group of select singers represents a variety of academic disciplines. The group's repertoire consists of literature that is appropriate for small ensemble consisting of music for the entire spectrum of sacred choral works, secular madrigals and vocal jazz.

The Sounds performs regularly in chapel service on campus and other campus events. In recent years the ensemble has traveled to Israel, Jordan; Nassau. the Bahamas and through out the United States. The public is welcome.

## CRAFT AND BAKE SALE

At the Wells County 4-H Park Quonset Building - Friday, May 4 from 8:00-3:00 and Saturday, May 5 from 8:00-2:00. Southern Wells Community Church (765-728-2154) Proceeds go to the Building Fund!

## PIZZA FUNDRAISER

Monday, May 7th from 5:00-7:30 Southern Wells FCCLA (Family, Community, Career Leaders of America) will be having a fundraiser buffet at Bluffton Pizza Hut. The group will get \$1.00 for every buffet and all tips. Funds will help support Cassie Crickard, Allison Blevins and Emily Aker in their trip to the National Leadership Conference in July. Please come out and support these girls!

## PQA WORKSHOP

The Huntington County Extension Office announces the Pork Quality Assurance Plus (PQA+) workshop for 4-H Swine members for the 2012 4-H program year. The workshop will be offered on Monday, May 7 and Monday, May 14 from 7:00-8:00 pm at the 4-H Community Building, Hier's Park. Youth in their first year of the 4-H swine project and those individuals who have not passed a certification test, administered by the County Extension Office, must attend this annual workshop. Youth only need to attend one of the two scheduled evening workshops.

At the workshop, information about the ten good production practices will be explained and discussed. Youth must be

# 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.

- Apr 25** Administrative Professionals Day
- May 2** Noon Chamber of Commerce lunch, Assembly Hall
- May 2** 7:00 p.m. Van Buren Town Council
- May 7-12** Town of Warren Spring Clean-Up
- May 12** Warren Alumni Banquet, contact Jim Howell 375-3048
- May 13** Mother's Day
- May 14** 6:30 p.m. Warren Town Council, Assembly Hall
- May 14** 6:30 p.m. SSF Meeting at Sportsman's Club
- May 16** 7:00 p.m. Van Buren Town Council
- May 21** 6:30 p.m. KBC Board Meeting at KBC
- May 28** Memorial Day
- Jun 6** Noon Chamber of Commerce Lunch, Assembly Hall
- Bread of Life Food Pantry - Wed 2 - 4:00pm & 6 - 8:00p.m. at KBC**
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certified in the PQA+ program to be eligible to sell in the 4-H Fair Livestock Swine Auction in July or show at the state fair in August.

4-H members need to register no later than Friday, May 4 for this workshop and may do so via email to ebrundig@purdue.edu, or phone at 260-358-4826 the Purdue Extension – Huntington County Office.

For more information, contact Purdue Extension – Huntington County Office, County Annex Building, 354 N Jefferson-Suite 202, Huntington or call 260-358-4826.

## MOTHER'S DAY BRUNCH

Dogwood Glen will be hosting brunch on Sunday, May 13th for Mother's Day from 11am-1pm. The buffet menu will be provided by Kim's Katered Affair. Reservations are preferred for this event. Please call Dogwood Glen at 375-4750.

## POPCORN FESTIVAL

### MEETING

Next planning meeting for the 2012 40th Annual Festival is Wednesday May 16th, 6:30pm at the Lion's Club.

Volunteers are never turned away. It takes several people to make sure it all comes together.

Please pass this on to anyone you know that would be willing to assist and be a part of the Committee.

## ALUMNI BANQUET

Make your reservations now to attend the alumni banquet of Warren High School. The banquet will be held at the Knight-Bergman Center in Warren on May 12. All former students, teachers, and friends of the Warren School are welcome to attend. Many graduates of Warren will be returning and look forward to seeing former classmates and friends.

The classes of 1942, 1952, and 1962 will be recognized as honored classes. All graduates prior to 1942 will also be recognized.



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## FESTIVAL NOTES

Ranch Rodeo is an event that was recreated a number of years ago to return to the roots when the first event was established in 1882. The competition was about the ranches and who could be awarded the prize of being the best ranch in the rodeo. Ranch-versus-ranch contests gradually sprang up and events were created that simulated what the ranch cowboys did for work each day on the ranch.

One of the events is the wild cow milking. The ranching industry is based on cattle and raising calves to maturity and shipping them to market. When a calf is born they need the mother's milk to survive. Sometimes the mother's milk stops for some reason and the calf cannot get milk. Believe it or not sometimes the cowboy has to check the mother cow for milk. This event is based on that premise. The cow is roped and a cowboy tries to squirt milk into a long necked bottle and then must run to a circle. This event is a timed event and anything can happen. It is as wild as it gets.

The fastest time wins. Next week I will tell about another event or two.

## QUEEN PAGEANT

Calling all Pageant Contestants! Look for your registration form by the first of May. The forms will be at East of Chicago in Warren. After we receive your form we will send you a letter with the date of the meeting/picture day. You must be present at this meeting! The pageant will be Sunday June 24th at 3:30p.m. at the Warren Church of Christ.

## PLANT SALE

The Blackford County Master Gardeners will be hosting a Garden Fair and Plant Sale on Friday, May 11. There will be numerous educational booths, children's activities, and garden related exhibits. In addition, a variety of plants and slightly used garden tools will be available for purchase. All proceeds benefit the Blackford County Master Gardener program and their projects. There is no charge for the program which will be held at the Blackford County Fairgrounds from 4-7pm. Anyone wishing to donate plants or garden items may drop them off at the Fairgrounds on Thursday, May 10 from 4-7pm. Pickup is not available.

For more information, contact the Blackford County Extension Office at (765)348-3213 or cluppers@purdue.edu.

## EXPANDED HOURS

R. Scott Waddell, Commissioner of the Indiana Bureau of Motor Vehicles (BMV), announced that BMV license branches will extend hours of operation on Monday, May 7 and on Tuesday, May 8 to issue state ID cards and driver's licenses that may be used for identification at a polling place.

Branches will be open on Monday, May 7, from 8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. and on Tuesday, May 8, from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. To insure voters have immediate access to services, license branches will only process ID cards, driver's licenses and learner permits, providing testing is not required. Aside from disability placards, the branches will not perform any other BMV services.

The Indiana BMV provides free, state-issued ID cards for voting purposes to any unlicensed Hoosier, as long as he or she can provide proper documentation and will be old enough to vote in the general election. The following documents are required to obtain a new state ID card or driver's license (a complete list can be found at [www.mybmv.IN.gov](http://www.mybmv.IN.gov)).

- Proof of Identity document, such as a birth certificate or passport.
- Proof of Social Security document, such as a Social Security card, pay stub or W-2.
- Proof of lawful status, such as a birth certificate or passport.
- Proof of residency, two documents such as a voter registration card, utility bill or bank statement.

All license branches will resume normal business hours on Wednesday, May 9. Branches normally closed on Wednesdays will re-open Thursday, May 10.

## CAR WASH

Jackson Jaguars Car Wash will take place May 12th from 9-noon. It will take place at Bolinger's Warren Service and Supply. Free will donations will be excepted. This is the only fundraising event the club will do this year. All proceeds will go toward club activities this year.

## NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

Thursday May 3, 2012  
[www.NationalDayofPrayer.org](http://www.NationalDayofPrayer.org)  
Take 15 minutes of your day to pray for our nation.

Examples of things to pray about  
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Pray for President Obama, Vice President Biden, Cabinet, Senators Lugar & Coats; Representatives, Pence & Burton; Supreme Court Justices, Attorney General, Indiana Governor Daniels, his staff, Attorney General Zoeller; Senators Banks & Holdman; Representatives Leonard, Espich, Turner, Pearson; Local servants: Judges; County Attorney; Sheriff, Deputies, State & Local Police; Town Clerk Morrison, Town Council, Town Marshall Spitler, Fire Chief Poulson, and others who influence & make decisions affecting our World, Nation, State, County & Town

Our Churches, Our Pastors, Elders, Deacons, SONday School Teachers, Music & Worship leaders, for wisdom & submission to the Spirit of God to teach, lead & direct their flock into a closer walk with God.

Church Revival & Spiritual Growth for people who attend a Church gathering and those who cannot, to be drawn into a closer relationship with our God.

Our Schools, Superintendent, School Board, Principals, Teachers and Faculty. Students to learn the basic skills of reading, writing and math.

Our Families, Husbands & Wives, Fathers & Mothers, training our children to be compassionate contributing citizens, Brothers & Sisters, Relatives, family devotions, personal devotions, personal commitment & testimony.

Our Community, Friends & Neighbors, Volunteers who choose to give so much time & energy to community projects to make sure things keep happening

These are only a few Examples pray without ceasing!

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# GENEALOGY REPORT

## 75TH BIRTHDAY PARTY

A 75th Birthday Party was held in honor of Don Slusher and his twin sister, Donna McFarland on Friday, April 27th at the home of Don and Janet Slusher.

Lunch from Huggy Bear Ice Cream Stop was enjoyed by all.

Those attending were Don and Janet Slusher, Donna McFarland, Jane Haley, Deb Amstutz, Sheryl Slusher, Brenda Whitaker, Donnie Slusher, Peggy Parker and Judy Long.

Fun was had by all.

## BURNETTE

Ruey Burnette, 78, of Marion, IN, passed away at 3:20 AM on Sunday, April 22, 2012 at Wesleyan Health Care Center in Marion, IN.

He was born on Tuesday, January 02, 1934, in Fordsville, KY.

Surviving: Son - Ruey Burnette, Marion, IN and also 5 other children, Sister - Rosie Rayn, Gas City, IN, Sister - Bonnie Masterson.

He was preceded in death by his Father - Willie Robert Burnette & Mother - Ruby Pearl (Taylor) Burnette.

There will be no visitation or services.

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

## KOEHLINGER

Roger L. Koehlinger, 84, of Warren, IN, passed away at 4:00 AM on



Saturday, April 28, 2012 at Heritage Pointe in Warren, IN.

He was born on Sunday, January 15, 1928, in Logansport, IN. He married Helen (Vincet) Koehlinger on Saturday, July 03, 1954 in Watertown, NY.

Roger received a Bachelor's Degree from Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH. He retired from Eastman Kodak Rochester, NY after 33 years. Roger was an avid Football and Racing fan. He served overseas in WWII in the U.S. Army. Roger was a member of the McNatt United Methodist Church.

Survivors include: Wife - Helen (Vincet) Koehlinger, Warren, IN, Daughter - Anne Elizabeth (David) Lautz, Wheaton, IL, Son - Darrell V. Koehlinger, Minneapolis, MN, Son - Jeff Koehlinger, Auburn, IN, Daughter - Kelly (Benjamin) Morton, Warren, IN, Grandchildren - 5, Great Grand Child - 1

He was preceded in death by:

Father - Clarence Henry Koehlinger, Mother - Ruth (Benson) Koehlinger, Brother - Eugene Koehlinger, Brother - Jack Koehlinger

A service to celebrate Roger's life will be at McNatt United Methodist Church 9271 W. - 800 S. - 90 Warren at 11:00 AM Friday May 4, 2012 with the Pastor Bill VanHaften officiating. Interment will follow in the Woodlawn Cemetery in Warren, IN.

Preferred memorials are to the McNatt U.M. Church 8343 S. - 1000 W. - 90 Montpelier, IN 47359, Family Life Care 265 W. Water Street Berne IN 46711, Donors Choice.

Arrangements are being handled by Glancy - H. Brown & Son Funeral Home in Warren.

## OXLEY

Nellie A. Oxley, 96, recently of Plano, Texas went to be with the Lord on Monday, April 30, 2012 at 4:40 pm at Medical Center of Plano, Plano, Texas.



Mrs. Oxley was born in Jackson Township, Wells County, Indiana on November 5, 1915 to Eli and Stella Booher, who owned a farm in Wells County. She lived on the farm until she married Paul Oxley of Wells County. They moved to a farm owned by Lloyd and Becky Lieurance. While Mr. Lieurance was overseas Nellie and Paul worked the farm for 34 years, both while Mr. Lieurance was away and after he returned. When Mr. Oxley became ill, they retired from farming.

The Oxleys bought a restaurant in Blackford County at State Road 3 and 18 and ran it for several years. Mrs. Oxley then worked at an appliance factory in Van Buren, Indiana for 18 years before retiring. She was a caring mother, grandmother, and sister.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 53 years, Paul Oxley. Also, her daughter, Peggy McCrum of Hartford City, Indiana, her parents, Eli and Stella Booher, two brothers, and three sisters.

Mrs. Oxley is survived by her granddaughter, Cynthia Turner and her husband, Robert of Prosper, Texas; her grandson, David McCrum and his wife, Janet of Plano, Texas; sister Donna Leas of Montpelier, Indiana; sister-in-law Ruth Booher of Warren, Indiana; nieces Linda Hiatt of Fairmont, Indiana, Cathy Leas of Columbia City, Indiana, Connie (Rex) Jennings of Warren, Indiana; Louanne Carter of Marion, Indiana; nephews Michael Holloway of Ocala,

Florida; Max Clark and his wife, Anita of Florida.

A service to celebrate Nellie's life will be held at the Glancy-H. Brown & Son Funeral Home, 203 N. Matilda St., Warren on Friday May 4, 2012 at 3:00PM with calling two hours prior to the service from 1-3PM at the funeral home. Rev. Jackie Michaelson will officiate. Interment will be at Asbury Cemetery, Warren.

Preferred memorials in lei of flowers to Asbury Cemetery, Warren.

## VAN NESS

Mitchell LeRoy Van Ness III, 19, of Huntington, IN, died Tuesday, April 24, 2012, at 8:25 a.m. at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne after a long battle with cancer.

Mr. Van Ness was a 2011 graduate of Huntington North High School. He was a member of Faith Community Church of God, the YMCA and Total Fitness in Huntington.

He was born on September 24, 1992.

He is survived by his mother and stepfather Rochelle and Charles Haneline Griffey, of Huntington, and his father Mitchell Van Ness Jr., of Warren. Additional survivors include three brothers, Mykell LeRoy Van Ness and C.J. Griffey, both of Huntington, and Daniel (Marcey) Wright, of Van Buren; four sisters, Richelle Griffey, Grace Griffey, and Hope Griffey, all of Huntington, and Sarah Wright, of Van Buren; grandparents Fred and Donna Belle Haneline, of Roanoke, and Gloria Bolinger of and Mitchell LeRoy Sr. and Barbara Van Ness, all of Warren.

Calling is Friday, April 27, 2012, from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 W. Park Drive, Huntington, as well as on Saturday, April 28, 2012, from 10 a.m. to noon. A service will follow calling on Saturday at noon. Rev. Austin Pettigrew will officiate.

Memorial contributions may be made to Bailey-Love Mortuary to assist the family, at 35 W. Park Drive, Huntington, IN 46750.

## JONES

Velma Ruth Jones, 86, of LaFontaine, IN, and having family members in Warren, IN, died Wednesday, April 25, 2012, at 10:45 p.m. at Rolling Meadows Health Care Center.

Mrs. Jones retired from Clark's Grocery, where she had worked as a cashier for 30 years. She was a member of the Woodland Hills Church of Christ.

She was born July 30, 1925, in

Wabash to Paul and Daisy Palmer Frank. She married Ira "J.J." Jones on April 7, 1944. He preceded her in death on Oct. 10, 2003.

Survivors include two daughters, Connie Cable and Rhonda (Jack) Wiley, both of LaFontaine; a son, Denny (Donna) Jones, of LaFontaine; a brother, Paul (Rita) Frank, of Marion; a sister, Betty Faust, of Warren; a sister-in-law, Bernice Frank, of Wabash; nine grandchildren, Ann, Mike, J.D., Jill, Nathan, Luke, Joe, Megan and Jackson; and 15 great-grandchildren.

A service was held on Monday, April 30, 2012, at Needham-Storey-Wampner Funeral Service North Chapel, 1341 N. Baldwin Ave., Marion, with her son-in-law, Jack Wiley, officiating. Burial was at the LaFontaine I.O.O.F. Cemetery.

Preferred memorials are gifts to the Parkinson's Awareness Association, 4755 Kingsway Drive, Suite 333, Indianapolis, IN 46205.

## WINTRODE

Ann L. Wintrode, 58, of Huntington, IN, died Saturday, April 28, 2012, at Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne.

Mrs. Wintrode had been employed by United Technologies. She was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church, the Family Readiness Group in Huntington and many quilting clubs.

She was born Sept. 22, 1953, in Huntington to Joseph and Eloise C. Godfrey Simrak. She married John D. Wintrode on Sept. 25, 1971, at St. Mary Catholic Church, Huntington. Her husband survives.

Additional survivors include two sons, Joseph T. (Stephenie) Wintrode, of Warren, and Travis L. Wintrode, of Huntington; two brothers, Joseph Simrak Jr., of California, and Dexter "Dick" Franke, of California; five sisters, Carolyn Simrak, of Fort Wayne; Mary Jo (Kenny) Bryant, Betty Lou (Richard) Bowers and Patricia (Bill) Miller, all of Huntington; and Sharon Moss; and 10 grandchildren.

Calling is Tuesday, May 1, 2012, from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Bailey-Love Mortuary. A service will be held at the mortuary on Wednesday, May 2, 2012, at 10 a.m., with Rev. Dianna Teusch officiating.

Gifts to the family may be made in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 W. Park Drive, Huntington, IN 46750.

## SEABOLT

Wilma F. Seabolt, 88, of Huntington, IN, died Monday, April 30, 2012, at 11:03 a.m. at the Norwood Health and Rehabilitation Center.

Mrs. Seabolt graduated from Chili High School and was a homemaker. She was a member of Heritage Church, Huntington, and the Salvation Army Home League. She was a volunteer at Miller's Merry Manor.

She was born July 9, 1923, in Newton Falls, OH, to Edwin and Zoa Deeds Kerschner. She married Homer Seabolt on Feb. 14, 1941, in Elizabethtown, KY. He preceded her in death on Dec. 30, 1985.

Survivors include two daughters, Brenda (Dennis) Ross, of Huntington, and Barbara (David) Curran, of Bluffton; a son, Robert (Roxanna) Seabolt, of Warren; seven grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

Calling is Wednesday, May 2, 2012, from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Deal-Rice Funeral Home, Huntington Chapel, 338 E. Washington St., Huntington. A service will be held at the funeral home on Thursday, May 3, 2012, at 10 a.m., with calling one hour prior to the service. Jerry Bailey will officiate. Burial will be at Greenlawn Cemetery, Mexico, IN. Preferred memorials are gifts to The Salvation Army in care of Deal-Rice Funeral Home, 338 E. Washington St., Huntington, IN 46750.

## BRADIN



John Simon Bradin, 87, Huntington, IN, passed away at 11:05 a.m. Monday, April 23, 2012 at Heritage Pointe, Warren, IN.

John Bradin was born September 19, 1924 to Ioan (John) and Florence Simon Bradin in Garrett, Indiana. His parents preceded him in death.

Mr. Bradin married Shirley Marie Walston on January 21, 1948. She preceded John in death on September 11, 2011.

Mr. Bradin received a BS degree in Radio Engineering from Tri-State College in 1950. John was an electronics engineer formerly employed at Capehart-Farnsworth, Fort Wayne, IN, Sparton Electronics, MI, Louis Allis Co., WI, Model Engineering, Huntington, IN and US Dept of Defense in Indiana. He was a member of SS Peter and Paul Catholic Church and the Eagles Lodge, Garrett, Indiana. He served in the US Navy during WW II and received several awards:

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### HISTORIC WARREN

In an effort to expand the community's involvement with Indiana Main Street, a group of citizens have organized to form Historic Warren. Historic Warren is recognized as an Indiana Main Street Community now.

The mission of Indiana Main Street is to encourage economic development, redevelopment, and improvement of the downtown areas of Indiana cities and towns. The program is founded on community and economic development that emphasizes the preservation and development of traditional downtown resources.

Indiana Main street is founded on 4 points; Organization, Design, Promotion, and Economic Restructuring.

In the forming of Historic Warren, a mission statement was approved:

The mission of Historic Warren is to support community and economic development, in Downtown Warren, by continuing historic building preservation, encouraging and promoting small businesses, and welcoming community involvement.

Historic Warren had to also designate a focus area. The focus area is Matilda Street to Main Street and First Street to Third Street. This includes businesses, churches and residential homes. The Organization Committee purpose is vital in keeping the Board, Committees, Staff and overall Program sustainable. It is the foundation of a good Main Street group. The Committee takes responsibility for managing the financial and logistical aspects of a nonprofit organization.

The Steering Committee for Historic Warren will serve as the Organization Committee with the following members; Kevin Deakne, President and Organization Committee Chairman, Barb Trosper (Town of Warren ) Cheryl DeWeese, Carly Brubaker-Treasurer, Danielle Shaw, Neil/Wendy Laymon, Dave/Ruth Swanson-Promotion Committee Chairman, Melinda/Terry Daniels- Design Committee Chairman and Jeff Souder-Economic Restructuring Committee Chairman.

Design; The purpose of the Design Committee is in shaping the physical appearance/image of downtown to shoppers, investors, business owners and visitors. This is the visual component of the Main Street Approach and very vital to the success of the program. Mindy/

Terry Daniels will chair this committee with committee members of Mandy Bordeaux and Rick Forrester.

Promotion; The purpose of the Promotion Committee is to PROMOTE downtown as the center of commerce, culture, and community life for residents and visitors. The Promotion Committee must think outside the box to get people to shop and visit downtown. Dave/Ruth Swanson will chair this committee with committee members Judy Lewis, Brady Smekens, Cheryl DeWeese, Danielle Shaw, and Joyce Sorg. Economic Restructuring; The purpose of the Economic Restructuring Committee is to identify new market opportunities for the traditional commercial district, find new uses for historic commercial buildings, and stimulate investment in property. The Committee also works with existing businesses in retaining them in the downtown as well. Jeff Souder will chair this committee with committee members Randy/Lynn Worch, Barb Trosper and Becky Souder. Historic Warren has worked with the Indiana Main Street to submit a Work Plan for 2012. Historic Warren has completed 5 of the items for our 2012 Work Plan. Establishing a Steering Committee, Establishing a name, forming a mission statement, setting a focus area and adopting by-laws.

The Promotion Committee has been hard at work, already meeting and discussing possible activities.

They will be developing a post card with information and facts about Warren. This Committee has volunteered to work at the Chamber of Commerce Wine and Ale Tasting event on Sat. May 5th. They will be welcoming you at the door and hopefully you will get the first look at the Historic Warren facts post card. They have other great ideas for promoting downtown Warren

during the year.

If you are interested in preserving downtown Warren and want to become involved with a committee you are welcome to attend the next meeting to be held on Monday, May 7th at 6:30pm at the Warren Town Annex. You do not need to live in town or in Huntington County to be involved. You just have to love Warren and want to see it continue and grow.

### HOMEMAKERS

#### SCHOLARSHIPS

Deadlines are fast approaching: Pick up your application for Grant County Extension Homemakers Scholarships from Purdue University Cooperative Extension Service at Room 422, 401 S Adams St, Marion, or download from our website: [www.extension.purdue.edu/grant](http://www.extension.purdue.edu/grant). If you have any questions contact the Extension Office at 765.651.2413.

Two scholarships are available. If you are a child or grandchild of an Extension Homemaker you could be eligible for \$750.00. If you are a Grant County resident 25 years of age or more and admitted to an academic or vocational school which is state licensed or accredited, you could be eligible for \$750.

Don't miss this opportunity to receive help in pursuing your education. Deadline is July 1, 2012.

### ART & HOBBY SHOW

Grant County Fair season is close at hand! Mark your calendars for June 17-23, 2012.

The Adult Art & Hobby Show is seeking entries. This is a chance to show off your talents in the many categories available.

Domestic Arts & Crafts categories include: Machine

embroider, bed covers, hand quilting, knitting - hand or machine, crocheting, sewing - hand or machine non wearable, clothing construction wearable, counted cross stitch, misc needlework, Christmas decorations, wood craft, do your own thing: fabric, metal, leather, ceramic, gourds, etc., Hand woven, scrapbooking, wearable art and collections.

Painting, Drawing & Photography categories include: oil & acrylic painting, water color painting, drawings - pencil, charcoal, ink or pastels, photography - color, black & white.

Food & Food Preservation categories include: food preservation - canned vegetables, jams and jellies, pickles, canned fruits, salsa and sauces; Bread - plain and fancy yeast rolls, quick breads and muffins; Cookies - all and diabetic; Pies - one and two crusts; Cakes - scratch and mix.

Horticulture and Floral categories include: single vegetable, single fruit, live flowers, and silk or dried flowers.

Domestic Arts & Crafts and Painting, Drawing & Photography are due at the fairgrounds on Wednesday, June 13 between 8 am and 12 noon.

Foods & Food Preservation and Horticulture and Floral are due at the fairgrounds on Thursday, June 14 between 8am and 12 noon.

Each exhibit will be judged in closed judging with ribbon awards. This show is sponsored by Grant County Extension Homemakers, Purdue Extension - Grant County. The exhibits will be open to the public at the Community Building at the Fairgrounds beginning June 18 during the 4-H Fair.

Complete general rules and

entry forms are available at the grant County Extension Office, 401 S Adams, Room 422 Marion, phone: 765.651.2413 or website: [www.extension.purdue.edu/grant](http://www.extension.purdue.edu/grant). No pre-registration is required. A minimal entry fee is payable at the fair. If you have any questions please call or email [holmes33@purdue.edu](mailto:holmes33@purdue.edu).

### SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

The Kiwanis Club of Huntington (Noon Club) honored three scholarship recipients on Thursday, April 26 at its annual KBF/Scholarship banquet at Huntington University.

The Robert L. Baker Scholarship (\$1000) was awarded to Laura Cherry to pursue the study of nursing at Huntington University. Laura participated in Class and Student Councils, tennis, Student Athletic Board, and the Freshman Mentoring Program. She is in the top 25 of her class and earned an Academic letter. She also participated in her church youth group, Campus Life, Upward Basketball, Blessings In a Backpack, and Cooking with Love. Laura is the daughter of Ron and Deb Cherry, Huntington.



The Fred Winebrenner Memorial Scholarship (\$750) was presented to Landon Poulson for his study of Pharmacy at Manchester College. Landon participated in FFA for four years, 4H for 10 years, Jr. Leader's program, Student Mentoring at HNHS, and as Youth Mentor with FFA and 4H. He is in National Honor Society, the top



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the Navy Unit Commendation, Navy Good Conduct, American Theater, Asiatic Pacific Theater, three combat stars and the WW II victory award. He authored "Handbook of Reliability Engineering and Management", and the book "Navy Air Service unit throughout WW II.

Survivors include: two sons: James (Rhonda) Bradin, Garrett, IN and Joseph (Theresa) Bradin, Huntington, IN; four daughters: Nancy (Gary) Mickley, Huntington, IN.; Deborah Tinsley, Vallejo, CA ; Pamela "Susie" (Ricky) Smith, Fort Wayne, IN. and Julie (Giuseppe) Ceravolo, Huntington, IN.; 15 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; and one sister: Ann (Arthur) Warner, Columbia, S.C.

In addition to his parents and wife, John was preceded in death by a sister: Jane Yarde.

Calling hours will be 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Thursday, April 26, 2012 at McElhaney-Hart Funeral Home, 715 N. Jefferson Street Huntington, IN. Additional calling between 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. at SS Peter and Paul Catholic Church, 860 Cherry St., Huntington, IN.

Mass of Christian Burial will be 10 a.m., Friday, April 27, 2012 at SS. Peter and Paul Catholic Church, 860 Cherry Street, Huntington, IN with Father Ron Rieder, OFM Cap. officiating.

In lieu of flowers, preferred memorials are to SS Peter and Paul Catholic Church in care of McElhaney-Hart Funeral Home, 715 N. Jefferson St., Huntington 46750.

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

McElhaney-Hart Funeral Home, 715 N. Jefferson St., Huntington, IN is in charge of arrangements.

**GEHRING**

Helen L. Gehring, 83, of Craigville, passed away Wednesday, April 25, 2012, at her residence.

She was born on Oct. 5, 1928, in Wells County, to Charlie and Martha (Mounsey) Heffelfinger. She is preceded in death by her parents and her step-mother Helen (Satchwell) Heffelfinger.

Helen graduated from Lancaster High School with the class of 1946. On April 20, 1947 at the Craigville Christian Union Church parsonage, the Rev. Howard Dunlap married Helen and DeWayne H. Gehring. They shared 60 years of marriage together before DeWayne passed away on July 1, 2007.

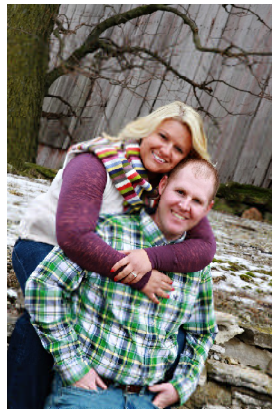
Along with raising her family, Helen worked at Lancaster School

as a cook for 27 years retiring in 1991. She was an active member of Lancaster Chapel United Methodist Church, where she served as a Sunday School teacher, helped with the Vacation Bible School, played the piano, and was active in the United Methodist Women for many years. She was also a 50-year member of ODO Home Demonstration Club where she was awarded Homemaker of the Year in 1997. She was an avid I.U. fan enjoyed puzzles and reading books.

She is survived by her children, Larry (Charolette) Gehring of Craigville, Ron (Kathy) Gehring of Pleasanton, Calif., Jill (Ken) Engle of Bluffton and Dean (Lori) Gehring of Ossian. She was a very proud grandma to eight grandchildren, Todd, Shawna, and Scott and Sarah Gehring, Jeff and Amy Engle and Brad and Blake Gehring; six great-grandchildren, Jonathan and Austin Stickney, Cooper, Nick and Addi Gehring. She is also survived by a sister, Betty (Harold) Surbaugh of Liberty Center; and a step-sister, Susan Sommers of Huntington.

Friends are invited to visit with Helen's family from 2 to 8 p.m. Saturday, April 28, at the Thoma/Rich, Chaney and Lemler Funeral Home. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 29, at Lancaster Chapel with calling for one hour prior to the service. Pastor Neil Ainslie will officiate. Burial will follow at Fairview Cemetery in Bluffton.

Memorials may be made in Helen's memory to Lancaster Chapel or to the Wells County Food Bank.



**ENGAGED**

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Puckett of Upland, IN announce the engagement of their daughter, Sara Puckett, to Andrew Pierce, son of Stephen & Nancy Pierce of Hartford City, IN.

The future bride is a graduate of Eastbrook High School and Indiana Wesleyan University. She is employed as a registered nurse at Marion General Hospital.

The future groom is a graduate of Blackford High School and is self-employed.

A June 2012 wedding is planned in Sharpsville, IN.

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25 students, and earned an Academic Letter. He volunteered at Heritage Pointe Retirement Center, Boys and Girls Club and New Life Ministry. Landon is the son of Donald and Marsha Poulson of Warren.

Shelby Bradford was awarded the Herman Goodin Memorial Scholarship (\$500) for her study of nursing at IUPUI. Shelby has participated in varsity soccer for four years,



graduated from the Youth Leadership class in 2010, and was Homecoming Queen in 2011. She is a National Honor Society member and is in the process of becoming a C.N.A. (Certified Nursing Assistant.) Shelby has been a volunteer at the Triage Desk at Parkview Huntington Hospital, a 10 yr. member of 4H, and a tutor at the Huntington Library. Her parents are William and Marilyn Bradford of Warren.

**SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE**

The Huntington County Extension Office currently has applications available for local 4-H scholarships. Huntington County 4-H members who are eligible may stop by the Purdue Extension - Huntington County Office to pick up an application or print and complete an application found on-line: <http://www.ag.purdue.edu/counties/huntington/Pages/4-HYouthDevelopment.aspx>. Applications must be received no later than May 31, 2011.

1) Janell Marie Saunders Memorial (\$1,000) - open to a current high school senior or Huntington County 4-H alumni who completed their final year of 4-H within the past two years. Applicants need to be pursuing post high school studies in the area of nursing or a health/medical related field.

2) Ray Vanderspool Memorial (\$1,000) - applicants must be a current high school senior. Selection criteria include 4-H member record, community involvement and academic record.

3) County 4-H Swine and 4-H Beef Scholarships (\$500 each) - applicants must be enrolled in the 4-H swine or the 4-H beef project for a minimum of 5 years, with 4-H record and school/community activities considered in the selection process.

4) Huntington County 4-H (2 scholarships @ \$500 each) - open to a current high school senior or Huntington County 4-H alumni who completed their final year of 4-H within the past two years. These scholarships will be presented during the 4-H Fair in

July at Hier's Park.

5) County 4-H Goat Scholarships (2 scholarships @ \$500 each) - applicants must be current high school senior or Huntington County 4-H eligibility was within the past two years. 4-H records along with school/community activities considered. Must be in the goat project at least 5 years including the current year.

6) George Guy Memorial - County 4-H Dog (\$250) - applicants must be enrolled in the 4-H dog project for a minimum of 5 years, with 4-H record and school/community activities considered in the selection process.

7) County 4-H Horse & Pony (\$250) - applicants must be enrolled in the 4-H Horse & Pony project for a minimum of 5 years, with 4-H record and school/community activities considered in the selection process.

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