

Friday, December 10, 2021

Volume 36, Number 45



www.warrenweeklyindiana.com

Warren Weekly

Your Hometown Newspaper

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



PO Box 695, Warren IN 46792 • 260/375-6290 • Fax 260/247-2426 • email: editor@warrenweeklyindiana.com

Thought for the Week: Anger repressed can poison a relationship as surely as the cruelest words. Dr. Joyce Brothers



It's getting to be that time of year.
Contact the Warren Weekly today to get your
Christmas Greeting
ordered for the December 24 issue of the Warren Weekly!

Contact us at
editor@warrenweeklyindiana.com
or 260.375.6290 or
www.warrenweeklyindiana.com

EARLY BIRD ITEM

A crop grower workshop is set for Huntington. The session is at First Merchants Heritage Hall at the Huntington Co. Fairgrounds on Thursday December 9 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. (registration begins at 4:30 p.m.).

The sessions will cover the following topics:

- Scouting for Insects (Tips & Tricks)
- Agronomic Tools to Help with Tight Margins
- Pesticide MiniBulks

RSVP by December 8 @ 260-358-4826 or e-mail switta@purdue.edu.

This workshop is approved as an Indiana Private Applicator Recertification Program. Attendees who wish to obtain credit are reminded to bring their Indiana Private Pesticide Applicator license number with them. There is no cost for this program thanks to the sponsorship of the Indiana Soybean Alliance & Indiana Corn Marketing Council. Light refreshments will be served.

Individuals with an Indiana Private Pesticide Applicator license can find more information about scheduled recertification programs online by visiting this website: <https://ppp.purdue.edu/private-applicators/recertification-parp/>.

If you have questions, contact Ed Farris, Agriculture and Natural Resource Educator, Purdue Extension – Huntington County Office, 1340 S. Jefferson, Huntington by calling 260-358-4826.

CHRISTMAS CARD TRADITION

Last year we kicked off a new tradition in Warren: A Christmas card designed by one of our Salamonie students. The positive responses were simply overwhelming and we knew this was going to become a wonderful holiday idea!

This year we are continuing that tradition with a new card design! Like last year, Mrs. Callison had the K-2nd grade students design a Christmas card. The cards then went to our Warren Chamber of

Commerce board to vote on a winner. Two first place winners are then chosen to have their cards printed and distributed throughout Warren.

The First place winners are: Trey Shenefield with his red truck design and Nora Colclasure with her snowman design. Second place was Macie Richardson (gingerbread house), Third place: Wyatt Blair (Christmas village); and Honorable Mention: Lillie Leazier (snowman).

The cards will be available at Salamonie School, Heritage Pointe, Town Hall, and many businesses throughout Warren. The cards are free of charge and come with envelopes to help make it easier to mail to friends and family. Many thanks go out to Mrs. Callison, Warren Chamber of Commerce, JH Pottery Works, and Bad Apple Graphics for keeping the new tradition alive! Merry Christmas!

LIVE NATIVITY

Van Buren's Live Nativity will be held Friday and Saturday, December 10 & 11 from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Across the street from the library.

Hot chocolate, coffee and cookies both nights in the United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

Special Events at Fellowship Hall will include a Free Concert on Friday 6:30 - 7:30pm by the Brass 6.

Saturday will be Christmas caroling at 8:00 p.m.

HOMESPUN

Homespun Market would like to say THANK YOU for supporting us over these past three years. Unfortunately at this time, we have decided it is best to close our physical location at 427 N Matilda St, Warren IN at the end of this year (2021). Created Decor & more (owned by Candy Smith) and Blue Poppy Design (owned by Tamara Spahr) will continue to serve you and the community. We will continue to post on Homespun Market's Facebook page with products available for purchase as well as posting on our separate Facebook pages. Delivery and pick up will be available.

We have loved being a part of the Warren Small Businesses and would like to continue to be involved, but at this time it is not feasible to maintain a physical storefront. Continue to watch the Warren Weekly and Facebook for updates with products and services.

You may call Candy Smith at 765-603-9113 and leave a message for your home decor and various gift items.

Call Tamara Spahr at 260-228-0390 for your fresh floral, funeral tributes and weddings. Tamara will be happy to work with you in planning your special occasion. We will also stay in contact with our current consignors at Homespun

Market to provide products from them as well.

It has been our privilege to serve you and this community and we are excited to continue our services but in a different way. Happy New Year!

REPORT SIDE EFFECTS

The F.D.A. (Food and Drug Administration) requires every prescription in America to come with a reminder that you may choose to: "Call your Doctor for Medical Advice about Side Effects. You may report Side Effects to FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088."

The FDA wants to be notified about any Side Effect you may experience from a Medication, a Vaccine or a Medical Device. You may use the MedWatch paper form (FDA Form 3500) or call the Toll-Free phone number and leave any information.

They DO NOT NEED to know the Name of the Patient, however they may ask a few questions about the Patient, relative to the event (age, gender, previous medical conditions). They will want to know as much as possible about the product that "caused" the Side Effect.

If you, or your loved one, has recently experienced any kind of significant Side Effect from a Medication, Vaccine, Medical Device, Nutritional Supplement or even a Cosmetic, please take the time to notify the FDA.



Sales ♦ Service ♦ Rentals
1-800-356-4440
www.deweeseappliance.com



WARREN WEEKLY • Owner/Publisher: Nicki L. Zoda
Mailing Address: P O Box 695, Warren, IN 46792
Shipping Address: 11850 W 900S 90, Marion, IN 46952
Phone: (260)375-6290 **e-mail:** editor@warrenweeklyindiana.com
 WARREN WEEKLY is a free paper for the Warren, Indiana area. It is distributed every Friday to rural postal patrons of Warren, Liberty Center, and Van Buren, Indiana. The Warren Weekly is available at Warren Market, Dollar General, and next to the Post Office in downtown Warren, along with various other businesses. The Warren Weekly is also available at Circle K in Van Buren. Total circulation is 3000.
 It is sent anywhere in the Continental United States for three (3) months for \$12.50, six (6) months for \$24 or \$48 for one year. Mail name, address, and payment to WARREN WEEKLY at: PO Box 695, Warren, IN 46792. Or you can request a digital copy (by e-mail) at a cost of \$24 per year.
 Deadline for news and/or advertising is 10 a.m. Tuesday, for that week's edition. Call if you need something in but won't have it here on time.
 Leave news and/or advertising at Town Hall or mail to PO Box 695, Warren or email to editor@warrenweeklyindiana.com.
 WARREN WEEKLY will make every effort to see that all advertising copy is correctly printed. The firm assumes no financial responsibility for typographical errors in advertising, but will gladly reprint without charge that part in which an error may occur, provided that it is reported within five days of publication.
 The publisher takes no responsibility for statements or claims made in any advertisement.



ZELLER CONSTRUCTION
 WARREN, INDIANA
Owner: Larry Highley
375-3477 or 260/359-2331
Remodeling, Siding, Windows, General Contractor



CITIZENS TELEPHONE CORPORATION
 375-2111
"Your Hometown Connection Partner"

This Space Available. Call the Warren Weekly for more info.



HERITAGE POINTE OF WARREN
P O Box 326
801 Htgn Ave
Warren, IN 46792
LifeAtHeritage.org
260-375-2201

Let's Have a MiTi Party!



Check out all the details at www.mitiparty.com

This Space Available. Call the Warren Weekly for more info.

Kudos, Kicks & Karats



Treva's
Recipe Box
 by Treva Flemming

One of my favorite candies in the holiday season is fudge. It's something my family has passed down from generation to generation. Now mind you that recipes have changed over the generations, but fudge is made every Christmas no matter what and of course sometimes in the heat of the summer too.

During World War II my Grandma Forst would make it and pack it into boxes and send to our family members that were fighting in the war. When our soldiers got a package from her, they knew it had to be something good, a little taste from home. So tradition stands fudge must be in a tin somewhere, whether it's at moms or my house, you will find some. So I will share with you along with some tips on other candy that is quick and easy.

Peanut Butter Fudge Supreme

- 2c. sugar 1 jar marshmallow cream
- 2/3c. milk 1c. peanut butter
- 1 tsp vanilla

Cook sugar and milk to a soft ball stage stirring constantly to prevent scorching. Remove from heat and add marshmallow cream and peanut butter and vanilla. Mix well, pour into a buttered 8x8 dish, cool and cut into squares. Makes 2 pounds.

Million Dollar Fudge

- 1 lg can evaporated milk 4½ to 5 c. sugar
- 1 lg Hershey bar 1- 12oz bag chocolate chips, milk choc.
- 1 jar marshmallow cream 1 tsp vanilla
- 2c. chopped walnuts, opt. 1 T. margarine

Boil milk, sugar and margarine for 6 minutes or till soft ball stage. Remove from heat, add remaining ingredients, mix thoroughly. Pour into a 9 x 13 buttered pan. Cool and cut into squares. I like to use black walnuts in mine but any kind of walnut or pecans is good

Quick and easy candies. Melt chocolate bark in a double broiler on low heat. I usually use ½ the block at a time.

You can:

- Dip pretzels in chocolate and with the tines of a fork, lift out and shake off excess, and lay on wax paper or mats

CONTINUED PAGE 8

<p>ASBURY CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST 8013W 1100S -90, Montpelier John McCullough, Pastor Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST Steve Nevius, Pastor Denise Heiniger, S.S. Supt. Sunday Worship 9:30a.m. Sunday School 10:45a.m.</p> <p>CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH Van Buren, Indiana 765-934-2199 Worship 9:30 a.m. Youth Group 4:30-7:30pm at SwitchUp Handicap Accessible Little Panther Preschool 765.934.2099</p> <p>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</p> <p>DILLMAN UNITED BRETHERN 8888S 1100W-90, Warren 375-2779 Matt Kennedy, Pastor Worship Service 9:00a.m. Sunday School 10:00a.m.</p> <p>HANFIELD UNITED METHODIST 101 N 400 E - Marion 765/664-8726 Curtis Banker, Senior Pastor Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday School 9:15 a.m.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>HERITAGE POINTE Chaplains Gerald Moreland, Ginny Souttz & Dick Case Sunday Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT Monday thru Friday Chapel Services 9:00 a.m.</p> <p>WARREN 1st BAPTIST CHURCH 727 N Wayne St, Warren 260-375-2811 office@warrenfirsbaptist.net Pator Rusty Strickler Youth Dir: Peter & Mindy Fairchild Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Sunday Worship 10:00 a.m. Youth Group: Grades 5-12 ...Sun 11:30 Eklesia Sun 6:30pm</p>	<p>HILLCREST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 375-2510 Pastor Steven Spencer Bus Service 375-2510 www.warrennaz.org Worship 10:30 a.m. Wed. Midweek Service 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>LANCASTER WESLEYAN 3147 W 543 S, Huntington 765.524.3390 Pastor Trevor O'Dell, Pastor Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Wednesdays: Bible Study & Prayer 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>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</p> <p>LIBERTY CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Pastor Diane Samuels Morning Worship 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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 Youth 4-6 p.m. Everyone is Welcome</p> <p>SALAMONIE CHURCH OF BRETHERN 468-2412 Mel Zumbrun, Pastor Worship 9:30 a.m. Church School 10:45a.m.</p>	<p>UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-2102 www.warrenucc.net Troy Drayer, Senior Pastor Terry Lee Miller, Youth Pastor Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m. Contemporary Service - Wed 6:30 p.m. Youth Sunday School during Worship Service Youth Group-Wed 6:30 p.m. Communion 1st Sunday of the Month</p> <p>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.</p> <p>VB UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 765-934-1431 Pastor Brad Hensley 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 www.vanburennumc.org</p> <p>WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-3022 Ethan T Stivers, Senior Minister Andrew Fisher, Youth Minister Liz Richardson, Childrens MinistryAsst. Tara Bower - Secretary www.warrenchurchofchrist.org Fellowship 9:15 a.m. Worship & Communion 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 11 to 11:50 a.m. Youth: K-6th grade, Mon 6:15-7pm Jr/Sr Hi, Sunday 6-8pm</p> <p>WARREN WESLEYAN CHURCH 6th & Nancy Sts. Warren 260-228-9084 Rev. Allen Laws, Pastor Wesley Welch, Supt. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:15 a.m. Wed Bible Study 6:00 p.m.</p> <p>FARRVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH 11044 E 200 N, Marion, IN 765-934-3609 Pastor Al Souttz Sunday Worship 10:30 am Sunday School Classes 9:30 am Sunday Adult Bible Study 6:00 pm Thurs. Bible Study 7:00 pm</p>
---	--	--

Please Attend The Church of Your Choice



AREA NEWS

STOCKING STUFFERS

The Huntington County Council on Aging is selling McDonald's coupon books. You can pick up one of the coupon books at the Huntington County Council on Aging Senior Center office at 500 MacGahan Street, Huntington.

The books will make great stocking stuffers, birthday gifts or a great way to treat your letter carrier or newspaper person or to treat yourself.

Books are \$5 each with a value of \$60. Books are valid at participating Northeast Indiana McDonald restaurants only. Books are good through December 31, 2022.

MINIATURE GARDEN WORKSHOP

Salamonie Lake will host a workshop called "The Winter Doesn't Have to Succ" on Dec. 11 from 3 to 4:30 p.m. at its Nature Center. During this workshop, participants will design a container plant miniature garden, which will include succulents, to bring nature inside.

Cost is \$25 per person which is payable on the day of the event, with a \$5 discount per person for multiple people. All materials will be provided.

Advance registration is required by calling 260-468-2127. Limited space is available. This workshop is for those age 7 and older, and children under 18 should be accompanied by an adult.

This nature art designs activity and others are made possible with support by the Friends of the Upper Wabash Interpretive Services. The Salamonie Interpretive Center (on.IN.gov/salamonielake) is located at 3691 New Holland Rd., Andrews, 46702.

PAGE PROGRAM

The Indiana Senate is now accepting applications for the 2022 Senate Page Program.

Through the full-day program, students in grades six through 12 can tour Indiana's Statehouse, listen to debates and help staff

with age-appropriate tasks. Students also have the opportunity to meet with their state senator.

This is a great opportunity for young people in our state to get a closer look at how government works in real time, and I look forward to seeing interested students from our district at the Statehouse this legislative session.

The Senate Page Program will begin in January and run through early March. Positions fill quickly, so it is important to apply early.

Pages are scheduled to be at the Statehouse from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on Monday, Tuesdays and Thursdays. Groups serve together on Wednesdays.

For more information or to apply, visit www.IndianaSenateRepublican.com/page-program.

HOLIDAY POPS

The Marion Philharmonic Orchestra will hold the third concert of its 52nd Season, "Holiday Pops," on Friday, December 17, 2021, at 7:30 p.m. at the Rediger

Chapel/Auditorium, Taylor University. Doors will open at 7:00 p.m. This is a kid-friendly concert and an evening of entertainment for the whole family to enjoy.

Special guest performer is Steve Amerson, who is an alumnus of Taylor University. Selections chosen for this program include traditional holiday favorites such as We Need a Little Christmas, Winter Wonderland, and Silent Night as sung by Mr. Amerson. Other selections include Hanukkah Festival Overture, Sleigh Ride, and Christmas Festival.

Ticket prices for this concert are \$20 for adults, \$15 for seniors 65+, \$10 for students 13+, and children 12 and under free admission. Tickets may be purchased at the door or may be ordered through the website: www.mpomarion.org, the Box Office: 765-662-0012, email: mpomarion@gmail.com, or the post office: P.O. Box 272. Pre-ordered tickets will be placed in Will Call to be picked up at the door on the day of the concert.

FREE PACKING/SHIPPING

MATERIALS

The Warren Pharmacy has plenty of extra materials for packing boxes and shipping your packages. Bubble wrap, bags of air, brown wrapping paper, styrofoam peanuts and empty small and medium sized boxes are available FREE at the Warren Pharmacy.

We even have some small and medium styrofoam or insulated boxes, designed for refrigerated items, along with ice paks.

HOOSIER TALENT

NETWORK

New platform uses artificial intelligence to match prospective skills with business needs.

Employers competing for talent can turn to a new online job-matching and career-planning tool to

quickly fill openings exacerbated by a tight labor market.

The Hoosier Talent Network from the Indiana Department of Workforce Development (DWD) is powered by artificial intelligence to better help employers find the best prospects in the right locations based on an individual's unique potential, at no cost.

"The Hoosier Talent Network opens up new doors for employers and connects them with the jobseekers who are the best match for their current workforce needs," said Chad Carter, DWD's Hoosier Talent Network project leader.

"This platform has the capability to be a gamechanger in getting the state's employers back on track for future success."

CONTINUED PAGE 4



LEAS CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION, LLC

(317) 710-1305 • Cell
(812) 212-7127 • Office
LeasCC@outlook.com

- › Epoxy Floors
- › Decorative Stamp
- › Pole Barns
- › Small Commercial Concrete
- › Plowing
- ...and more!

MICK & KATIE LEAS, OWNERS



**Weekly Specials
Dec. 9 - 15th**

BUY USA PRODUCTS HERE! INDIANA GROWN OUR SPECIALTY

- Flavored Popcorn All Varieties - \$3.49 ea.
- Brenton Snack Crackers - 2 for \$5.00
- Williams Cheese Spread 8 oz - \$2.99 ea.

* Outside Stand Closed for Season * Inside Store Open Daily

Open Daily

Sunday	1pm-5pm	Thursday	11am-7pm
Monday	4pm-7pm	Friday	11am-6pm
Tue-Wed	11am-6pm	Saturday	9am-5pm

We accept EBT and SNAP

609 E. 1st St. Warren
www.jeffsfarmmarket.com



WARREN AUTOMOTIVE

**128 N Wayne St ~ Warren
375-3401**



Campbell & Dye Insurance Inc.

Karen Campbell

Lisa Campbell



- * Long Term Care
- * Advantage Plan
- * Individual and Small Group Health
- * Medicare Supplements
- * Prescription Drug
- * Life Insurance Plan

Call for Free Quote: 260-375-2424 * Toll Free 888-750-8879

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.

Dec 10-12	Pulse Opera House - Greatest Christmas Story ... Told
Dec 13	6:00p W - Town Council Meeting @ Assembly Hall
Dec 14	6:30p W - SSF Meeting at KBC
Dec 15	7:00p V - Town Council Meeting
Dec 20	6:30p W - KBC Board Meeting at KBC
Dec 21	FIRST DAY OF WINTER
Dec 24	CHRISTMAS EVE
Dec 25	CHRISTMAS DAY
Dec 27	6:00p W - Town Council Meeting @ Assembly Hall

Bread of Life Food Pantry - Wed 2 - 4:00pm at KBC;
Bargain Basement - Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KBC

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

AREA NEWS CONTINUED

MORE PAGE 3

More than 16,000 jobseekers have created accounts on the page. DWD's commitment to bringing employers and jobseekers together is clearly reflected in this new revolutionary resource available to all Hoosiers.

Companies ranging from small businesses to large corporations can use the available advanced technology to get matched with potential workers with all types of skills by visiting www.HoosierTalentNetwork.com.

Jobseekers also can visit the same site to discover the benefits available to them.

Whether searching for a job now or considering a different career in the future, the Hoosier Talent Network is sharply different from what may have been experienced in the past.

One of the most important features is the technology that looks at each person's potential and capabilities. Instead of simply matching jobseekers to a similar job they've once held, the Hoosier Talent Network demonstrates to them how their talents can be deployed differently in a growing company or industry.

For both employer and jobseeker, the goal is to find that career-defining, long-term fit that benefits both parties.

CHARITABLE GIFTS CAN STILL PROVIDE TAX BENEFITS

It's the season of giving. Of course, you may be thinking of the gifts you're planning to give to your loved ones and friends, but you may well want to extend your generosity beyond your immediate circle to support charitable organizations whose work you support. If you can afford to donate to charitable groups, your gifts will be much appreciated in these challenging times. And when you give, you may also receive something in return: tax benefits.

To understand the tax advantages of charitable giving, let's quickly look at a little recent history. Up until a few years ago, many people itemized deductions on their tax returns, including gifts to qualified charitable organizations. But under changes in tax laws, the standard deduction was almost doubled. (In 2021, it's \$25,100 for married taxpayers filing jointly and \$12,550 for single taxpayers.) As a result of these changes, far fewer people are itemizing their deductions. But by being strategic with your giving, you can find tax benefits regardless of your filing status.

If you itemize, you may be able to donate investments directly to a charity and take a tax deduction for the current value of the investment (with limits based on your adjusted gross income). Even if you don't itemize your income taxes, you could still avoid the capital gains taxes you'd have to pay if you sold the investments, provided you've held them for at least a year. This avoidance could be significant if your stocks have appreciated greatly over time, and donating investments provides a benefit over giving cash if you take the standard deduction. Of course, before you donate stocks to a charitable group, you'll want to review the effect your gift has on your portfolio and your overall financial strategy.

You might also receive one other type of charitable giving tax benefit if you take the standard deduction. Specifically, you can take a \$300 deduction (or \$600 for married couples filing jointly) for charitable gifts. This COVID-19 relief measure is only available through the 2021 tax year, so you'll have to make the gift before the end of the year.

And if you're 70½ or older, you may be able to take advantage of another charitable giving technique, known as a qualified charitable distribution, which

allows you to transfer up to \$100,000 per year from an IRA to a charitable organization if you don't need the money to meet your retirement needs. Some, or perhaps all, of this money may come from the taxable withdrawals – known as required minimum distributions, or RMDs – you're required to take, starting at age 72, from your traditional IRA. (A Roth IRA does not require you to take RMDs.) By making this move, you can exclude the RMD from your taxable income. However, before taking this action, you'll want to consult with your tax advisor.

Supporting a worthy charity is a good way to help celebrate the holiday season. And if your generosity earns you some tax benefits, it's a win for everyone involved.

This article was written by Edward Jones for use by your local Edward Jones Financial Advisor, Nicole Johnson.

TIPS TO LOWER YOUR HOME'S HEATING BILLS THIS WINTER

(StatePoint) A frosty winter wonderland is fun to experience -- outside. Inside is another story. By keeping your home heating system running at peak performance, you'll lower your winter utility bills and experience increased comfort.

According to North American Technician Excellence (NATE), here's how to stay toasty this winter without breaking the bank.

Get the Right Equipment
It all starts with the right heating equipment. Choosing a furnace with an ENERGY STAR logo is important, however, it's also a good idea to understand standard efficiency ratings so you can easily compare the performance of different systems.

When you need to measure the thermal efficiency of


your furnace or water heater, Annual Fuel Utilization Efficiency (AFUE) helps determine the actual, annual, average efficiency of that piece of equipment. It measures the amount of heat delivered to your house compared to the amount of fuel that you must supply to the furnace. The U.S. Department of Energy determined that all furnaces sold in the U.S. must have a minimum AFUE of 78%.

The Heating Seasonal Performance Factor (HSPF) is the most commonly used measure of the heating efficiency of heat pumps. Typically, a high-efficiency heat pump pays for itself in savings in a few years.

Take These Steps
A little DIY can work wonders. Follow this checklist for improved efficiency of heating equipment:

CONTINUED PAGE 8

GOOD or BAD?



Wind farms are divisive and cause hatred among families, friends and neighbors.

Is it worth it?
PAID ADVERTISING

THORNE
INSURANCE





Kevin Jackson
(260) 468-2953
877-464-1044
Call today for a FREE quote.

“Insurance that Insures.”

Lisa M. Garrott
Attorney at Law
Estate Planning &
Business Law





HARTBURG
ROTH
GARROTT
HALVERSTADT
GARRETT ^{LLP}

ATTORNEYS SINCE 1870

260-356-4100 OR 260-375-2311
visit us at: www.hrglaw.com

It pays to Shop at the

Warren 
Pharmacy

260/375-2135

ANANDA
Professional
CBD Products
New Lower Pricing!
We have Vitamins:
Basic, Windmill, Nature
Made, 21st Century,
Nature's Sunshine

Edward Jones®

Investment strategies.
One-on-one advice.



Nicole Johnson, AAMS®
Financial Advisor
2816 Theater Ave
Huntington, IN 46750
260-356-7247

> edwardjones.com

MKT-5894M-A

GENEALOGY REPORT

BOWLING

Steven N. Bowling, 65, of Warren passed away on November 23, 2021 at his residence.

Steve had worked for the Town of Warren for many years. He was also a heavy equipment operator for Star Excavating for many years. Steve was an avid car builder, and enjoyed working on his 1972 Nova and he built his own pulling tractor and was involved in tractor pulling for many years. Steve did a lot of remodeling and handyman work on his house over the years.

Steve was born on October 13, 1956 in Huntington, the son of the late Luther and Helen (Kaylor) Bowling.


Survivors include a daughter: Sasha (Joshua) Hethcote of Huntington; four sisters: Jean (Russell) Freestone of Warren, Trilyn (Teddy Chapman) Asher of Roanoke, Cheri (Jim) Britten of Huntington, Karleen (John) Herring of Huntington, and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers: Cris Bowling and James Bowling.

There will be no public visitation or services.

Memorial donations can be made out to American Heart Association in care of Myers Funeral Home, 2901 Guilford Street, Huntington, IN 46750.

SPENCER

Jeffrey Alan Spencer,  60, of Marion, passed away at 11:55 am on Sunday, November 28, 2021, in his home.

He was born in Marion on May 17, 1961, to Richard "Dick" and Carolyn Spencer. He married Jenny Lu Stillman, and she survives.

Jeff graduated from Eastbrook High School in 1979 and was a veteran of the United States Navy. Following his military service, Jeff worked as a sous chef for several years at the Ramada Inn, Spruce Creek Fly Inn, and Halifax Plantation, all in Florida.

Jeff loved being outdoors, especially going to the reservoir or the beach. He

liked searching for artifacts and watching the History Channel. Jeff also enjoyed motorcycling and going for rides on his Kawasaki and Harley. More than anything, Jeff was dedicated to his family as a loving husband, father, and grandfather.

In addition to his loving wife, Jenny, Jeff is survived by his mother, Carolyn Sue Ballard; daughters, Yvette (Stan) Williams of Marion and Jennifer Forest (Cameron) Spencer of Marion; son, David James (Zack) Ball of Fort Wayne; son/grandson, Brayden Williams; six grandchildren; sister, Debbie; brothers, Steve, Scott, and Tony; sister-in-law, Amy Dillon of Fort Wayne; brother-in-law, Chuck (Helen) Stillman; and several nieces, nephews, and friends.

He was preceded in death by his father, Richard "Dick" Spencer; daughter, Tarra Rose Spencer; and brother, Rick.

The family will hold a private celebration of Jeff's life at a later date.

Arrangements are entrusted to Integrity Funeral Care, 2901 S. Washington St., Marion, IN.

Memorial contributions may be directed to Cancer Services of Grant County, Tower Suites, 305 S. Norton Ave., Marion, IN 46952.

PALMER

Robert L. Palmer, 82, of Van Buren, IN, passed away at 6:05 PM on Monday, November 29, 2021, at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne, IN.

He was born on March 16, 1939, in Jackson Twp., Wells County, IN. He and Mary were married on November 23, 1961, at Oak Chapel Church in Grant County Indiana. Robert received his master's degree in Physics at the University of Wisconsin in Milwaukee. Robert was a member of ISTA and taught Math at Madison Grant for 37 years. He also volunteered for Meals on Wheels and was a former member of the

town board in Van Buren, Indiana. Robert was known for his love of IU Basketball, reading, riding his motorcycle, and walking. He was an animal lover, especially his grand dogs. Robert loved teaching and rhubarb pie and loved his family above all else. Robert enjoyed staying in his lake cottage and traveling to Florida.

Loving Survivors Include: Wife – Mary Palmer of Van Buren, IN, Daughter – Julie (J.D.) Pearson of East Peoria, IL, Son- Michael (Amy) Palmer of Buford, GA, and numerous Nieces & Nephews and Cousins.

He was preceded in death by his Father – Leeland "Lee" Palmer, Mother - Belva Mae (Garrett) Palmer, Sister – Martelle Palmer, Brother - John Palmer, Sister - Wilma Lacey Crouch and Nephew-Timothy Lacey.

Friends and family may gather to visit at Ferguson & Glancy Funeral Home, located at 201 W. Main St. Van Buren, IN 46991, on Saturday, December 4, 2021, from 11AM to 3PM. A funeral service will be held on Saturday, December 4, 2021, at 3PM with Pastor Dewey Zent officiating.

Preferred memorials: Harvest House Food Pantry, 210 North First Street Van Buren, IN 46991.

ROBERTS

Martha I. Roberts, 71, of Rochester, Ind. and formerly of Warren, Ind. passed at 8:51 pm, Tuesday, Nov. 30, 2021 at Lutheran Hospital of Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Martha was born on March 7, 1950 in Rochester, Ind. to the late George and Normalene (Fites) Wagner. She was a graduate of North Miami High School in 1968. Martha received a certification in Gerontology from Ball State University and attended the Ft. Wayne Institute of Art. She served as an EMT for 11 years in Huntington County as well as the Director of the Huntington County Council of Aging. Martha also was an Art Teacher in the activities

department at Heritage Point of Warren. She then was owner and artist at Mirglas Glass Art.

She had been a lifelong attendee of the Ebenezer Church of Macy. She was a member of Tri Kappa Sorority and the Red Hat Society. Martha loved being outdoors, especially fishing and mowing her yard. She was known as an amazing artist in many mediums. She fell in love with stained glass and it became her passion. She adored her grandsons and they meant the world to her.

She is survived by her daughters Megan and husband Arturo Mondragon of LaFontaine, Ind. and Susan and husband George Saunders of Zephyrhills Florida, grandsons Joshua Mookhram and Victor Mondragon, brother Stephen R. and Marlene "Gaye" Wagner of Macy, Ind., nieces Tawnya and husband Carl Mason and Koren Wagner, and nephew Nelson and wife Debbie Wagner.

Martha was preceded in death by her parents and nephew Stephen G. Wagner.

A memorial will be held at 4:00 pm, Sunday, Dec. 12, 2021 at Hartzler Funeral Home 305 West Rochester Street Akron, Indiana with Pastor Kathie Jones officiating.

Memorial visitation will be held from 2 pm to 4 pm, Sunday, Dec. 12, 2021 at Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, Indiana.

Martha's final remembrance place will be in the Ebenezer Cemetery of Macy, Indiana.

Memorial contributions can be made in Martha's memory to the Fulton County Animal Adoption and Education Center 1540 N Wentzel St. Rochester, IN 46975 or to donor's choosing.

WILL

Mary F. Will, 82, of Markle, IN, died Wednesday, Dec. 1, 2021, at Markle Health and Rehab.

Mrs. Will was a member of TurnPointe Community Church of the Brethren.

She was born on Sept. 6, 1939, in New Hope, AR, to Claude A. and Mary Belle Collins Smith. She married Terry D. Will on April 27, 1958, in Warren. He survives.

Additional survivors include two daughters, Jeanette Will Goeglein, of Markle, and Kathryn S. (Larry) Till, of Orlando, FL; a son, Gary Lee (Niki) Will, of Markle; six grandchildren, Jamie Lynn (Karl) Landmeier, of Huntertown, Sonya Nicole (Brandt) Jewell, of Nashville, TN, Jonathan Tyler Till, of Zephyrhills, FL, Madison Elaine Wohlford, of Huntington, Brandon Michael Will, of Markle, and Hannah Noel Will, of Huntington; and four great-grandchildren.

A private memorial service for the family will take place at a later date.

Interment will take place at a later date at the Sparks Cemetery in Wells County. Myers Funeral Home, Markle Chapel, is in charge of arrangements.

Memorials may be made to any of the following: Markle Health and Rehab, Heart to Heart Hospice, Huntington County 4-H or TurnPointe Community Church of the Brethren, all in care of Myers Funeral Home, P.O. Box 403, Markle, IN 46770.

WYANT

Madame Simone Lucien Helene Hilaire Wyant, 98, of Fort Wayne and a former Bluffton resident, died Thursday Dec. 2, 2021, at the Golden Years Homestead in Fort Wayne.

She was born in Metz, France, July 16, 1923. She married Arthur Wyant on June 14, 1947; he preceded her in death Sept. 3, 2004.

Survivors include three children, Steve, Carol (Mark) Chaney and Lisa (Bryan) Stiebeling; four grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and one great-great granddaughter.

A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, Dec. 6, 2021, at the Cedar Creek Church of Christ in Fort Wayne. There will be an hour

CONTINUED PAGE 6

AREA NEWS CONTINUED

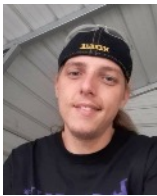
MORE PAGE 5

of calling prior to the service at the church. Burial will take place at 1:30 p.m. Monday, Dec. 6, at the Mossburg Cemetery in Liberty Center.

Arrangements by Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton.

WOLFE

Dakodah C. Wolfe, 27, of Hartford City, IN, passed away at 11:44 AM on Friday, December 3, 2021 in Hartford City, IN.



He was born on Sunday, February 6, 1994, in Hartford City, IN. Dakodah attended Eastbrook High School. High school. He was a member of the Light House Church, Hartford City, IN. He worked at Mayco, Hartford City, IN. Dakodah loved his kids and loved helping others. He enjoyed skateboarding, basketball, he loved music, he was in the rap game for 10 years, and Michigan sports. He loved being with his family and was always telling jokes.

He will be sadly missed by his Father - Chad Wolfe, Dunkirk, IN, Mother - Ashley (Hovermale) Herzog, Van Buren, IN, Sons - Dravyn Wolfe, Daxton Wolfe, Dawson Wolfe, Peyton Tungate, Brother - Glen Bradley, Upland, IN, Sister - Brigitte Bradley, Marion, IN, Sister - Aubree Wass, Marion, IN, Brother - Garrett Bradley, Gas City, IN, Brother - Gage Bradley, Gas City, IN, Sister - Karrlee Bradley, Huntington, IN, Brother - Kalup George, Montpelier, IN, Sister - Kali George, Muncie, IN, Maternal Grandparents - Suanne & Rick Jefferies, Van Buren, IN, and Paternal Grandparents - Kay

& Linda Wolfe, Hartford City, IN.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember at the Lighthouse Church 2101 N Walnut St. Hartford City on Wednesday, December 8, 2021 from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM. A service to celebrate his life will follow at 4:00 PM with Pastor Troy Kaufman officiating.

Family and friends may also gather to share and remember at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints 1465 E. Bradford St. Marion, IN. on Thursday, December 9, 2021 from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM. A service to celebrate his life will follow at 2:00 PM with Pastor Andrew Sorenson officiating.

Preferred memorials: To the Funeral Home for Funeral expenses

Arrangements are being handled by Walker & Glancy Funeral Home in Montpelier.

HART

Dean Hart, 91, Fishers, formerly of Marion, passed into Eternal Life on December 4, 2021.



He was born October 3rd, 1930 in Lancaster Township, Huntington County to Orvan and Susan (Shutt) Hart. He married Barbara (Detamore) Hart on July 19, 1950 in the Jefferson Center United Methodist Church, Huntington County. She survives.

Dean was a self-employed builder. He was a member of the Solid Rock United Methodist Church of Warren. He graduated in 1948 from Lancaster Township School in Huntington County.

Survivors are his wife Barbara of 71 years, sons Jack (Fran) Hart, Marion and

Steven (Sue) Hart, Kokomo, daughter Susan Jones Swayzee. Grandchildren, Maegen (Aaron) Warner, Gretchen (Gerald) Stanley, Peter (Bethany) Hart, Heidi (Andrew) Porterfield, Allison Hart, Braden (Danielle) Jones, Preston (Carli) Jones. Great grandchildren, Abby and Lauren Warner, Grant, Grady, Gillian and Gia Stanley, Hunter, Benjamin, Hallee and Sadie Hart, Jax and Jocelin Porterfield, Callahan and Monroe Jones. Brother-in-law Roger (Margaret) Detamore, Ft. Wayne, Sister-in-law Doris Rupel, Upland.

He was preceded in death by his parents, infant daughter Linda Kathleen Hart, brothers, Earl (Dorothy) Hart, William (Betty) Hart, Lawrence (Carolyn) Hart, Lewis (Kathryn) Hart, Robert (Carolyn) Hart and sisters Deloris Stech, Alice Hart and twin sister Jean (Paul) Cross and brother-in-law Joe Rupel.

Visitation will be at Glancy Funeral Home, Warren, on Saturday, December 11, 2021, from 11AM-1PM with a celebration of life service immediately following with Pastor Joe Haney officiating.

Burial will be at Lancaster Cemetery, Huntington County.

Memorials may be made to Solid Rock United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 322, Warren, IN 46792.

REA

Joanne Clamme-Rea, 91 of Hartford City, passed away peacefully on Saturday evening, Dec. 4, 2021.

She will always be remembered for her witty sense of humor that she had right up to her last day.

Joanne was born on Aug. 22, 1930, in Hartford City to Jesse and Edith (Murphy) Landis.

On Feb. 19, 1953, Joanne married Lloyd P. Clamme at the Zion Lutheran Church Parsonage. He preceded her in death on June 18, 1977.

She married Robert "Bob" Rea on April 19, 1986, and he preceded her in death on Oct. 20, 2002.

Survivors include her children, Perry and Sandy

Clamme of Hartford City, Rod and Brenda Clamme of Bluffton, Stan Clamme of Hartford City and Penny and Jeff Lanning of Hartford City. She is survived by seven grandchildren, Kile and Brandy Clamme, Kacy and Shanna Clamme, Cassie Clamme and Jason Leas, Kameron Clamme and Katie Studebaker, Cullen Clamme, Megan and Wes Brewer and Mitchell Lanning; along with 10 great-grandchildren, John Clamme, Kinze Clamme, Kennedy Clamme, Kasen Clamme, Izzy Leas, Ava Leas, Ella Leas, Eden Leas, Owen Leas and Olivia Brewer.

She will be fondly remembered as Aunt Jo to many nieces and nephews throughout the country. Joanne is also survived by lifelong friends, Mary Helm of Hartford City, Faye Daily of Mishawaka and Mary Jane Holtzleiter of Hartford City.

She was preceded in death by four sisters, Mary E. Sthrome, Sarah C. Landis, Doris O'Neal, Annette Terhune; and two brothers, Jesse Landis and Rollan Landis; a great-granddaughter, Kelsey Clamme.

Private family services will be held on Wednesday morning at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. A public graveside service will be held at 11:45 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 8, 2021, at the Hartford City Cemetery with Jeff Lemler officiating. Burial will follow next to her husband Lloyd at Hartford City Cemetery.

Memorials may be made in Joanne's memory to the St. Jude Children's Hospital or the family request that you perform an "Intentional Act of Kindness" to friends, family or a stranger in her honor.

CHOPSON

Vicky Lynn Chopson, 59, of Warren, IN, passed away at 5:42 PM on Monday,



December 6, 2021, at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne, IN.

She was born on Saturday, December 23, 1961, in Marion, IN. She married Dennis Chopson on Friday, April 3, 1981, in Nolanville, TX. Vicky formerly worked at Morrison's Restaurant in Warren, Magnetek in Huntington, and Warren Auto Truck Plaza. She liked watching General Hospital, Elvis, diamond dotting and especially loved spending time with her grandkids.

Loving survivors include her husband Dennis Chopson, Warren, IN, daughter - Brenda Chopson, Warren, IN, daughter Barbara "Barbie" Langston, Warren, IN, son David Chopson, Warren, IN, grandchildren Raelynn Pebernat, Temperance Langston, Piper Long, Karly Platfoot, Willie Platfoot, Leabell Semon, and Logan Brumbaugh, and sisters Louise Parfitt, The Netherlands & Lori Poor, Wabash, IN, several Nieces and Nephews.

She was preceded in death by her mother Mary June (Meyers) Doyle, father John William Doyle and brothers George LaMeau & Larry W. Doyle, Sr.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember at Glancy-H. Brown & Son Funeral Home, 203 N. Matilda St. Warren, on Friday, December 10, 2021, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM.

Preferred memorials: Helping Paws Pet Haven, 2242 S Marion Rd. Huntington, IN 46750 or to the funeral home to help with funeral expenses.

God has blessed us with
Celebrating Over 70 Years of serving this Community

BOLINGER'S
Warren
Service
AND
Supply

Serving your plumbing, heating and
air conditioning needs since 1948

Located at the stop light in Warren
CP81006007

260-375-3010 or toll free 1-877-375-3010

Support
the
businesses
who bring
you
Your
Hometown
News

CLASSIFIEDS

**** NOTICE ****
 Personals type ads will not be accepted for the Warren Weekly

BARGAIN BASEMENT
 132 Nancy St - Warren
 Fri - Sat 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
 Come check us out. T

DEWEESE SOFT WATER AND APPLIANCE
 A Technetic dealer 375-3828 T

AMISH CREW
 will do all types construction - Additions, garages, homes, log homes, roofing, siding, pole barns, flooring, drywall, painting, windows, concrete
 574-251-8186 T

MOTORCYCLE FOR SALE
 2003 Suzuki Intruder LC 1500, 26, 523 miles. Black on black. Great Ride, needs a new home
 \$3,200 260-228-0851 t

Send a friend the Hometown News
 or
 better yet ...
 Send them a Subscription

Announce your Engagement
 Wedding
 Anniversary
 Birth
 in the Warren Weekly
 for FREE
 Email: wwkly@citiznet.com
 Fax: 260/247-2426
 Mail: PO Box 695 Warren

Email your News & Advertising to editor@warrenweeklyindiana.com

MARATHON WARREN MARKET
Stop In For Gas, Pizza & Deli
 230 N WAYNE WARREN
 260-375-4766

Bread of Life Food Pantry
 Hours
 Wednesday 2 - 4 p.m.
 Drive thru only
 at Knight Bergman Center

Shoemaker Construction
Cory Shoemaker
Owner
 PO Box 265
 Warren IN 46792
 FREE ESTIMATES
 (260)388-5558
 INSURED

Drop off your news and advertising for the
Warren Weekly
 at **Town Hall**
 Downtown Warren

INDIANA FARM BUREAU INSURANCE

Adam Stroup, Premier Agent
 2815 N Jefferson Street
 Huntington, Indiana 46750-8807
 Bus: 260-356-2522 • Cell: 260-519-2064
 Toll-Free: 888-261-3479 • Fax: 866-323-0025



www.infarmbureau.com 2011

Check out the Community Bulletin Board found on Channel 8. Information updated monthly!



WARREN CABLE TV
 375-2115
 "Best Entertainment Value Around!"

HI I CAN'T REMEMBER YOUR NAME EITHER

Be Unforgettable!
 Keep Your Business' Name in front of people by advertising in the Warren Weekly!

Call or email today to get your ad in for next week!
260.375.6290 or
editor@warrenweeklyindiana.com
 That's 3000 potential new customers, or existing customers each week!

WARREN WEEKLY SUBSCRIPTION ORDER

Name _____
 Address _____
 City, ST, Zip _____
 Email _____

New or Renewal
 1 Year \$48 6 Mo. \$24 3 Mo \$12
 1 Year Digital \$24 (emailed)

Send Form & Payment to: WARREN WEEKLY, PO Box 695, Warren IN 46792 Or email info to editor@warrenweeklyindiana.com. Credit card payments accepted through www.paypal.com to editor@warrenweeklyindiana.com.
ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

SEND IN YOUR AD TODAY **CLASSIFIED ADS \$5 FOR 50 WORDS**

Please PRINT your ad and Phone Number carefully (if phone number is to be included in ad, please write it that way).

Your Ad: _____

Classified advertising will run at a cost of \$5 for 50 words per weekly insertion. Send in your ad – include your name and phone number (for our records) and number of times you wish ad to run. Mail to: Warren Weekly, PO Box 695, Warren IN 46792, or drop off at Town Hall, Downtown Warren by 10 a.m. On Tuesday for the Friday edition. You may include your ad on a separate piece of paper if you wish, as long as the information below is included. You may also submit Classified advertising through the website at www.warrenweeklyindiana.com. Click on the Forms tab.

Name: _____ Phone: _____ # Weeks to run: _____

Total Payment Enclosed: _____ **ALL CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING MUST BE PAID FOR AT TIME OF SUBMISSION.**

AREA NEWS CONTINUED

MORE PAGE 4

• Check heating filters every couple weeks and change them at least twice in the season, or as directed by the manufacturer.

• Check and maintain insulation. Improperly insulated walls, floors, attics, basements and crawl spaces drain away heat and can also lead to moisture imbalance.

• Check ductwork for insulation and leaks. No matter how “state of the art” your heating system is, if your ductwork is bad, it will diminish efficiency.

• Turn down the thermostat by a few degrees and dress more warmly.

• Clean the furnace area. Don't keep chemicals or cleaning products near your heater, and don't store anything next to it that could impede ventilation.

• Keep vents and returns free of obstructions.

• Install a humidifier to make indoor air feel warmer.

Work With Experts

Be sure all work performed on your heating equipment is carried out by a trustworthy, NATE-certified technician. Even the most efficient system can suffer if it's not properly maintained. NATE-certified technicians have demonstrated knowledge of today's heating and cooling systems. Better installation and service means your equipment will run at peak efficiency. Visit natex.org for additional winter tips and resources, and to find a NATE-certified technician in your area.

If you do call in a technician, prep for their arrival. You can help your technician diagnose a potential problem with your heating equipment by being prepared to share important information, such as the age, brand and model of your furnace and whether it's been leaking, making

unusual noises or emitting odors.

With a combination high-efficiency equipment, a little DIY and the help of professional expertise, you can stay warm and cozy on-budget, all season long.



SMALL GOALS ADD UP TO BIG ACCOMPLISHMENTS!

by Head Master Rodney L Howard

A few weeks ago I was talking to the editor of the Warren weekly. I knew her from a long time ago. She asked what I have been doing. I explained that I passed my test for Six Degree Black Belt last November.

This year I have been writing a five thousand word essay to send in for my six degree Kukkiwon certificate from Korea. The Kukkiwon certificate is an international certificate. It is like having an international driver's license. I can go anywhere with my 6th degree belt with that certificate and teach at seminars or compete in tournaments as a contestant or as a judge.

She was puzzled why would I be writing a 5,000 word essay instead of taking a physical test in martial arts. The 6th degree is an advance Master Black Belt degree. That level teaches Black Belts how to teach. I explained that my ultimate goal is to make Grandmaster. That has been my goal for many years. I have worked on it step-by-step, slowly making progress toward my goal.

If I told you everything that you would need to do to become a Six Degree Black Belt, many of you would never start learning TKD. But, if I tell you how much you need to learn to advance from White Belt to Yellow Belt, it wouldn't seem so difficult. If a student slowly progresses by working on one goal at a time, before they know it they will have achieved a new belt level! Accomplishing small goals adds up to BIG accomplishments!

Would you like to see how good it feels to set goals and accomplish them? Why don't you come to our TKD class on Monday night 6:00 P.M. at Solid Rock UMC and start your own journey toward setting goals and achieving them!

Pictured Above: Master Sample getting his 4th Dan certificate from the new 6th Dan Head Master Howard.

Check the Classifieds



MORE PAGE 2

- Add 1 jar of dry roasted peanuts stir and with a teaspoon, spoon out into clusters on wax paper or mats
- Take two Ritz crackers and spread peanut butter between and dip, lift out with fork and place on wax paper or mats
- Add a little mint oil flavoring to melted chocolate and dip Ritz crackers, lift out with fork and place on wax paper or mats
- And of course the famous reindeer poop take a bag of carmel bits and put in the chocolate, mix and spoon out into piles on mats
- Snow man poop melt white chocolate add mini marshmallows stir and spoon out into piles
- And if you have been bad, take some crushed up Oreo cookies stir into chocolate, dip out into piles and sprinkle with black sanding sugar and you will have lumps of coal. Happy candy making!!

BIPPUS STATE BANK PLAN NOW FOR YOUR 2022 CROP INPUTS

FARMER'S FLEX LINE
The convenience and versatility of a farm checking account and an operating loan, all in one.

Sandy Hacker
Ag Lender
Warren

Call us at 877.653.8900 or visit bippusbank.com/aglending

member FDIC

Jones Auto and Ag LLC

Your Local Full Service Auto Center
IS NOW

Your Hometown Tire Connection

Cars, Trucks, Lawn & Garden, Ag Implement,
Golf Carts, Trailers

ALL THE BRANDS

Firestone, Michelin, Goodyear, Mastercraft,
Carlisle, BF Goodrich, and more

Computer balancing and flat repair

CALL 260-375-6442 FOR A FREE ESTIMATE

Monday - Friday 8-5

DeWayne and Kelly Jones, owners

Thank You!

Warren Law
Enforcement

You Are Appreciated!